Truman signs Guam Civil Government Act



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Description
President Harry S. Truman (seated) signs legislation shifting the government of the island of Guam from military to civil rule. Standing, left to right are: Senator Joseph C. O'Mahoney, Wyoming; unidentified; Carlos Taitano, Legislative Representative of Guam; Harold Seidman, Bureau of the Budget; Francis Matthews, Secretary of the Navy; Senator Clinton Anderson, New Mexico; Oscar Chapman, Secretary of the Interior; and Senator Hugh Butler, Nebraska.
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People Pictured Anderson, Clinton Presba, 1895-1975 Chapman, Oscar L. (Oscar Littleton), 1896-1978 Matthews, Francis Patrick, 1887-1952 O'Mahoney, Joseph Christopher, 1884-1962 Seidman, Harold, 1911-2002 Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972

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