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Origin of JPEG

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First Known Use: 1988

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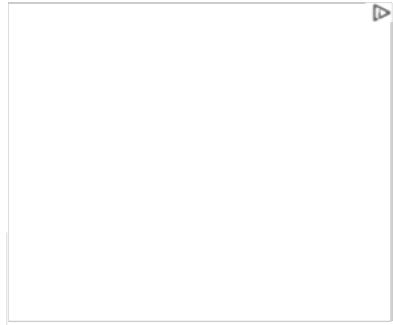
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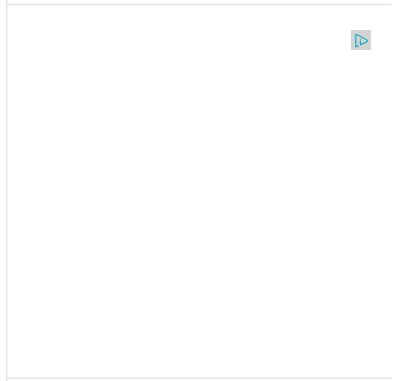
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