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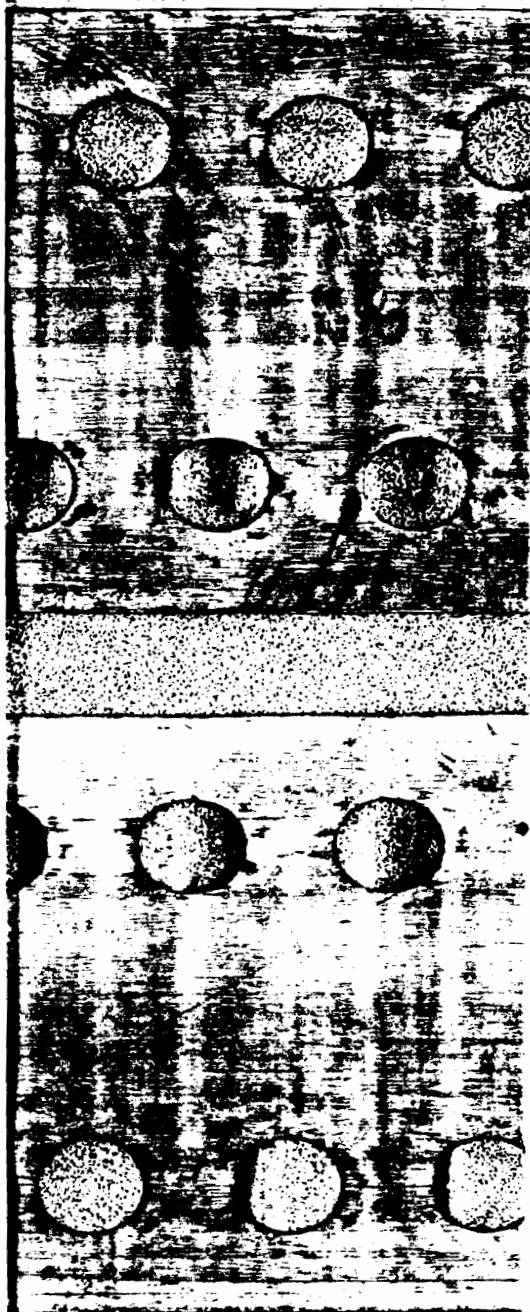
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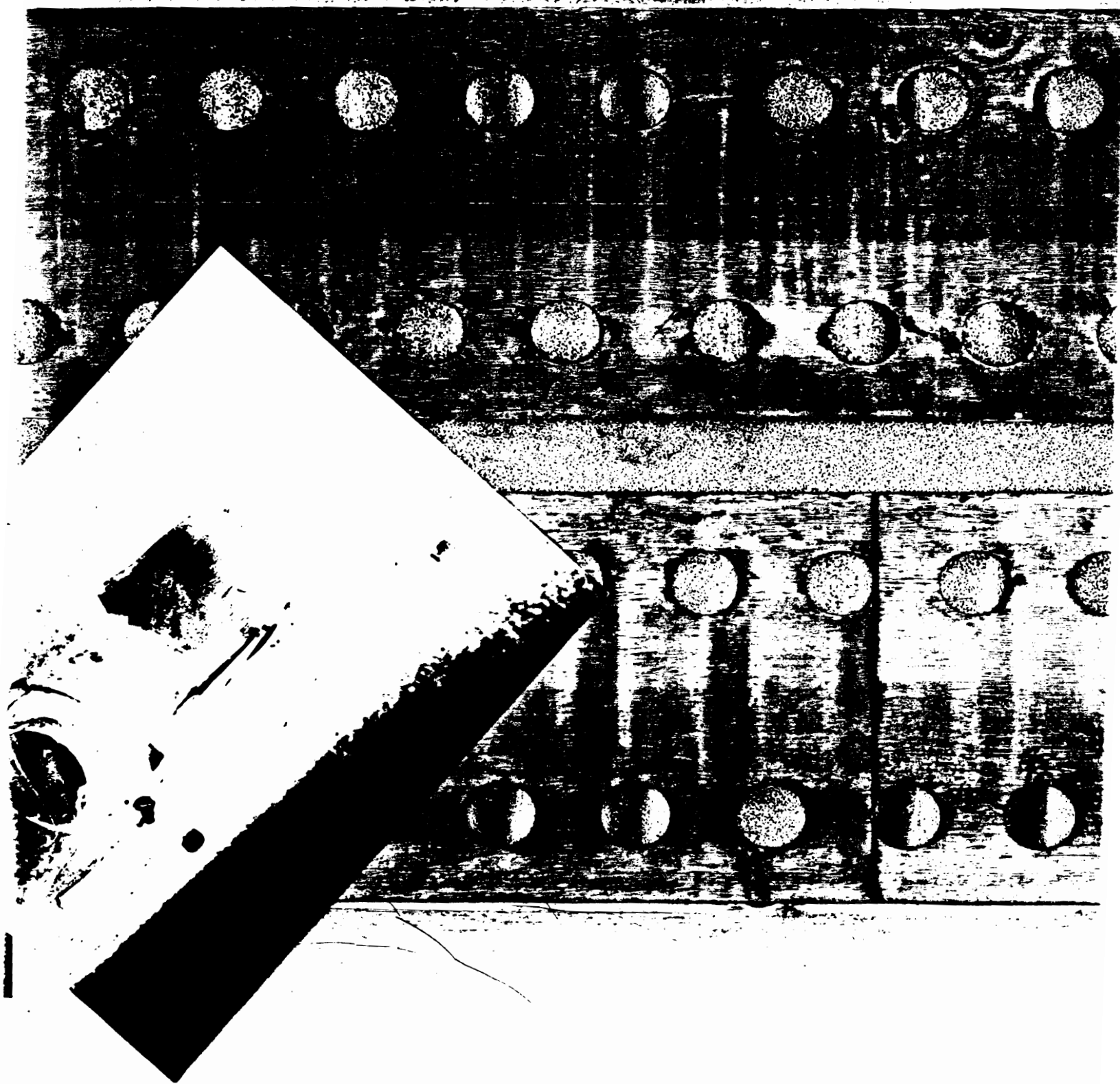
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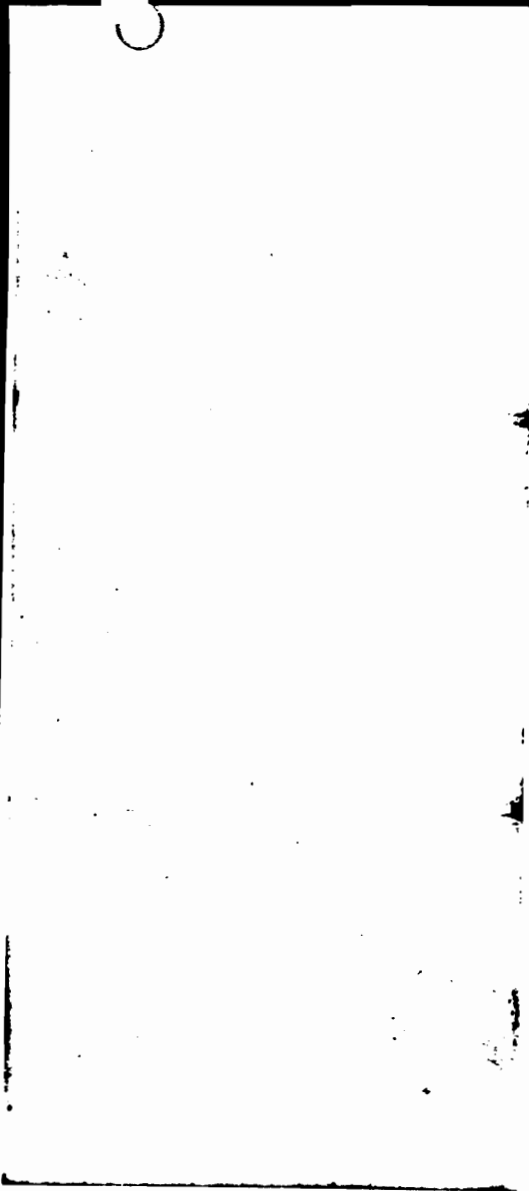
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Date 7/1/54

