

Basic Detail Report

Spadaccia and other Radical Party

supporters protest accusing the Italian President Leone of corruption, in Piazza del Quirinale

Date

1971-1978

Medium

gelatin silver print

Description

Giovanni Leone was an Italian politician. He was the 37th Prime Minister of Italy from 21 June 1963 to 4 December 1963 and again from 24 June 1968 to 12 December 1968. He also served as the sixth President of the Republic from 1971 to 1978. On banners: Dimissioni subito: un gesto per la repubblica' ['Resign now: make a gesture for our republic'] 'Il paese non può essere governato da un presidente corrotto: Leone dimettiti' ['Our country cannot be governed by a corrupt President: Leone, resign!'] 'Dimissioni subito! Via le antilopi dal Quirinale' ['Resign immediately! We don't want antelopes [?] in the Presidential palace'] 'Prima lo scandalo Lockheed, ora le evasioni fiscali, cosa aspetti a dimetterti?' = 'First the Lockheed scandal, now tax evasion: why is it taking you so long to resign?'

Dimensions

Overall: 20.7 x 30.7 cm (8 1/8 x 12 1/8 in.)