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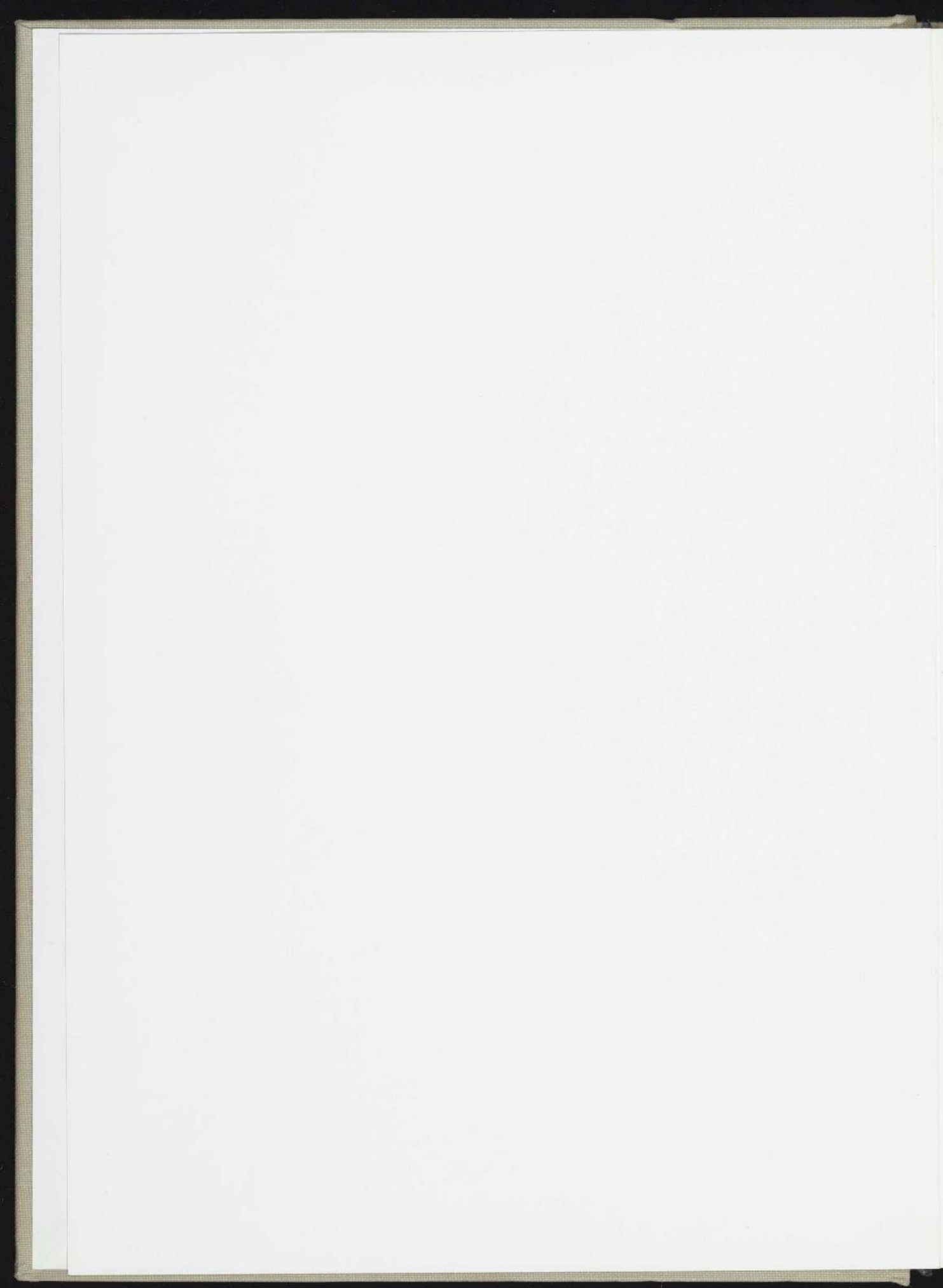
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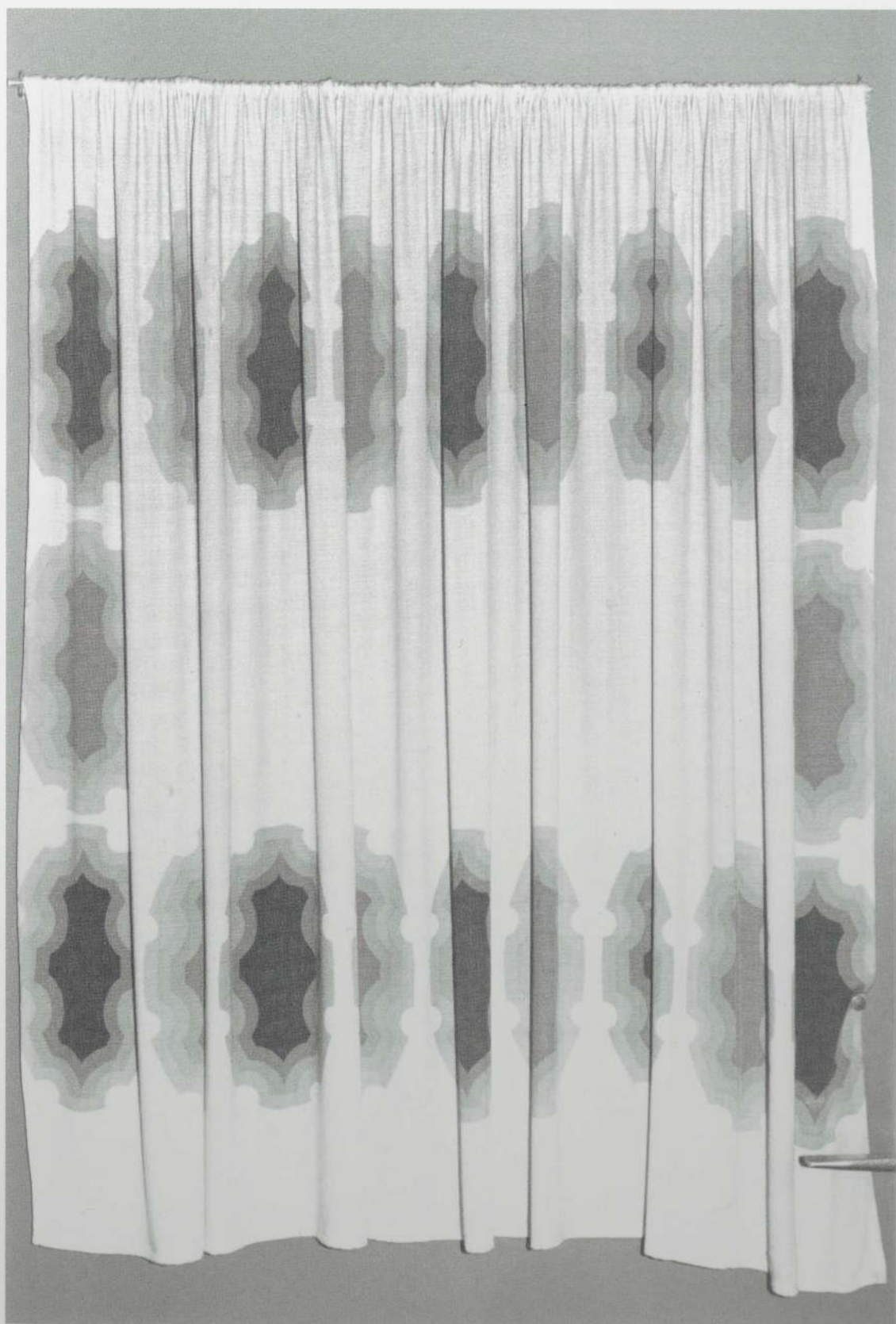
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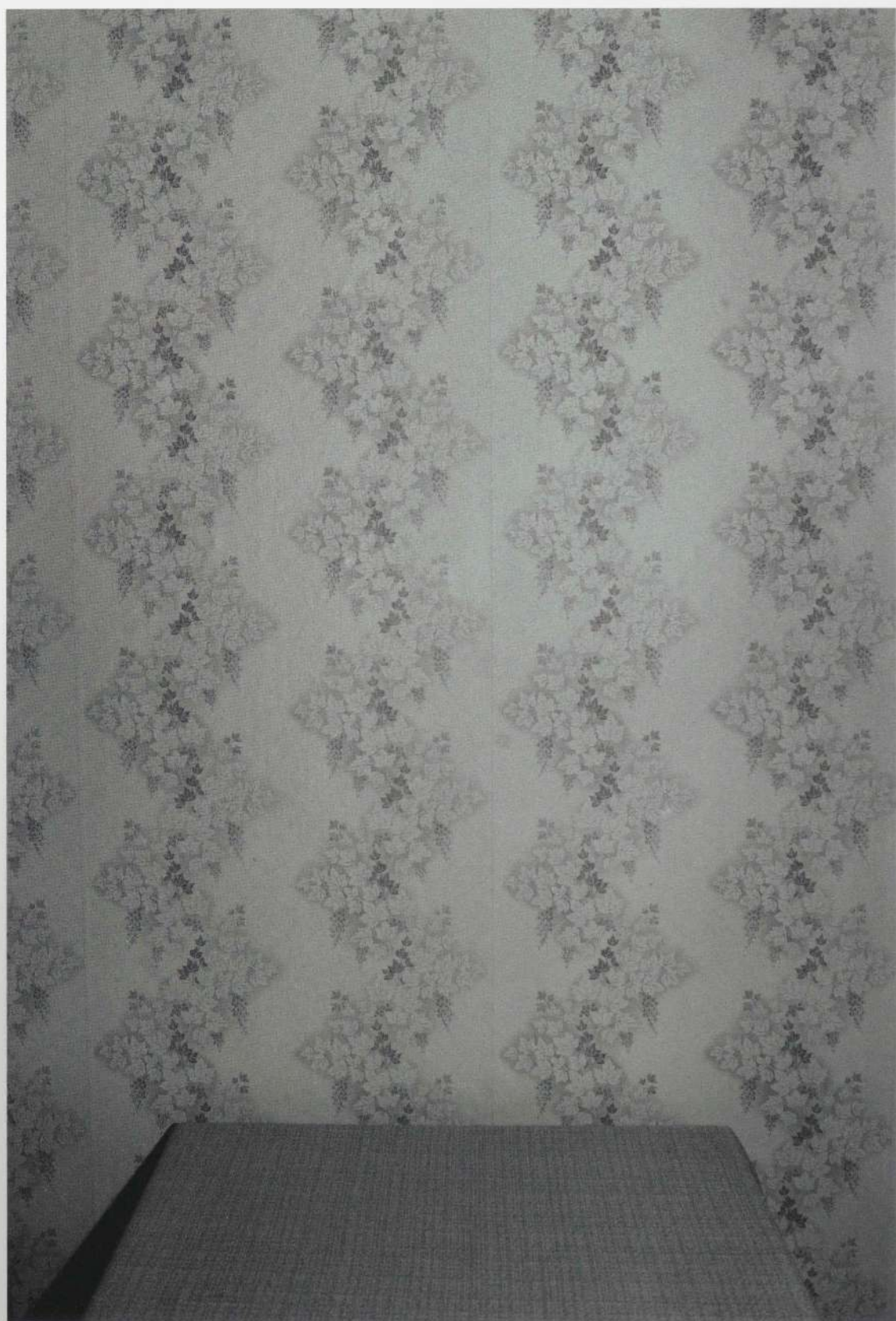
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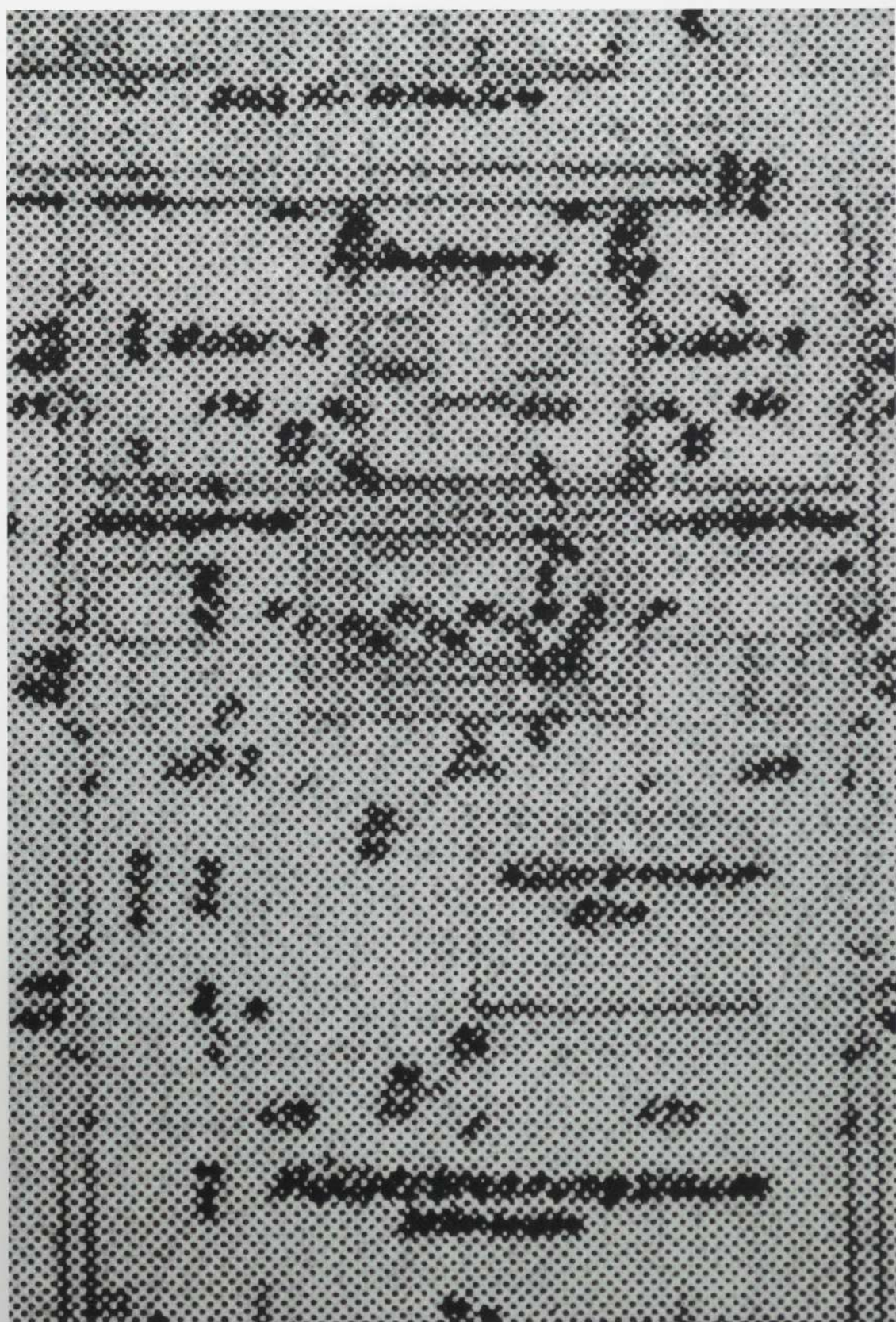
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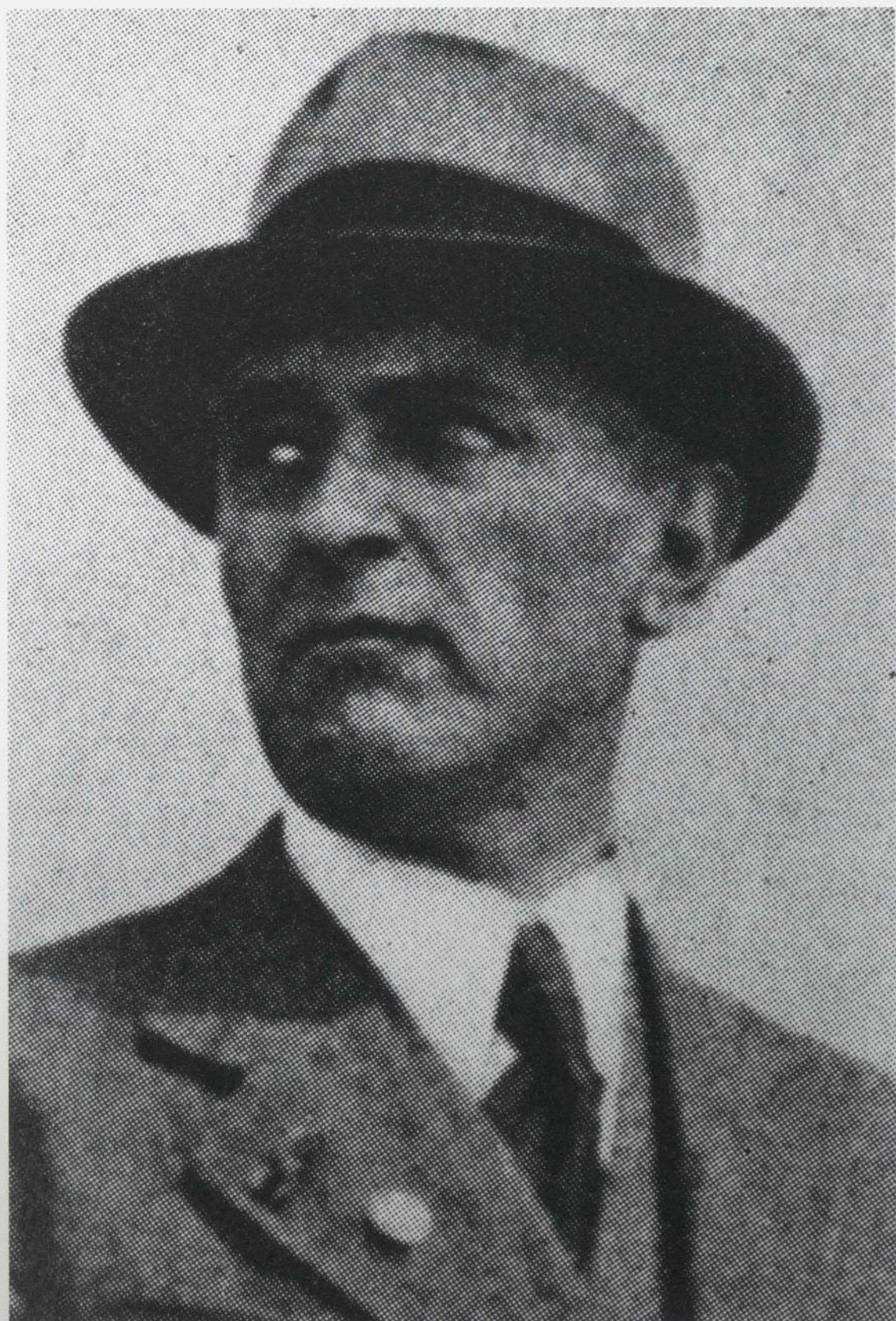
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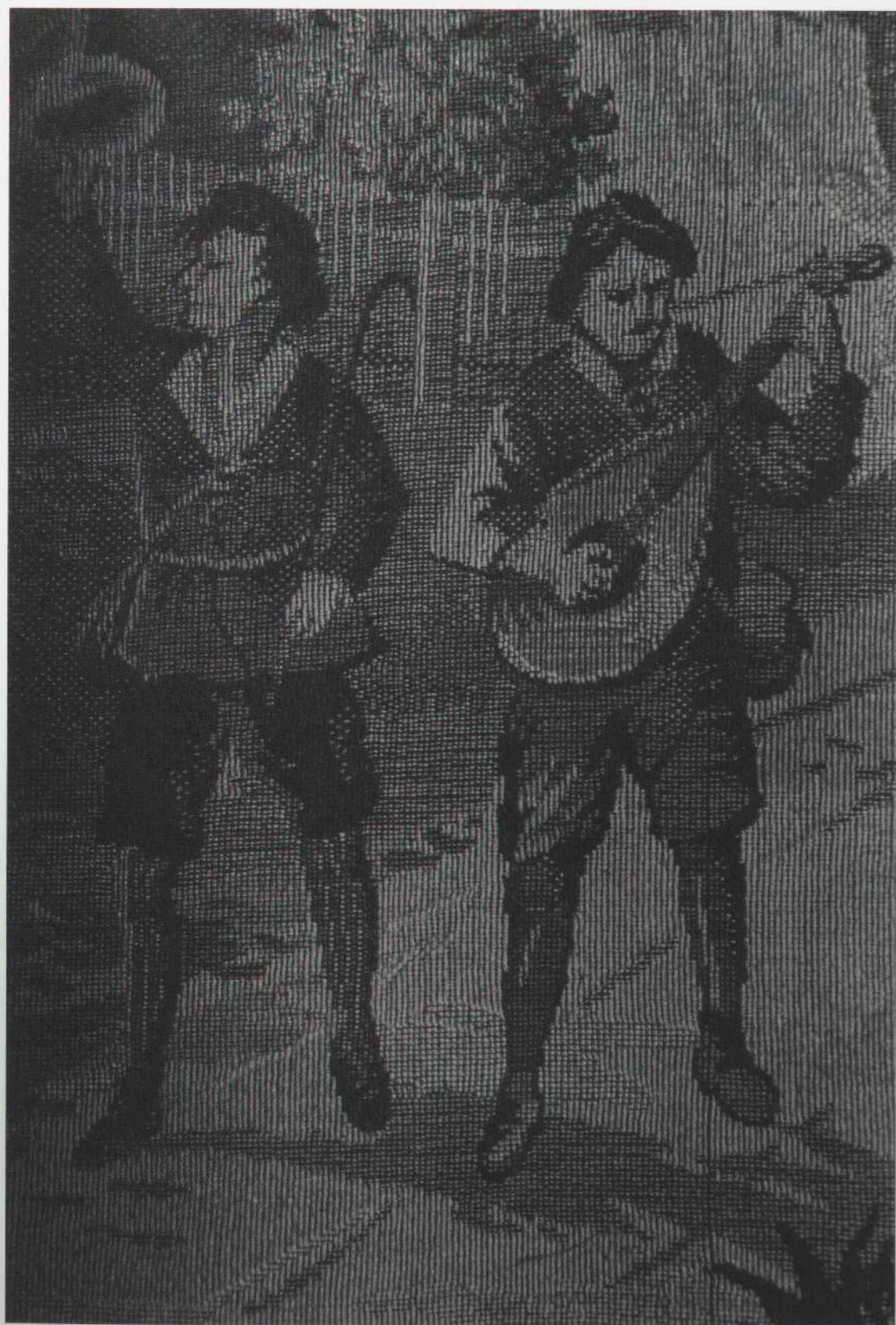






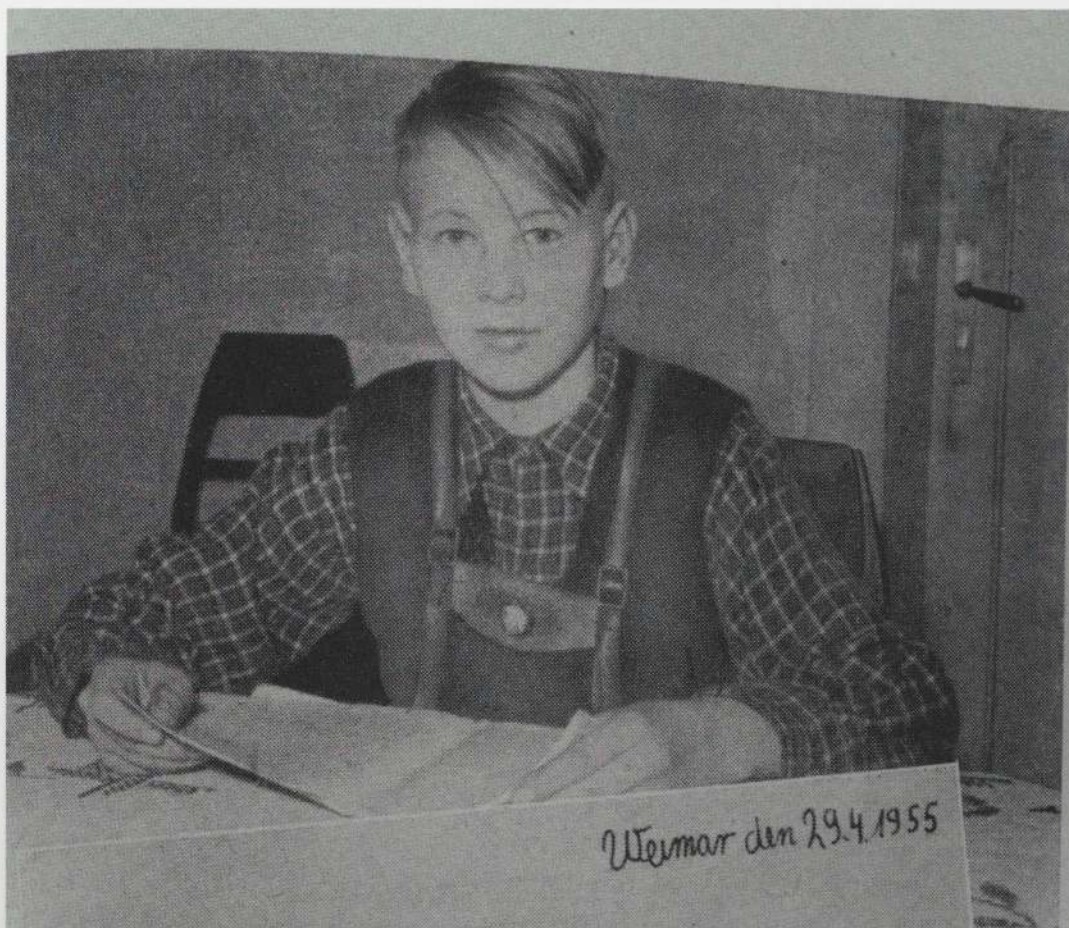












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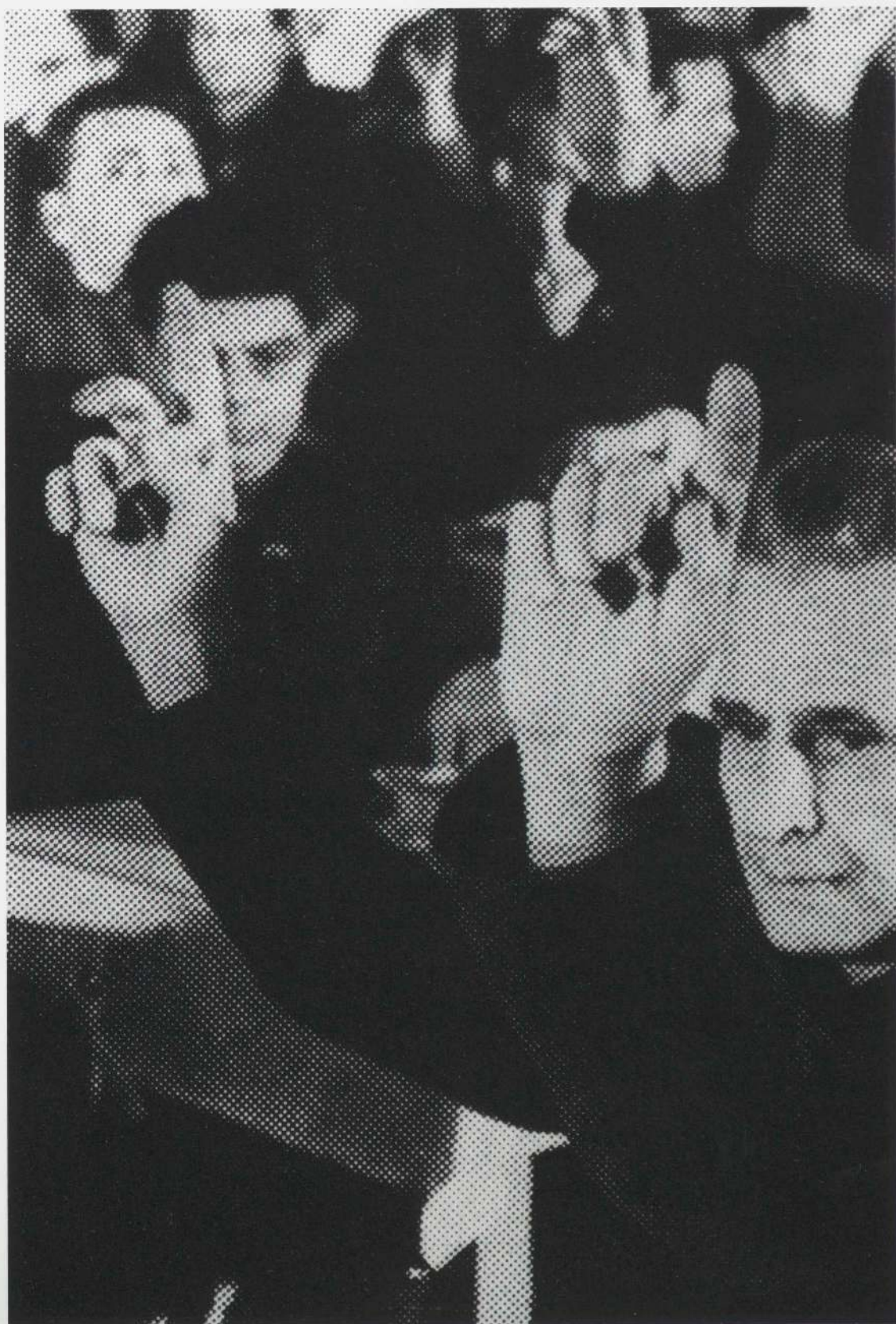
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Hiermit erkläre ich, daß ich als Schüler der im Klasse des Herrn Benkowitz für diesen auser meiner Schulzeit Wege erledigt habe.

Ich benutzte hierzu mein Fahrrad. Ich überbrachte im Auftrage des Herrn Benkowitz verschlossene Briefe an verschiedene Personen von Weimar. Auch Herrn Fogel habe ich derartige Dinge von Herrn Benkowitz übergeben. Ich habe weiterhin von Herrn Fogel an Herrn Benkowitz Briefe weitergeleitet. Was die Briefe beinhalteten wußte ich nicht.