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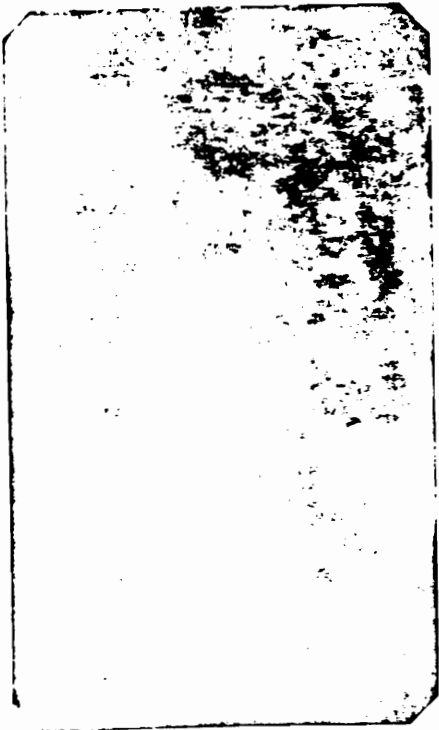




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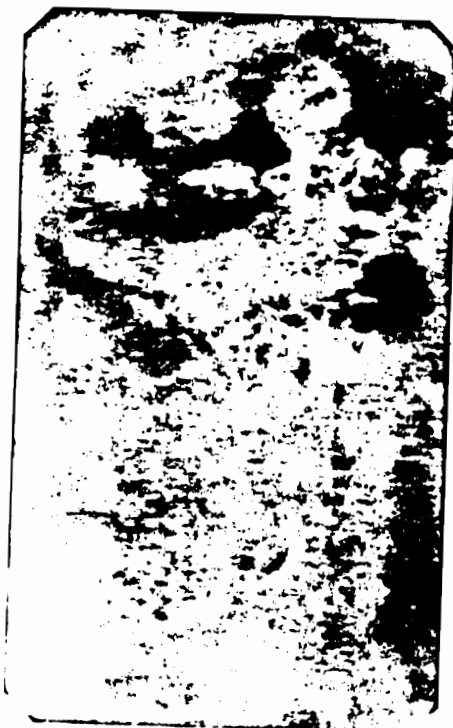
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FOR GOD AND COUNTRY, WE ASSOCIATE OURSELVES TOGETHER FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSES: TO UPHOLD AND DEFEND THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; TO MAINTAIN LAW AND ORDER; TO FOSTER AND PERPETUATE A ONE HUNDRED PER CENT AMERICANISM; TO PRESERVE THE MEMORIES AND INCIDENTS OF OUR ASSOCIATION IN THE GREAT WAR; TO INCUCLATE A SENSE OF INDIVIDUAL OBLIGATION TO THE COMMUNITY, STATE AND NATION; TO COMBAT THE AUTOCRACY OF BOTH THE CLASSES AND THE MASSES; TO MAKE RIGHT THE MASTER OF MIGHT; TO PROMOTE PEACE AND GOOD WILL ON EARTH; TO SAFEGUARD AND TRANSMIT TO FUTUREITY THE PRINCIPLES OF JUSTICE, FREEDOM AND DEMOCRACY; TO CONSECRATE AND SANCTIFY OUR COMRADESHIP BY OUR DEVOTION TO MUTUAL HELPFULNESS.

Payment of \$1.00, the National dues to The American Legion, is hereby acknowledged, 75 cents of which is for yearly subscription to The American Legion Monthly.

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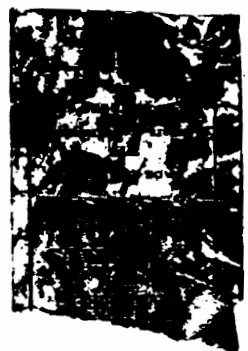
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THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT **E. C. Bremer** AS THE DATE OF ISSUING THIS CARD WAS IN GOOD STANDING IN POST NO. **8** LOCATED AT **St. Paul, Minn.**

