

# Truman at Opening Game of Baseball Season



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## Description

President Harry S. Truman (seated, far right) with First Lady Bess Truman (to Truman's right) and other members of his party, at Griffith Stadium in Washington on opening day of the baseball season. Seated in the first row of the Presidential box, left to right: General Harry Vaughan, Vice-President Alben Barkley, unidentified man, Mrs. Truman, President Truman. Standing beside President Truman is Clark Griffith, owner of the Washington Senators. Seated in the second row of the Presidential box, left to right: Admiral Robert Dennison, General Robert Landry, Press Secretary Charles Ross, William Hassett, and Matthew Connelly. Standing behind Mr. Connelly is Attorney General Tom Clark. All others are unidentified.

## Date(s)

April 18, 1949

8x10 inches (21x26 cm)      Black & White

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**People Pictured** Barkley, Alben William, 1877-1956      Clark, Tom C. (Tom Campbell), 1899-1977      Connelly, Matthew J., 1907-1976      Dennison, Robert L. (Robert Lee), 1901-1980      Griffith, Clark (Clark Calvin), 1869-1955      Hassett, William D. (William David), 1880-1965      Landry, Robert B. (Robert Broussard), 1909-2000      Ross, Charles G. (Charles Griffith), 1885-1950      Truman, Bess Wallace, 1885-1982      Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972      Vaughan, Harry H., 1893-1981

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