Jürgen Lehmann.
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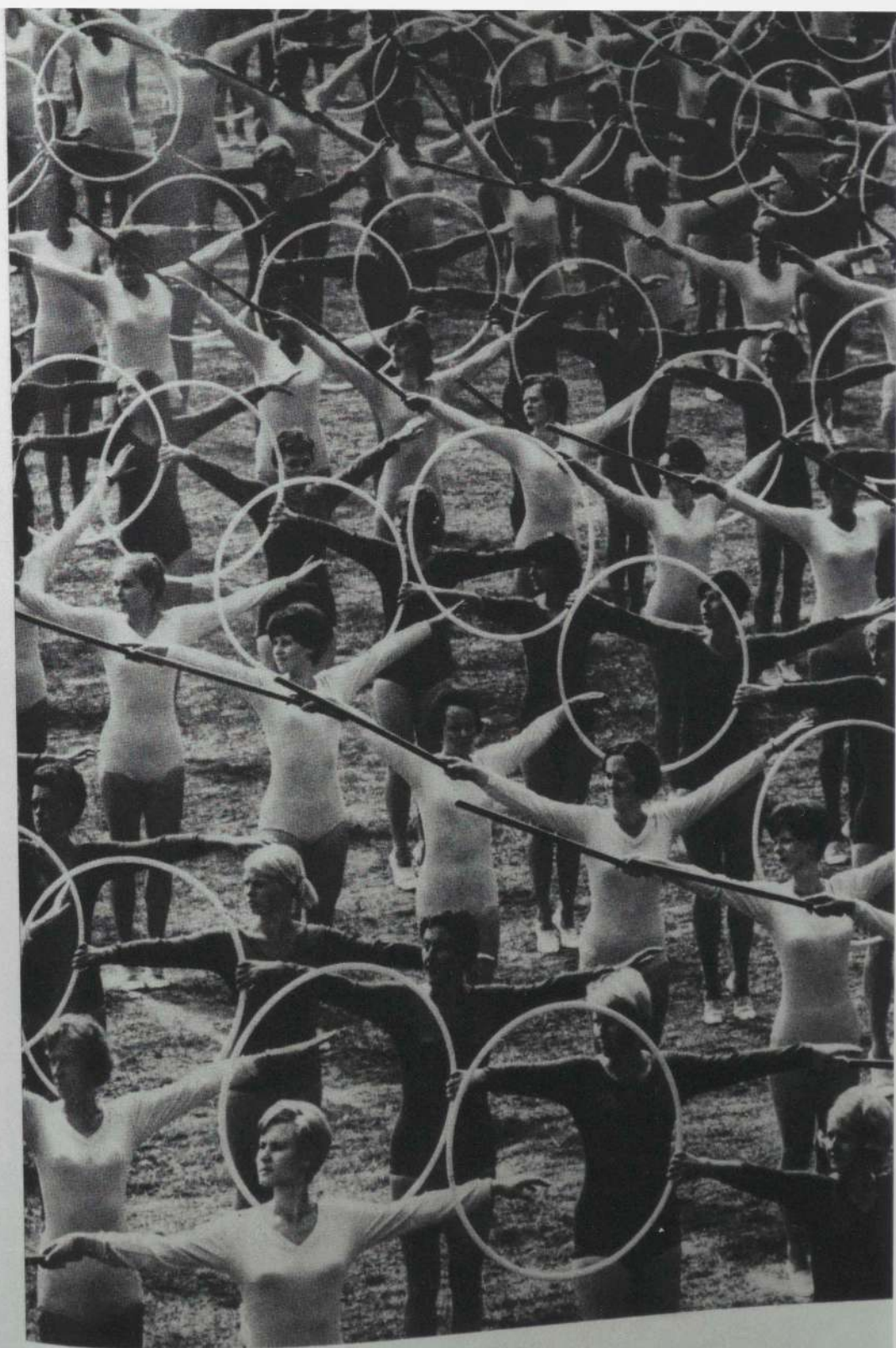


















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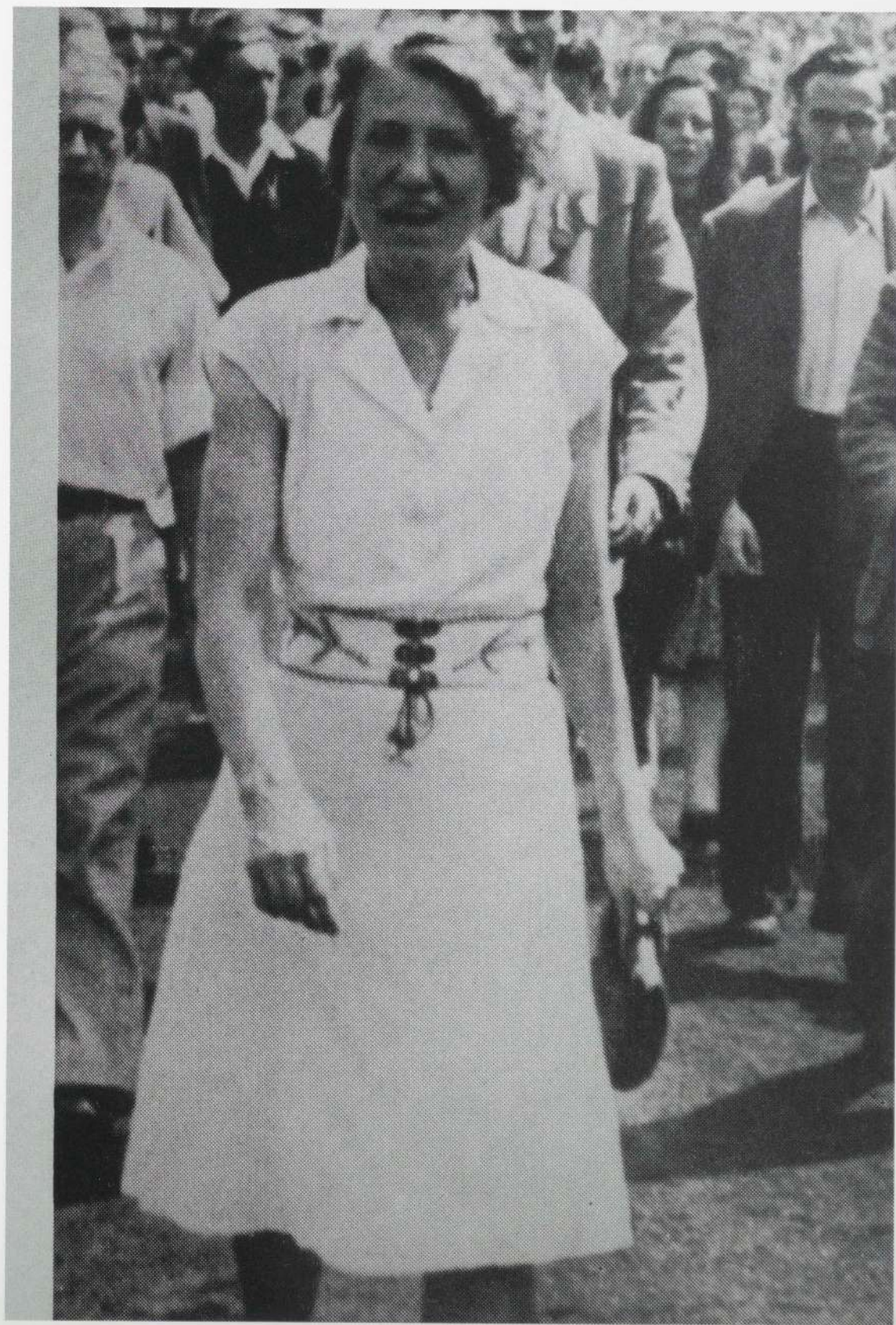
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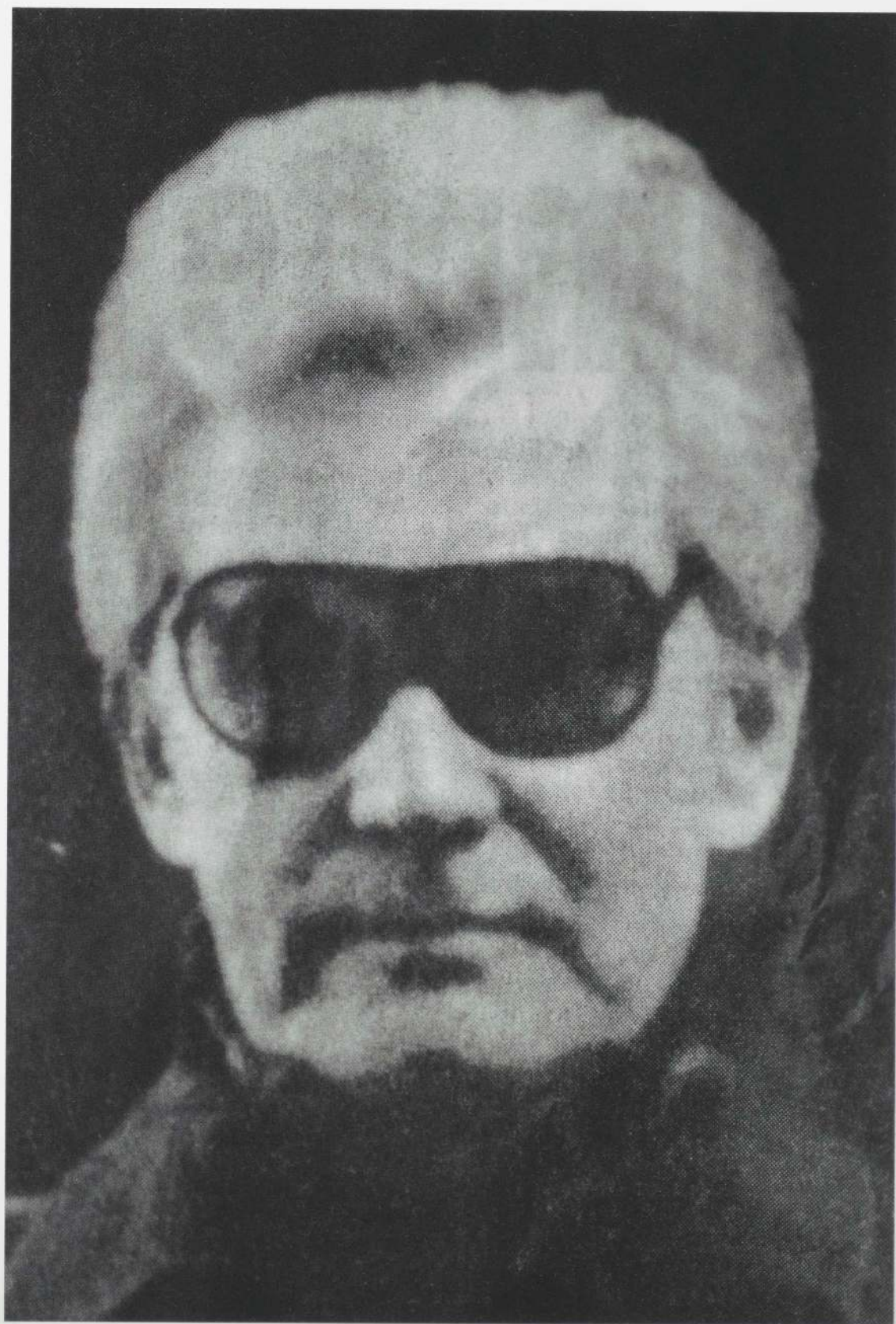
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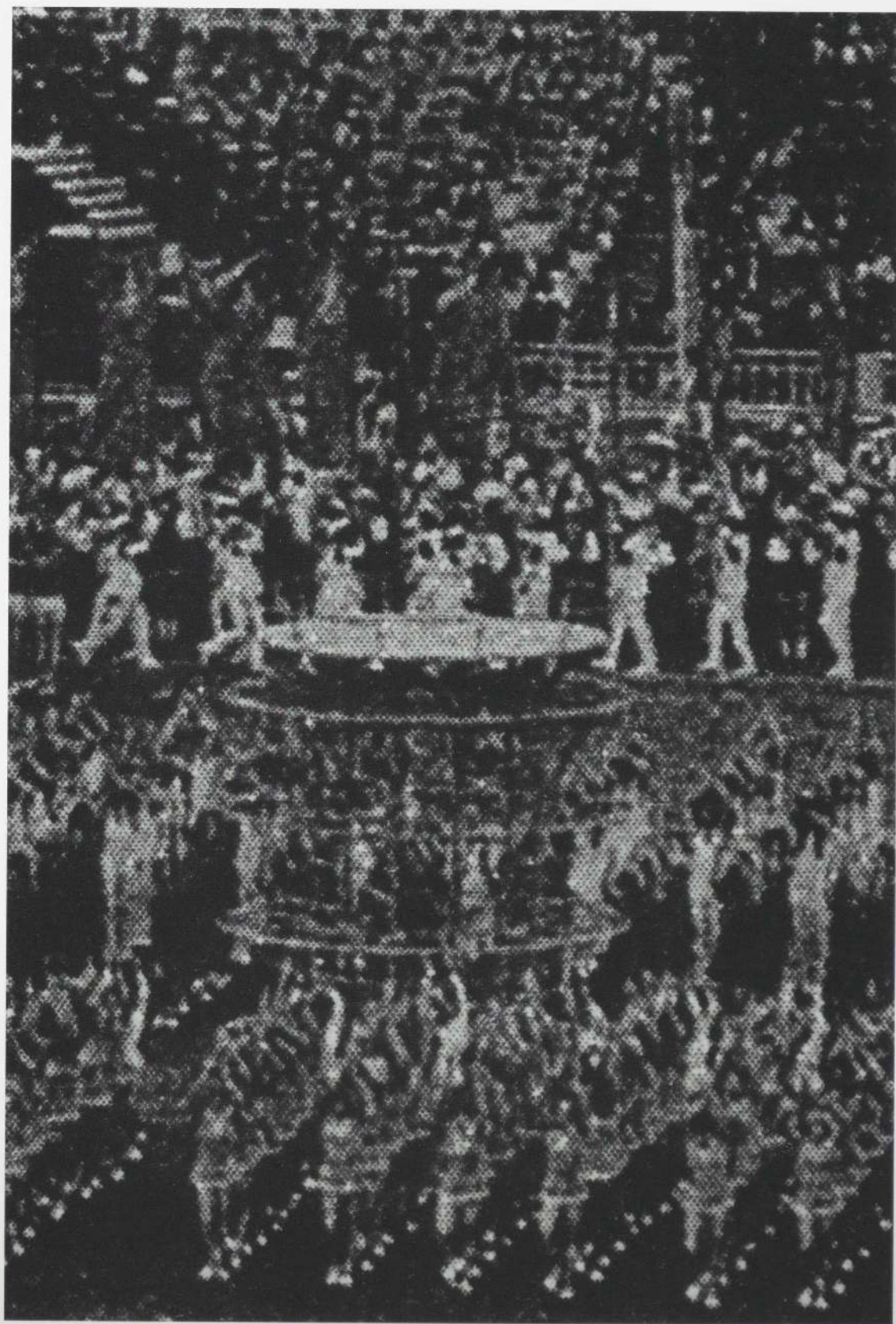




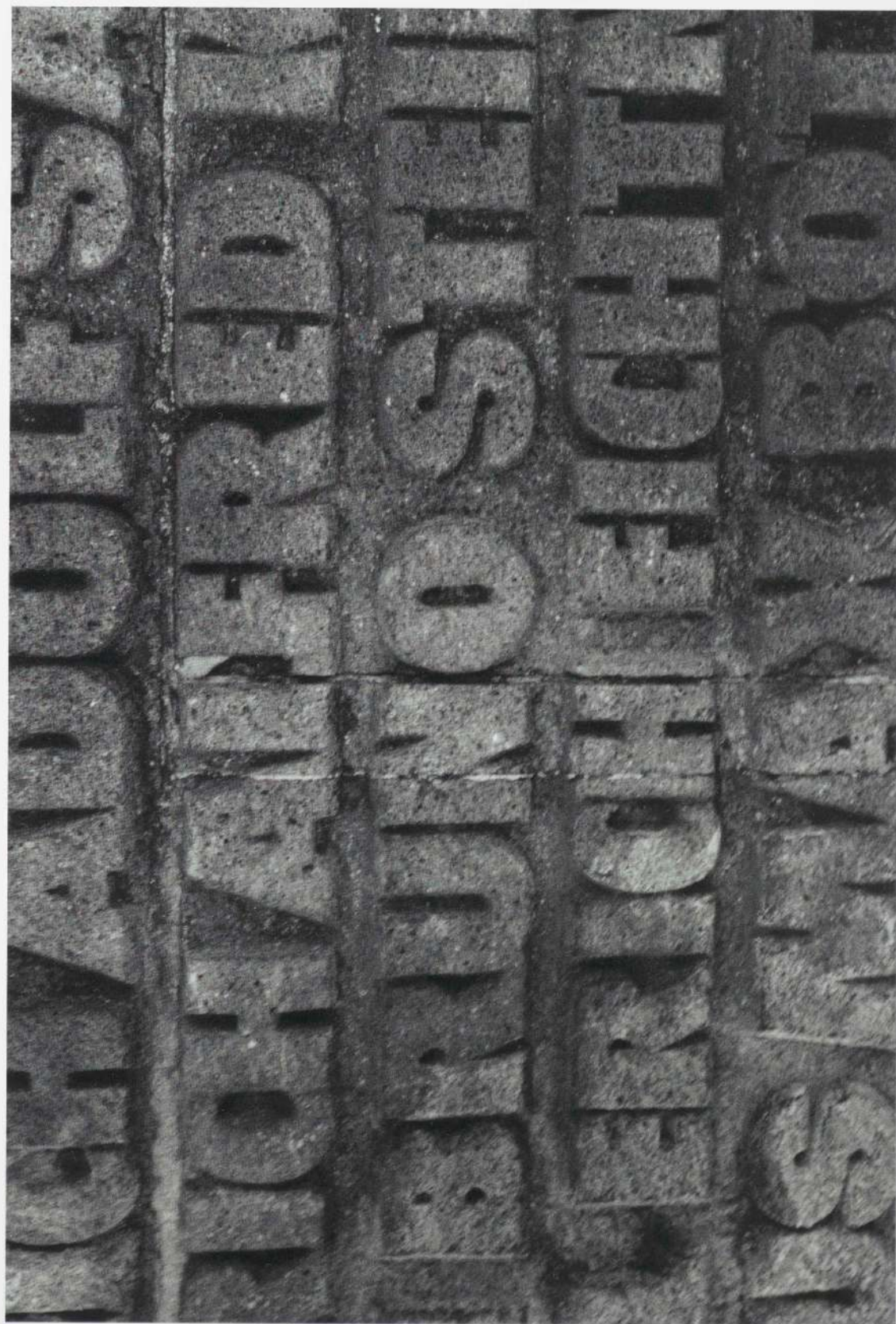












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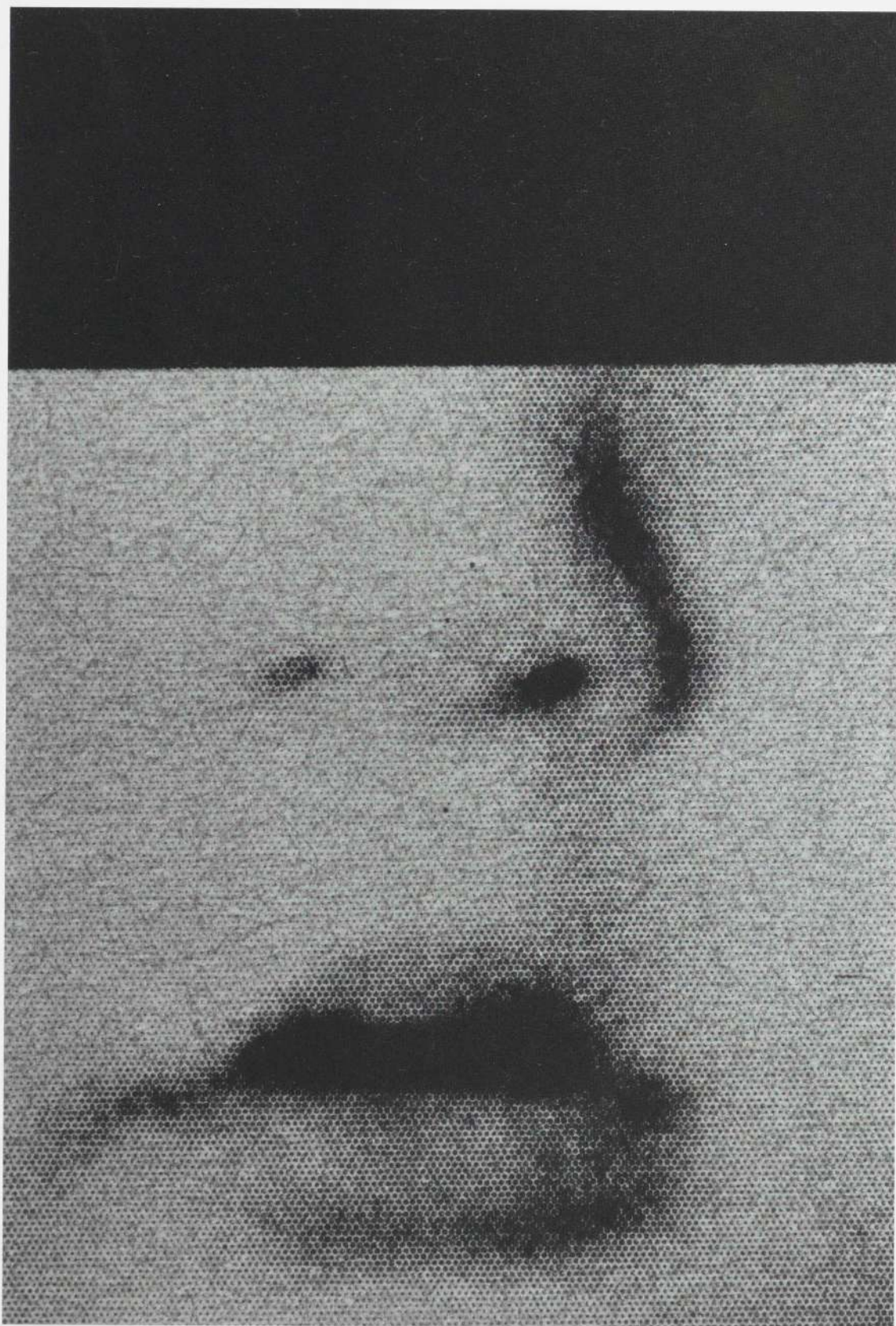
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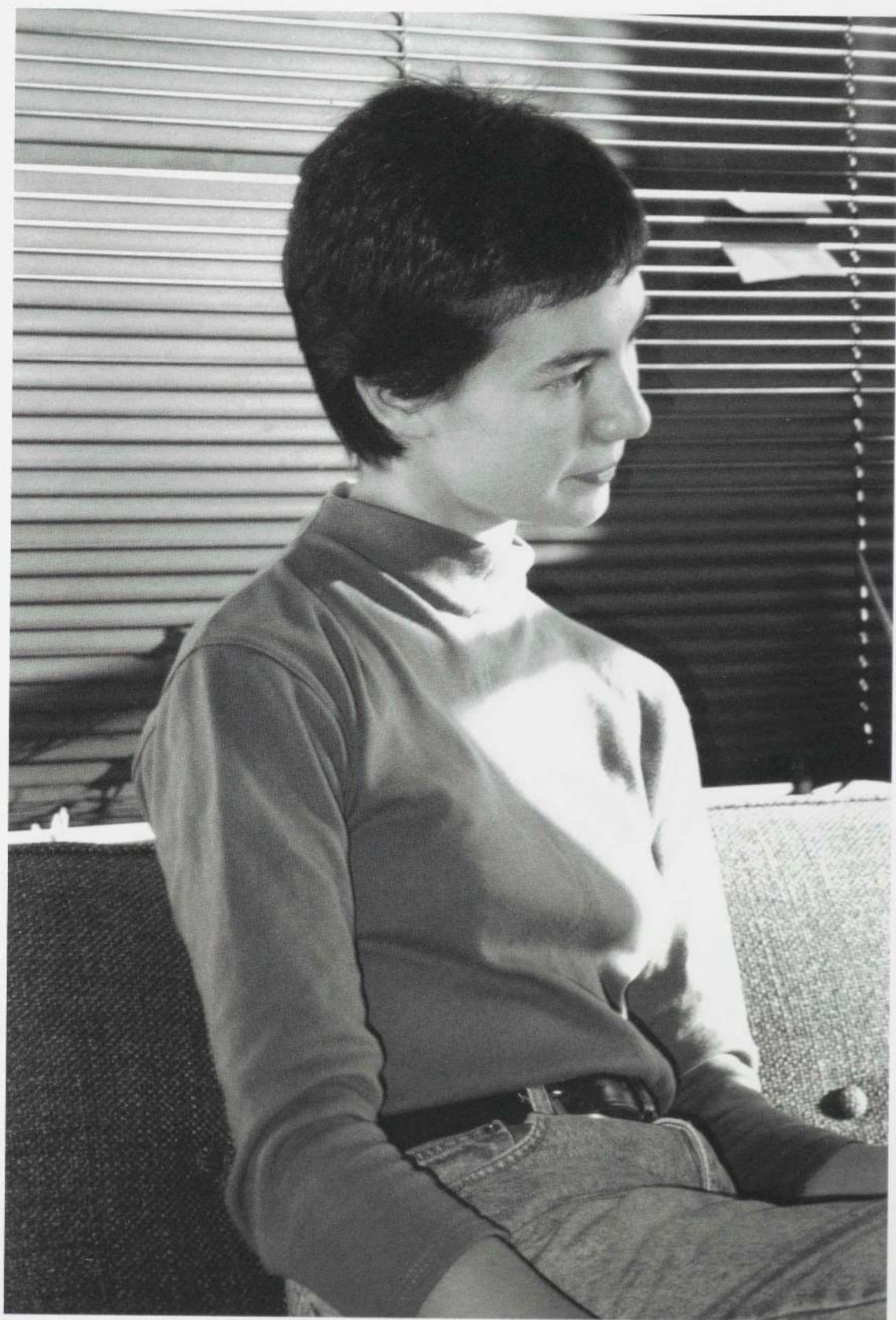


