

President Truman Activates New Generator at Grand Coulee Dam



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Description

President Harry S. Truman seated at his desk in the Oval Office, preparing to press a button activating a new generator at Grand Coulee Dam. Also present are Secretary of the Interior Julius Krug (foreground, right, standing next to Truman) and members of Congress from a number of Western states. Partial identification of others standing behind the president include: Washington Congressman Walter Horan (far left); Washington Congressman Hugh B. Mitchell (third from left); Washington Senator Henry Jackson (5th from left); Ohio Congressman Michael Kirwan (2nd from right); and Oregon Congressman Homer D. Angell (far right).

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8x10 inches (21x26 cm) Black & White

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People Pictured Jackson, Henry M. (Henry Martin), 1912-1983 Mitchell, Hugh Burnton, 1907-1996 Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972 Krug, Julius A. (Julius Albert), 1907-1970 Kirwan, Michael Joseph, 1886-1970

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