Truman Signing National Security Amendments Bill



Description
President Harry S. Truman, seated behind his desk, distributes pens he used to sign the National Security Act Amendments bill to assembled on-lookers. From left to right: Secretary of Defense Louis Johnson, unidentified, Congressman Dewey Short, Congressman Carl Vinson, Secretary of the Army Gordon Gray, unidentified, Secretary of the Air Force Stuart Symington, Under Secretary of Defense Stephen Early, and Secretary of the Navy Francis Matthews.

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People Pictured Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972 Early, Stephen T. (Stephen Tyree), 1889-1951 Gray, Gordon, 1909-1982 Johnson, Louis Arthur, 1891-1966 Matthews, Francis Patrick, 1887-1952 Short, Dewey Jackson, 1898-1979 Symington, Stuart, 1901-1988 Vinson, Carl, 1883-1981

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