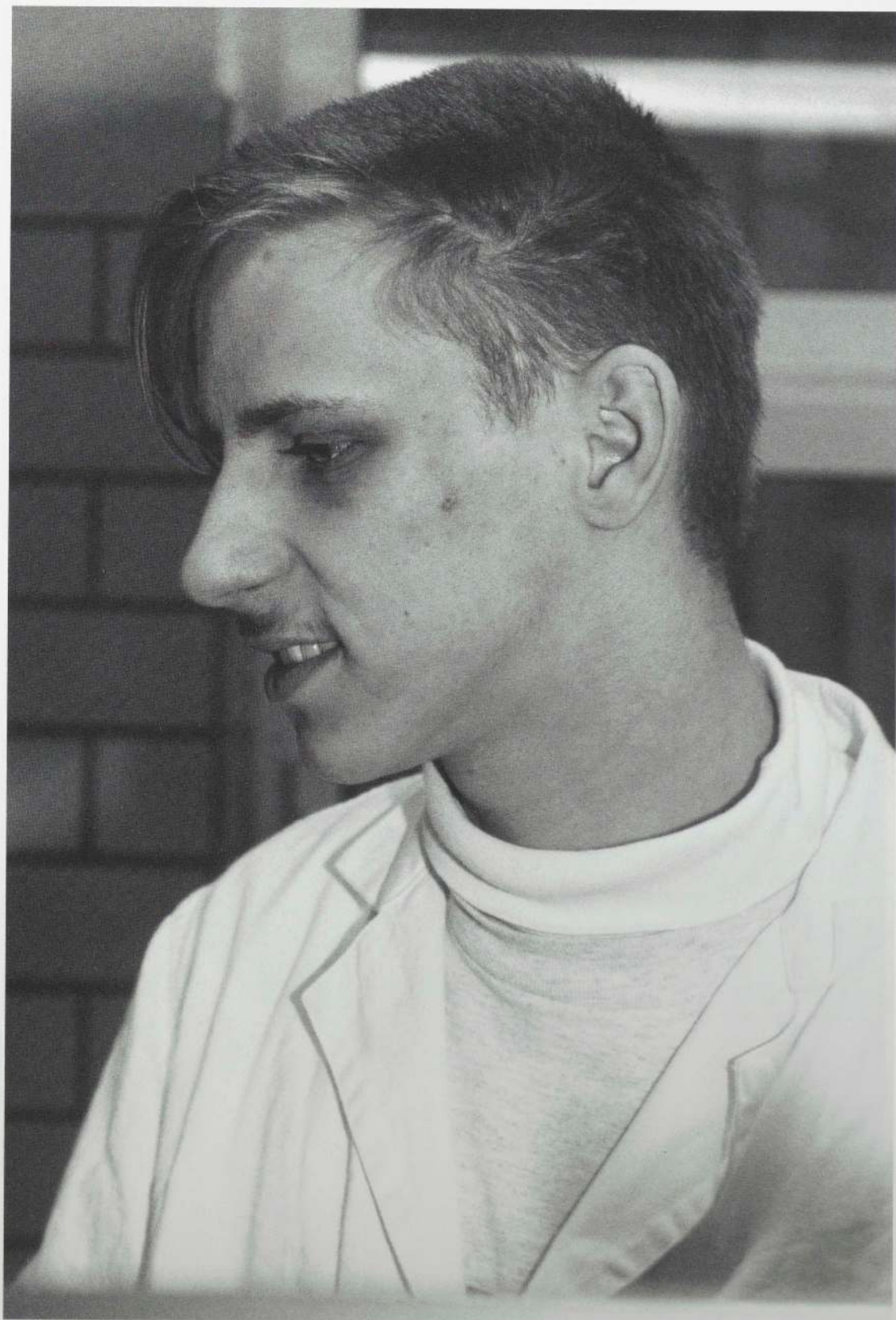




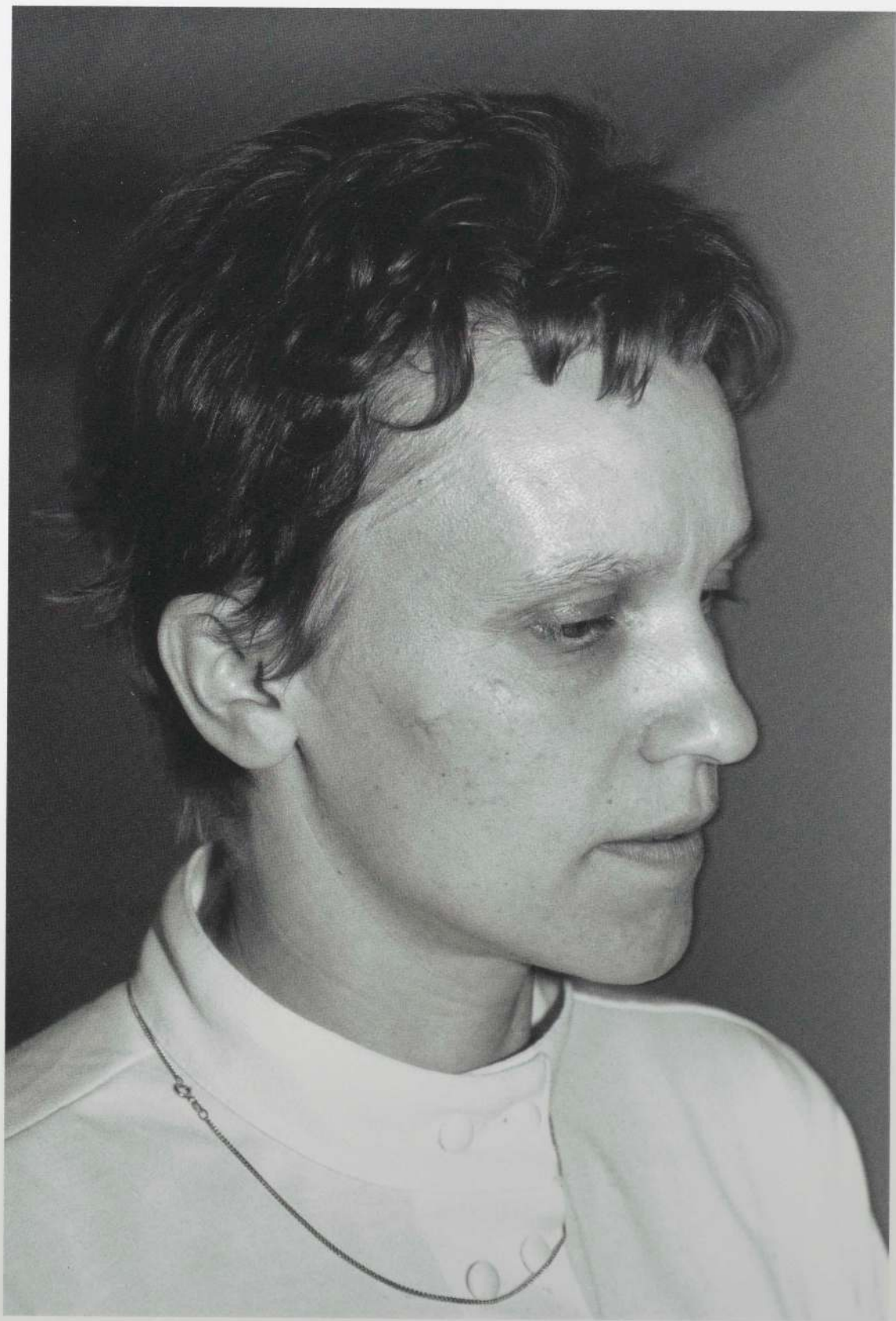


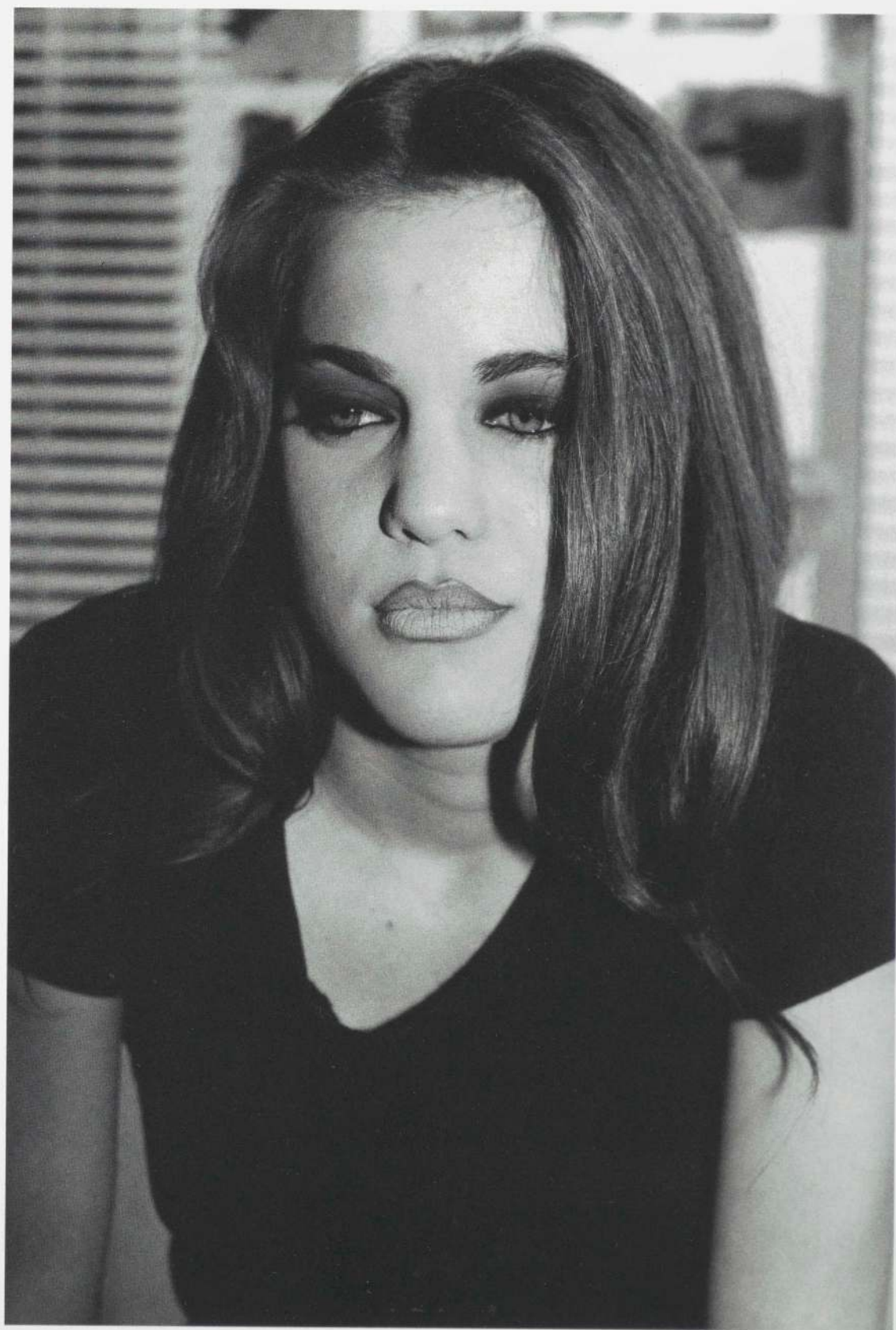
















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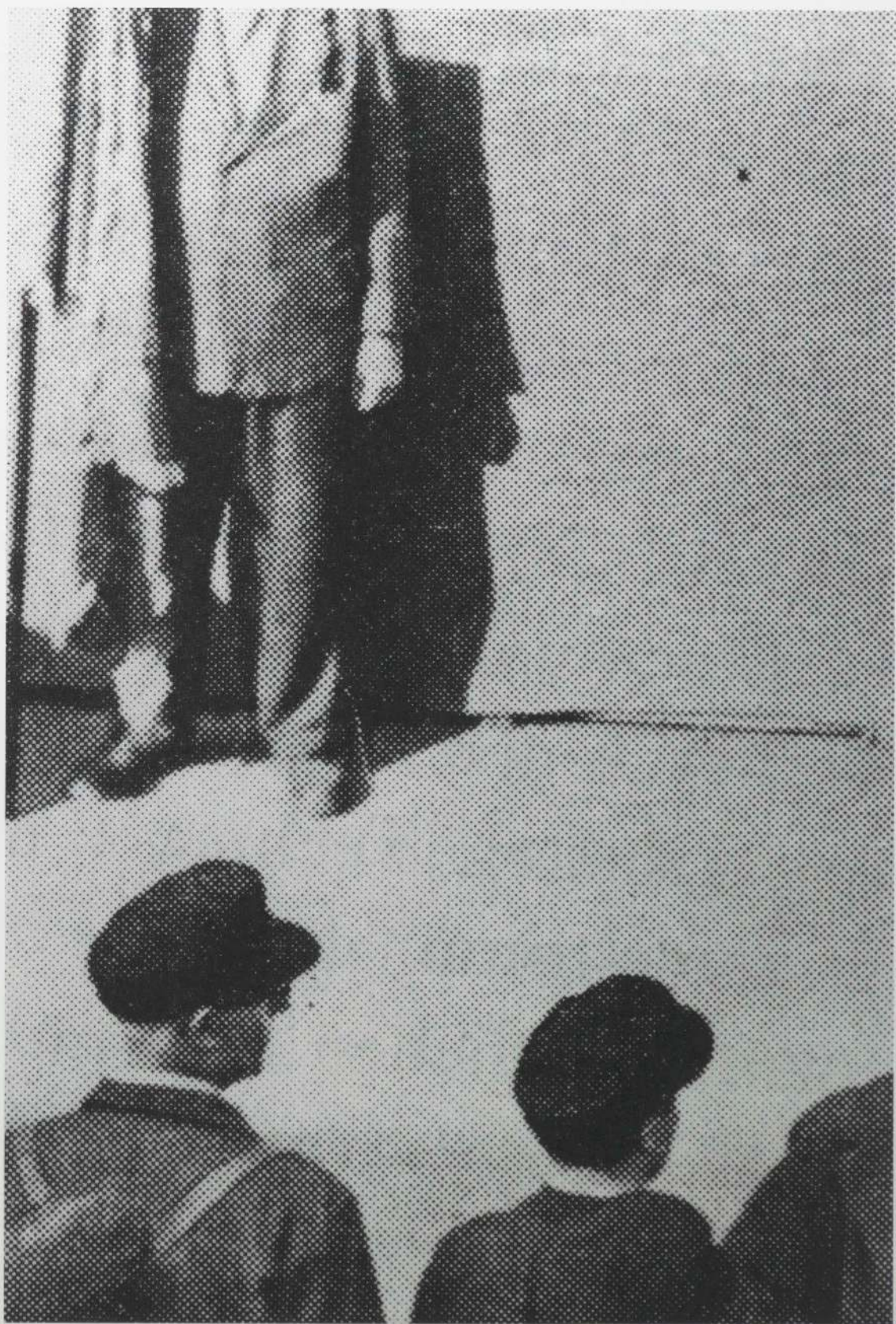


