

Portrait of Vittorio Emanuele Orlando

Date

1946-1946

Primary Maker

Federico Patellani

Medium

gelatin silver print

Description

Vittorio Emanuele Orlando (May 19, 1860 – December 1, 1952) was an Italian diplomat and political figure. He was a controversial figure: while some authors criticize his way to represent Italy in the 1919 Paris Peace Conference because of the contrasts with his foreign minister Sidney Sonnino, he was also known as The "Premier of Victory" for defeating the Central Powers along with the Entente in World War I. He was also member and president of the Constitutional Assembly that changed the Italian form of government into a Republic. Aside from his prominent political role Orlando is also known for his writings, over a hundred works, on legal and judicial issues; Orlando was a professor of law.

Dimensions

Overall: 13.3 x 18.5 cm (5 2/8 x 7 2/8 in.)