

# President Truman receives word of railroad strike settlement during speech to Joint Session of Congress



## Description

Leslie Biffle (left), Secretary of the Senate, interrupts President Harry S. Truman's address before a Joint Session of Congress to hand him a note telling of settlement of the railroad strike. At the time, the President was asking for unprecedented powers to deal with the labor situation. Donor: New York Herald Tribune.

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**People Pictured** Biffle, Leslie L., 1889-1966      Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972

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