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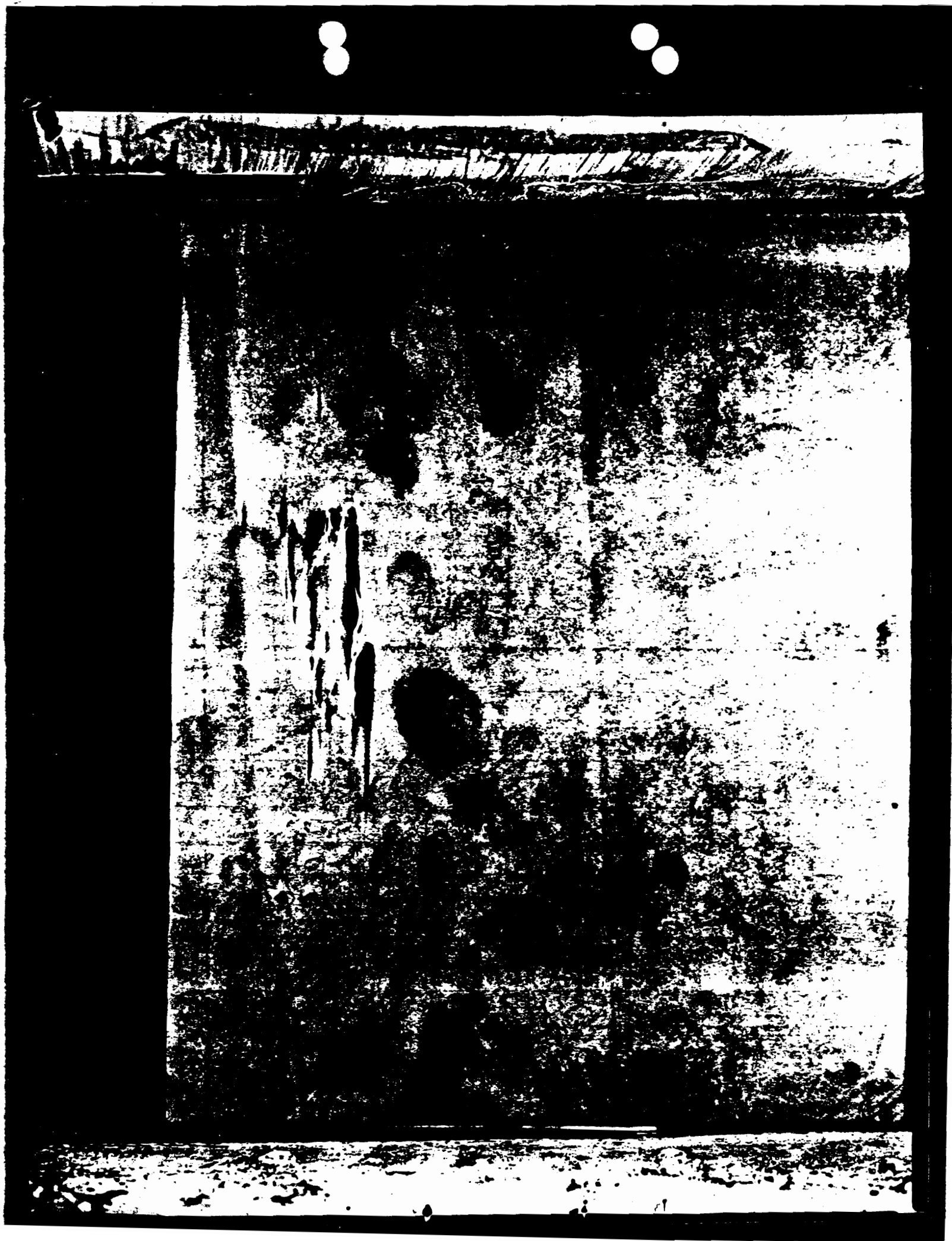
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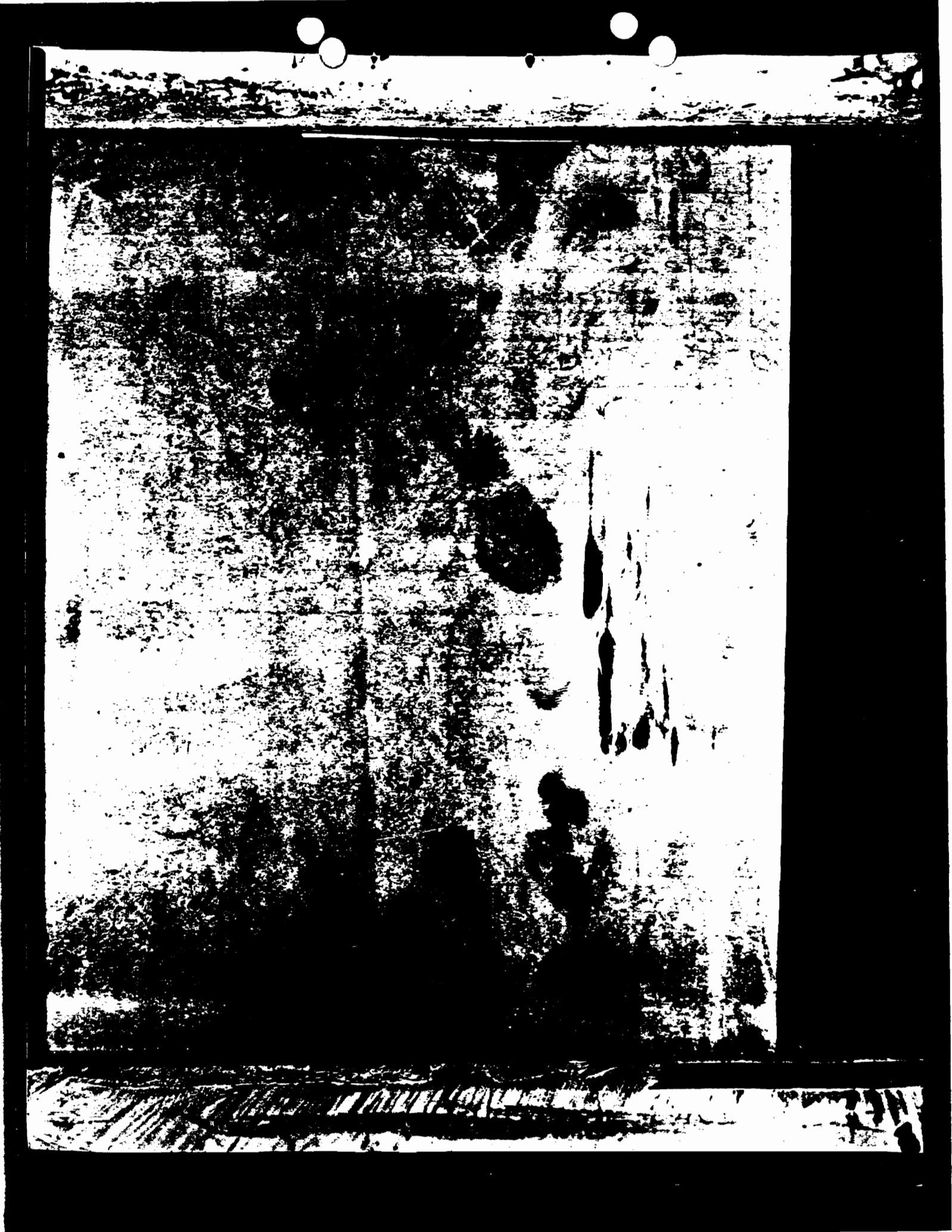
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BREMER'S FINAL APPEAL FOR SON

February 3, 1934.

TO THE EDITOR BREMER AT NEW
AND SOUTHERN A. BREMER.

All day, state and federal authorities have consented to allow me in my own way for a limited time to seek the return of my boy. Most and that I am only interested in the safe return of Edward and if the following suggestions are carried out, I will have no interest in my activity after my son is returned.

By telephone in home and office have been watched; therefore contact in this way is not desirable. I merely mention this to indicate to you how that I am sincere in my desire and efforts to communicate with you from any outside interference.

I realize that I cannot publish my choice in making this contact, but I believe that there is no catch in this effort of mine, I can not but try to work out our negotiations. Edward will have to select himself regardless of where he may be located in the United States. I have Edward write this party a letter in his own handwriting following to the police in the press so that I will know he has read it. Please do not let your letter your instructions to the party that must appear but he will give sufficient time for the instructions to be carried out.

If I have not heard from Edward within three days and three nights, I shall understand that you do not wish to deal with me and I will feel I am released from any obligations as contained in this note.

I give you my word of honor that this contact is made no one except the parties named by you shall have any knowledge of its existence.

Adolf Bremer
Adolf Bremer.



Canada Hogs
At \$10 Under
"Protection"

Selling at Double American

Father Indicates Time Limit Set by Police

IN TEARS AS HE GIVES LAST PLEA

Means Proposed for Making Secret Contact

Adolf Bremer issued an ultimatum to the kidnapers of his son, Edward G. Bremer, last night, giving them three more days in which to contact with him for the release of the wealthy St. Paul banker and hinting that, unless contact is made in that time, he will throw the weight of his position into a man-hunt for them.

Desperate and near collapse after 18 days of vain waiting for word from his son or the abductors, the wealthy St. Paul banker and brewer, who is a close personal friend of President Roosevelt, cried unashamedly as he handed out typewritten copies of his appeal and requested newspaper men to "give it as much prominence as you can."

Limited Time Allowed

City police and federal authorities have given him "a limited time" to attempt to negotiate the release of his son in his own way, Mr. Bremer said.