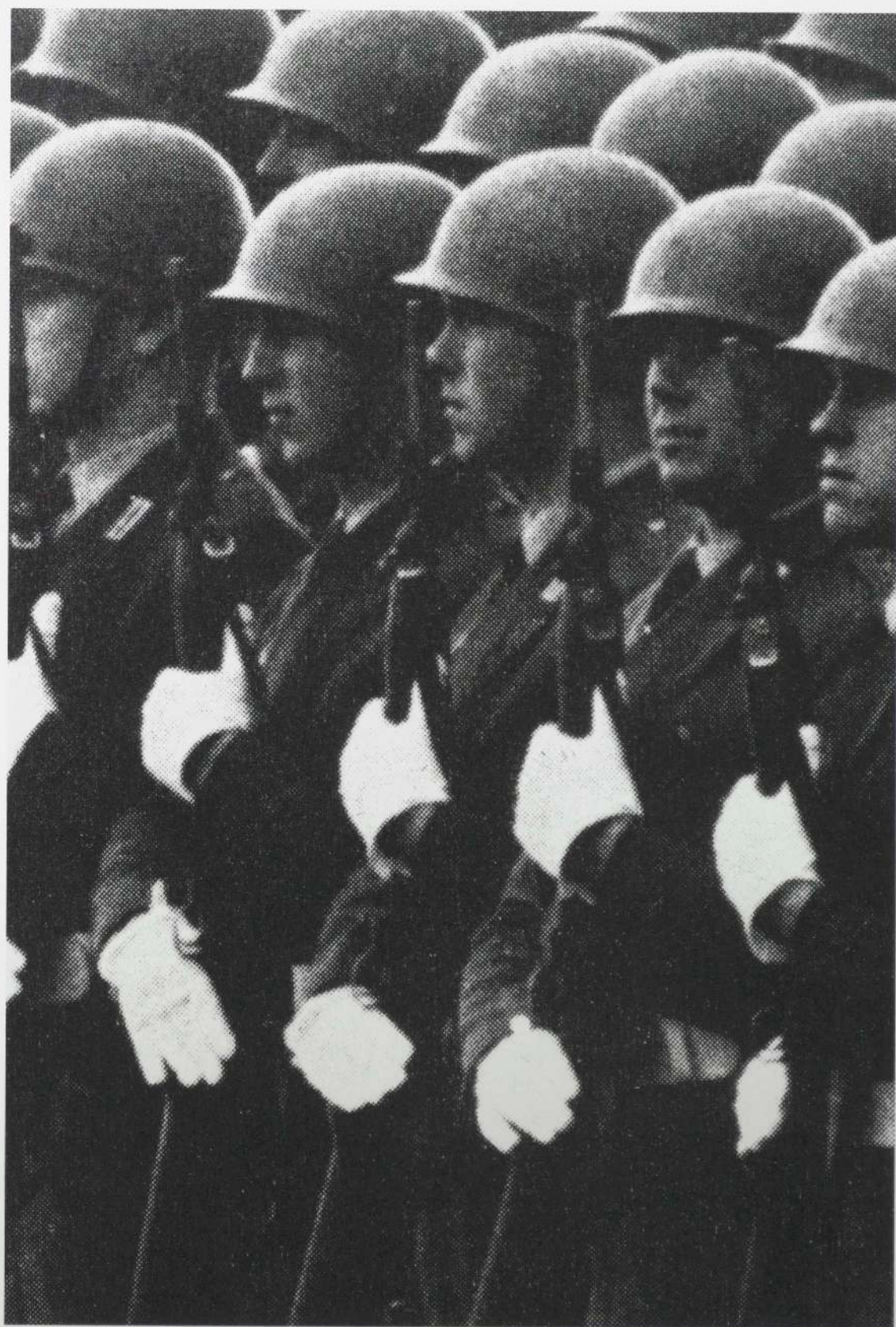


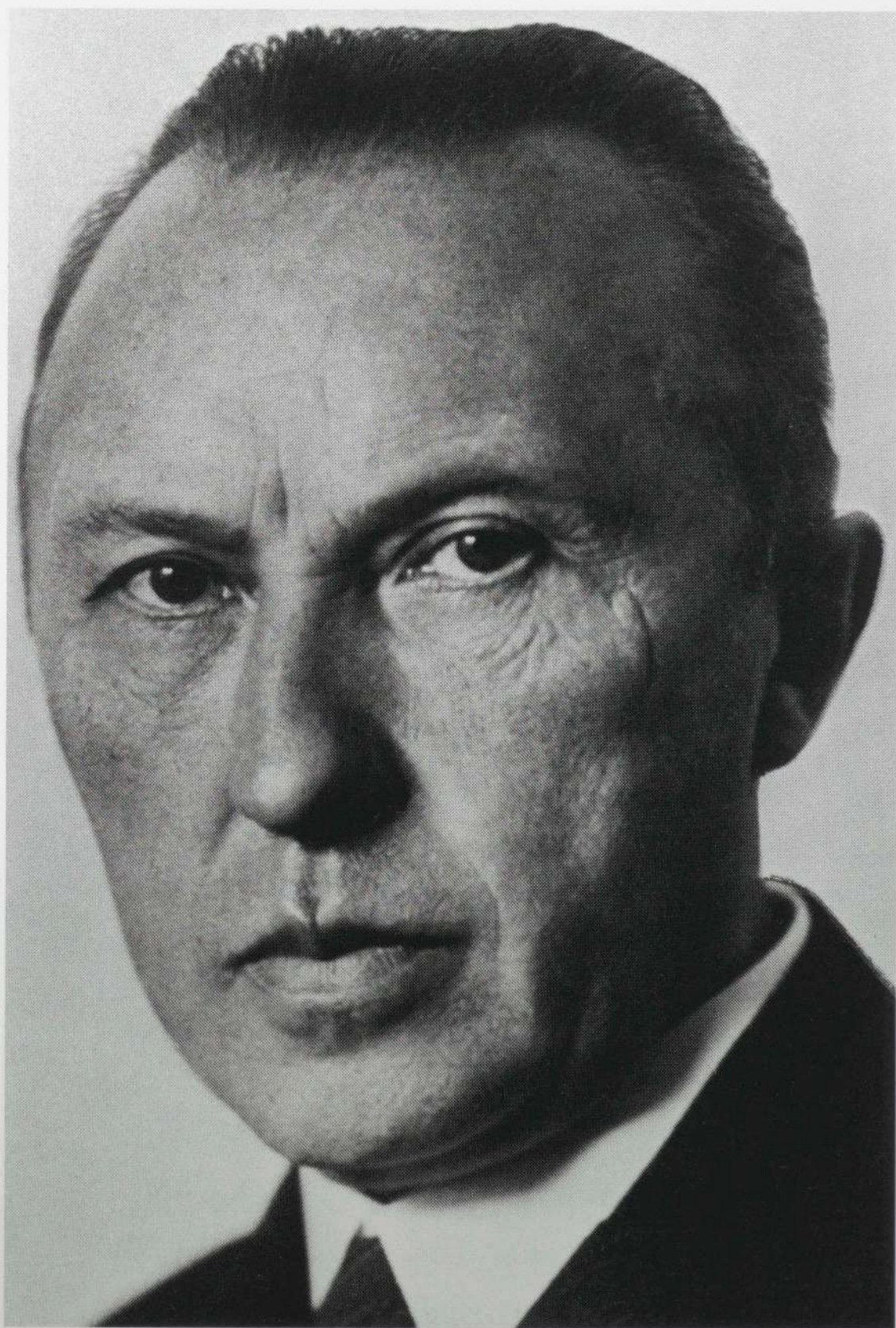


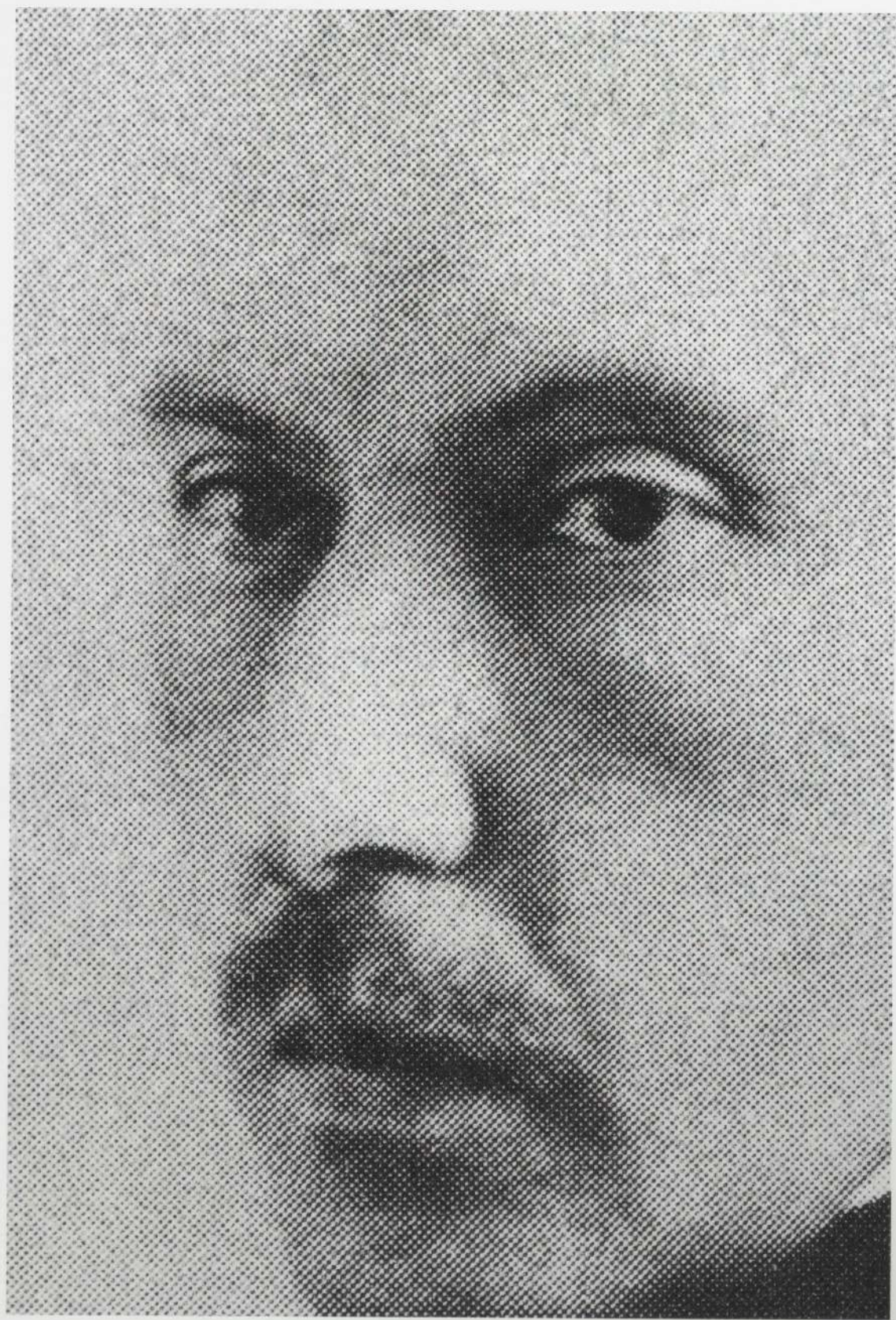


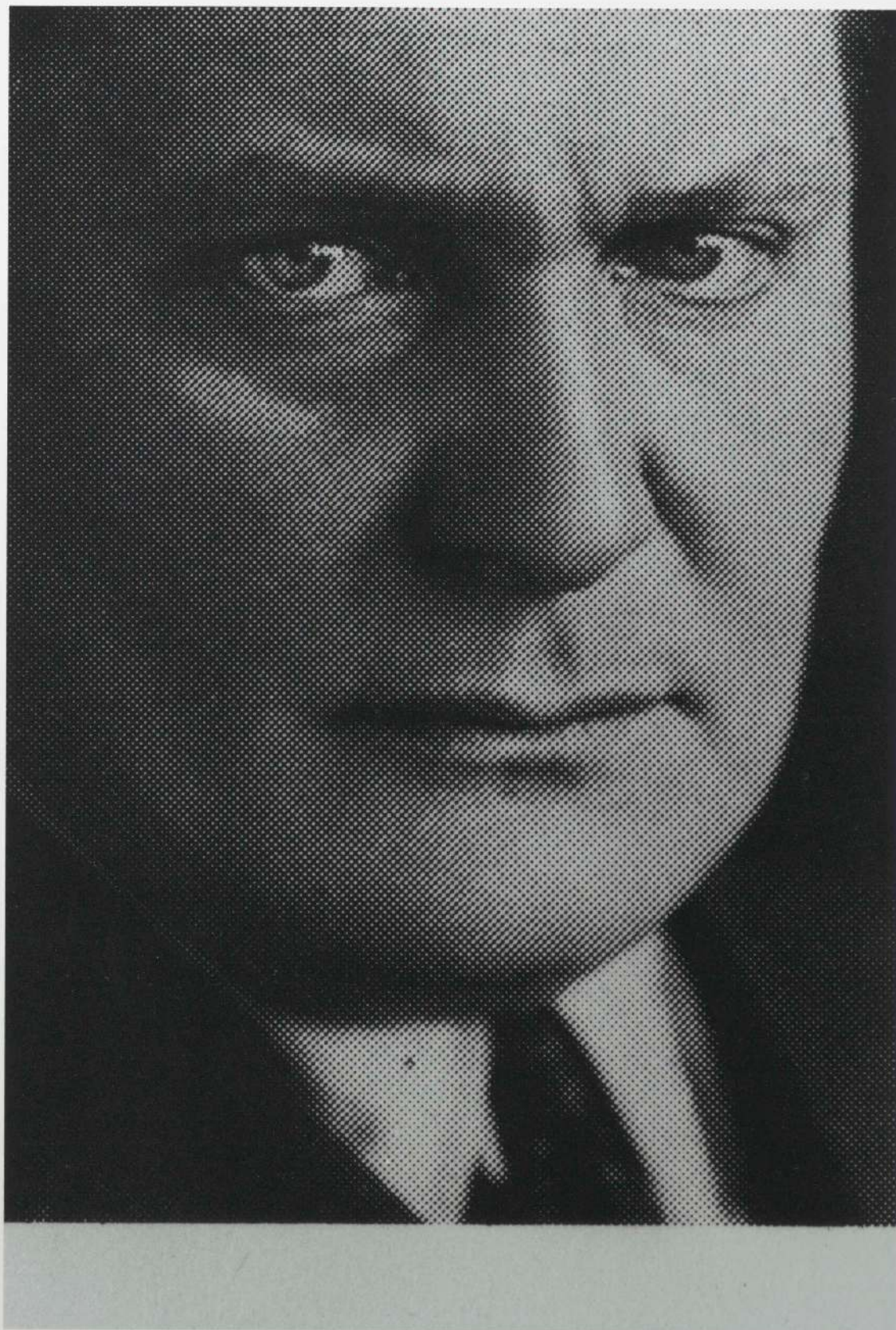


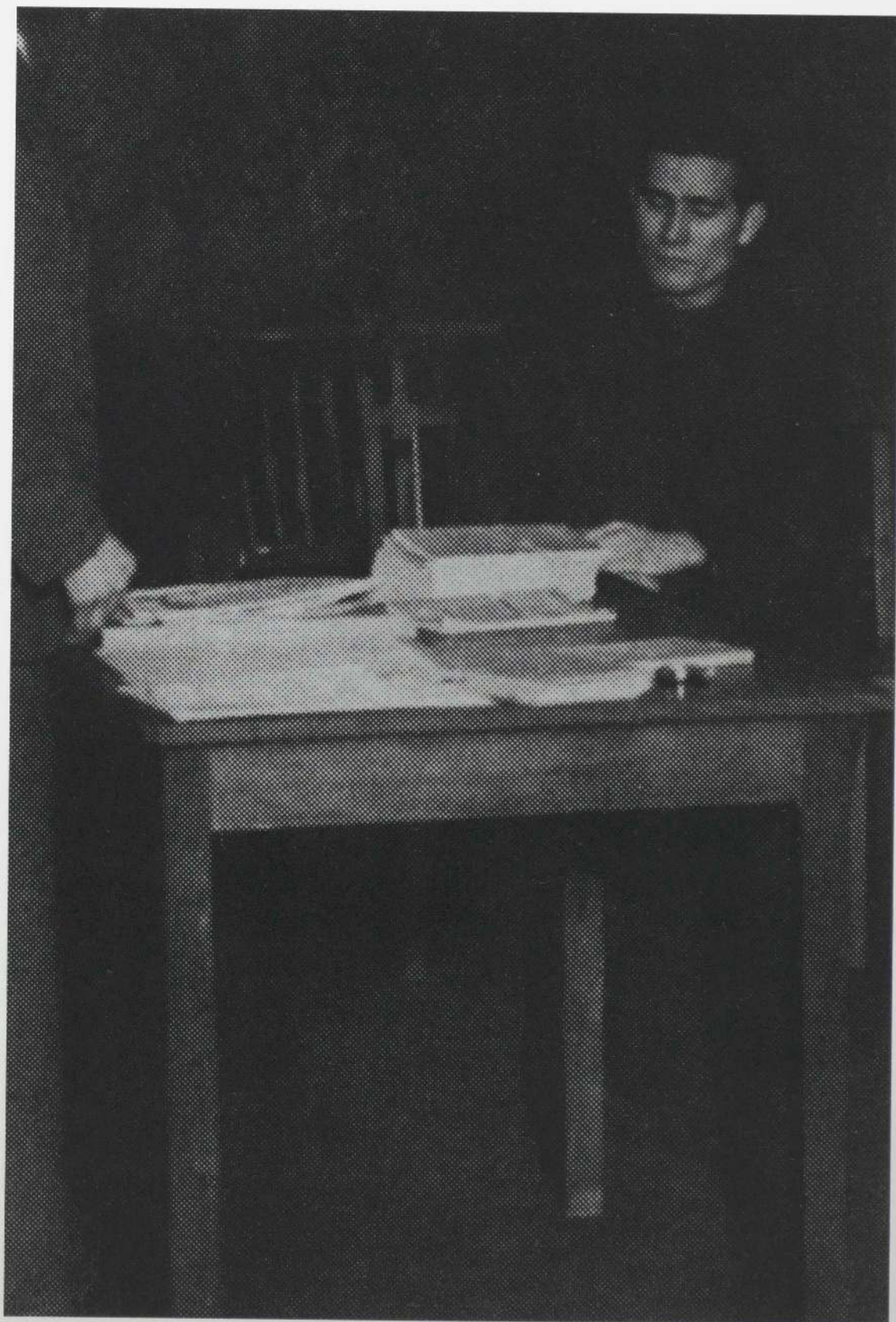




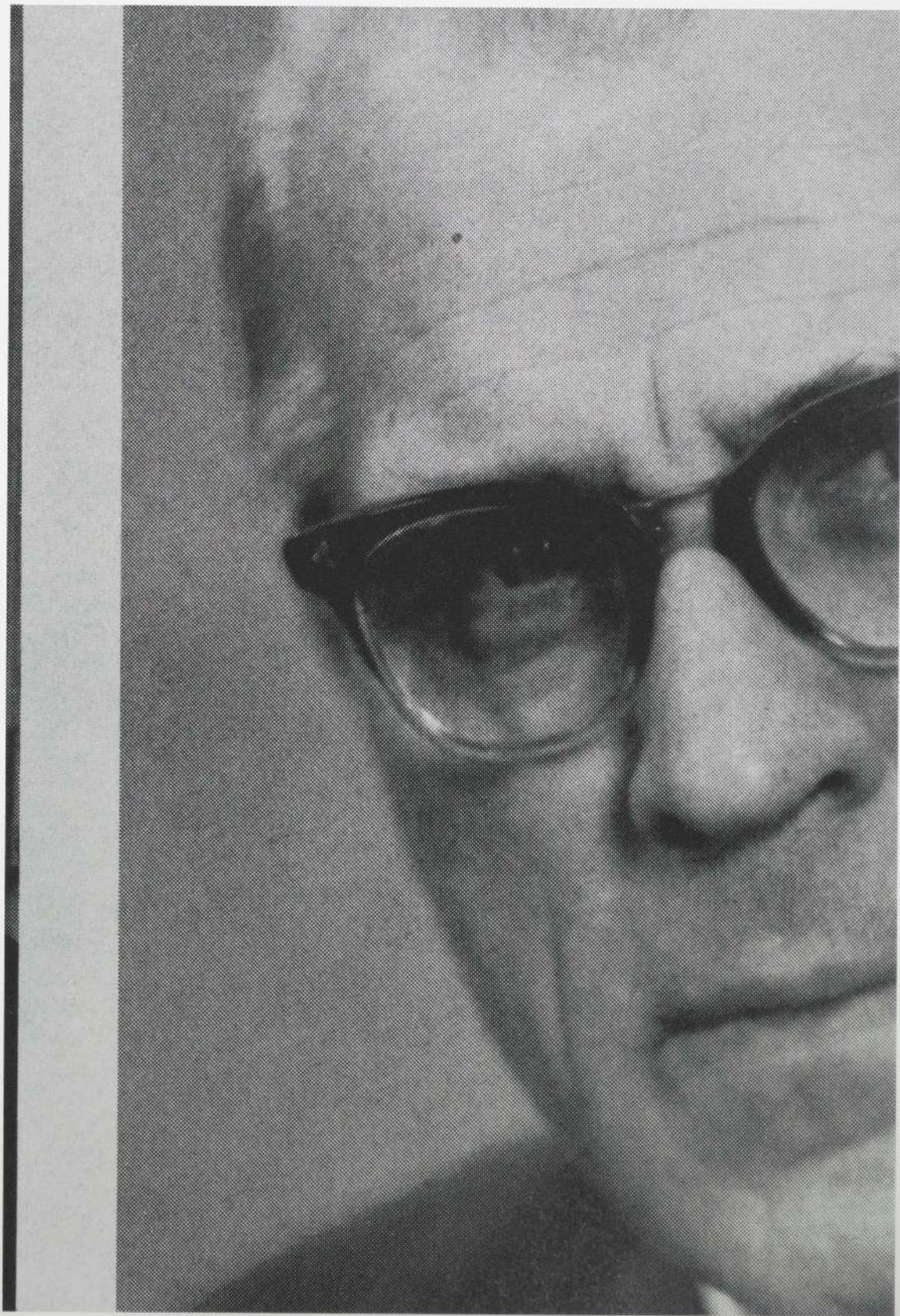




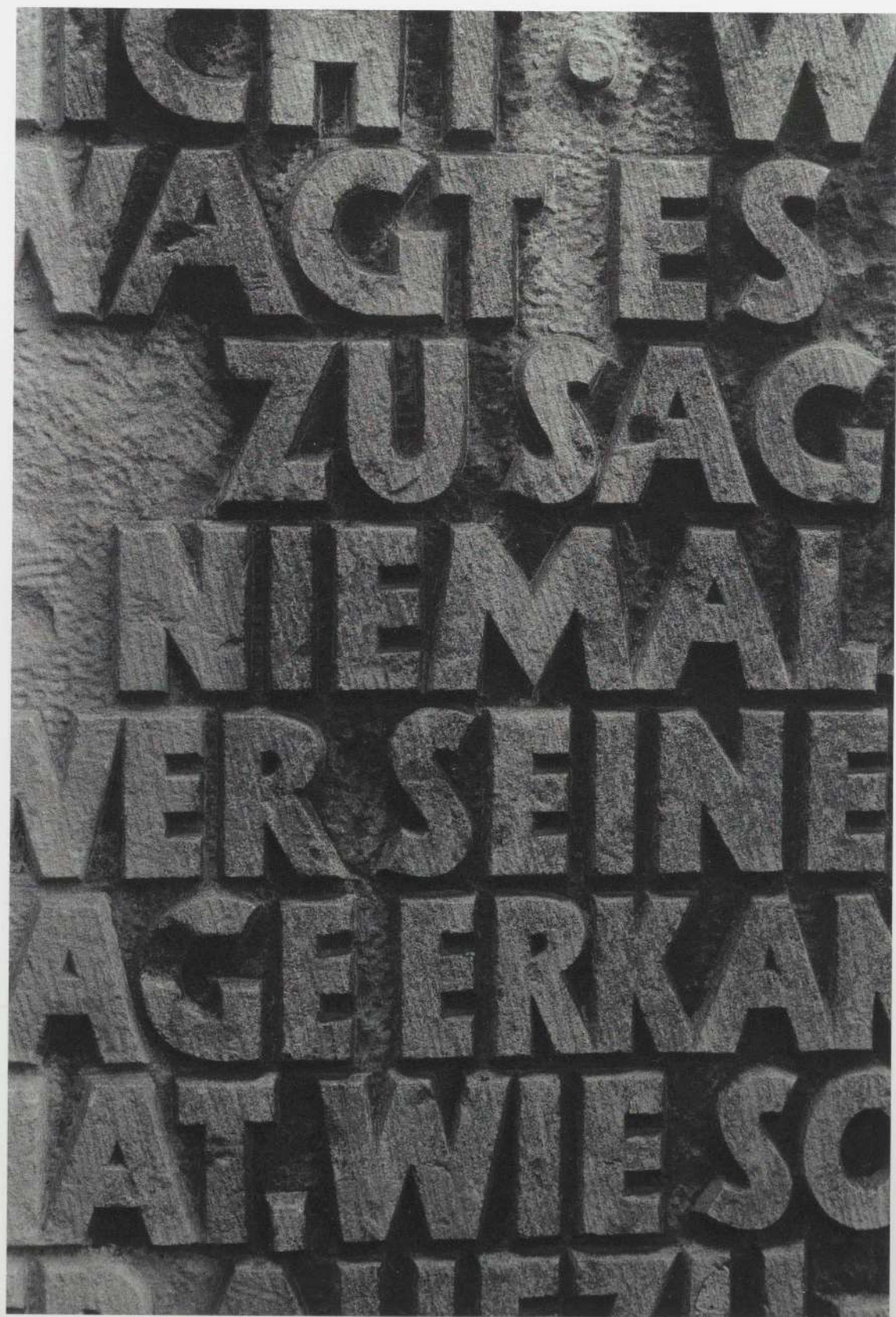


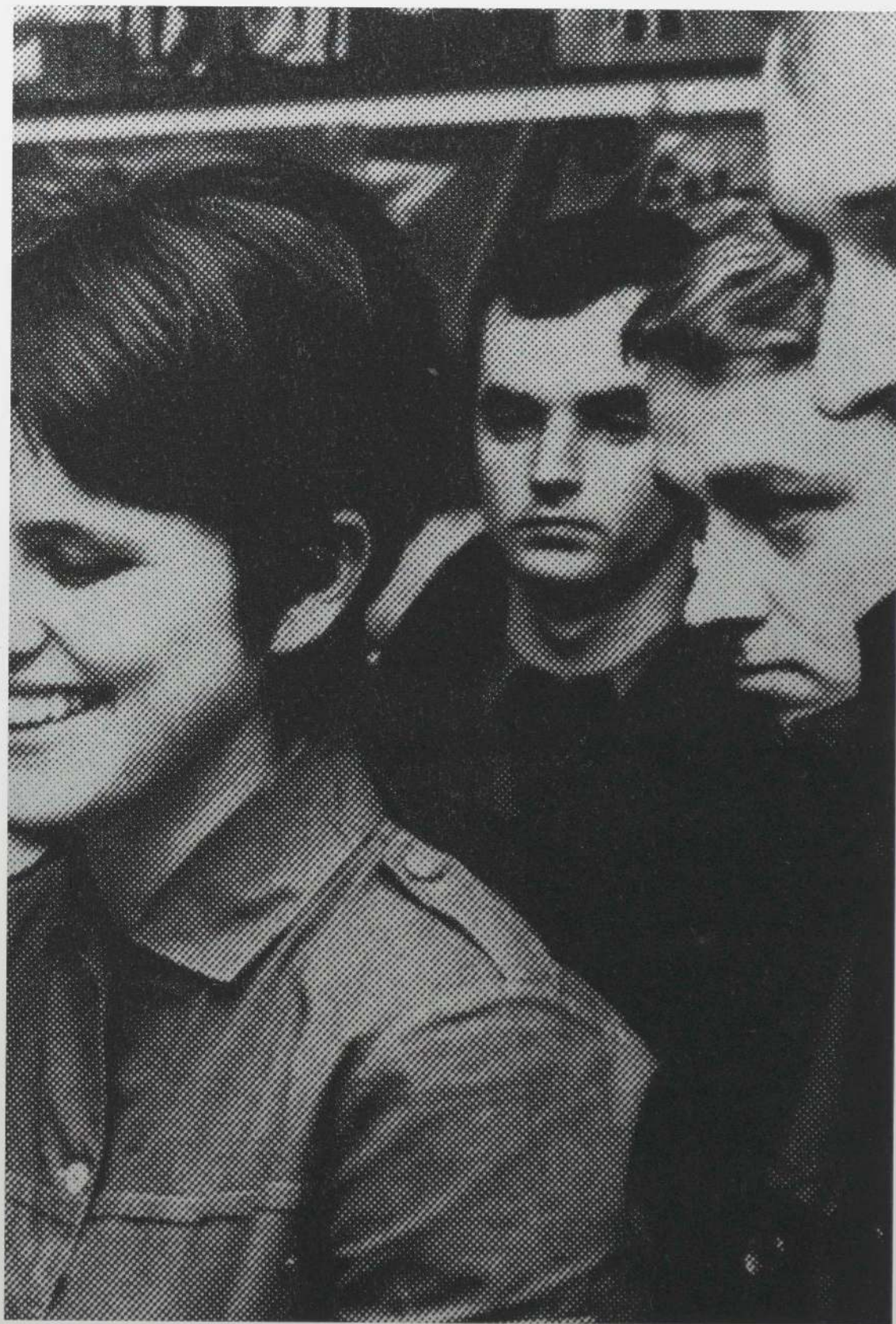








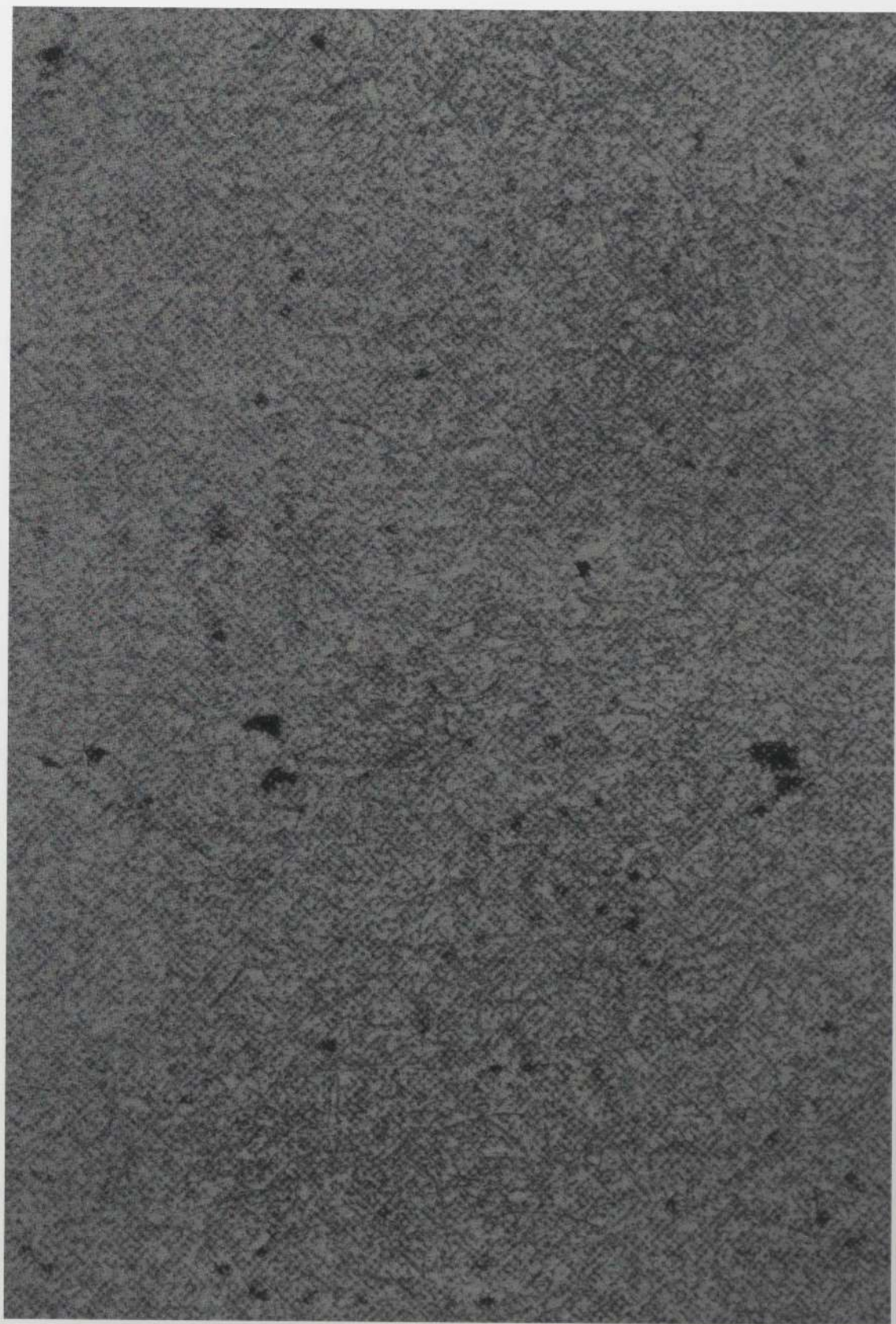




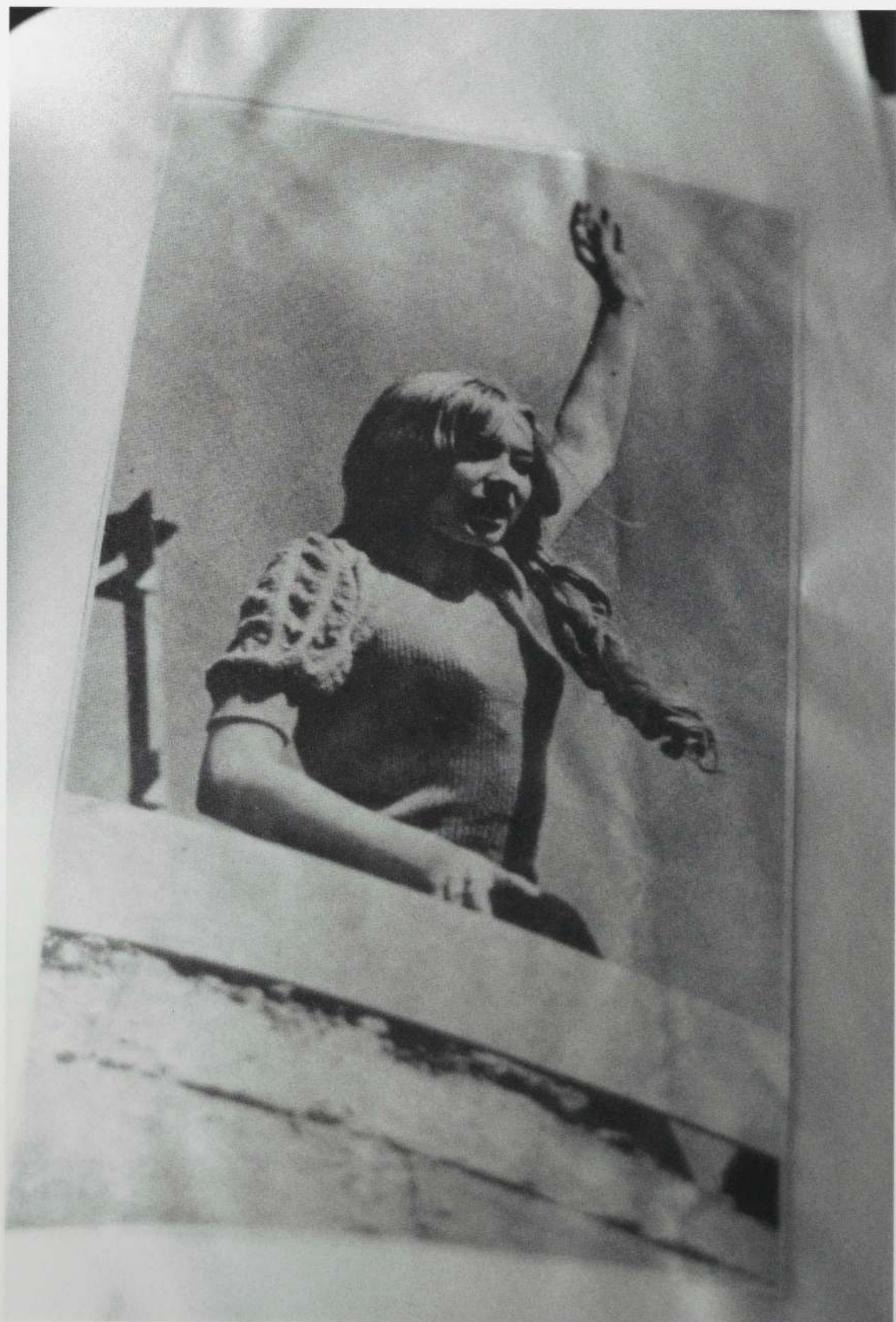






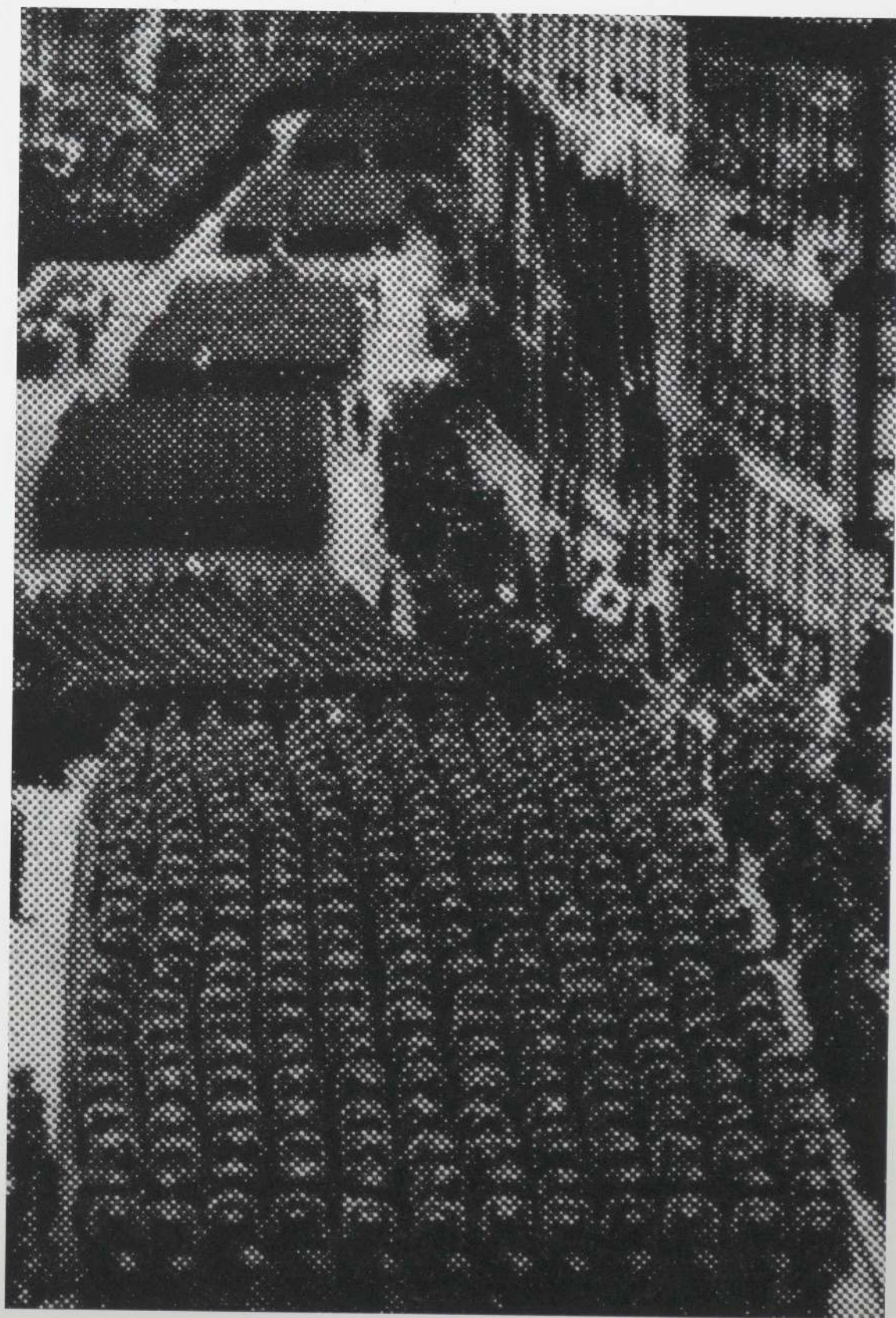


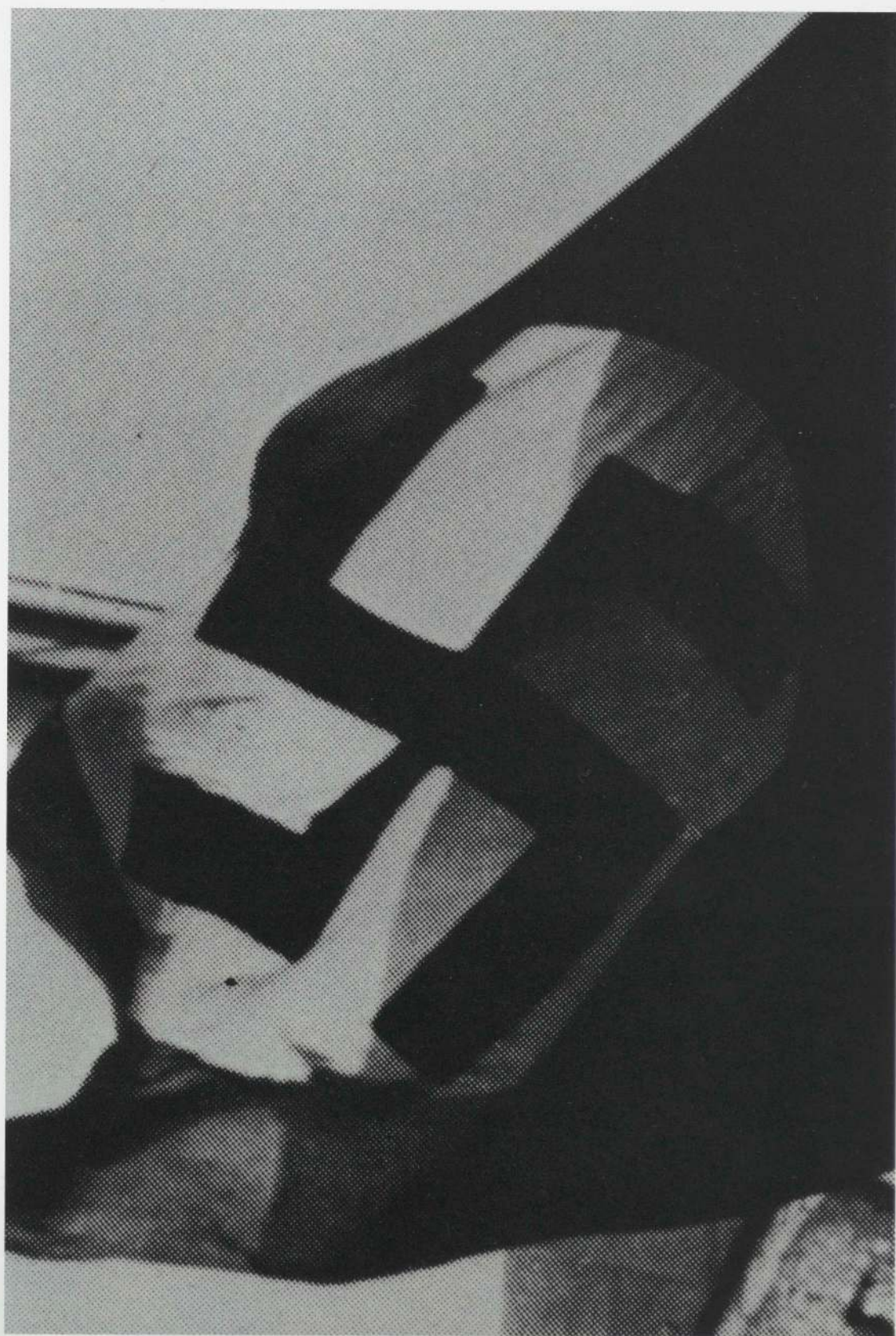




