

Basic Detail Report

Italian 'Pappagalli' men scouring a tourist

spot for young female tourist to chat up

Date

1969-1979

Medium

gelatin silver print

Description

'Pappagalli (literally = parrots)' was an idiomatic term to describe men who would approach attractive foreign women in tourist spots. The Italian men chatted up foreign women – relentlessly – targeting especially light-haired ones, Nordic-looking types.

Dimensions

Overall: 30.4 x 21.3 cm (12 x 8 3/8 in.)