

Basic Detail Report

Carlo Bo, Ciriaco De Mita, Francesco Cossiga

and Luigi Granelli

Date

1969-1979

Medium

gelatin silver print

Description

Luigi Granelli was a politician, a member of the Christian Democratic Party, several times minister and undersecretary at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in the governments Rumor IV, V Rumor, Moro IV and V Moro. Ciriaco De Mita is an Italian politician. He served as the 47th Prime Minister. He was made a member of the Italian cabinet in 1973. Francesco Cossiga, was an Italian politician of the Christian Democracy party. He was the 42nd Prime Minister of Italy from 1979 to 1980 and the eighth President of Italy from 1985 to 1992. Carlo Bo was a poet, literary critic, a professor and Life senator of Italy. Before the Second World War, in the year 1936, he published an essay on the literary magazine *Frontespizio* which was gathering together the most relevant poets like Mario Luzi, and contemporary artists from Ottone Rosai to Giorgio Morandi and Quinto Martini. His essay was titled "Letteratura come vita (Literature as a way of life)", containing the theoretical-methodological fundamentals of hermetic poetry. This was to become a strong poetical movement comprising important poets, such as Salvatore Quasimodo and Eugenio Montale, both of whom would go on to receive the Nobel Prize in Literature (1959, 1975). Bo himself, however, never did.

Dimensions

Overall: 21.2 x 30.2 cm (8 3/8 x 11 7/8 in.)