

# Presidential party on the steps of Bancroft Hall



## Description

The Presidential party is shown on the steps of Bancroft Hall viewing the noon meal formation of the Midshipmen at the Naval Academy. Left to right: President Harry S. Truman, Admiral Aubrey Fitch, Brigadier General Wallace Graham, Secretary of the Navy James Forrestal, Major General Harry Vaughan (partly obscured by Forrestal), Rear Admiral Stuart Ingersoll, Admiral William Leahy, Press Secretary Charles Ross. Others are unidentified. From the album, Visit of President Truman to the U.S. Naval Academy.

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**People Pictured** Forrestal, James, 1892-1949    Leahy, William D. (William Daniel), 1875-1959    Ross, Charles G. (Charles Griffith), 1885-1950    Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972    Fitch, Aubrey Wray, 1883-1978    Graham, Wallace Harry, 1910-1996    Ingersoll, Stuart H. (Stuart Howe), 1898-1983    Vaughan, Harry H., 1893-1981

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