

Removing the Presidential Seal



Description

Loren Raines (left) and John Martino (right, party obscured) remove the Presidential Seal while Independence Examiner photographer Dick Corliss (back to camera, in coat) and an unidentified Kansas City Star photographer record the event on the scaffolding. The seal was removed so that the mural by Thomas Hart Benton, "Independence and the Opening of the West" could be painted on the wall.

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5x7 inches (13x18 cm) Black & White

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