

# Truman Opening Baseball Season at Griffith Stadium



## Description

President Harry S. Truman shaking hands with Vice President Alben Barkley at Washington, D.C.'s Griffith Stadium, on the occasion of the opening game of the 1950 baseball season, as other dignitaries look on. Standing in the front row of the presidential box are, from left to right: Admiral Robert Dennison, Margaret Truman, First Lady Bess W. Truman, President Truman, Vice-President Barkley, and Washington Senators owner Clark Griffith (in light-colored hat, with his arm on Barkley). All others are unidentified.

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8x10 inches (21x26 cm)    Black & White

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**People Pictured** Barkley, Alben William, 1877-1956    Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972    Truman, Bess Wallace, 1885-1982    Truman, Margaret (Mary Margaret), 1924-2008    Dennison, Robert L. (Robert Lee), 1901-1980    Griffith, Clark (Clark Calvin), 1869-1955

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