He warned the kidnapers that his telephones are being watched, and suggested that they have his son write to some friend elsewhere in the United States to make contact. He promised complete secrecy in the dealings, "on my word of honor," and declared, should this suggestion be followed, he "will have no interest in any activity after my son is returned." This was interpreted to mean he would be hands off any search for kidnapers if his son was released. But

MY PEOPLE IN MY DISTRICT ARE WONDERFUL THOUGH POOR AND FEW
IN NUMBER. Please keep this in mind. However, TRUTH IS TRUTH.

There is a great lack of REAL FAITH amongst so many of my people.
Let me give you a PROOF for my assertion. Judge for yourself and SEE
FOR YOURSELF what my REAL DIFFICULTIES are.

A good man but oh, so weak in FAITH, spoke to me the other day. Imagine
his religious mentality!

He actually offered me \$35.00 if I would prove to him that I MYSELF
BELIEVED what I preached and practised. He could not believe in God,
heaven and hell. HE GOES TO CHURCH OCCASIONALLY. He sends his children
to catechism BUT IMAGINE THE EFFECT WHEN THEY COME HOME and hear
their parent talk thus ! HE IS ONLY ONE OF MANY.

They like me as a FRIEND and GOOD FELLOW but don't believe what I say
AS A PRIEST. Church going, regular reception of the Sacraments, regular
Sunday attendance at Mass Sunday for Sunday is to them not TO BE TAKEN
TOO SERIOUSLY. Catholic literature is uninteresting and a waste of
money. At Easter time the church is filled but at other times it is
not necessary.

Whenever I preach I am usually misunderstood and if I preach PLAIN
CATHOLIC DOCTRINE I am telling them something NEW or TOO SIMPLE for
people of OUR AGE.

My children attend ELEVEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS. The teachers are either
Protestants or UNBELIEVERS or weak Catholics whose Catholic training
is very limited.

Read this and SEE FOR YOURSELF HOW MUCH I NEED YOUR ASSISTANCE. How can
I expect to get MASS REQUESTS from people who have such a low OPINION
of the MOST SUBLIME MODE OF HONORING GOD. The vast MAJORITY NEVER JET
in the past two years since I came here, had a SINGLE MASS REQUESTED
from me. CHARITY may help to remedy these conditions and it
will take MANY YEARS and MUCH PATIENCE before I can expect any real
change of mind and heart in these poor people GOOD AS THEY ARE.
Please take this into consideration. Kindly do whatever you can.

Gratefully yours in advance,
Father Fox.

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Birch Creek, Michigan.
P.O. - R # 1, Menominee, Michigan.

Febr. 4/34.

Dear Friends:

~~As yet I am not known to you.~~ Permit me to identify myself. Birch Creek is not on the map. It is about five miles north of Menominee, Michigan.

Before June 1931 it was not mentioned in the Cath. Directory. It had and still has a FIFTY year old frame church, poorly constructed in the simple fashion of those days, by a few pioneers and is serving its purpose quite well. The Mt. Rev. Bishop sent me here two years ago to pasteurize this district. Here is what I found and now have.

I need not tell you about the present hard times. Hard everywhere I found them doubly so when confronted with this task of ORGANIZING this district. I had no rectory and the children of this district to this day attend ELEVEN public schools. This will give you an idea of the size of this district. Imagine my task teaching catechism after school hours in all kinds of weather?

I had \$38.00 to begin with. The poor people right now get \$1.00 for 100 lbs of milk which they must haul to the cheese factory (their only outlet for sale of same) in all kinds of weather. Imagine my task trying to collect funds for BUILDING purposes, necessary repairs etc.?

It is useless to mope over my difficulties. Let me explain to you the aim and purpose of this letter. I DESIRE your CO-OPERATION. You alone know HOW you can assist me. I can only SUGGEST various ways to you.

In a district like this MASS REQUESTS are scarce AT ALL TIMES. In these hard times it is still worse. I WOULD CERTAINLY BE PLEASED TO RECEIVE WHATEVER NUMBER OF REQUESTS YOU CAN AFFORD TO SEND TO ME. I can assure you that they will receive my prompt attention.

Things useful for church and sanctuary are most welcome as also books, magazines and religious articles. Should you know of anyone able to send useful articles of CLOTHING, please tell them to forward whatever they can spare. Helping poor people that way goes FAR towards reaching their hearts and making church going a pleasure to them. YOU WOULD BE SURPRISED TO SEE THE NUMBER OF HABITUAL MASS * MISSEES in this district. Inclosed please find a handy shipping label and address sticker. Wishing you and yours God's choicest blessings for the NEW YEAR and hoping to hear from you soon I sincerely am

Gratefully yours in advance,
Father Charles Fox,
(Address) - R # 1, MENOMINEE, Michigan.



REV. CHARLES FOX
ROUTE #1
MENOMINEE, MICH.

Mr. Adolph Bremer Pres.
Bremer Brewing Co.,
St. Paul
Minnesota.

Personal.

REV. CHARLES FOX
ROUTE 1
MENOMINEE, MICH.

Febr. 2nd, 1934

Mr. Adolph Bremer,
St. Paul, Minnesota.

My dear Mr. Bremer:-

Am much interested in your sad family affairs. Sure is terrible and you deserve much sympathy.

Society sure is terribly upset and the whole world is topsy turvy.

When someone ask Pope Pius XI what remedy he could think of to change these terrible social upheavals he answered by saying:- You must pray and pray and continue praying unceasingly.

May I suggest that you do. Only help from above can bring relief. Men's hearts must be changed.

REV. CHARLES FOX
ROUTE 1
MENOMINEE, MICH.

Whether you consider my inclosed letter or not I will try to assist you with prayer.

I confess that I am somewhat selfish but not for myself. It's my work that I am interested in.

May I suggest that you make a promise to assist God's work and thereby move Him to assist you likewise in bringing about a happy solution of your terrible difficulties. Again, permit me to assist you with my prayers. Hoping that you will not suffer too seriously from this terrible shock I remain