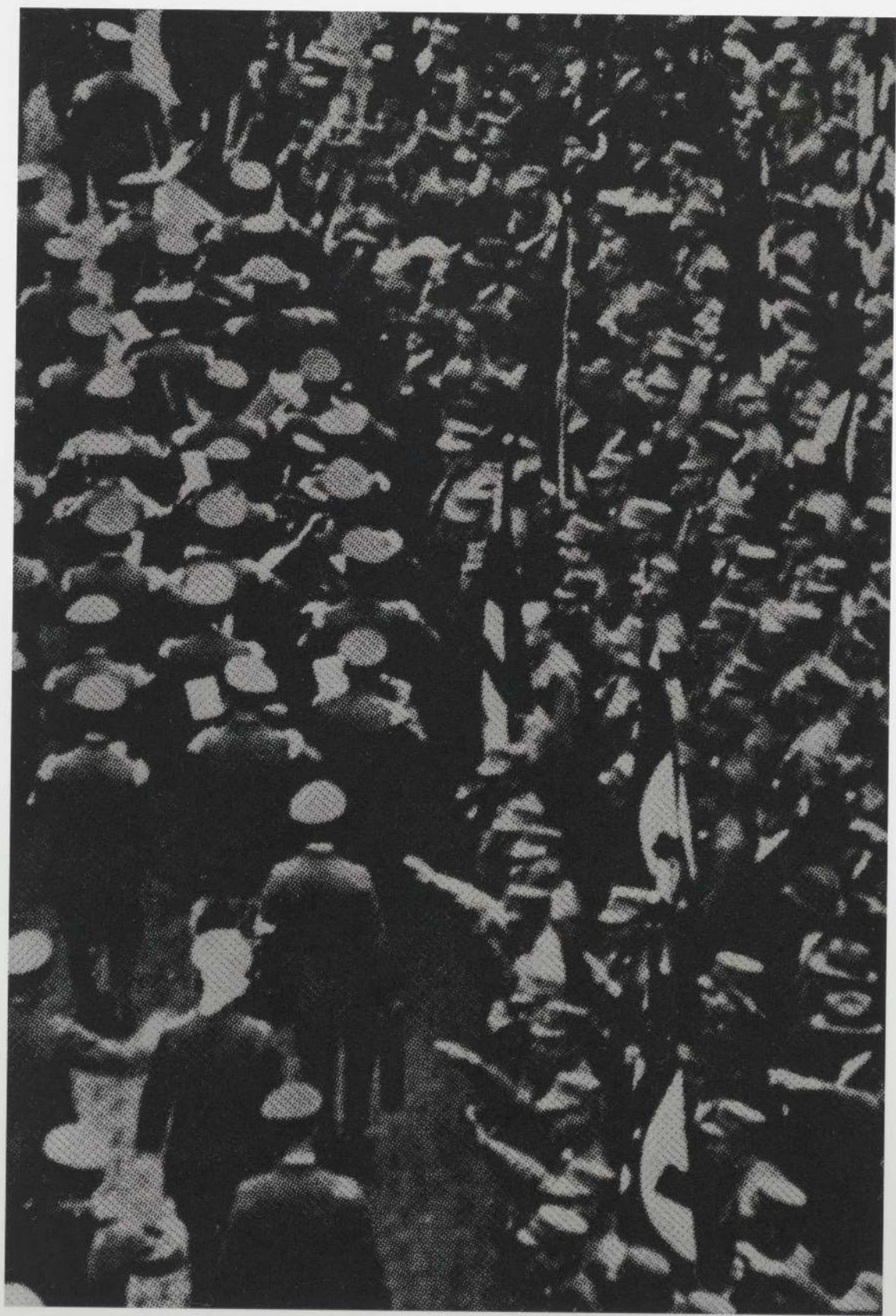


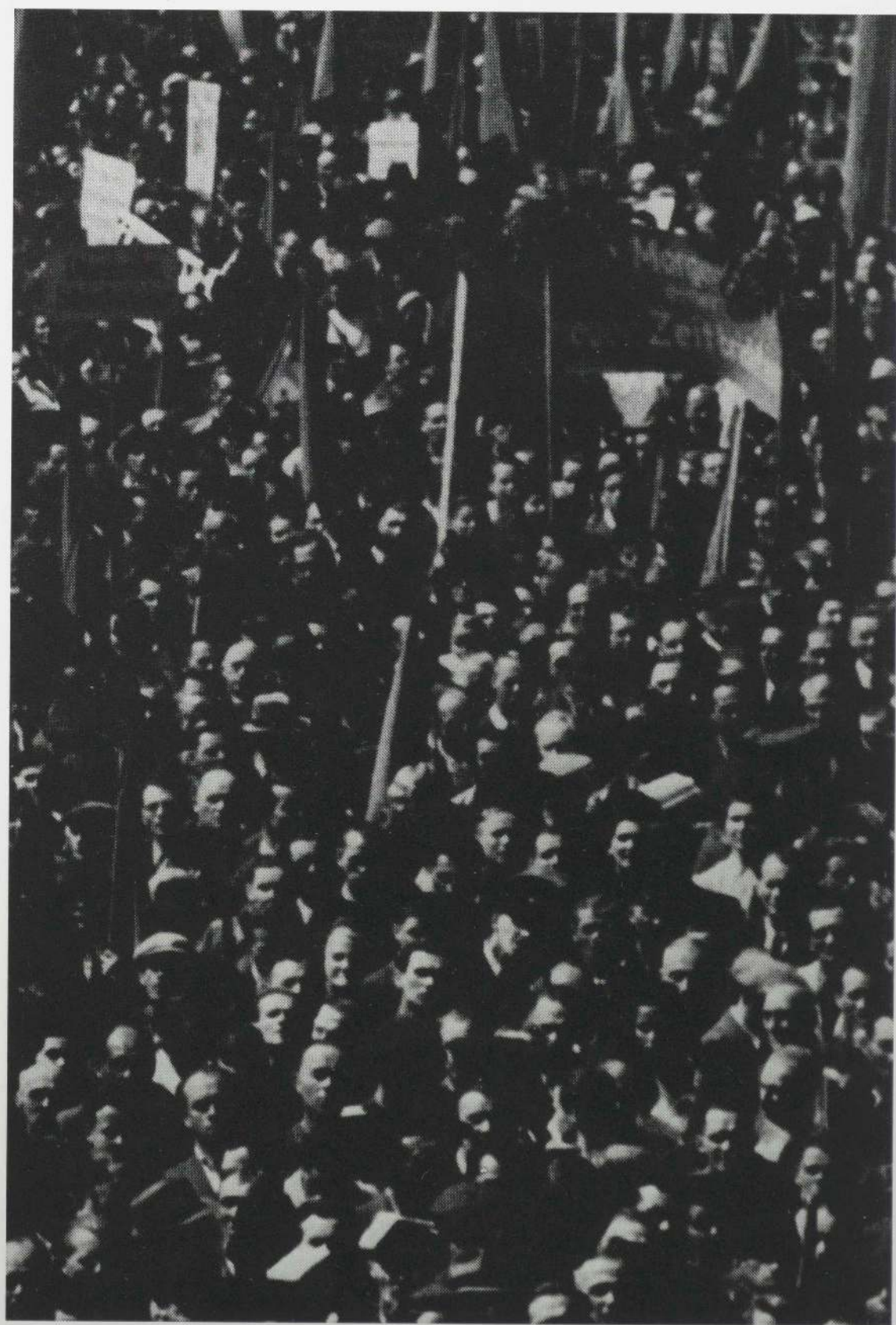










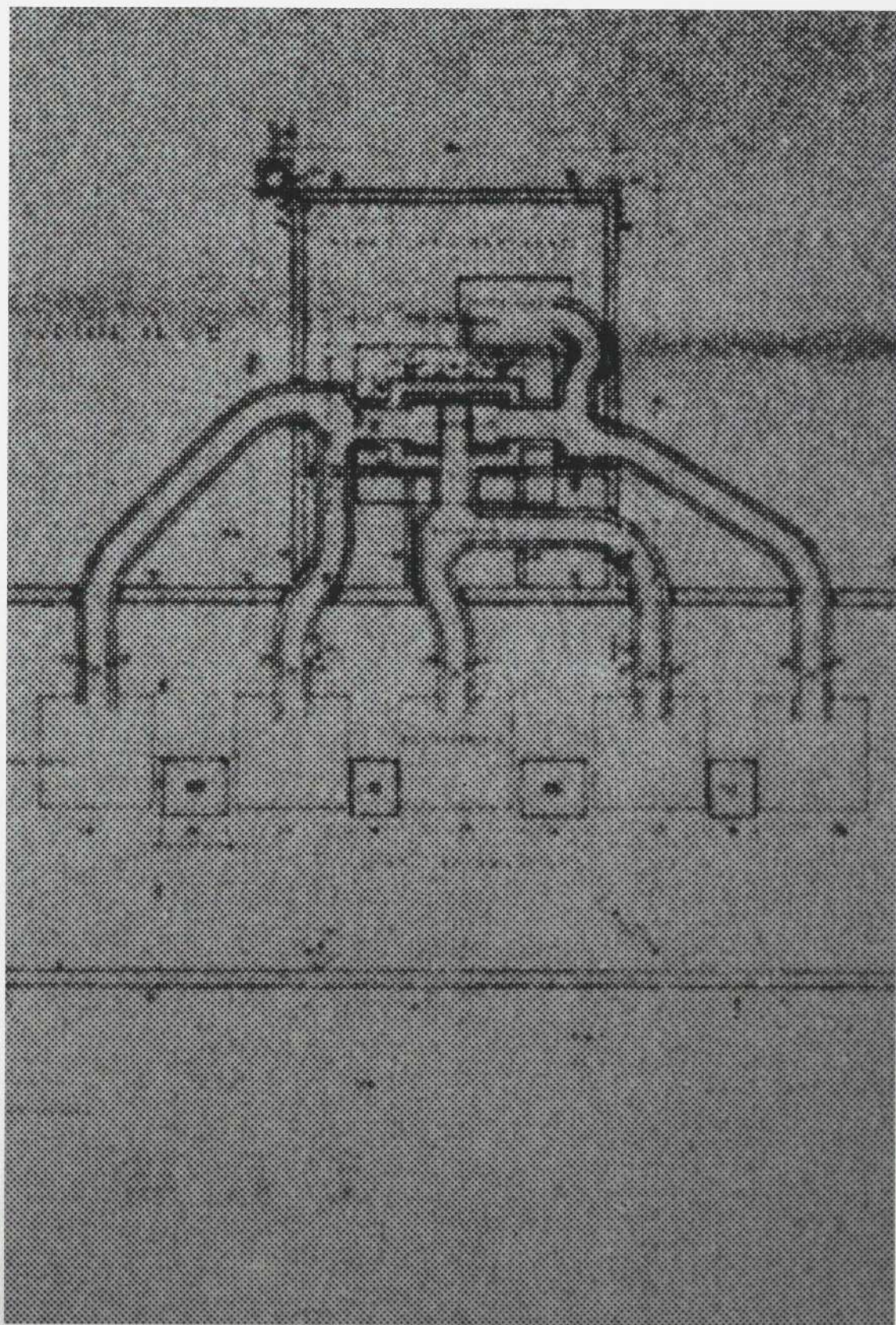




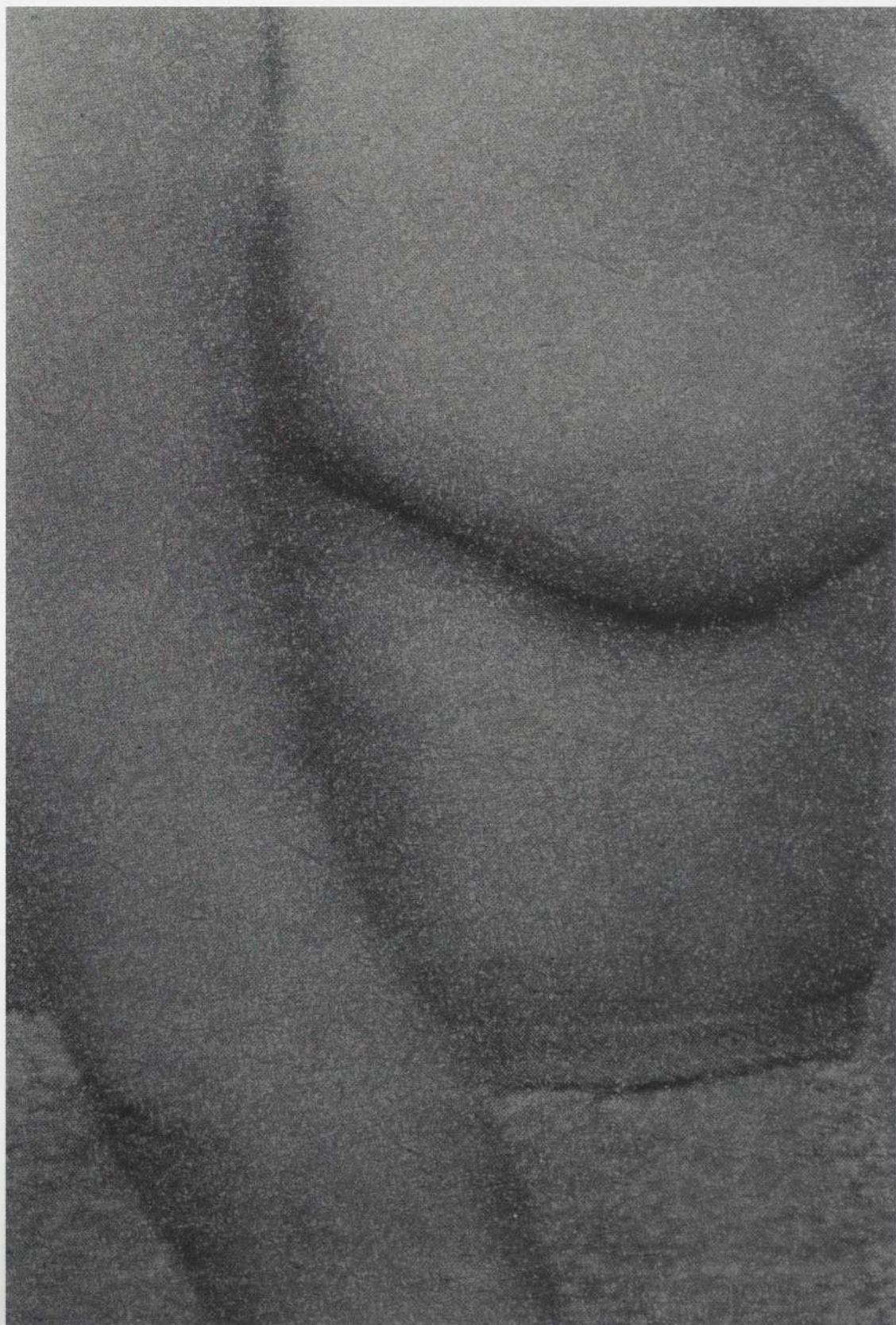




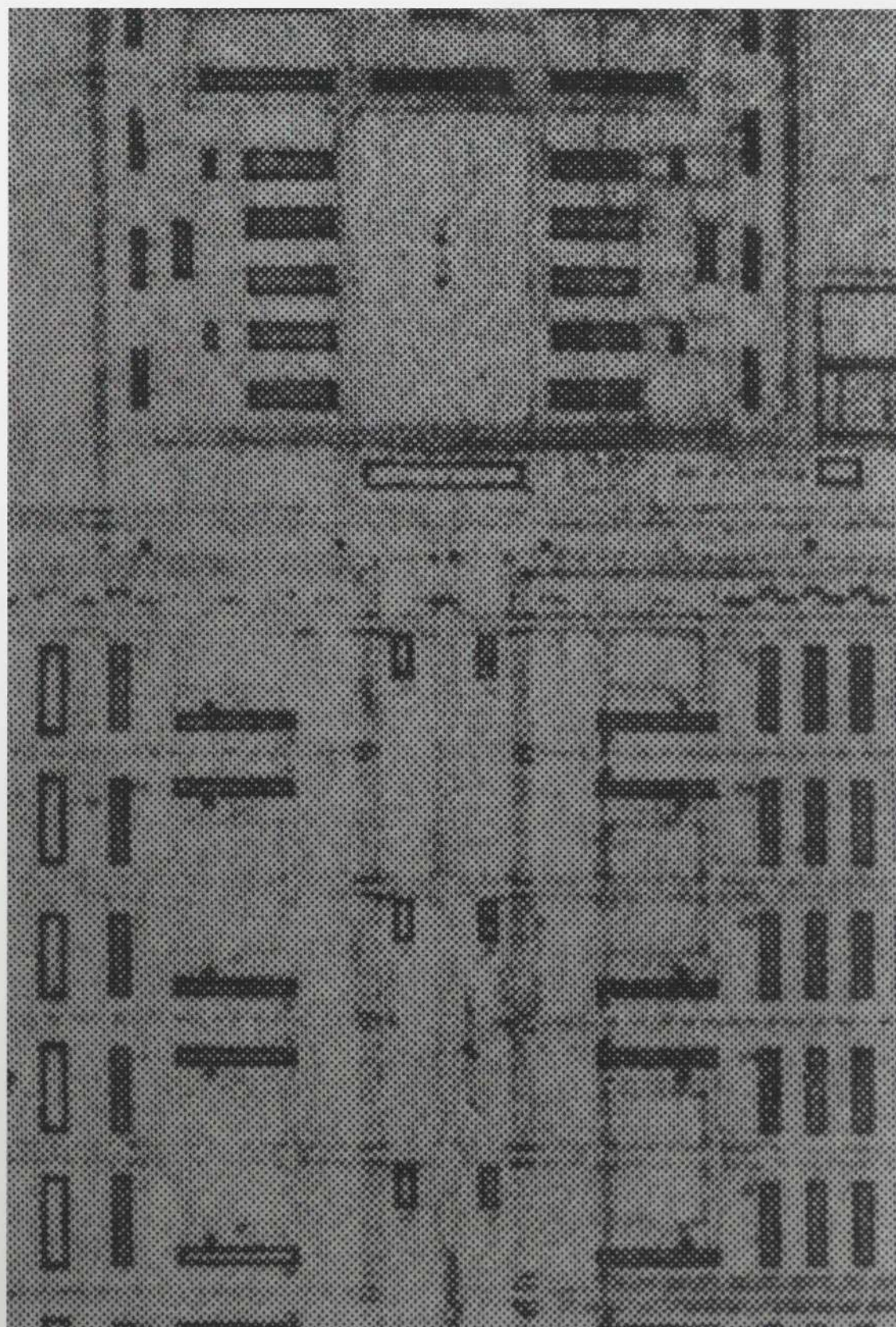


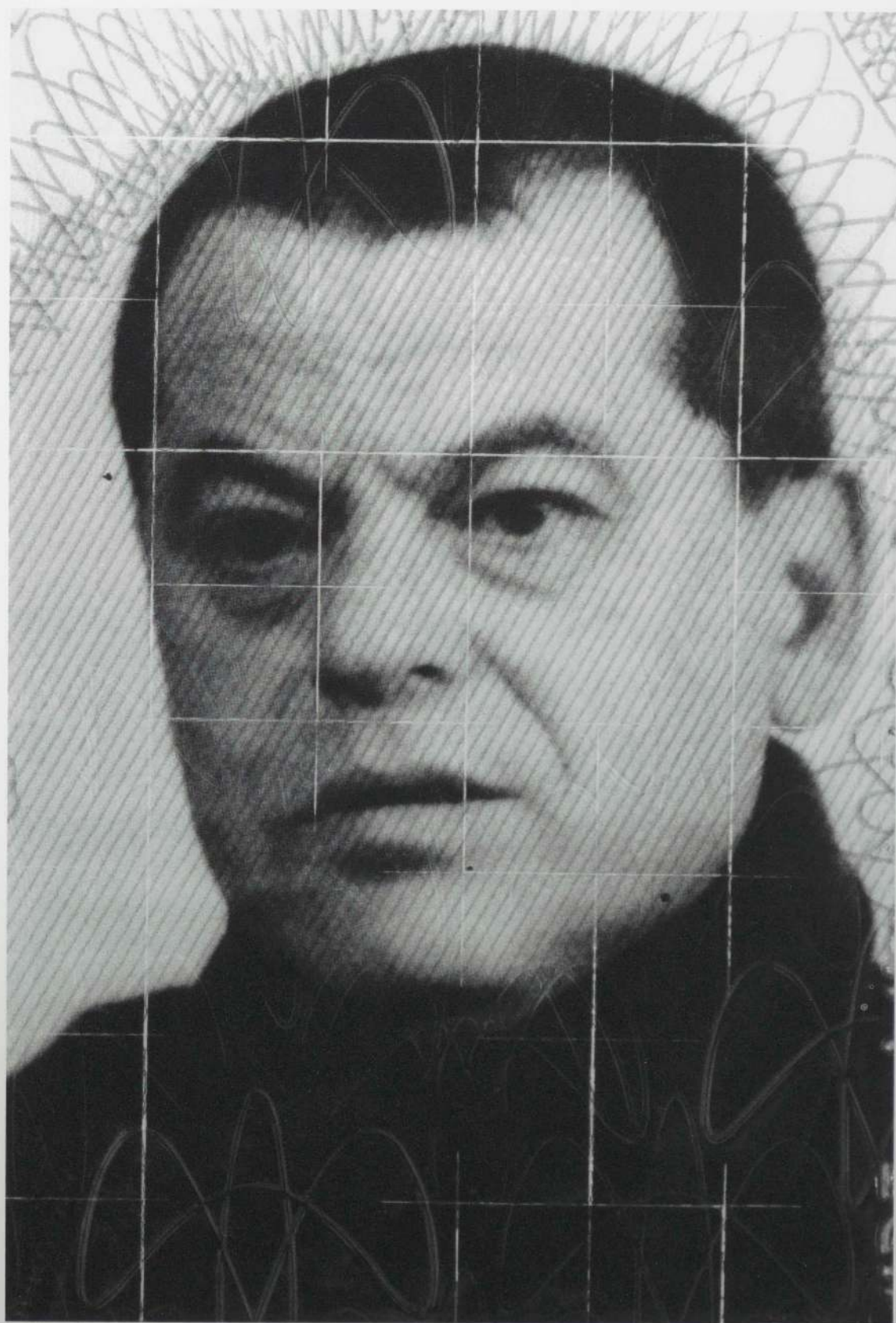




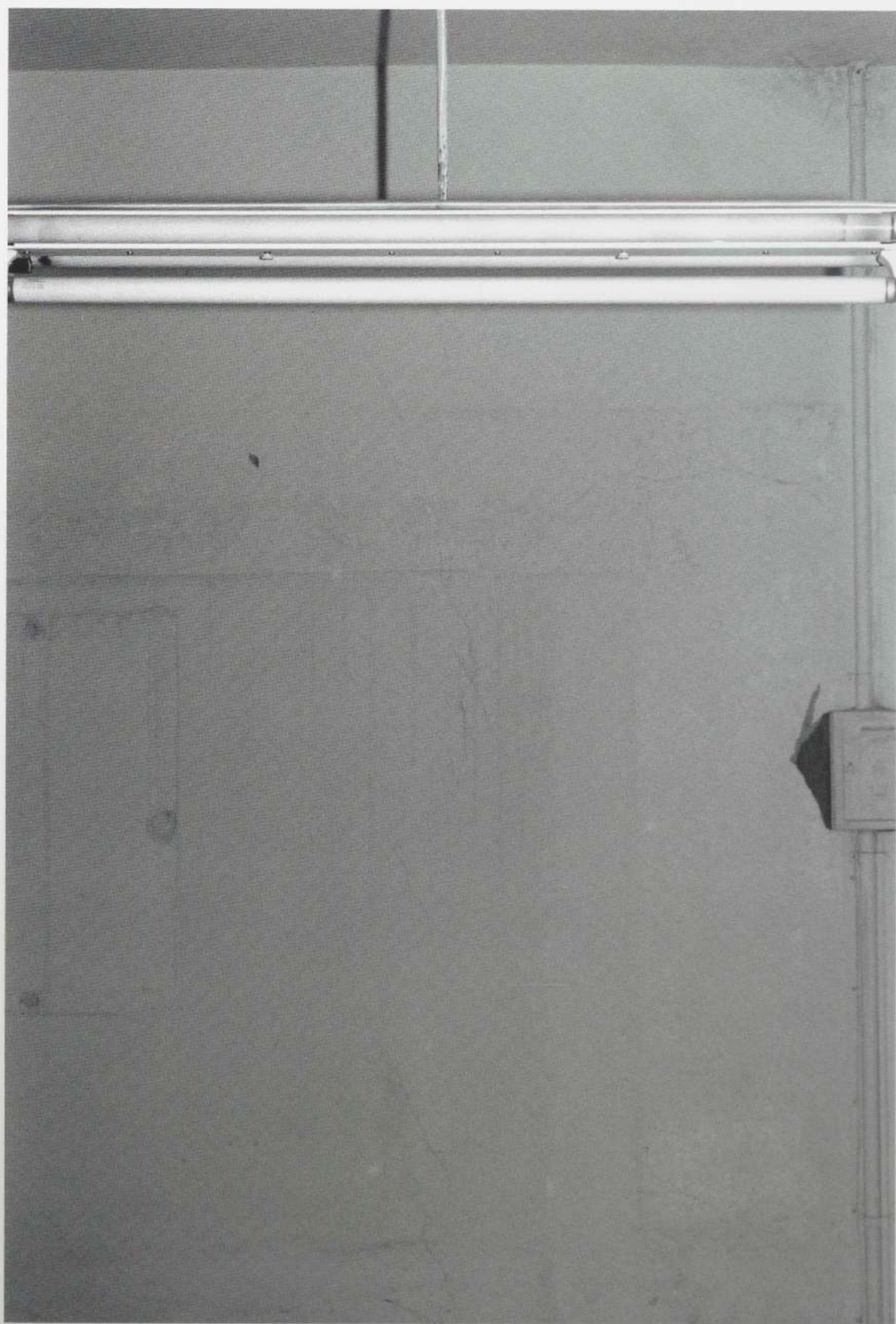




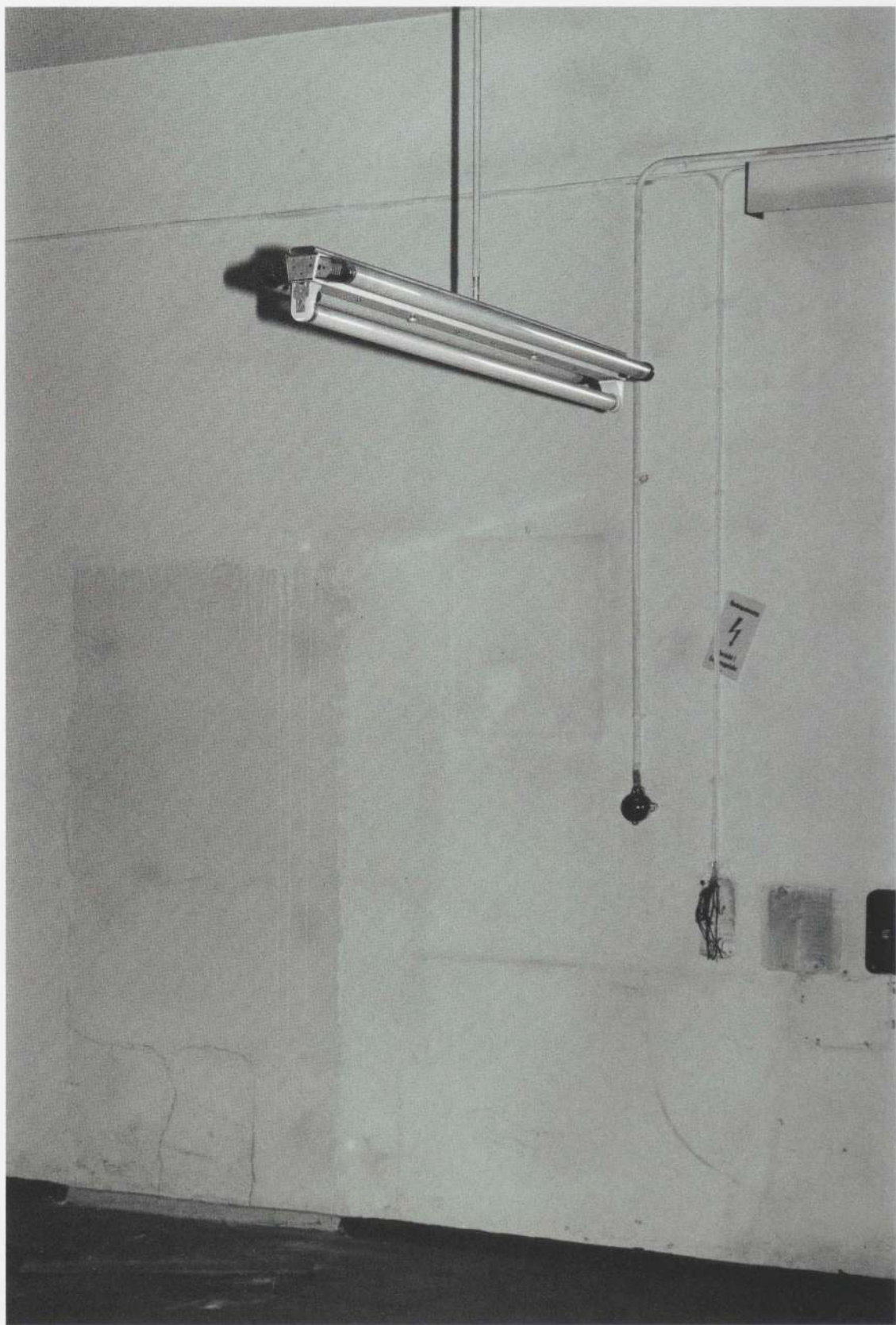




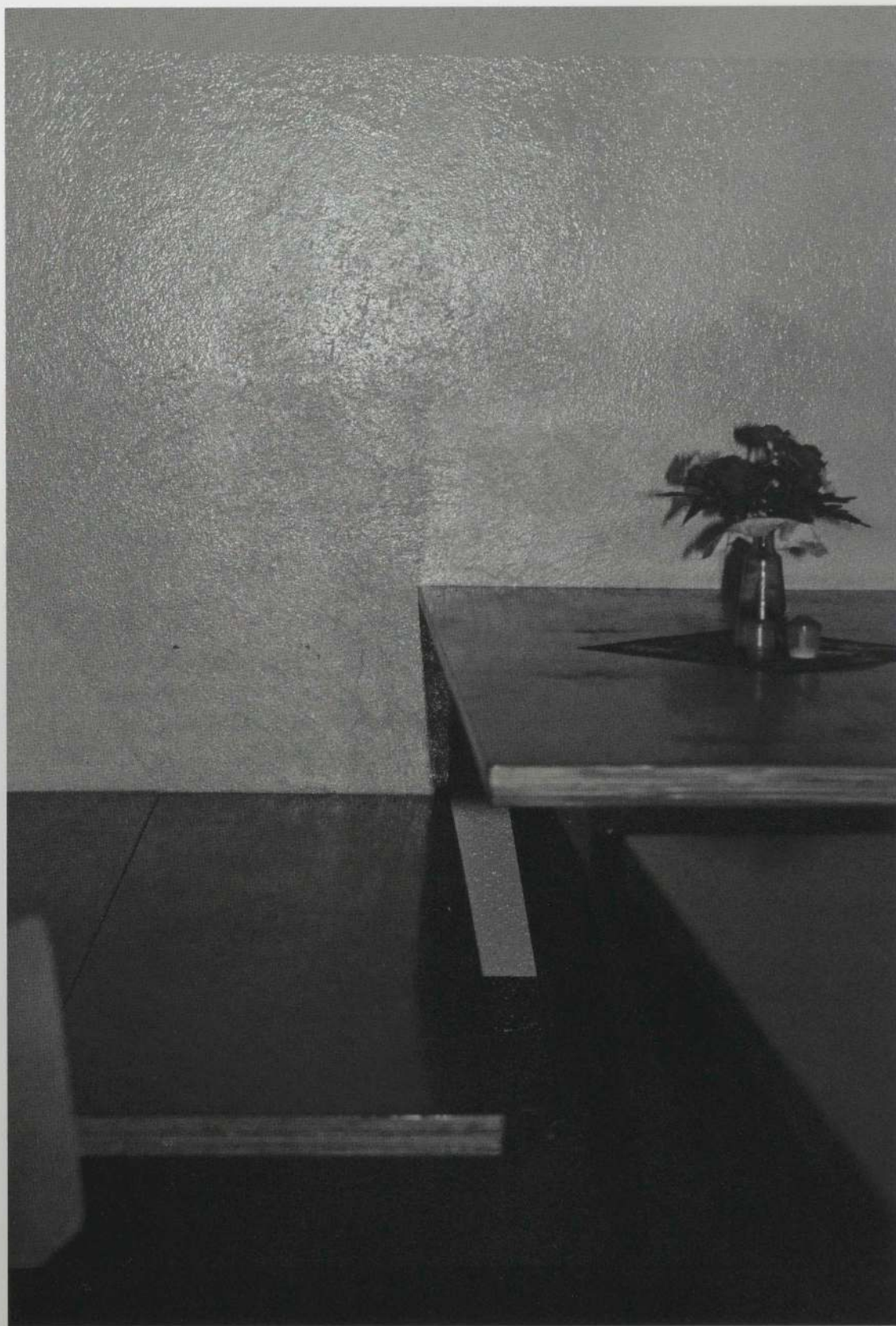










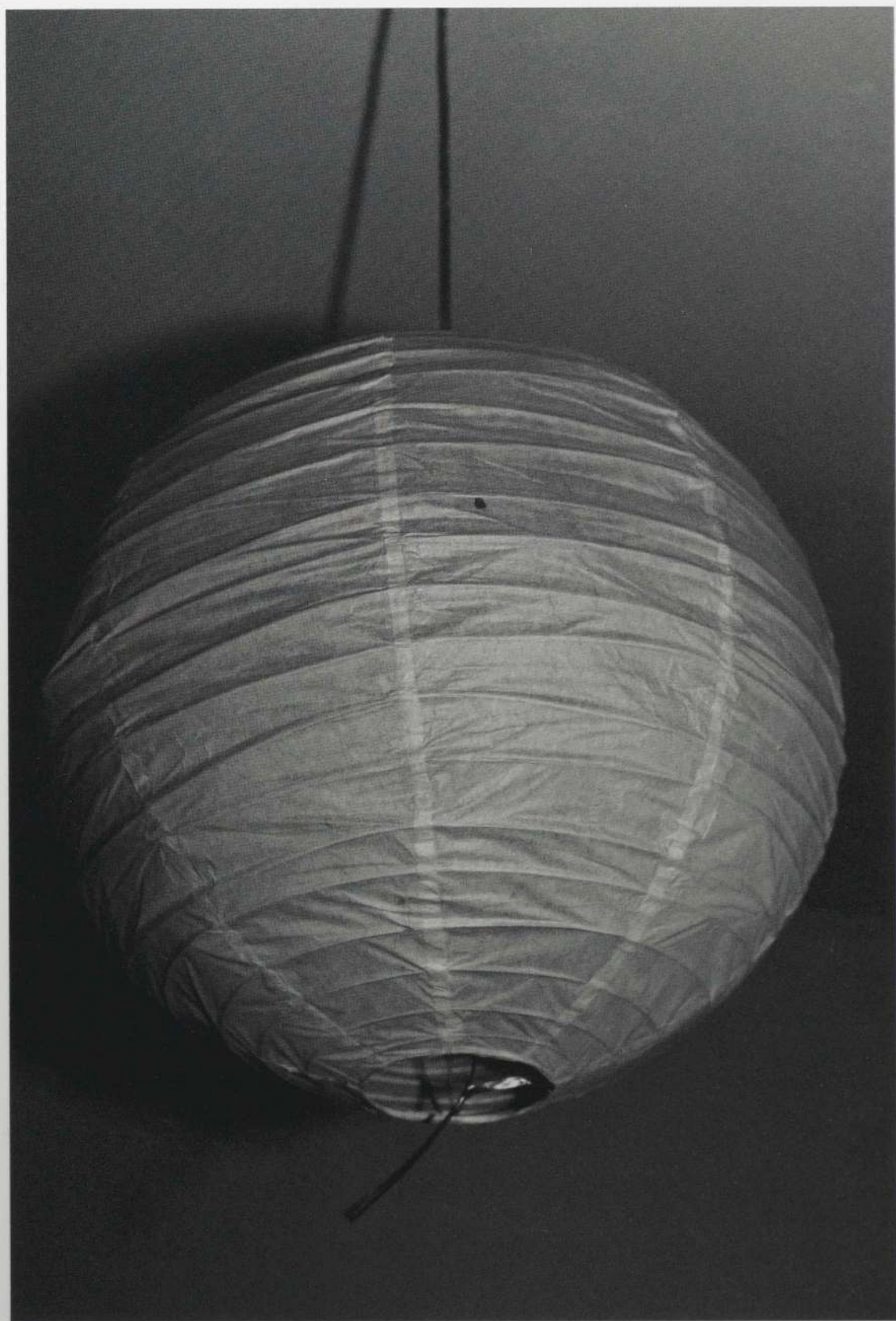






















