

Basic Detail Report

Portrait of Giovanni de Lorenzo

Date

1969-1979

Medium

gelatin silver print

Description

Giovanni de Lorenzo was head of SIFAR (the Italian secret service), general commander of the Carabinieri (October 15, 1962 - 31 January 1966), and Chief of Staff for the Italian Army. He became known for his role in the development of so-called "Piano Solo", an attempted coup designed during the crisis of the Moro government. The plan unfolded in 1965 and had much press attention which saw de Lorenzo in a lawsuit against Lino Jannuzzi, journalist and author of the articles.

Dimensions

Overall: 24.3 x 18.3 cm (9 5/8 x 7 2/8 in.)