sincerely yours,
Father Fox

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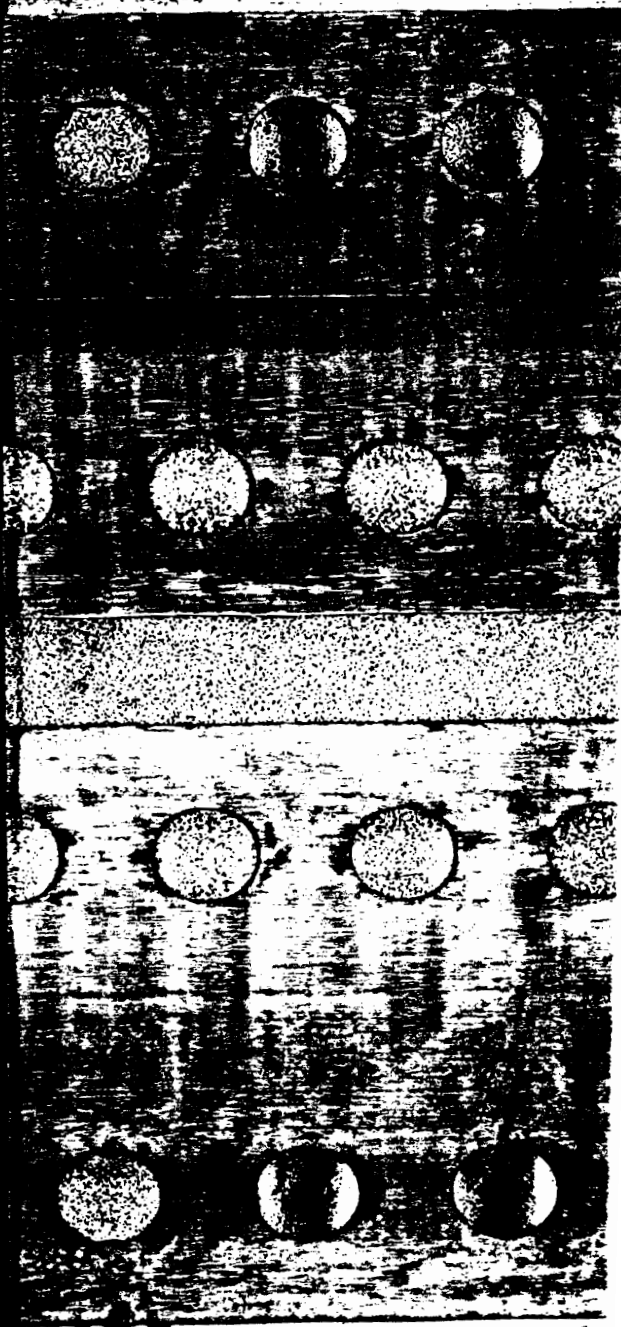
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Dear Sid.

When I got to Des Moines Iowa I called up north & they said they wanted to see me also. wired me money. The wife is waiting for me in Wis? The farm strike is on here now and no selling in this section at all so Pete wrote Jack, he got to S.P. all right & Jack is not going to stay there but is going to meet me in Madison Wis? and work for me on that job. I am going to raise about \$90.00 here from Pete I'll send you half of it so you can settle up some of the things and then meet me in Wis? as I am going to Minneapolis Wednesday to get this money which is in a grain storage so there also to pick up an old Ford I can get one there for \$26.00 good enough to get me south. Things are plenty bad here now. plenty of trouble among the farmers. I did not like the way Wentz (George) did he does not want to sell unless he gets all just like the rest & he wanted a car. you know how it was. Well I'm going on that big cattle truck from Barrett tomorrow he is hauling a load of tile (clay) to the city from the Benson tile Co. Plant. I have had a tough time and got rotten treatment here when I came back, plain Hell, and I don't blame the wife for not staying here wey one here raised Hell with me. Well Sid I'm going to do all I can and send you what I can raise but we must get that job started in Wis? I'll write you as soon as I get there & let you know where to come as it is a new theatre in a small town near Madison & I don't know yet where we will stay. Don't bother about the Soilaxe Co. Sid we'll have to sit it all ride for a few months and get that other work done. I don't want to handle any thing else till

WALTER MOGEE OF PAYOFF MAN



Chas. McGee

If you can wait O K. with us. You people shot a lot of curves trying to get somebody killed then the copper's will be heroes but Eddie will be the martyr. The copper's think that's great but Eddie don't.

Were done taking the draws and you can go fuck yourself now. From now on you make the contact. Better not try it till you pull off every copper, newspaper, and radio station. From now on you get the silent treatment until you reach us some way yourself. Better not wait too long.

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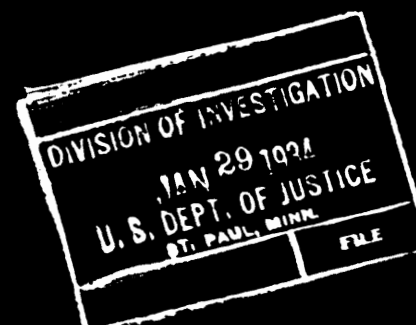
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Mr. C. H. Vail,
Chief of Bureau of Investigation
U. S. Department of Justice
Kansas City, Mo.



Dear Sir:

(In explanation of the enclosed letter)

Roy O. White (author of letter) came to Springfield, Mo. in the winter of late 32 or early 33. I became acquainted with him and, borrowed money, which, we used to establish the above business. (the business is now defunct)

Upon Whites insistence that, his wife owned a large share of her brothers farm, near Parret, Minnesota. I borrowed more money and, took he and his family to Parret, for the purpose of converting Mrs. Whites share of the farm into cash, to finance the business.

After remaining a few days with the relatives, White suggested that, he and I return to Kansas City, and sell some hand painted menu boards, while his wife was selling her property.

In Kansas City, I left White and, returned to Springfield, to look after the business which was in bad shape and, within a few days, on May 19th. I received the enclosed letter from White. Thus ended my connection with White.

In case White proves to be your man, I will furnish as much information as possible. White has two brother in-laws residing on farms about 9 miles from Parret, Minnesota. one Pete Kohn and Andrew Kohn. White also has a very good friend at Baron, Wisconsin. by the name of Ray Higgenmeister.

White while in Springfield, preached several sermons and, seemed to be quite an evangelist around Parret, which may account for the kidnaper message being written on the Union City Mission, letter head.

White is about 40 yrs. of age, is about 5ft.7" tall weight about 135 lbs. is rather wide between the eyes and, has a tremendous crop of brown hair, will probably be dressed in high top boots and olive drab riding pants.

Wishing You luck

Yours Truly

S. M. Weed 1/26 1934

KANSAS CITY, MO.	
DIVISION OF INVESTIGATION	
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	
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I'm sorry
but I felt you were the old slandy. Around
Emily & Pat that I'm alright. I knew
you would use your head & work on this
all alone - no police. The people that have
me have given the impression that you are
not working alone. Walter please do. I
know you will for me. I've been told
that the reason the first plan was not gone
through with was because you were working
with the police. Again I say please work
all alone & I'm sure everything will
come out alright. Be sure not - no
strings attached. You & you alone. These
people are going to give you a real plan
Work according to their directions - &
again I say - alone - no police - just
you.

Edward
L. J. Bremer

TO THE PAYOFF MAN

From here on you are to assume the name of John B. Drakeham

Take the money and get on the Bus leaving this station at
8.40 pm. tonight for Des Moines

Dont travel any other way but on this BUS

Register at Fort Des Moines hotel under above name.

If your planning a double cross DONT GO ANY FURTHER.

REMEMBER THIS IS THE LAST CHANCE FOR A PAYOFF.

IF THERE ARE COPPERS TAILING YOU DONT GO.

Mr. Chas. McGee or payoff man

I have named you as payoff man. You are responsible for my
safety. I am responsible for the full amount of the money

Ed. Bremer

Chas McGee or Honest Adolpa

The coppers jimmed the last payoff. Maybe you was in on it maybe not. Well know for sure next time. So we give you the benefit of doubt. We got a way to find out this time so we give you one more rattle.

No more assurance though that hes alive till we are assured that we get the dough. If we accept the dough you get him back alive. Thieves are not so foxy as bankers but theyr usually more honorable.

This is just a notice that you get one more note thats all.
Get the dough ready stay ready at all time and go through without the coppers or suffer the results.

Keep the money somewhere besides the bank so you wont be followed when you go to payoff.

