

# Basic Detail Report

**Title Sec. of the Navy William B. Franke welding initials on USS**

**Lafayette keel, 1960**

Date 1960 January 17

Medium Photography

Description Black and white photograph by United Press International (UPI)

photographer Frank Lorenzo with typed caption. Caption: GRP011702-1/17/60-

GROTON, CONN.: Sec. of the Navy William B. Franke uses a wire brush on his

initials after welding it on the keel (1/17) of the polaris missile submarine USS

LAFAYETTE, Vice Adm. H.G. Rickover (R). U.P.I. TELEPHOTO fl

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (overall height x width): 7 1/4 × 9in. (18.4 ×

22.9cm)