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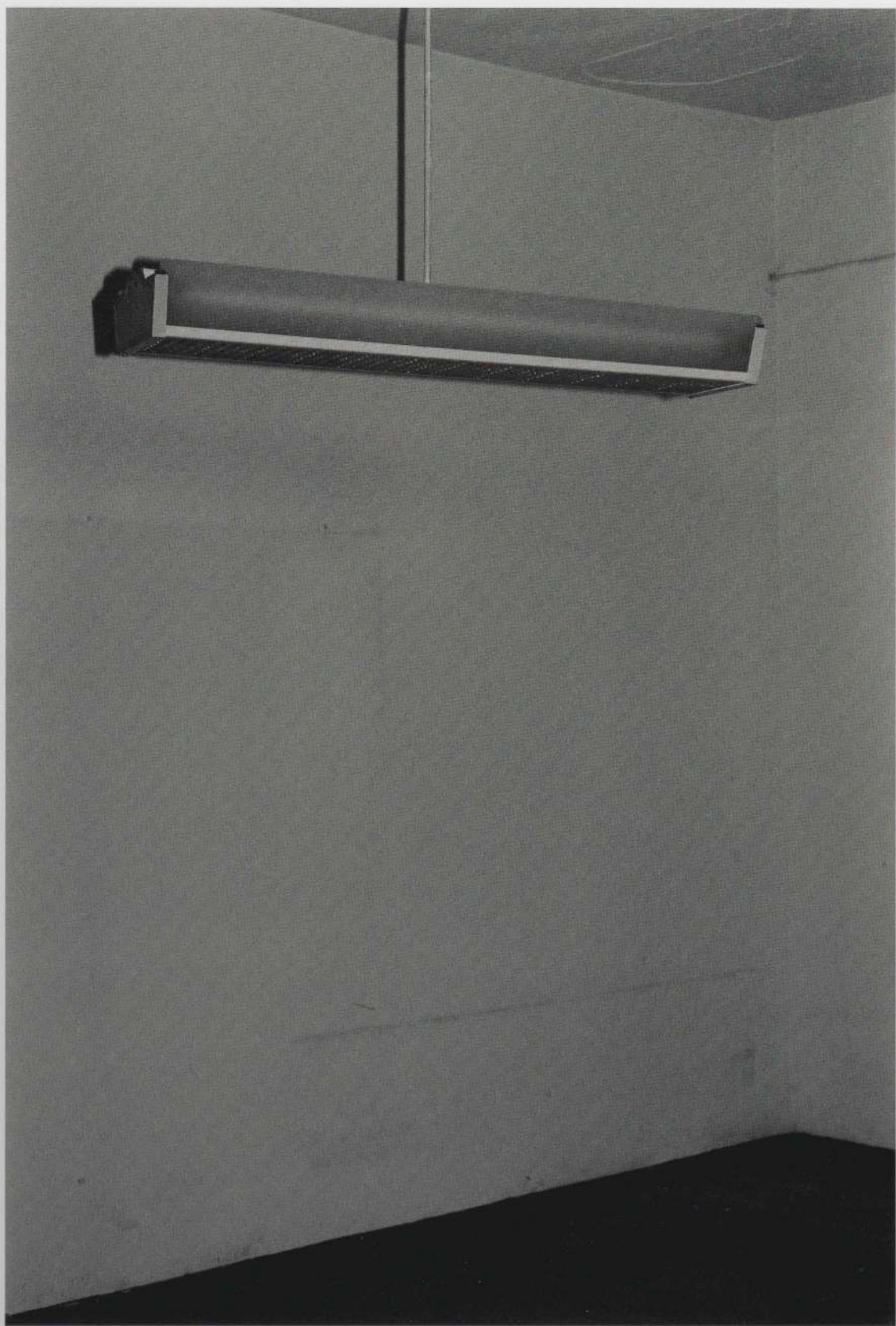
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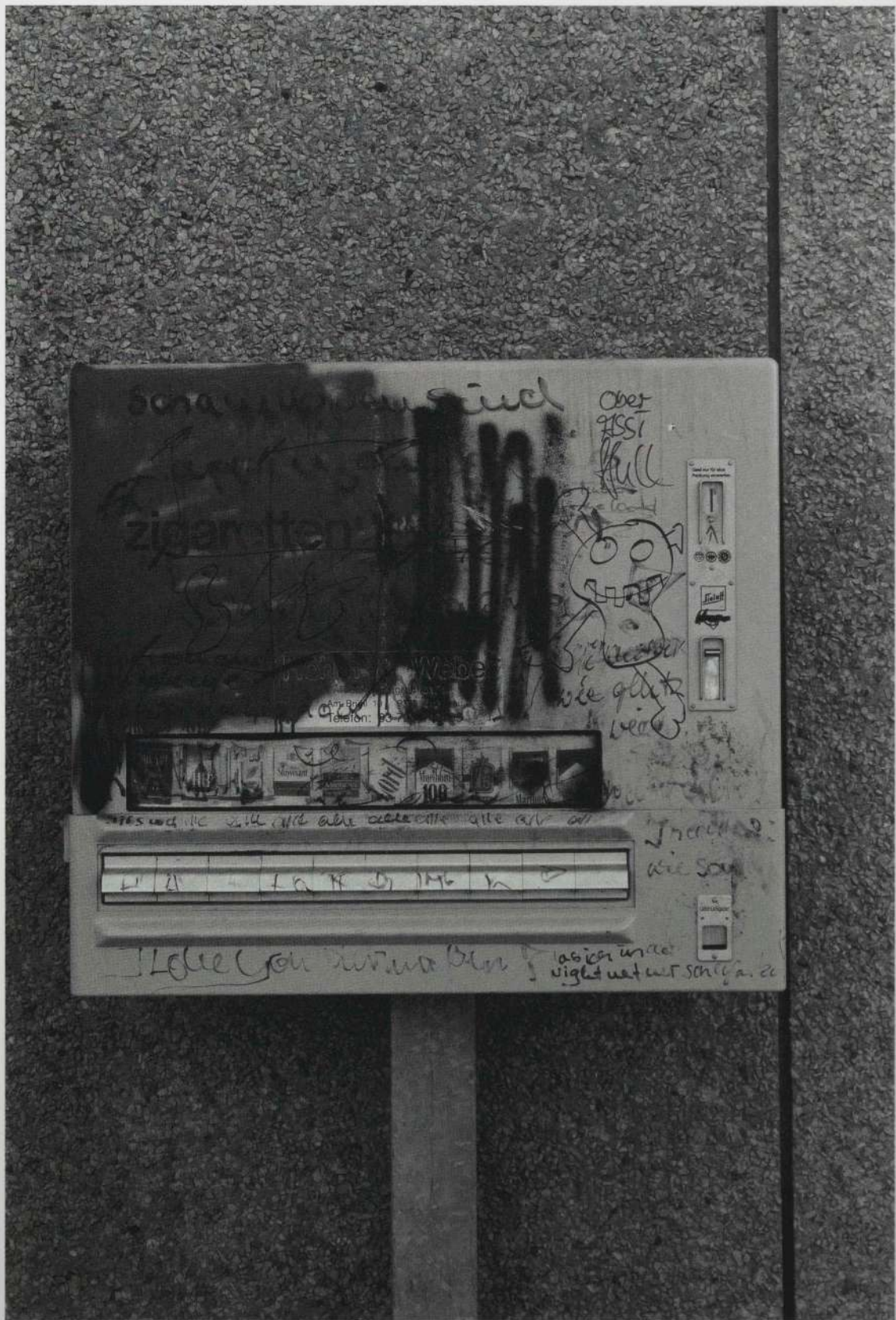


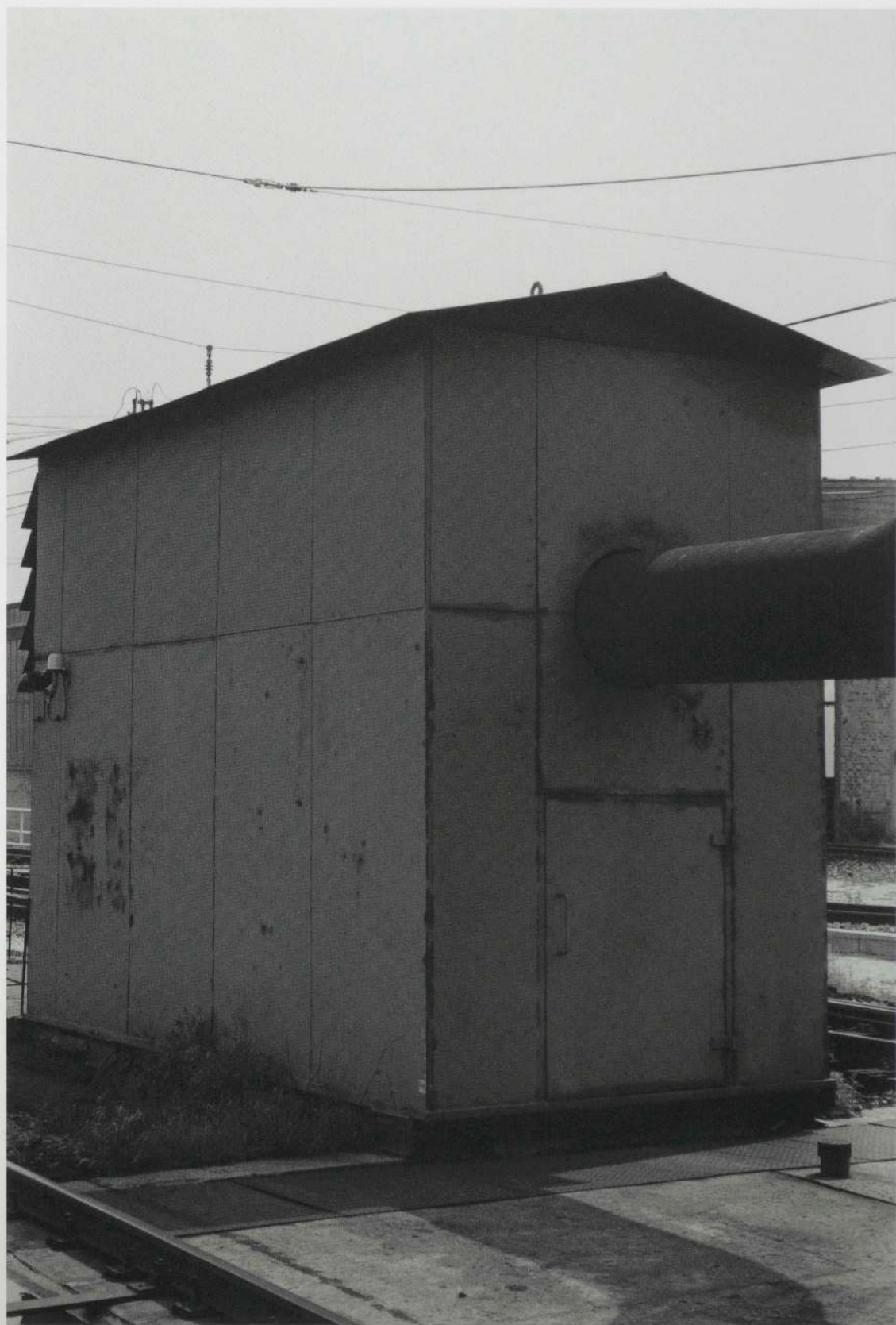


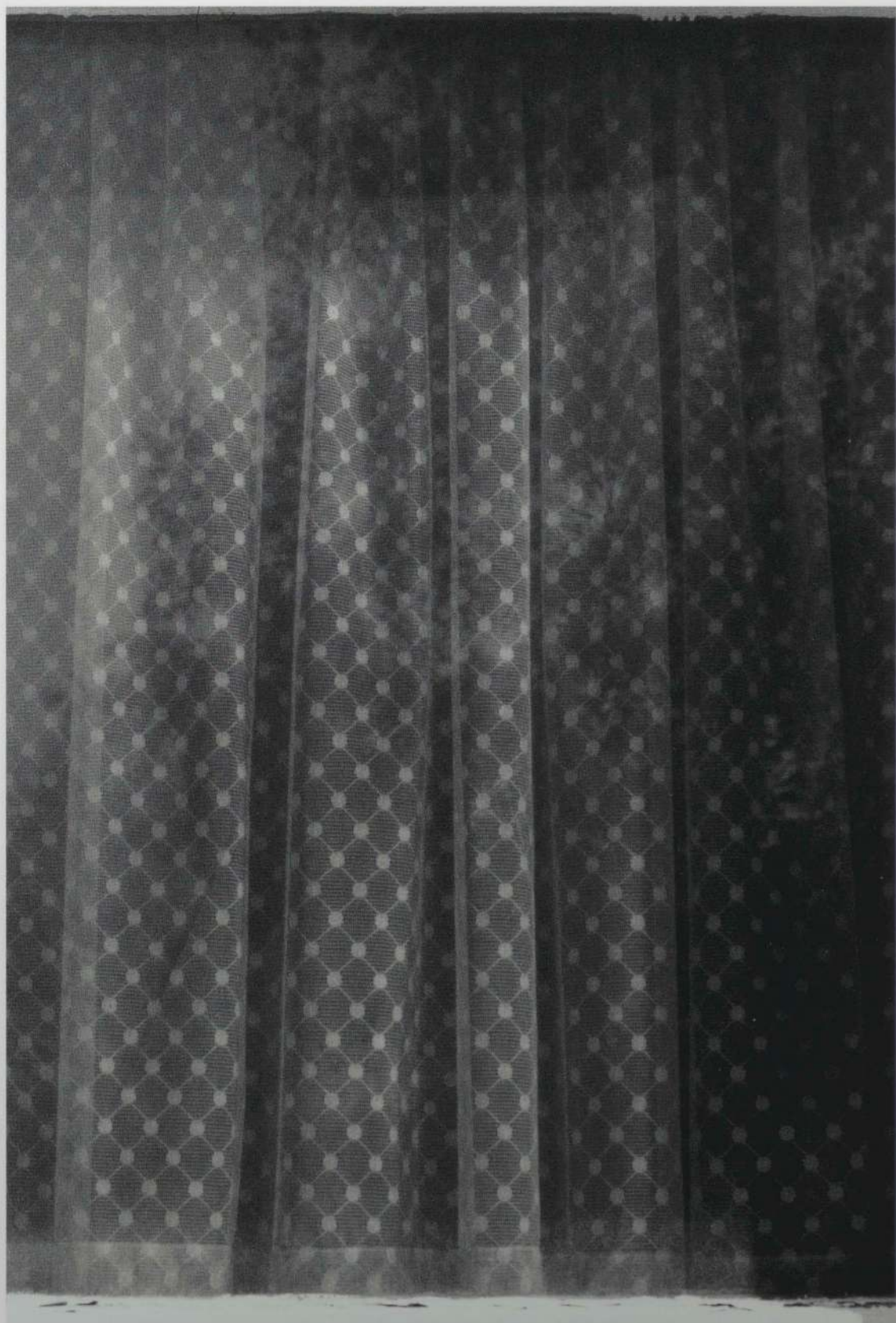


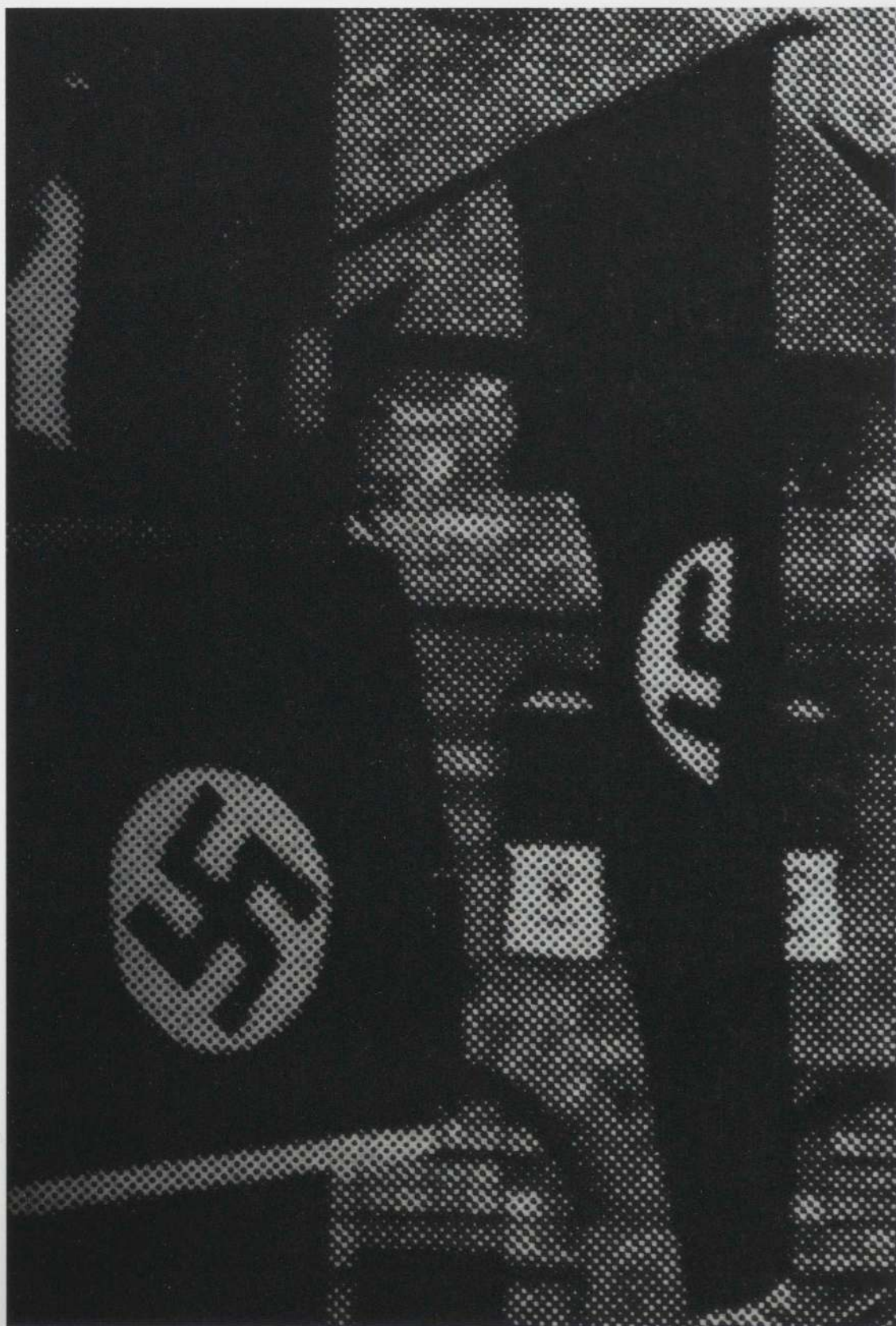




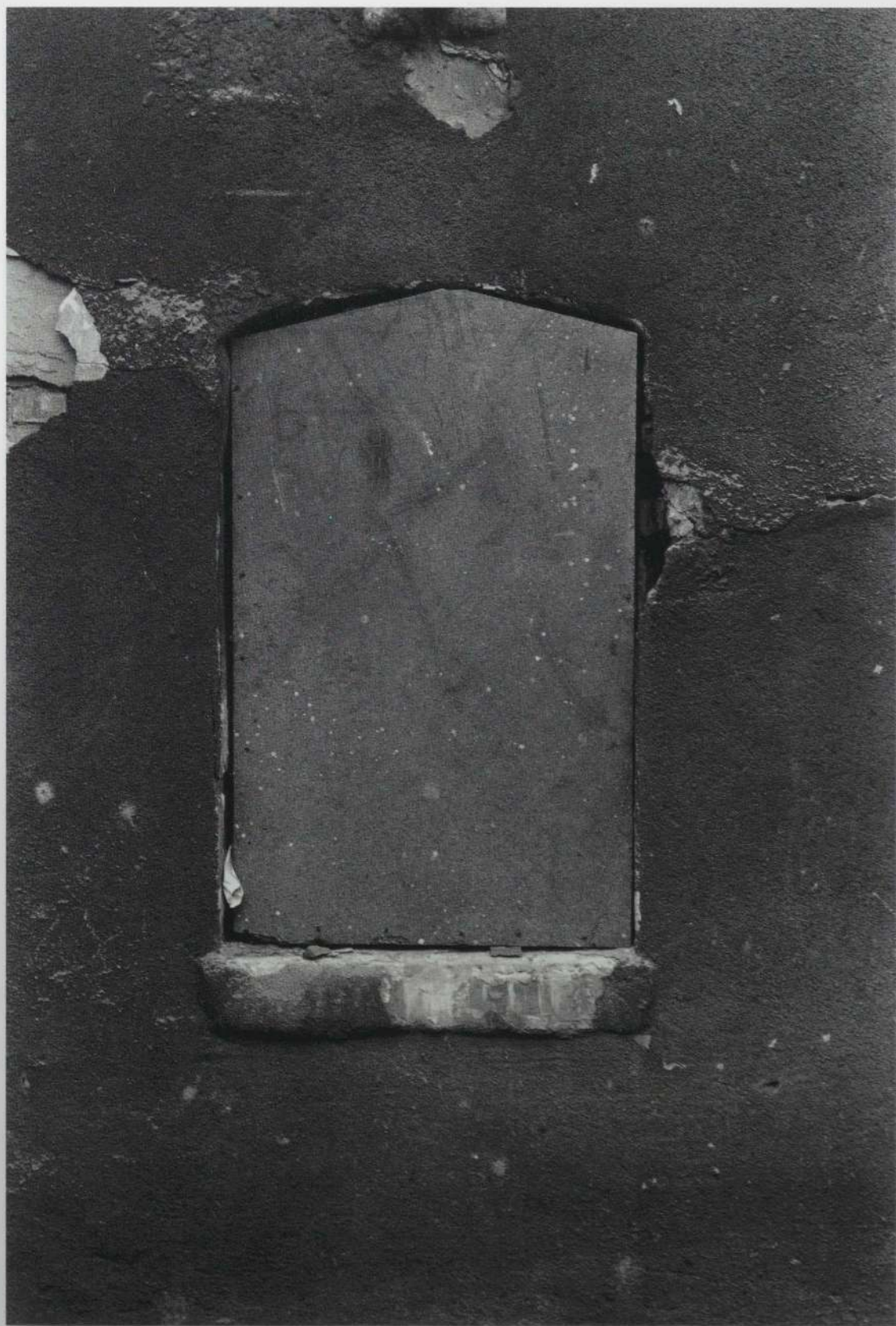


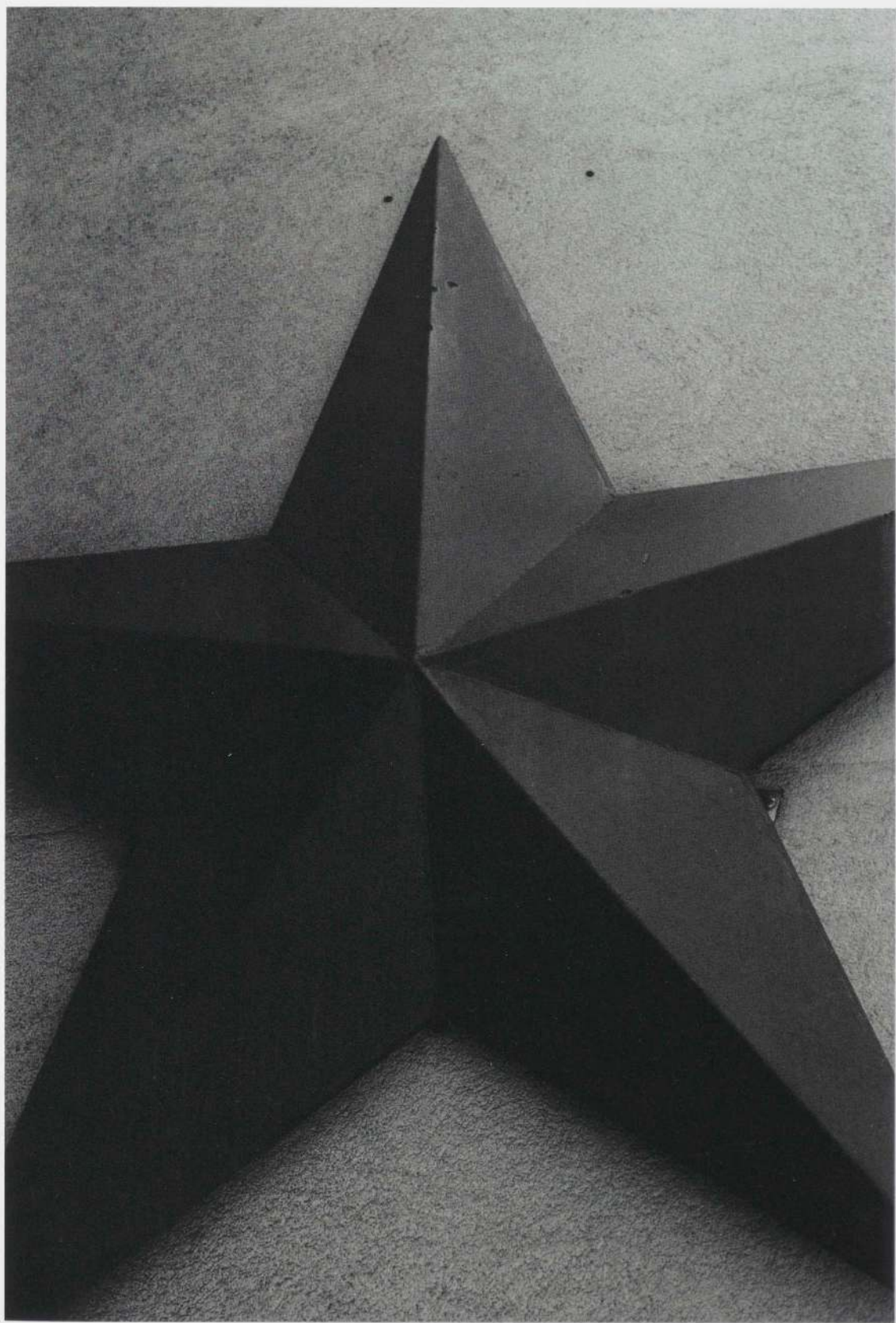
















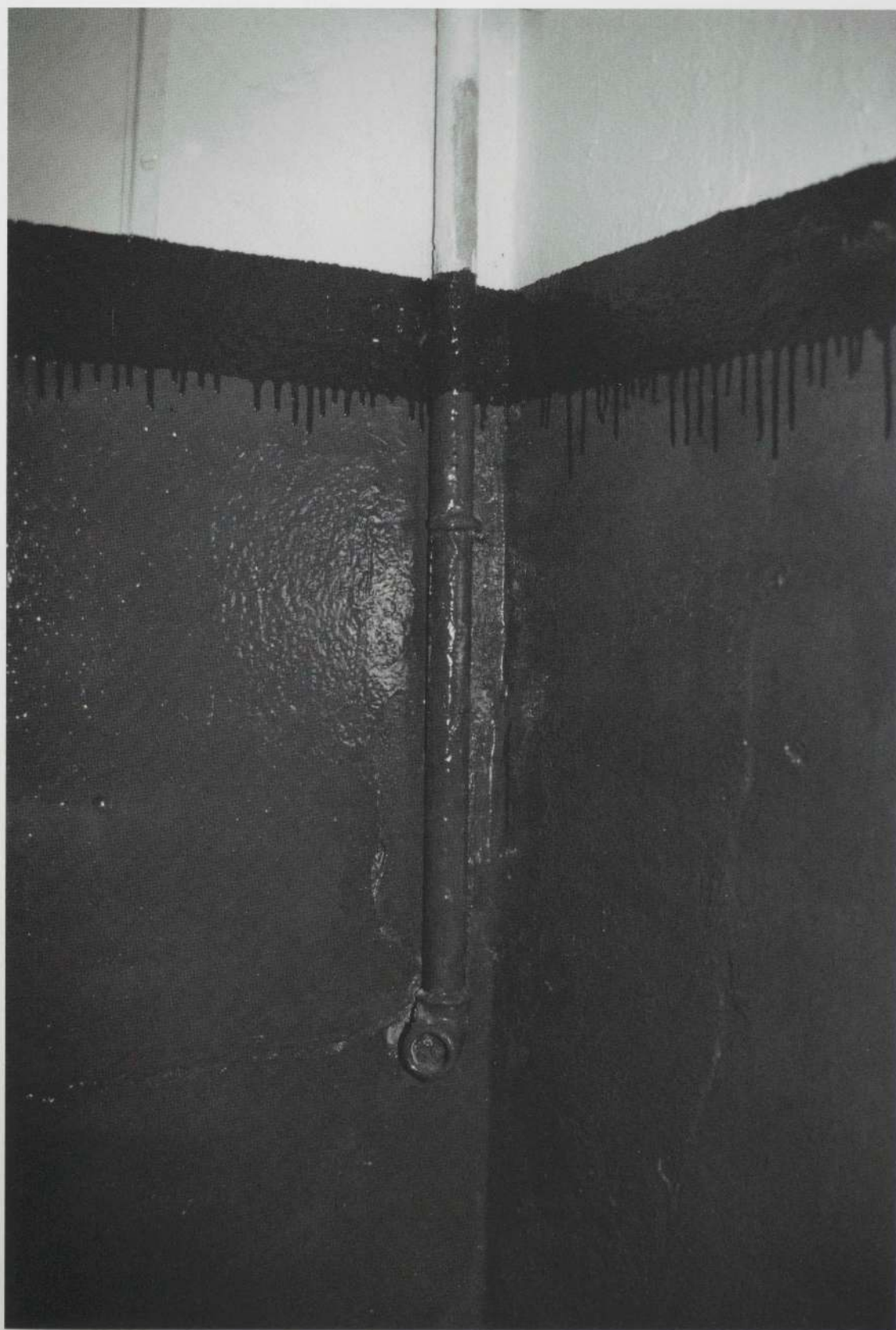


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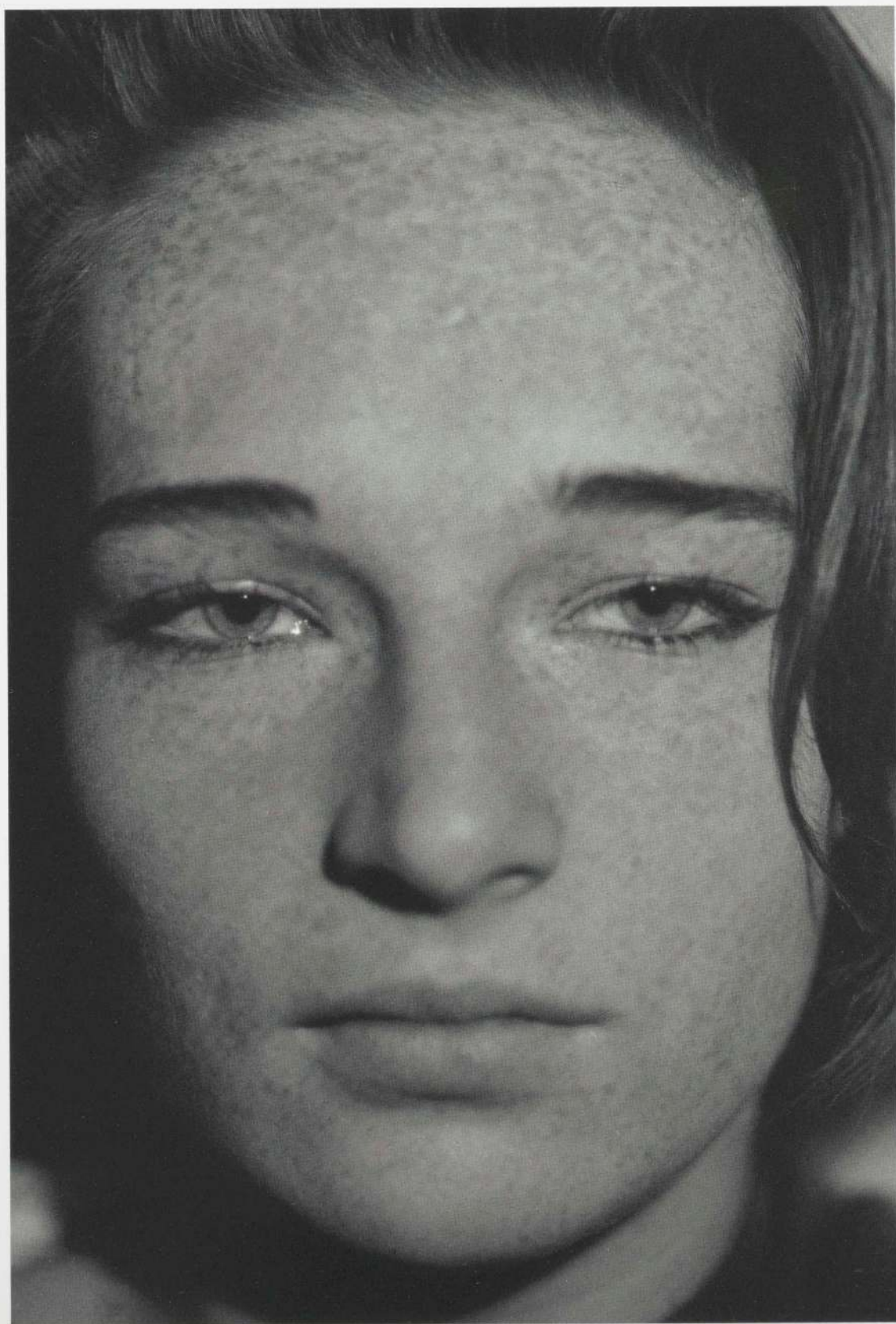