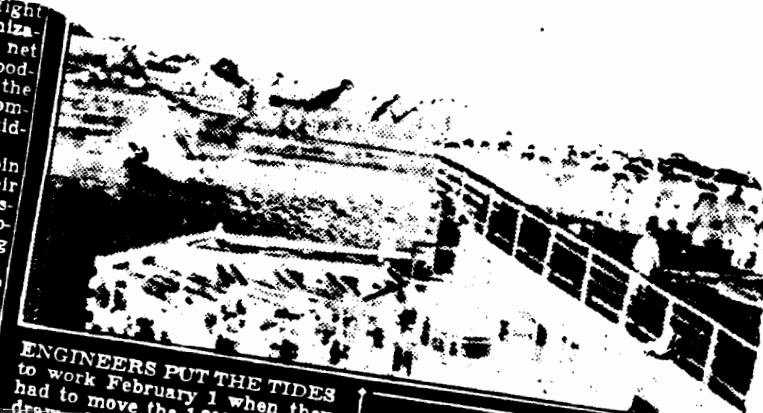
You will hear soon but you must be ready to leave at once.
ITS THIS TIME OR NEVER.

townships on the fight
me at the final organiza-
about the lake. Each bay and wood-
land stretch is now covered by the
citizens' protection vigilantes com-
mittee against hideouts and kid-
napers' strongholds.
Sheriff John Wall of Hennepin
county joined the vigilantes in their
fight to keep the Minnetonka dis-
trict "clean" and pledged his sup-
port and leadership to any policing
that is necessary.

"My office record shows that no
complaints have come from the
Minnetonka district for several
months," Sheriff Wall said. "Never-
theless, we all realize that the
quiet woodland surrounding the lake
affords hideaways for kidnapers
and bandits. I heartily pledge my
support to the vigilantes movement
and offer all the services of my of-
fice to the men who have set out
to keep Minnetonka clean."
The campaign was put under way
when reports were received by the
police departments of the lakeside
townships that gangsters were look-
ing with favor upon the quiet, peace-
ful Minnetonka district as a haven.
Determined that no unlawful citi-
zens should make their homes
around the lake, police chiefs and
mayors of the towns set out to or-
ganize a vigilante committee.
At the final organization meeting
at which the new groups added
their support to the others and
Sheriff John Wall pledged his lead-
ership, the speakers were A. S.
Brazman, Mound, and Mayors F. O.
Stout of Excelsior, J. L. Middleton
of Deephaven, W. L. Dicky of Way-
zata, and C. K. Skreen of Island
Park.

Divorced Wife Aids Arson Defendant

A divorced wife took the stand
in defense of her former husband
in the arson trial before District
Judge W. W. Bardwell and dis-
played nearly \$1,000 worth of dia-
monds to the jury.
Mrs. Helen Coss appeared at the
trial of Fred Coss, charged with
setting fire to a store and residence
at 4401 Twenty-eighth avenue S.,
last October. She is also under in-
dictment as is Albin Johnson, a
roomer at the Coss residence. All
three lived at the address.
In support of her contention that
there was property in the building
far in excess of the amount of in-
surance on it, Mrs. Coss displayed
diamonds she claimed were in
apartment at the time of the fire.
She denied any knowledge as to
Johnson who might have set
the fire. Marshals said holes
were found in the walls and
ceiling of the building.



ENGINEERS PUT THE TIDES
to work February 1 when they
had to move the 1,200,000-pound
draw of the Fore River bridge,
south of Boston, 400 feet up-
stream to a new location. At
low tide, scows were placed be-
neath the heavy steel structure.
Then, as the ocean tide rose
high in the river, the draw was
lifted clear of its supports so
that it could be floated to its
new location and lowered into
place on the ebbing tide.

Kidnapers Given 3-Day Ultimatum

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give this all the prominence you
can."
He wiped the tears from his eyes
with a handkerchief, then added—
"We've got to get Eddie back."
Again the tears streamed down
his face, and he turned his back to
the reporters, as though overcome.
His brother, Otto Bremer, put his
arm around the father's back and
led him out of the room.

Father's Message to Kidnapers

The statement, signed in Mr.
Bremer's handwriting, reads in full:
"To the parties holding my son
and to Edward G. Bremer:
"All city, state and federal author-
ities have consented to allow me in
my own way for a limited time to
seek the return of my boy."
"First and last I am only inter-
ested in safe return of Edward and
carried out I will have no interests
in any activity after my son is re-
turned."
"My telephones in home and of-
fice have been watched; therefore
contact in this way is not desirable.
I merely mention this to indicate
to you men that I am sincere in
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erance."

Admiral Reeves



Chief of U.S. Fleet Named

Admiral J. M. Reeves to Suc-
ceed Sellers, Who Goes
to Academy

By United Press
Washington, Feb. 3.—Admiral Jo-
seph M. Reeves, commander of the
battle force, was slated today to suc-
ceed Admiral David Foote Sellers as
commander-in-chief of the United
States fleet.
Involving 25 ad-

I don't love anyone - I'll
hold you both in my
arms for as long as that is
all that I want in this world
- both of you -

Yours ever
Waddy

the full work of a century has been
the knowledge of the things
of the world. The things of the
world are the things of the
world.

I told the boys that you
were a member of our cordial
group and that they would not
be in any way
absolutely nothing
is that

They also told me that they

Now for I am absolutely
relying on what you said in the
paper. I know that you mean
every word of it and will stick
by your word. I am as well
as can be expected & am
assured by the boys that I
will be returned safe as soon
as you have paid off.

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The waves to you a letter
to the heart of the
of your heart, day and night
I am as lonely heart, I
it. I never know I could miss
you so much. I can't
see and waiting for you to come
back - my dear - Don't lose
courage. I'll be back with
you before long & will never be
apart again. I'm at a loss
what to say - if I could only
express my feelings you could
understand
My dear pray hard

My Dear Lil;

As my old stand by
I am calling on you to do something
for me - that it seems no one else
can do, I must get this ~~document~~
letter to my father - unopened -
I know if I entrust it in your
care it will be done. I suppose
you know that my father has
made a special appeal to every body
police & government officers included
to lay off for three days so that
he can make his own arrangements
to get me back, Now the next thing
is - is to get the motion house
him - I guess old pol will not

has made an official appeal to
~~everyone~~ to not interfere a bit
with my being returned
alone.

It is therefore necessary that
some one take this letter to him,
someone whose coming to see him
will not create any suspicion.
I could think of no one better
than you.

I have taken this letter to
my father at once. I may be
asking a lot but it means so
much to me. Go to the house as
you usually do. to pay him a
visit but don't let on to

anyone that you have this
letter. Don't give him the letter
when anyone else is present
you can make the opportunity so
that you are alone with him.

Thank you for your
kindness in doing this for
me & may God speed you
on your way

Ever Affectionately
Edward Bremer

When you take it down
about it. If anyone stops you
to ask you what you want
tell them you have some bank
matters to take up with him
or anything else you want to tell
them but don't let on about
this letter. When you get to
see my father be sure you
are alone with him when
you give him the letter.

Knows you won't do
you'll do just as I ask
you to. We always did understand
each other.

I'm a living hell to
the time I'm here - here seems
like ages. I have to go back
to I'm around I'll be home
soon - I have many things
conf. I always

My Dear Father Dear;

I am calling on you
to represent a line of goods
to something for me. I know
he is smart - every bit as much
as a superior business man
circumstances surrounding
you. Enclosed herewith is a
letter concerning to my father
This letter is to be returned
kindly - and I am sure you
the privilege of looking at it
in the most confidential
manner.

