

Truman at Opening Game of Baseball Season



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Description

President Harry S. Truman (seated, far right) with First Lady Bess Truman (to Truman's right) and other members of his party, at Griffith Stadium in Washington on opening day of the baseball season. Seated in the first row of the Presidential box, left to right: General Harry Vaughan, Vice-President Alben Barkley, unidentified man, Mrs. Truman, President Truman. Standing beside President Truman is Clark Griffith, owner of the Washington Senators. Seated in the second row of the Presidential box, left to right: Admiral Robert Dennison, General Robert Landry, Press Secretary Charles Ross, William Hassett, and Matthew Connelly. Standing behind Mr. Connelly is Attorney General Tom Clark. All others are unidentified.

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8x10 inches (21x26 cm) Black & White

Keywords Armed forces officers Baseball Cabinet officers First ladies Naval officers Presidential press secretaries Presidents Vice-Presidents White House staff

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People Pictured Barkley, Alben William, 1877-1956 Clark, Tom C. (Tom Campbell), 1899-1977 Connelly, Matthew J., 1907-1976 Dennison, Robert L. (Robert Lee), 1901-1980 Griffith, Clark (Clark Calvin), 1869-1955 Hassett, William D. (William David), 1880-1965 Landry, Robert B. (Robert Broussard), 1909-2000 Ross, Charles G. (Charles Griffith), 1885-1950 Truman, Bess Wallace, 1885-1982 Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972 Vaughan, Harry H., 1893-1981

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