

## Business men Carlo Pesenti, Furio Cicogna

## and Esso's Piero Cazzaniga

### Date

1969-1979

### Medium

gelatin silver print

### Description

Furio Cicogna was an entrepreneur. He was president of Châtillon and then Confindustria. Confindustria is the main representative organisation of Italian companies manufacturing and services. The Pesenti family has been one of the major Italian business families of the twentieth century. In 1972, an Exxon internal audit disclosed that Esso Italiana, Exxon's Italian subsidiary, had been making payments to Italian political parties that were tied by amount to specific corporate objectives. One of the objectives that was listed on documents seized by Italian authorities was halting nuclear energy development in Italy in favour of burning more oil in electrical power plants.

### Dimensions

Overall: 21.5 x 29.5 cm (8 4/8 x 11 5/8 in.)