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**The American Experience: The Nuremberg trials**

1. What did each defendant of the trials plead?
2. Who did Truman ask to serve as chief prosecutor? Why was he wary?
3. Who was defendant #1?
4. What could the Germans NOT use as a defense?
5. Describe Nuremberg at the time of the trials. Why did they choose that city?
6. What did they fear might happen to Nazism during this trial?
7. What would “Crimes Against Humanity” come to be called?
8. What did they use to “pump up the proceedings”?
9. What did Dodd use as evidence under the white sheet? What had it been used for?
10. The Invasion of Poland was considered a crime against \_\_\_\_\_\_.
11. What happened during Kristanacht, (The Night of Broken Glass)?
12. What was the “Final Solution to the Jewish Question”?
13. What did Göring testify on his own behalf?
14. During cross-examination, what did Göring claim about the Concentration Camps?
15. What did the judge allow Göring?
16. How did the first day of cross-examination end for Göring?
17. What happened when Göring was presented with his specific crimes?
18. Over the four months of trial, what did other Nazi leaders claim?
19. In Jackson’s closing arguments, what did he say it would be like if they found the men not guilty?
20. What was the sentence for the major Nazi leaders? How did Göring actually die?