



AKADEMIE DER KÜNSTE



Firemen fighting fires in Commercial premises in Shoreditch Hight Street [Löscharbeiten nach Luftangriffen durch die deutsche Luftwaffe auf London im Zweiten Weltkrieg]

OBJECT TYPE

Photography

Montagematerial

Verwendung unbekannt

DATE	[1940]
PLACE OF ORIGIN	Vereinigtes Königreich Großbritannien und Nordirland, London
MATERIALS AND TECHNIQUES	Silbergelatineabzug
DIMENSIONS	15,4 x 20,3 cm
PERSON / INSTITUTION	Heartfield, John ↗ ↗ GND (19. Juni 1891–26. April 1968) (Bezugsperson) Keystone News Agency, London, Agentur
COMMENT	Fotografie aus John Heartfields Sammlung von Recherche- und Montagematerial
ICONCLASS	ruin of a building ~ architecture fire-fighting firemen on fire, ablaze
KEY WORDS	Weltkrieg, 2.
MARKS AND INSCRIPTIONS	Verso: "A remarkable series of Pictures taken during / the great fire blitz on the City of London, / which have only now been released by the censor. / At great risk to his life, our cameraman toured / the City during the night of the Luftwaffe 's / fury dodging fire-bombs and escaping the shrapnel / from our own guns, let alone the chance of / burial under the debris of falling buildings / and envelopement in the blazing inferno. [...] / KEYSTONE PHOTO SHOWS: Firemen fighting fires / in Commercial premises in Shoreditch Hight Street. / [...]"
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