Basic Detail Report



From "House of Bondage"

Date

1960s

Primary Maker

Ernest Cole

Medium

Gelatin silver print

Description

"House of Bondage" caption (p.129): "Papa with slingshot, usual first weapon of township boy. Line between laughing and crying,

between playing and fighting, is very narrow for boy schooled in the streets. He doesn't care that he wears rags. When these pictures were taken, Papa's mother had just learned that he had been playing hooky for three months."

Dimensions

Sheet/image: $6.3/8 \times 9.1/2$ in. $(16.2 \times 24.1 \text{ cm})$