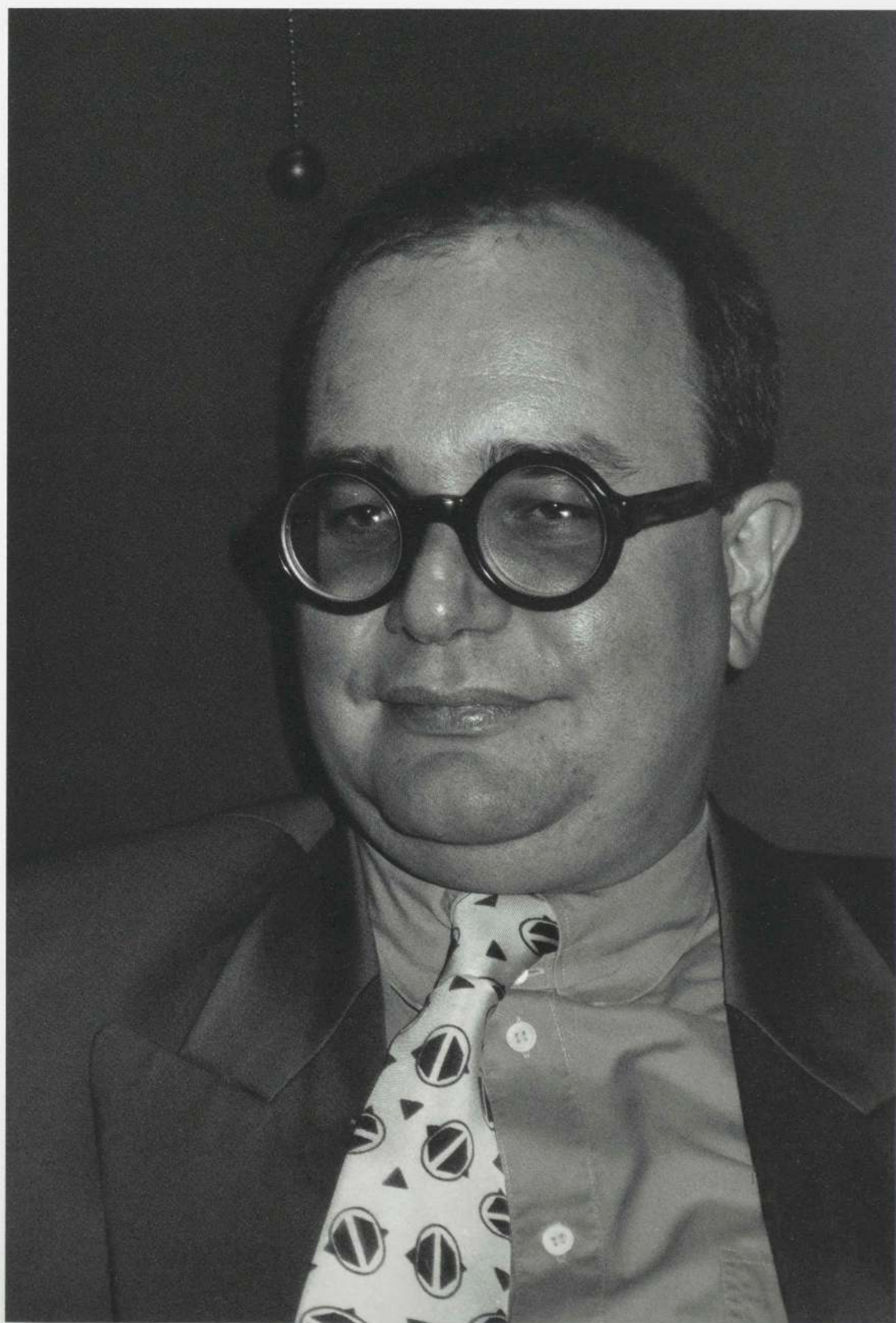


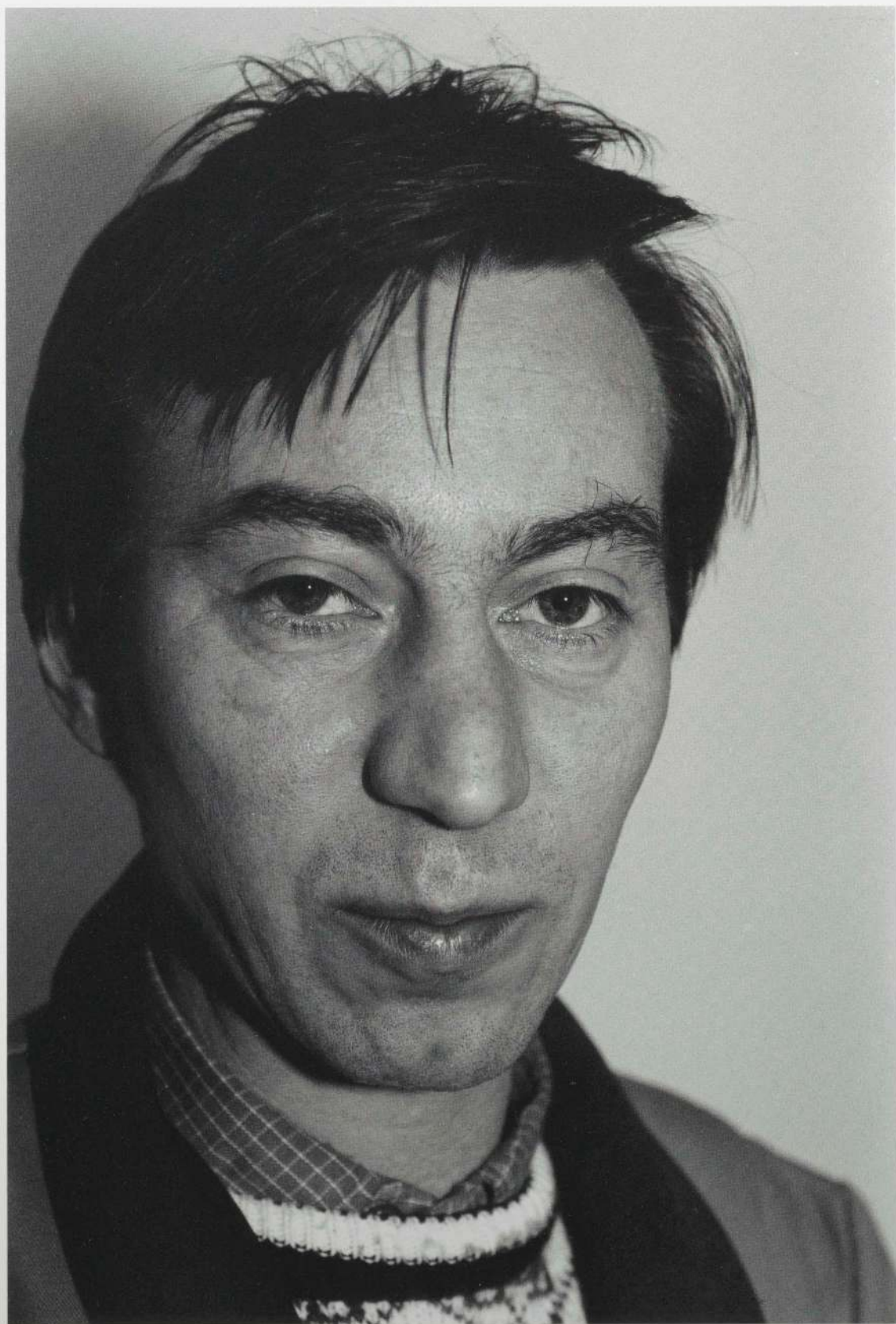




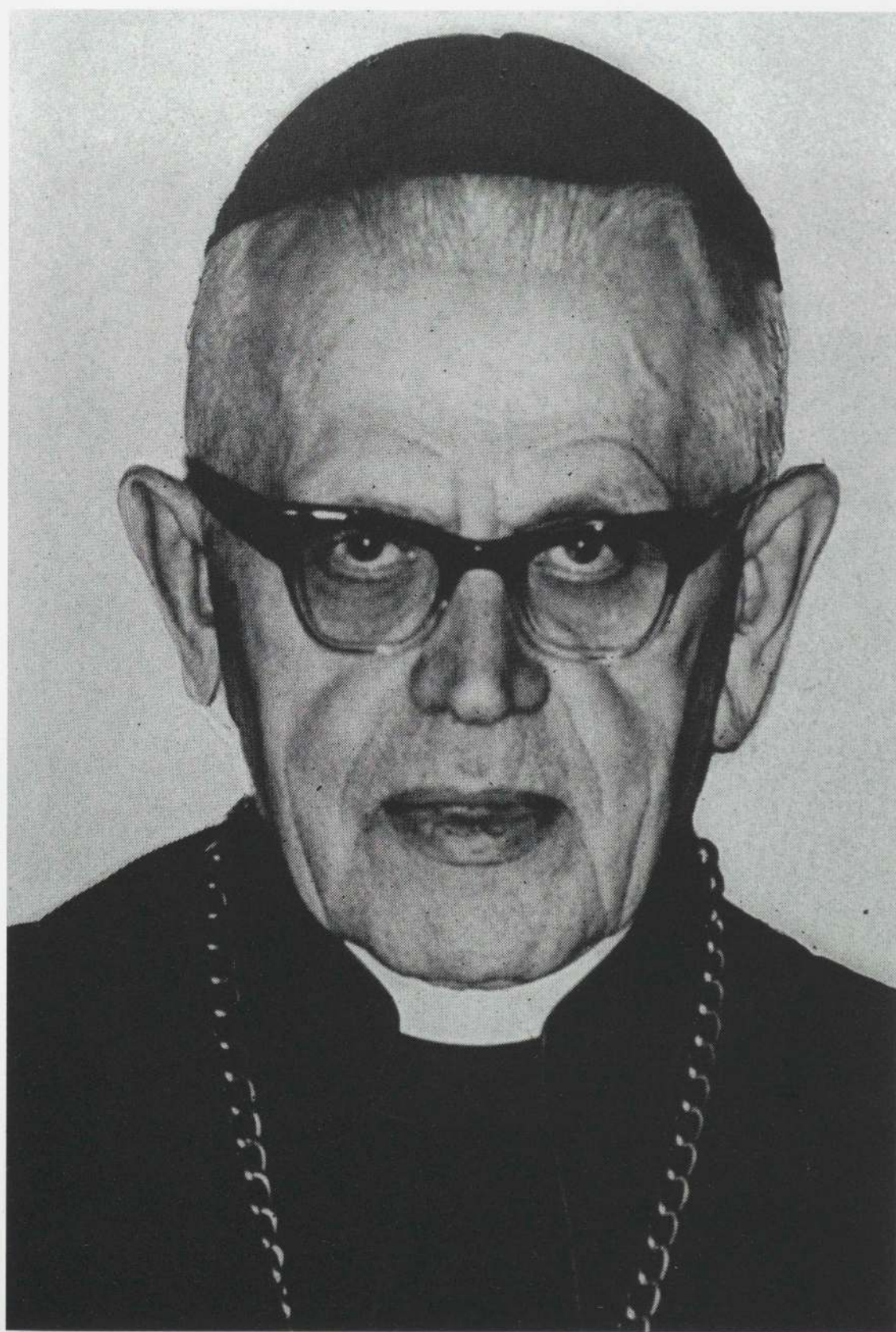








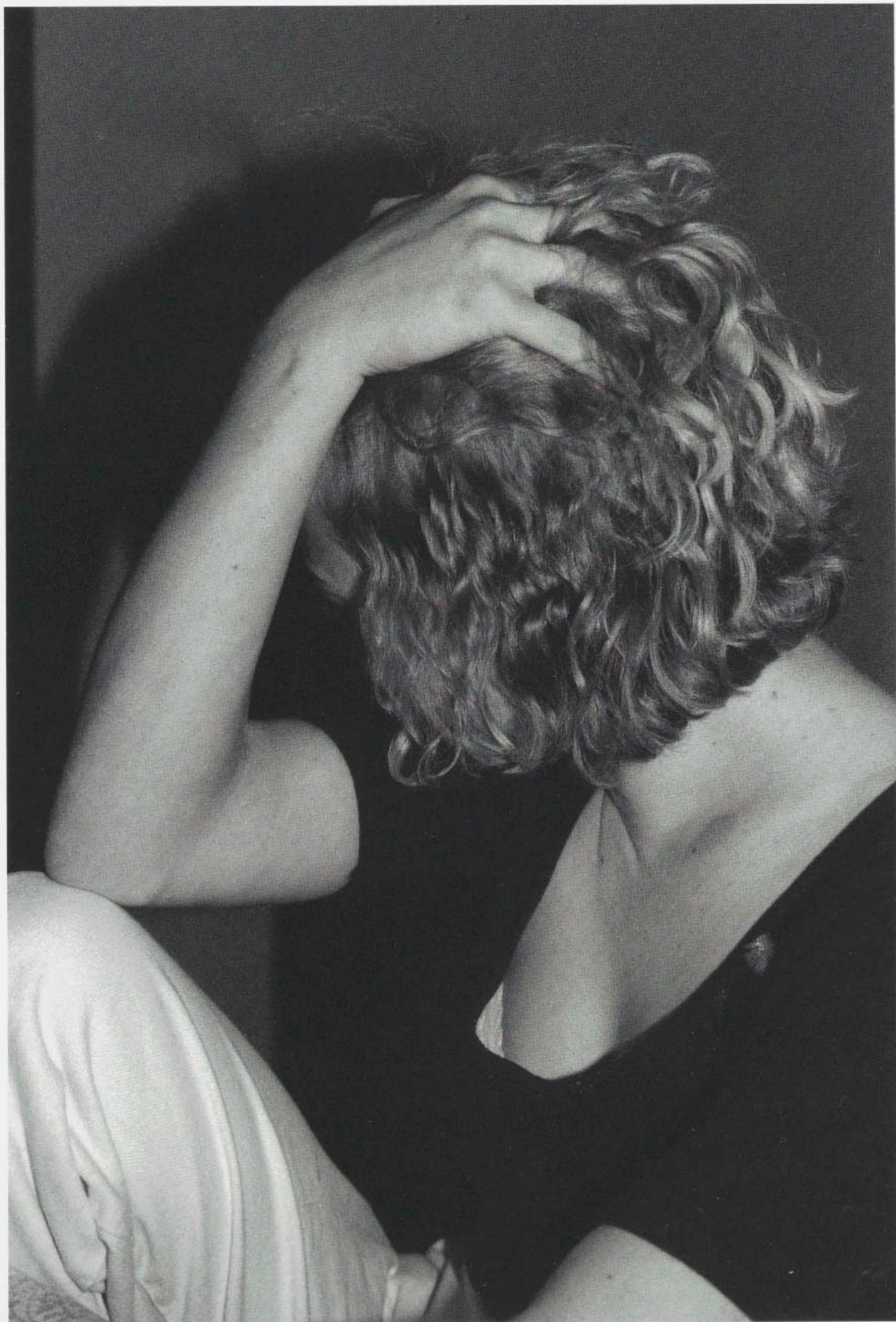


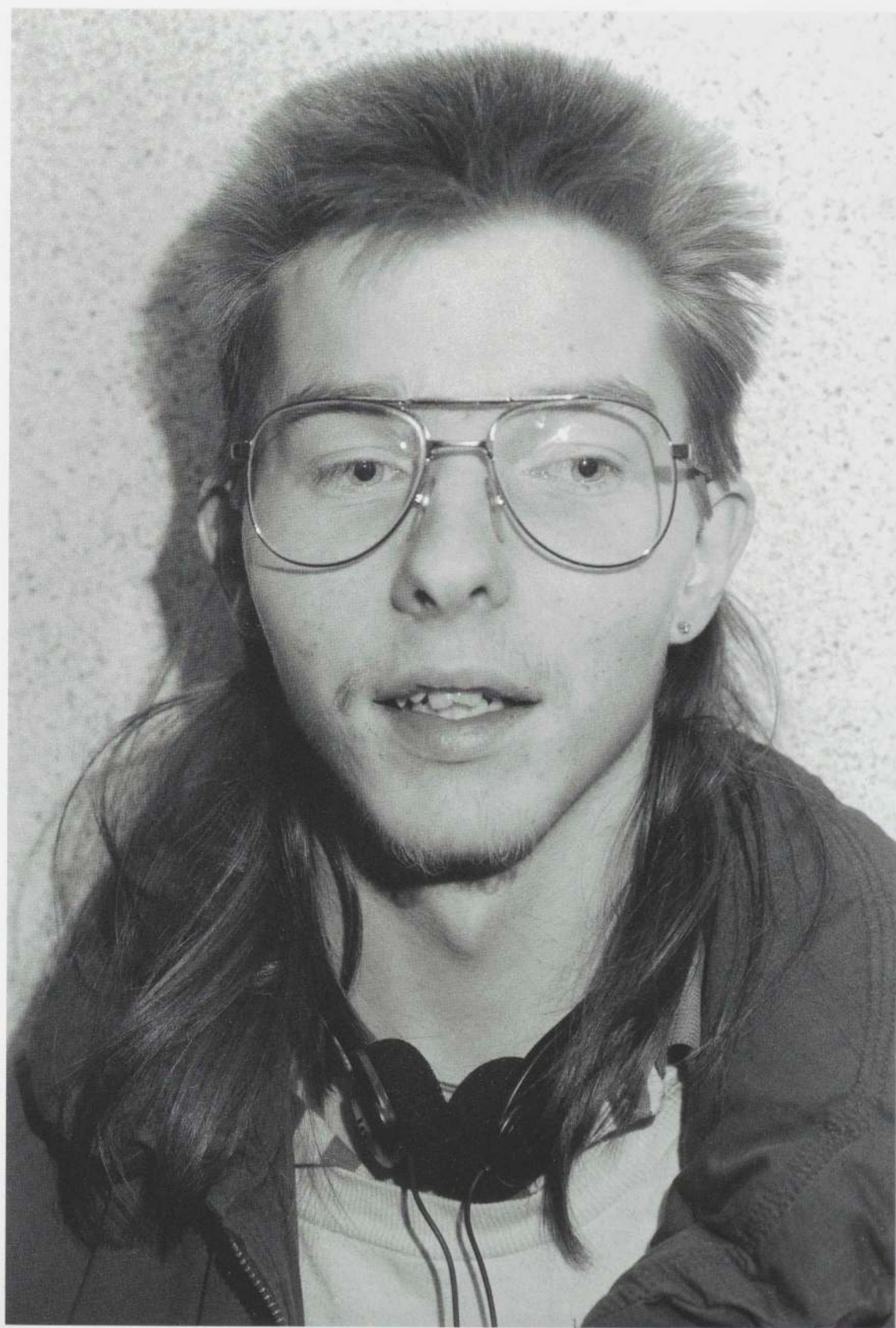




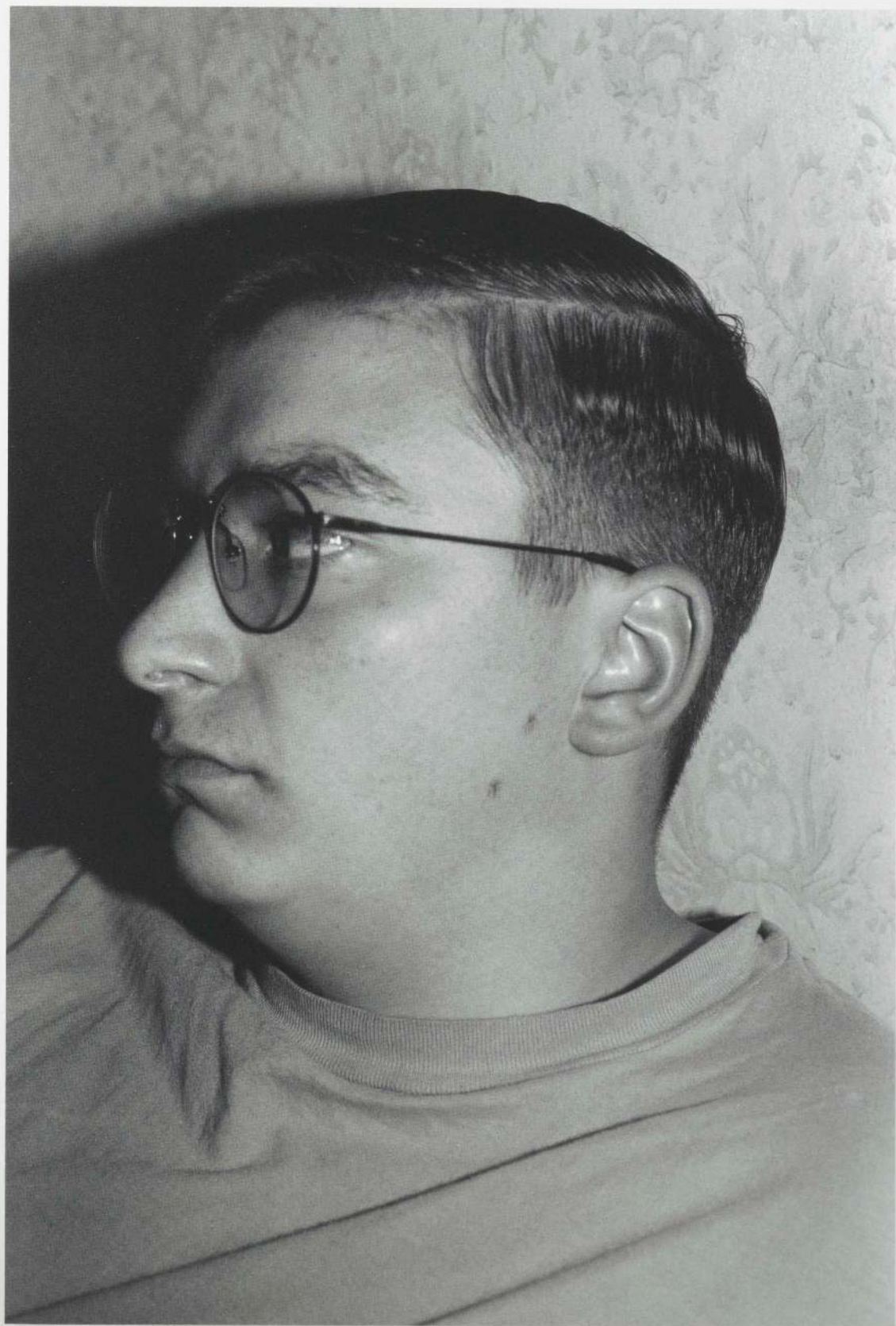


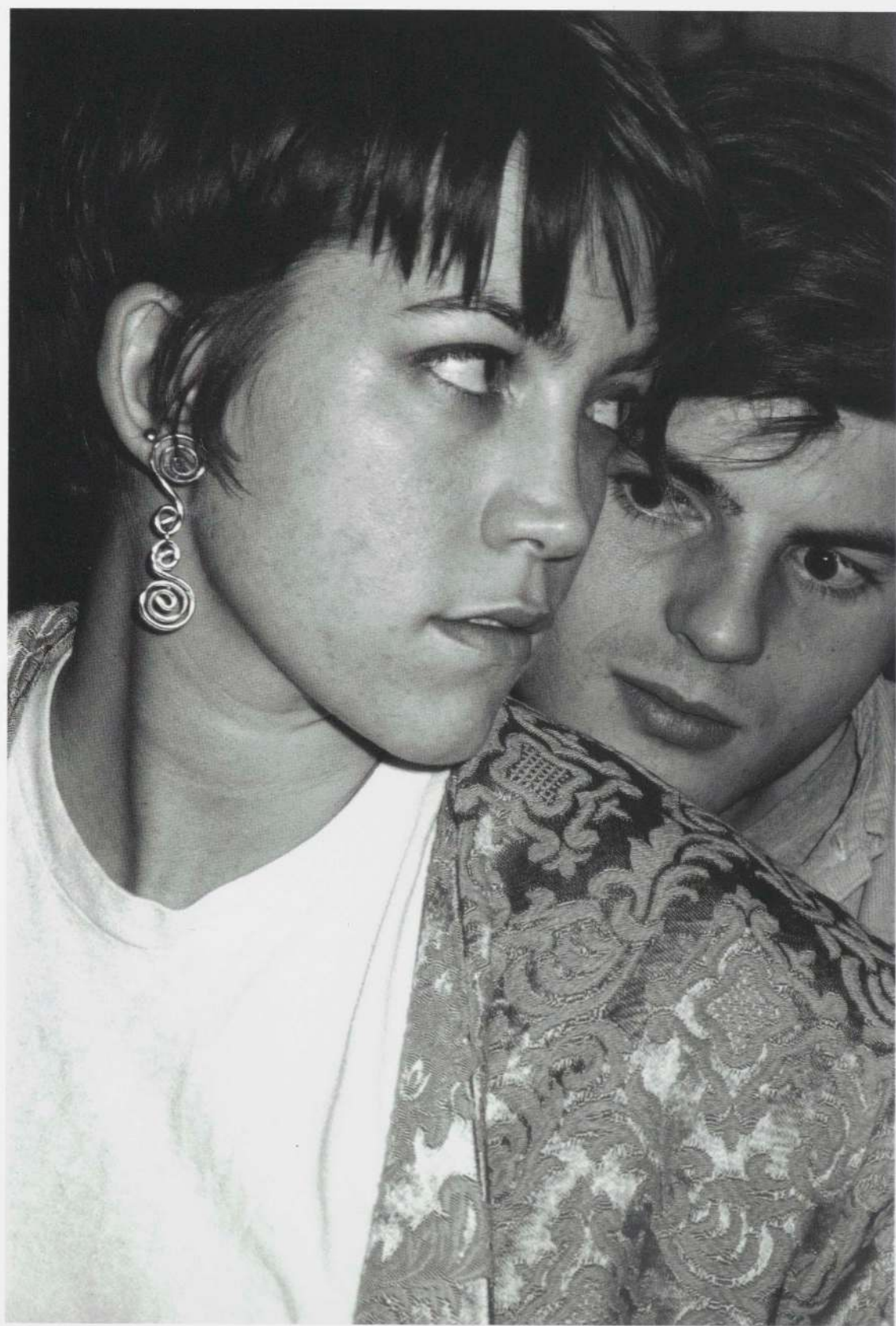


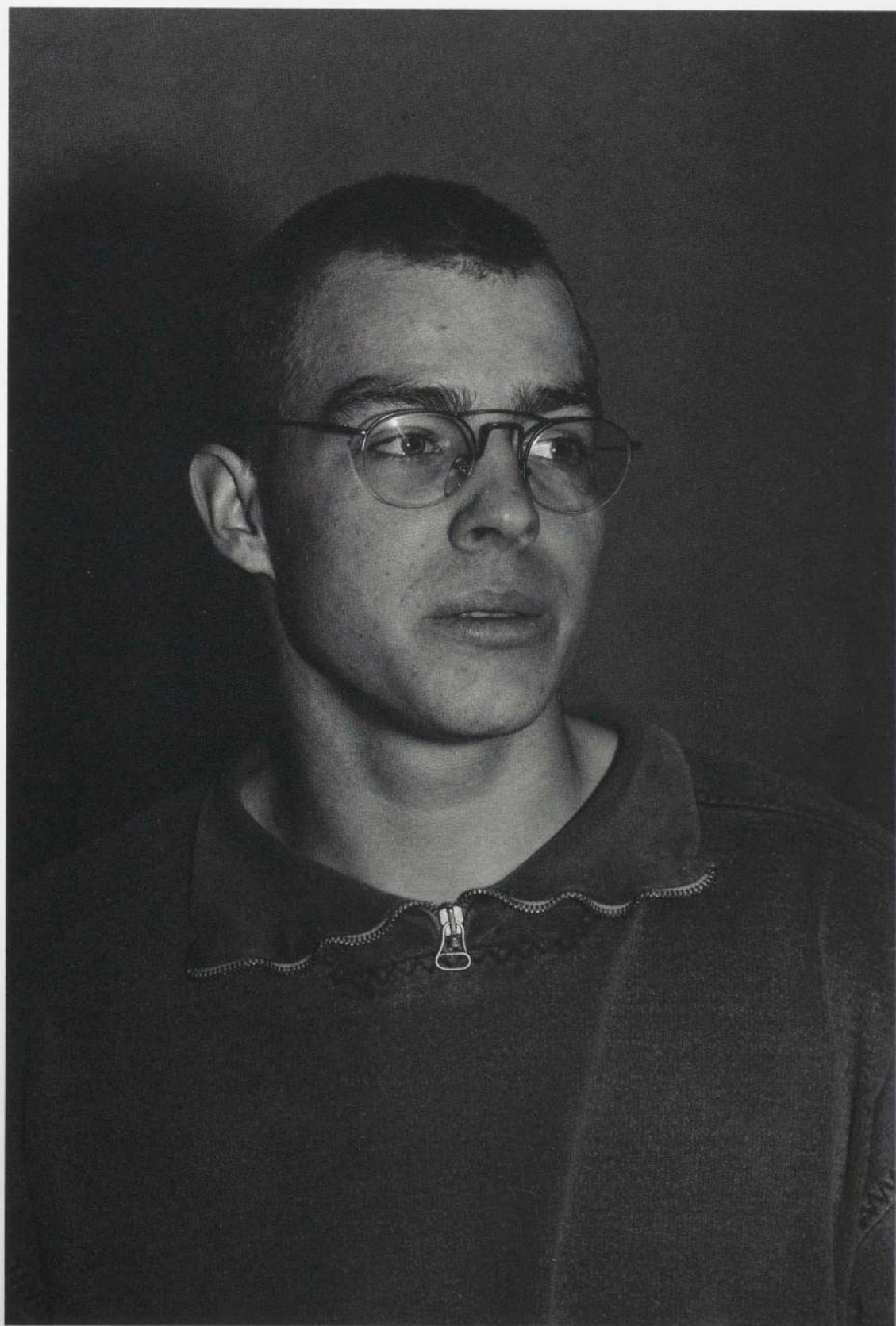








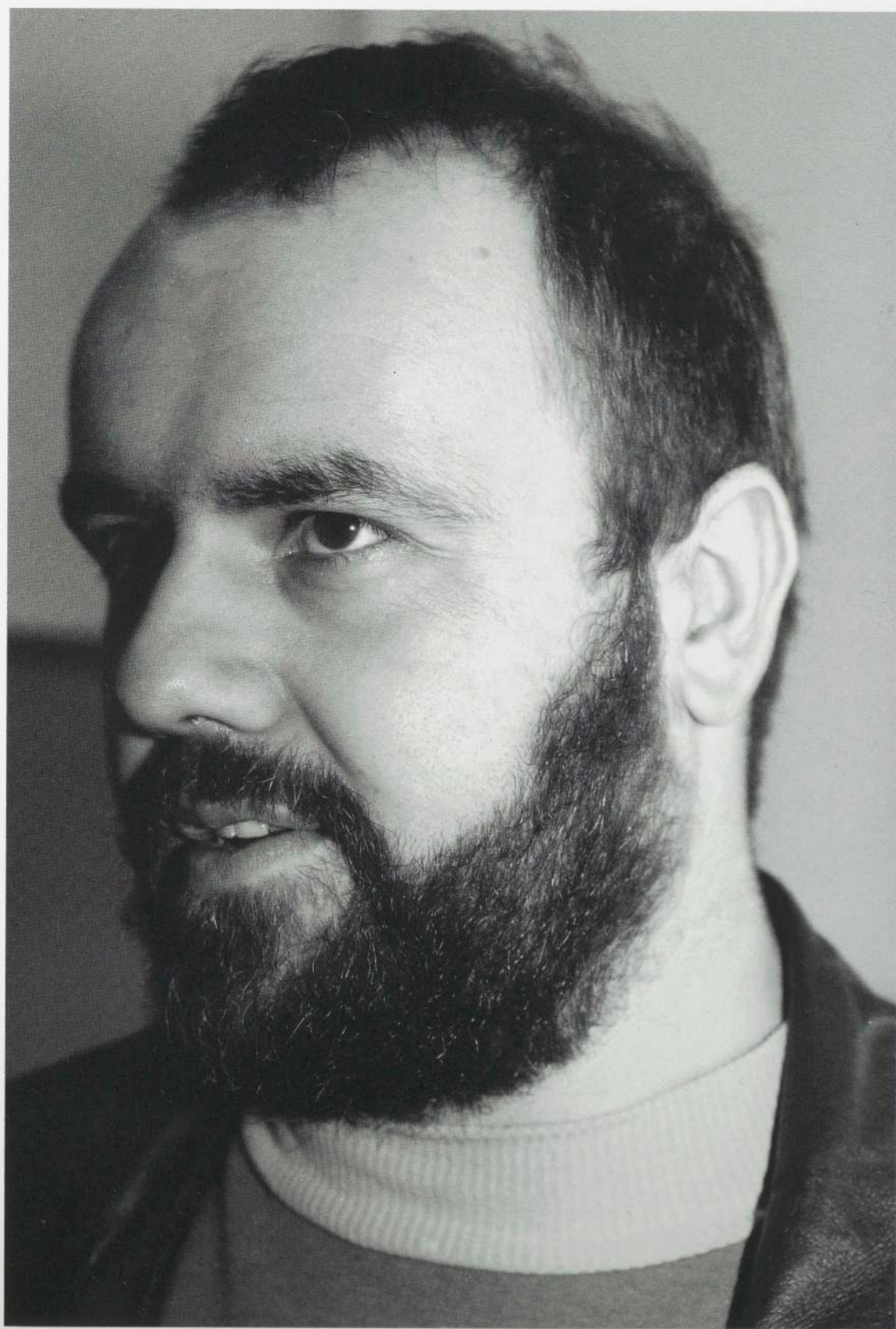






