Barkley with Dignitaries at French Merci Train Ceremony



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Description

From left to right, French Ambassador to the United States Henri Bonnet, Vice-President Alben Barkley, and Senator Arthur Vandenberg at the French "Merci Train" ceremony. The train was a gift from France to the United States in recognition of U.S. aid to France after World War II. All others are unidentified.

Date(s)

February 6, 1949 8x10 inches (21x26 cm) Black & White Keywords **Ambassadors**

Gifts

Legislators

Railroad stations

Vice-Presidents

HST Keywords

Merci Train

People Pictured

Barkley, Alben William, 1877-1956

Bonnet, Henri, 1888-1978

Vandenberg, Arthur H. (Arthur Hendrick), 1884-1951

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