It is to be used in my
to read the paper and paper
have heard in that way.

Tom Skelly, brother to Cliff, Alias T.R.O'Neil, Golden Valley,
Hyland 1268. Leading gangster in N.Y. Protected by locals.
Property-check relatives. and banks. Check Morton, d.s.

Frank Blake,
Dept of Justice,
St. Paul, Minnesota

THIS IS THE MAIL FOR
WHICH YOU SENT POSTAGE

Note No. 2 Jan. 22, 1934

Adolph Bremer
St. Paul, Minn.

When all the cons are thru Eddie can be returned safe less 3 stamps every
Save him S.P. paper yesterday. All of you All depends on you. Think Edgar crossed
us up. If Federals or Dicks told about this letter all is cold. Papers say
Feds. standing by-- you to many. The last says like bees, women, men workers,
messengers and even Priests and Buns in Twin Cities they scare us. Minn. Look
fraid to see you with note from E. This letter will be released

by central
telegram same day from St. Louis, Chicago and Minneapolis unless look is afraid
to reply Note #1 to E except Dicks hunt in Minn. and St. Louis, looks are fruid of
your friends. NO Grand is gone.. If you believe in us send 1/20 an even 20
Grand in old bills also 3 unregistered by you, bank or friends. Wrap postage
in light brown paper, mark as follows 2-1/2 lbs. Value 20.00 send by express
dont register, insure or in any way mark to cause any body to know. Express to
C.S. Minn from B. Hall at St Paul no other marks except place to ship which
will be Railway Express at #1 St. Louis Mo. 18th Street or #1 Chicago in Suite
8th or #1 Minneapolis. Take receipt and one day keep the copy as if Feds.
are in the know we will not call and you can get back the Jack and keep it until
better faith, if any. Mail original receipt to C. S. Minn at Rissell Hotel Minn
or C. S. Minn Jefferson Hotel St. Louis Mo. or C.S. Minn Stevens Hotel Chicago
Eddie says ok no hurry we not hurry but want to bring him back, depends on you
You will have to trust us some and we will have to trust you a little. All notes
numbered but not telegrams. Dicks send 20 Grand unless C.S. Minn telegraphs you
for so many cases of beer the number of cases will be the number of the town
(see above) to send the postage of Jack, the name of the hotel to send the
receipt to will be in the body of the telegram. If this is completed ok
and money is ok we know you are square and will advise you and three fire men
not dicks to come to a town for a talk town and hotel in a telegram to you
where you will register as A.B. Walff G.D. Walff I I Walff L.L. Walff the last three
to be your friends bring no Dicks or Feds. Bring no Jack there we will have plant
proof Eddie. Did you get Note #1 with E's signature.
If you get these letters (copies) please on last want add page in papers
of towns you get letters from this bound in (OK America will send pin money. 2.4
follow this by initial of towns you or town you receive copies this letter
from. Add to be Placed in Minneapolis Tribune, St Louis Globe Democrat
and Chicago Tribune only & towns letters come from.
C.S. Minn.



Schmidt Brewing Company

St. Paul,

Minn.

Personal Attention
REQUIRED.

ADER AND PRESS

'ACCIDENTALLY KILLED'

Union City Mission

HENRY AVENUE & SECOND ST
MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.



To a federal officer
Dear Sir

Very sorry, but
Ed. Bremer is now resting
in Peace. - Was by accident
bumped off - body near
Anoka, Minn. will not be found
until after snow goes - Contact
all off - please forgive us -
all a mistake by one of our
gang been drunk. Please tell
Walter Magee - St Paul.

31.)

One of the gang.

Chas. McGee or Payoff Man (John B. Brakeenham)

We now cancel previous instructions

Follow these new instructions

Take the money and get off this Bus at the next town called Owatonna.

About 50 foot west of where this bus stops at the station you will find a 1933 Chevrolet coupe

The car is black and has a black tire cover with a round white spot painted in the center of the tire

Place the money in this car and get into it at once

Your next instructions are on the steering post of the car

Mr. Chas McGee (John B. Brakeenham)

I have named you as payoff man. You are responsible for my safety. I am responsible for the full amount of the money.

John B. Brakeenham

RECEIVED
MPLS. POLICE DEPT.
JAN 27 1934
CHIEF'S OFFICE

To
Chief of Police

Mr. [unclear]
Jan 26 1934

DIVISION OF INVESTIGATION
JAN 27 1934
U.S. DEPT. OF JUSTICE
ST. PAUL, MINN.
FILE

conversation between two
men that leaves no doubt
in my mind that they
are directly implicated in
the abduction of Mr. Bremer.
There were four men present
but only two did the talking.
I am sure three of these men
are strangers in town. The
local man means is the one
whom they called [unclear] and the
only other name I heard mentioned
was Smithy. This conversation
took place in a [unclear] hotel
in [unclear]. They talked of
driving the car out of town
over

as in many the no
also they they were
knowing it. They had
been thinking they were
of sweating it. Hot spots
in March after the
was made. But they were
to be the leader said it was
to change any money in to one
or get seats with they get to
a spot. I don't know who they
went by then.

You could get
your the address by
addressing them. I
heard much more but this
information would be of any
use as they probably would deny
it.

Without a question
of doubt the man I heard of was
the man you want.

A. Wilson



Schmidt Brewing Company

St. Paul,

Minn.

Personal Attention
Required.

Col. H. Bremer
St. Paul, Minn.

Photo No. 2 Jan. 25, 1934.

When all the cons are thru Eddie can be returned safe less 5 stones worry
Gave him C.P. pay r yesterday. All, yes All depends on you. Think Macos crossed
us up. If Federals or Dicks told about this letter all is cold. Papers say
Feds. standing by— yes to many. The Leak says like bees, women, men workers,
messengers and even Priests and Buns in Twin Cities they scare us. Minn. Look
frail to see you with note from E. This letter will be released by control

telegraph once day from St. Louis, Chicago and Minneapolis unless Leak is afraid
He reply Note #1 to E except Dicks hunt in Minn. and St. Louis. Looks are frail of
your friends. 200 Grand is gone.. If you believe in us send 1/10 an even 20
Grand in old bills size 8 unregistered by you, bank or friends. Wrap package
in light brown paper, mark as follows 2-1/2 lbs. Value 10.00 send by express
dont register, insure or in any way mark to cause any body to know. Express to
C.S. Minn from B. Wells at St Paul no other marks except place to ship which
will be Railway Express at 21 St. Louis Mo. 16th Street or at Chicago La Salle
Sts or at Minneapolis. Take receipt and one copy keep the copy as if Feds.
are in the know we will not call and you can get back the Jack and keep it until
better faith, if any. Fall original receipt to C. S. Minn at Nicolet Hotel Minn.
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where you will register as A.B. Wolff C.D. Wolff I I Wolff L.L. Wolff the last three
be to your friends bring no Dicks or Feds. Bring no Jack there we will have plenty
proof Add. Did you get Note #1 with E signature.
If you get these letters (copies) place on last want add page in papers
of towns you get letters from this boxed in (OK American Hill send pin money. B.A.
follow this by initial of towns you or town you receive copies this letter
from. Addie to be placed in Minneapolis Tribune, St Louis Globe Democrat
and Chicago Tribune only & towns letters come from.
C. Minn.