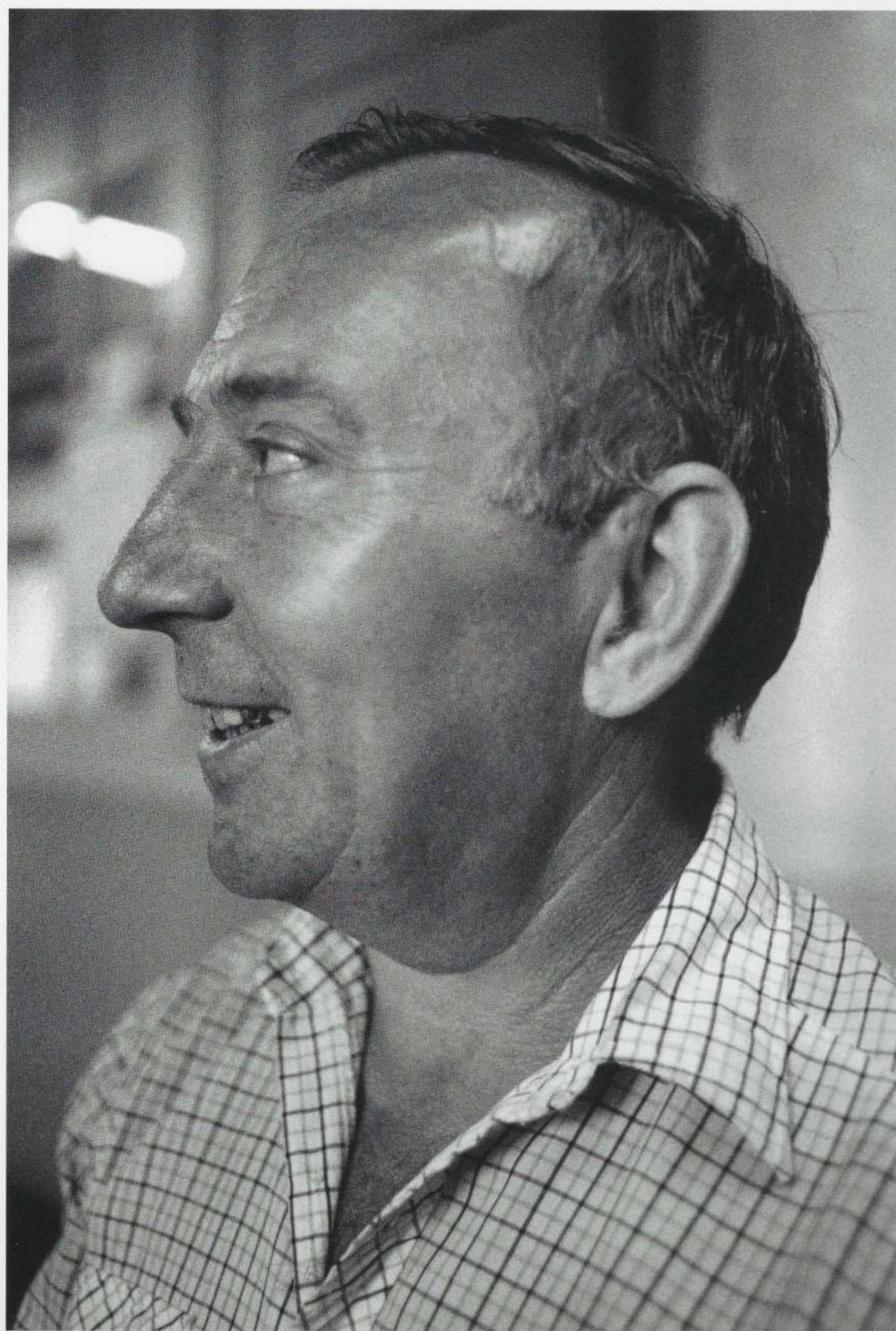








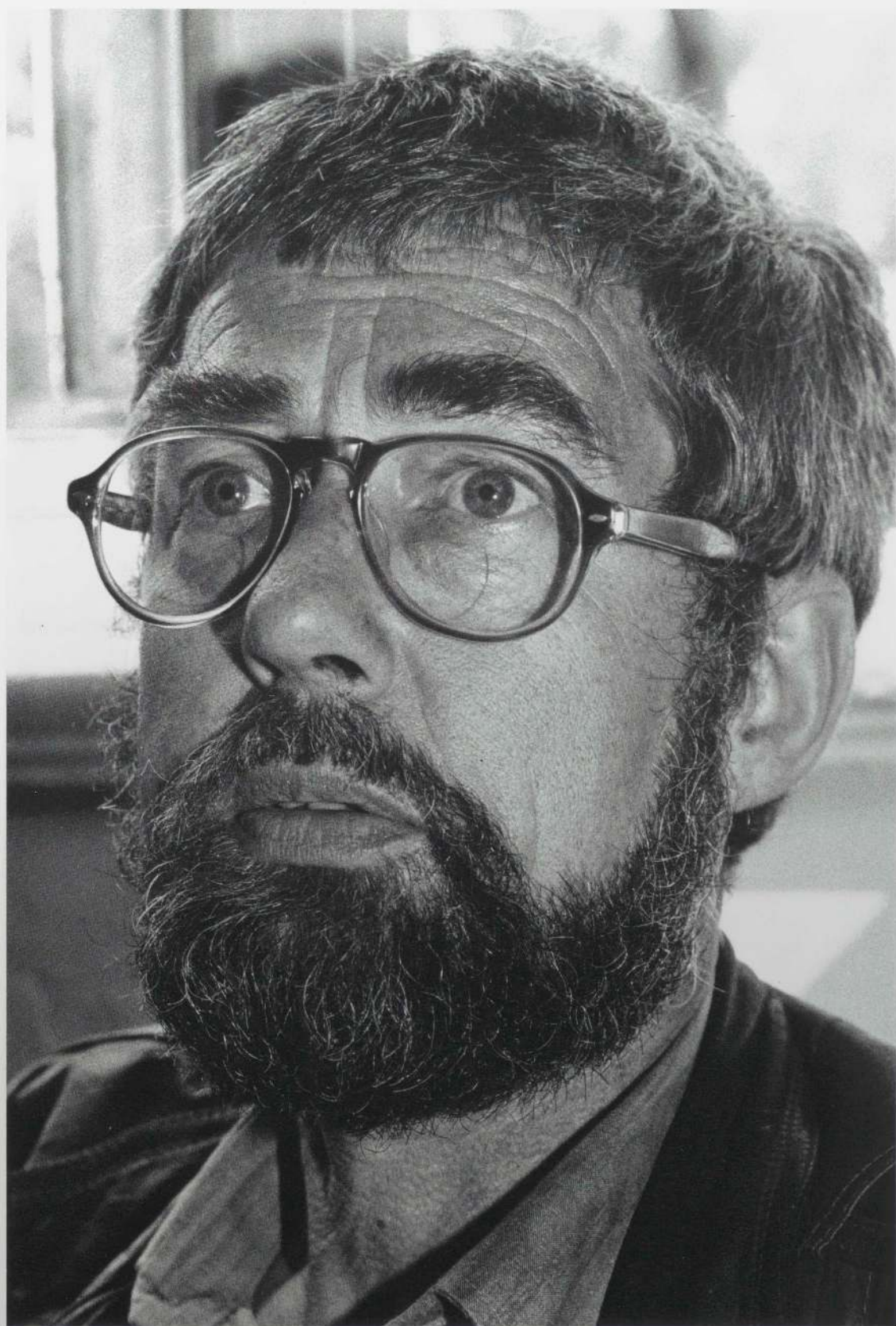






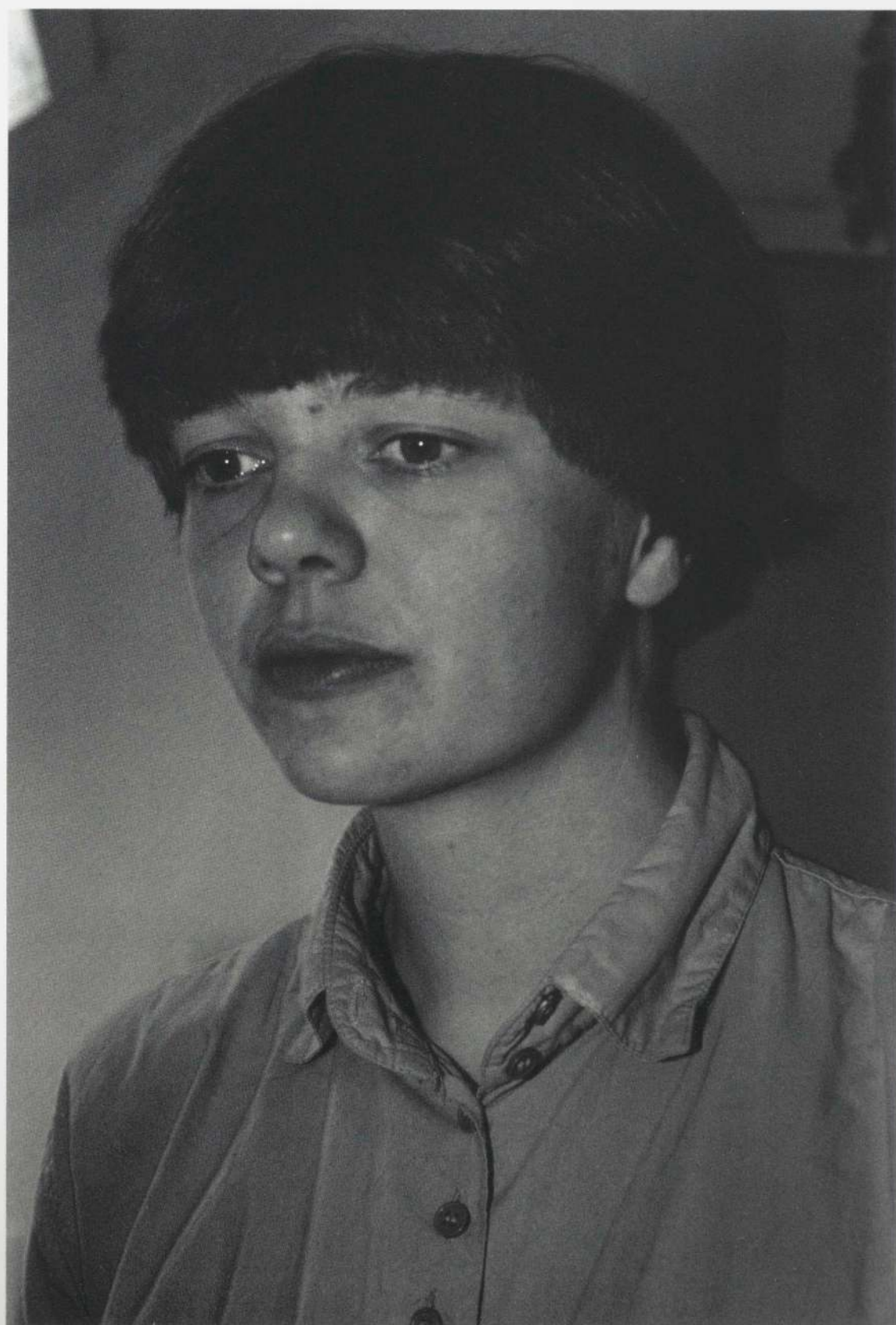


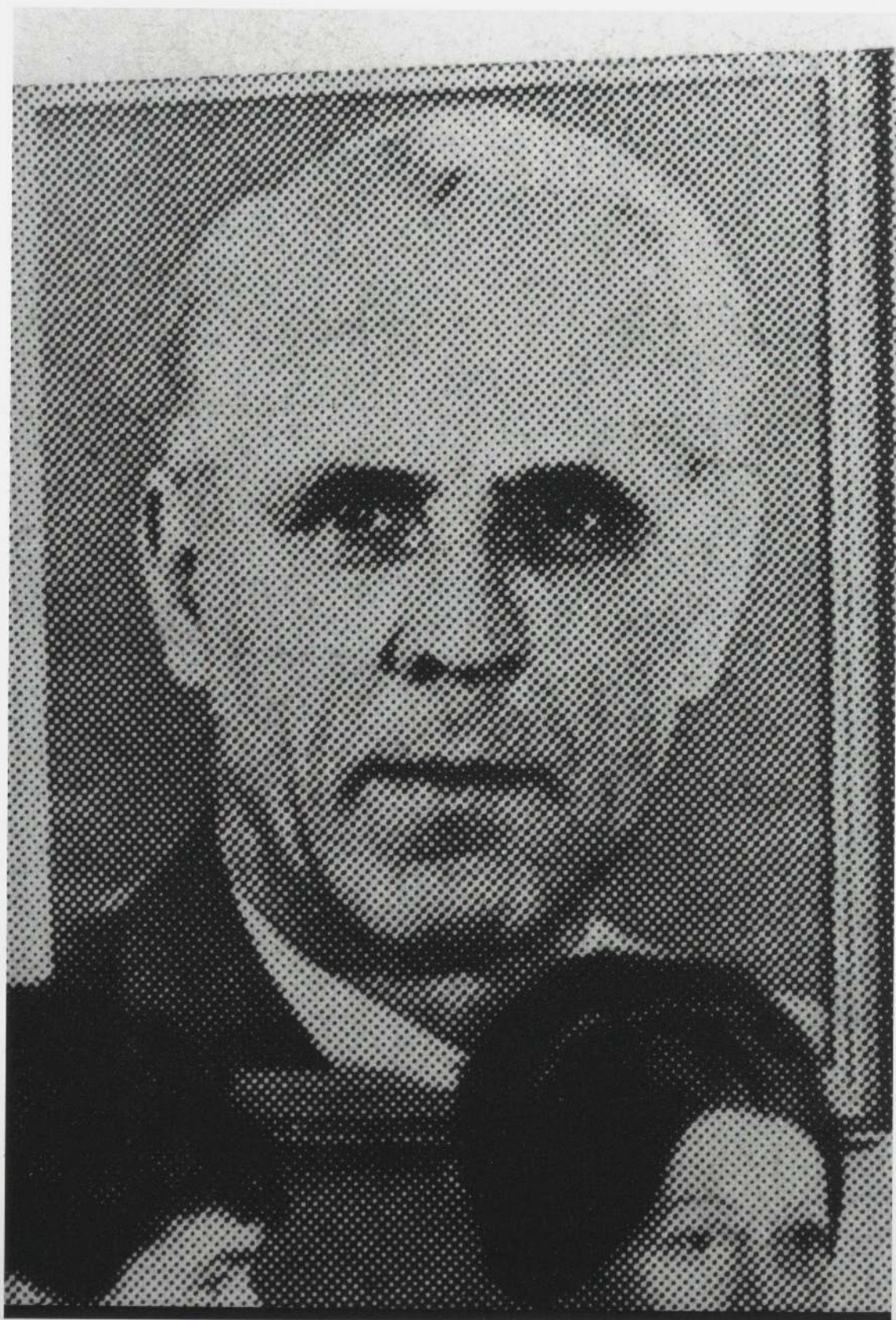












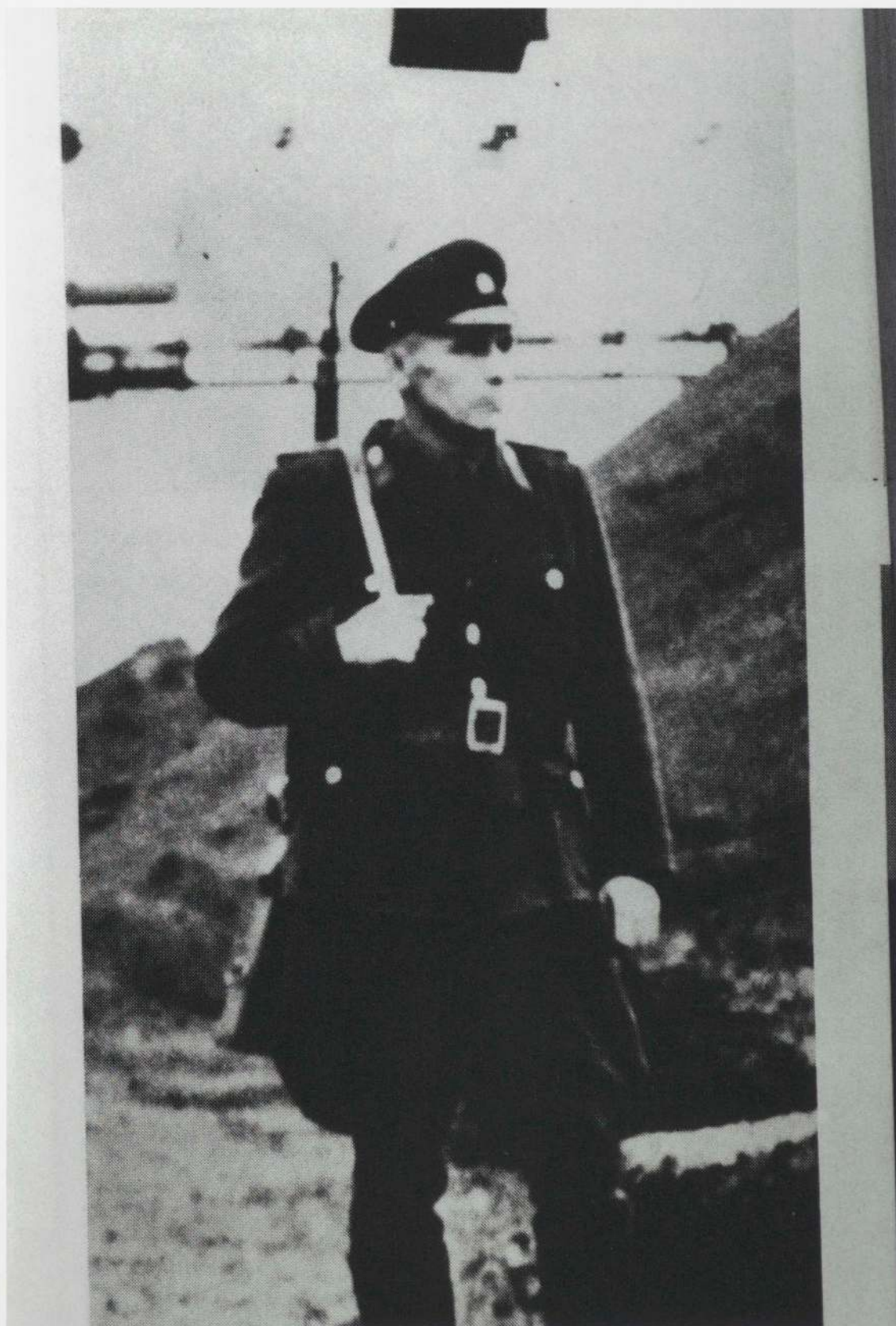




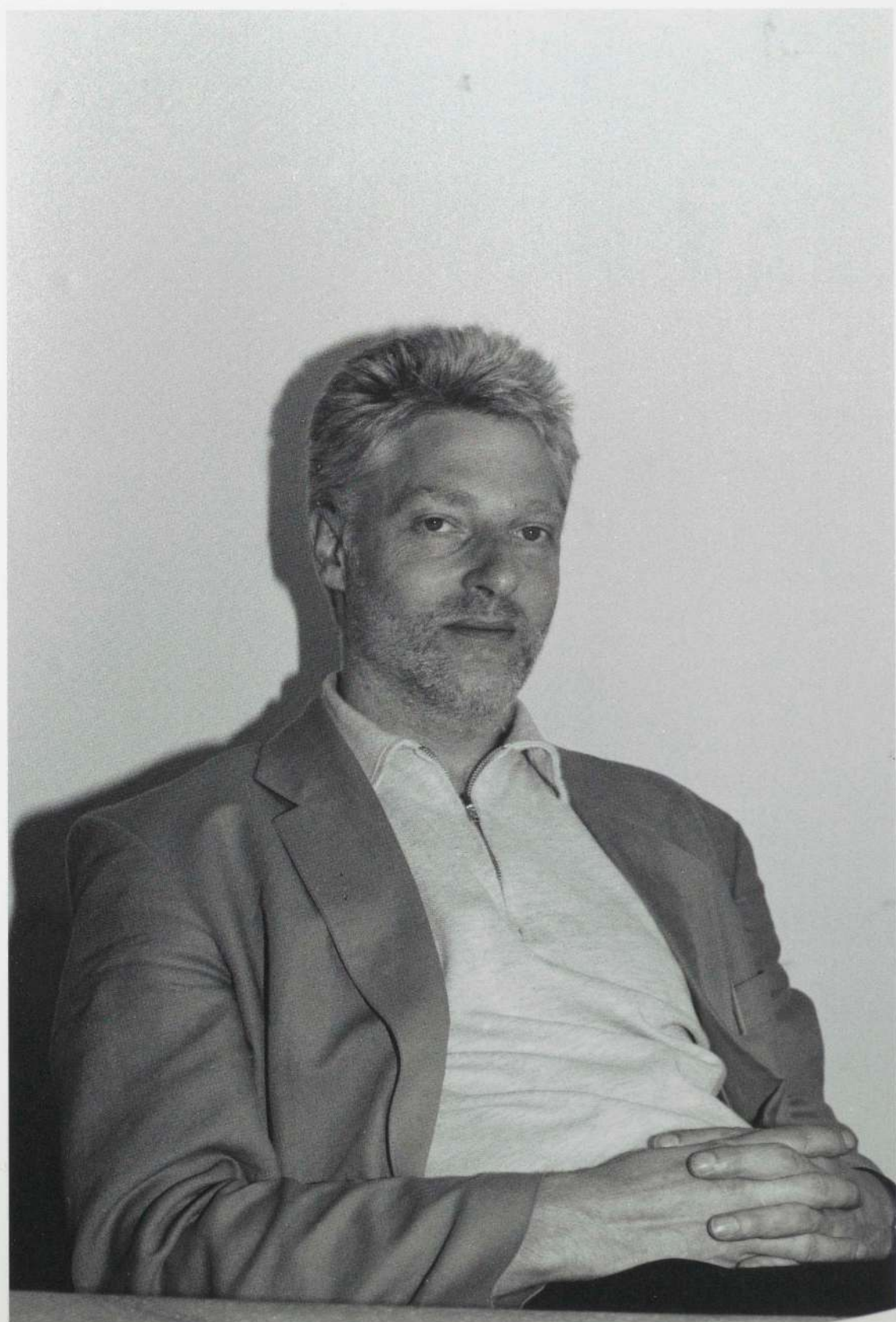




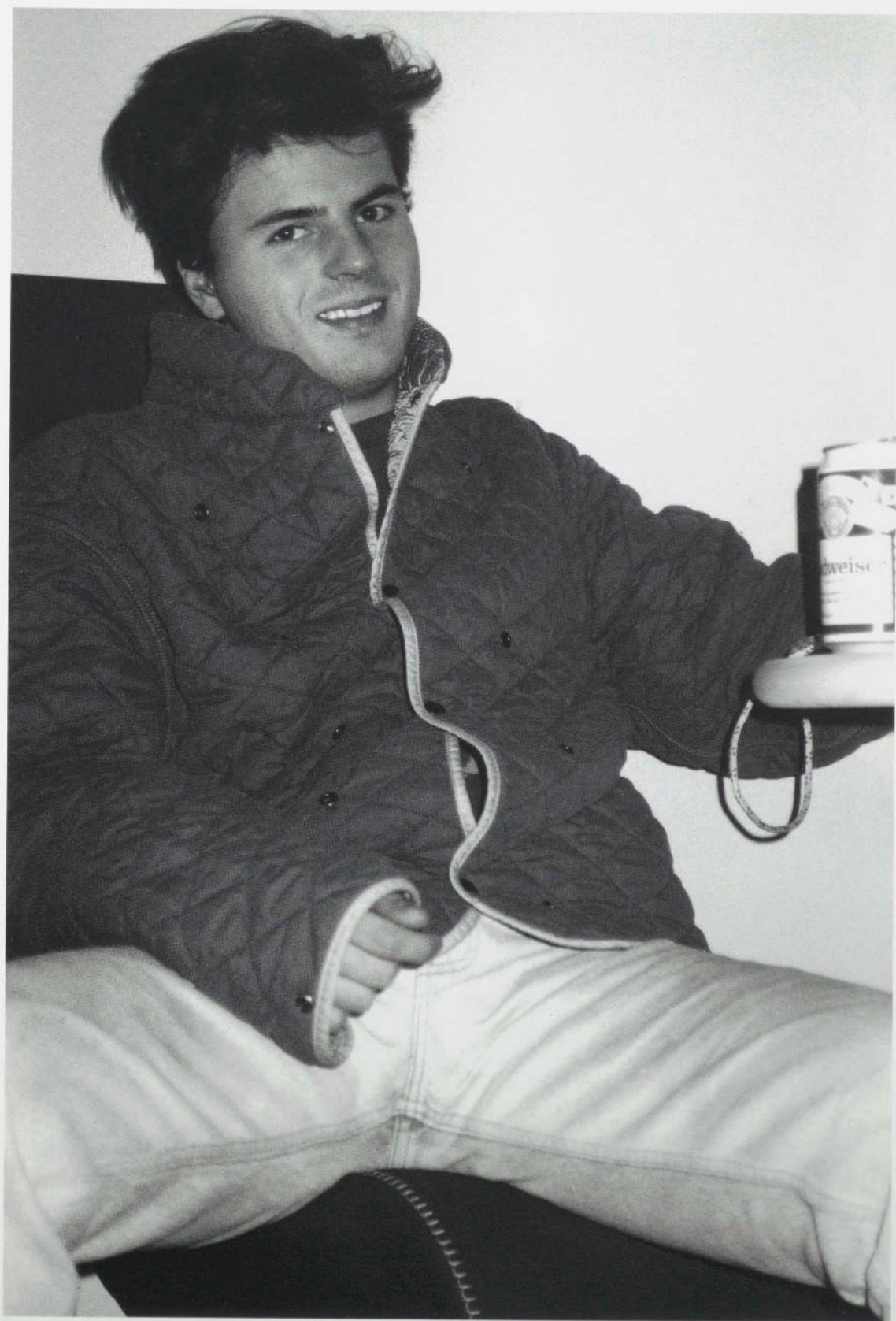
























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