

# Vice President Harry S. Truman is Sworn in as President of the United States



## Description

Vice President Harry S. Truman, front left, is sworn in as President of the United States by Chief Justice Harlan Stone, front right. Behind them are, from left to right, Attorney General Francis Biddle, Secretary of State Edward Stettinius, Bess W. Truman (mostly obscured by Truman), Margaret Truman, Speaker of the House Sam Rayburn, Office of War Mobilization and Reconversion Administrator Fred Vinson, and House Minority Leader Representative Joseph Martin, Jr. From the scrapbooks of Matt Connelly, Volume 1.

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People Pictured Biddle, Francis B. (Francis Beverley), 1886-1968 Stettinius, Edward R. (Edward Reilly), 1900-1949 Rayburn, Sam, 1882-1961 Stone, Harlan Fiske, 1872-1946 Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972 Truman, Margaret (Mary Margaret), 1924-2008 Martin, Joseph W. (Joseph William), 1884-1968 Vinson, Fred M., 1890-1953 Truman, Bess Wallace, 1885-1982

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