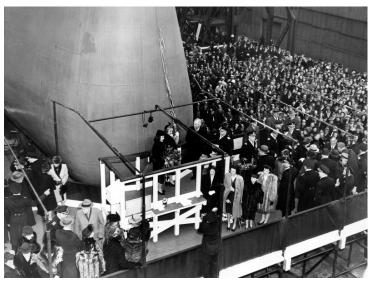
Margaret Truman at the Launching of the USS Missouri



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Description

The Truman Family attends christening and launching ceremonies of the battleship USS Missouri from the Navy Yard in Brooklyn, New York. Standing on the platform, from left to right: Jane Tunstall Lingo, Margaret Truman (holding a bottle of champagne), Senator Harry S. Truman, Rear Admiral Sherman S. Kennedy, and Rear Admiral Monroe Kelly. In front of the platform are Bess Truman (left) and Drucie Snyder (right).

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People Pictured Kelly, Monroe, 1886-1956 Truman, Bess Wallace, 1885-1982 Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972 Truman, Margaret (Mary Margaret), 1924-2008 Snyder, Drucie Kennedy, Sherman S. Lingo, Jane Tunstall, 1924-2007

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