

# Barkley Speaking at Train Ceremony



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## **Description**

Vice-President Alben Barkley (standing at microphone) speaking to a crowd gathered around a boxcar from the French "Merci train." The train was a gift from France to the United States in recognition of U.S. aid to France after World War II. Others at ceremony unidentified.

Date(s)

February 6, 1949

8x10 inches (21x26 cm)

Black & White

Keywords

Gifts

Railroads  
Speeches, addresses, etc.  
Vice-Presidents  
HST Keywords  
Merci Train  
People Pictured  
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