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TOKYO SAYS ACCEPTANCE COMING 'SOON'

Broadcaster Says Imperial Message Text to Be Given

By Associated Press

The Tokyo radio, in a broadcast heard by the Associated Press said Tuesday "The text of an imperial message accepting the Potsdam proclamations will be forthcoming soon."

The broadcast was signed off at 11:59 p. m., M. W. T. and was preceded by a "flash" warning.

The statement was repeated a few moments later.

No further details were given.

Only a short time earlier, however, Tokio had reported that the Japanese cabinet had been in continuous session since Sunday night and indicated that the reply to the allied unconditional surrender demand probably would be announced today. Tokio broadcasts heard by the Associated Press yesterday gave no New York imperial conference that the Tokio Domei News statement [illegible] and [illegible] the "flash" broadcast was sent.

Such stations were awaiting their next letters preceded by the letters "CQ"—the International distress signal. This is the usual procedure prior to transmission of Tokio Domei News broadcasts to the allied nations.

The Domei text of the Tokio "flash" as recorded by the Associated Press, said recently:

"It is learned that an imperial message accepting the Potsdam proclamation will be forthcoming soon."

The broadcast made no reference to the atomic bomb or with respect to Emperor Hirohito considered to be a sacred war [illegible] Tokio Radio, Domei said today.

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