

**Description**

Dwight D. Eisenhower (right of podium) taking the oath of office as President of the United States from Chief Justice Fred Vinson (left of podium). In the front row, from left to right are First Lady Bess W. Truman (right side of column), Pat (Mrs. Richard) Nixon, First Lady Mamie Eisenhower, unidentified man, and former President Harry S. Truman. Visible between Mr. Truman and Chief Justice Vinson is former President Herbert Hoover. On the right side of the podium is Vice President Richard Nixon. All others are unidentified.

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People Pictured Eisenhower, Dwight D. (Dwight David), 1890-1969 Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972
Eisenhower, Mamie Doud, 1896-1979 Hoover, Herbert, 1874-1964 Nixon, Pat, 1912-1993 Nixon, Richard M. (Richard Milhous), 1913-1994 Truman, Bess Wallace, 1885-1982 Vinson, Fred M., 1890-1953

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