

Basic Detail Report

Hans Biebow, former head of the Lodz

Ghetto's German administration, during his trial

Date

1946

Primary Maker

Henryk Ross

Medium

35 mm cellulose nitrate negative

Description

In the photo: Hans Biebow (sitting, centre) Hans Biebow (December 18, 1902 - April 24, 1947) was head of the Lodz Ghetto's German administration. He enjoyed wide powers in the administration: he extracted profits from slave labour and confiscated Jewish personal property. Biebow was one of the officials who organized the first transports to Chemno nad Nerem (renamed Kulmhof) death camp and participated actively in the liquidation of the Lodz Ghetto in 1944. In 1946, Biebow stood trial in Lodz. He was found guilty, sentenced to death and executed in 1947.

Dimensions

Overall (each image): 3.4 x 3.7 cm (1 5/16 x 1 7/16 in.)