Adolph Brener.

We are now dealing with you as you requested.

We don't care nothing about you 70 hours case.

To get the cash.

Tonight is the last chance we take.

You must follow these instructions to the letter
\$500,000.00 in the name of your bank.

Here are the first part of directions

THE PAYOFF MAN MUST GO ALONE.

At 8:00 PM SHARP TONIGHT THE PAYOFF MAN MUST BE AT
969 UNIVERSITY AVENUE WITH THE MONEY

ON THE STREET IN FRONT OF THIS ADDRESS HE WILL FIND
A BLACK CHEVROLET COUPE WITH SHELL GAS SIGNS ON THE
DOORS AND TIRE COVER.

The KEYS FOR CAR AND FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS ARE IN THE
DRESS ROOM OF THE CAR.

BEHOLD INSTRUCTIONS, GET IN THE CAR AND DRIVE TO INSTRUCTED
AREA. INSTRUCTIONS ARE SIMPLE, BUT MUST BE FOLLOWED EXACTLY
IF YOU EVER WANT TO SEE ME AGAIN.

PLEASE DO NOT TALK TO ANYONE AT THIS ADDRESS
AND DO NOT LET ANYONE INTO THE BUILDING

AS we WATCH YOU HAVE PLENTY OF TIME

BY CHAS McGEE or ADOLPH BREMER.

I have named you as payoff man. You are responsible for
my safety. I am responsible for the money.

Adolph Brener

St Paul Sep. 24 1932.

Dear Judge

If you will take care for your self or your family. you will go easy and not convict them Minneapolis boys that handled that money from Mose Barnett and Bates. We will take good care of you and your family if them boys dont get free. And we are going to take good care of Sheeney Wolke for the squawking he done, dont worry about that he is going to git the 1 way ride pretty soon so he will never blat again any more.

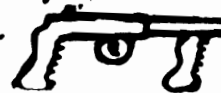
Your turn is next if you dont turn them boys loose we will turn on the heat for you and your hell dumb family and we dont mean maybe. If you dont want a machine gun pitcher tattoo on your hide just remember our warning and let them boys loose in a hurry because we aint going to wait long to do our stuff judge.

Remember the Minneapolis police chief can tell you them boys is all right and just gamblers and bootleggers that is good friends of his and wouldnt mess up in any kidnaper job while they is good easy money around here without going out of town and taking chances on the big house.

Now remember we mean killing if you dont leave them go because enough of us is out to raise plenty hell if you dont.

1 of the mob

Remember judge



Federal Judge Edgar S. Vaught

Oklahoma City,

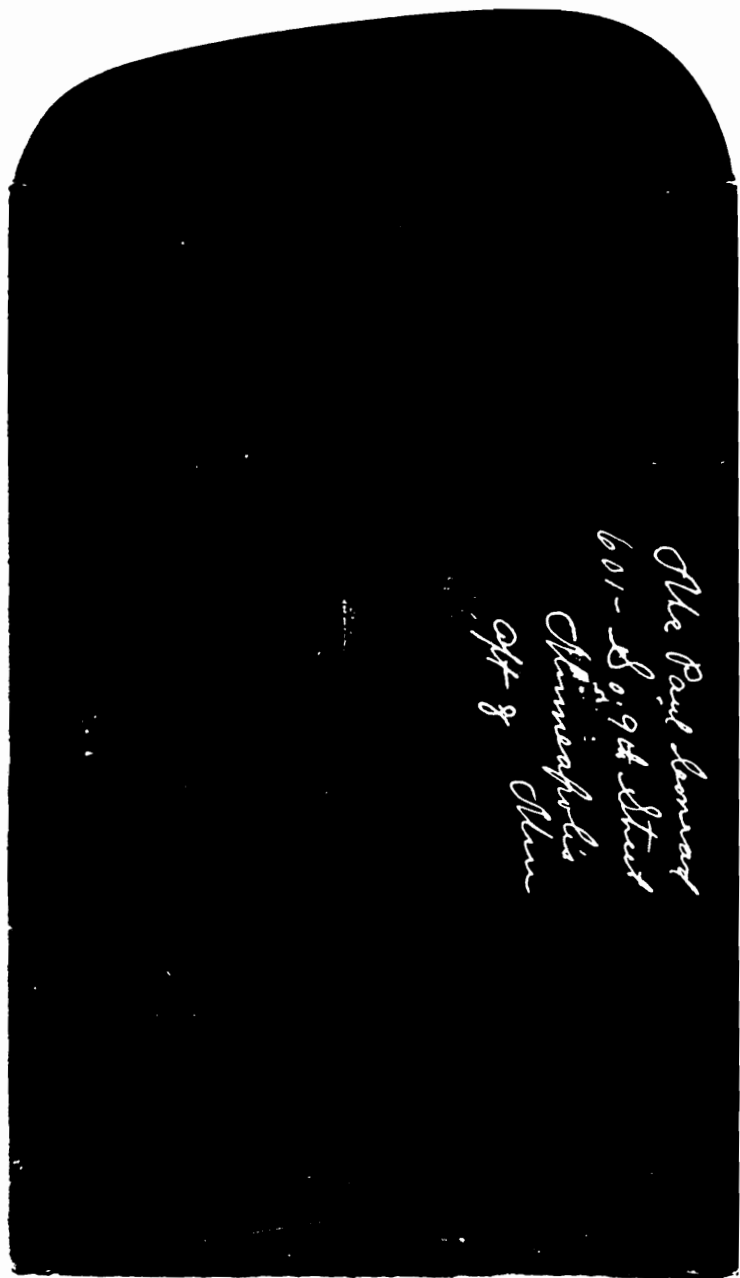
Oklahoma.



Miss Alice Leonard
c/o Mrs Carlo Moratti
54 West 36 Street
New York
City.

Ed. Carey, Jr.

[The body of the letter is mostly illegible due to heavy black redaction. Faint, mirrored handwriting is visible through the paper.]



Mrs. Paul Leonard
601 - 2094 Street
Chicopee Falls
Oct 8 Alton

more a bout the
Well Alice now
some of the letters
you I hope you are
one I send yesterday
Oak Hotel I send
postage on it so
without fail.
I went up to the
to see how ever it
found everything
work is a little
but she makes the
would not have
I was there the day
a cup of coffee
full to the top
out of it.

more about them.

Well Alice now I hope you have gotten
some of the letters I have written to
you I hope you will at least get the
one I sent yesterday from the Frances
Crane Hotel I saw put enough
postage on it so you should get it
without fail.

I went up to the Daugherty's house
to see how everything was there I
found everything just fine but the
work is a little too much for Margaret
but she makes the boy do dishes and I
would not have any coffee while
I was there Mr Daugherty me to have
a cup of coffee but I told him I was
full to the top so that way I got
out of it.

I suppose the robins are singing
on the lawn by now in New
York for the weather is just
wonderful her more and more
Robins are singing to me
these birds.

Dad and I are going to
this afternoon it was to see
stay in.

Well I am a little money but
little beggers help little beggers
I found a dime in the gutter
when I was walking that I
didn't know where it came
to so in it went.

it looks as it might rain

4. A M

so must finish this so dad can
take it with him love mother

Dear Sir:

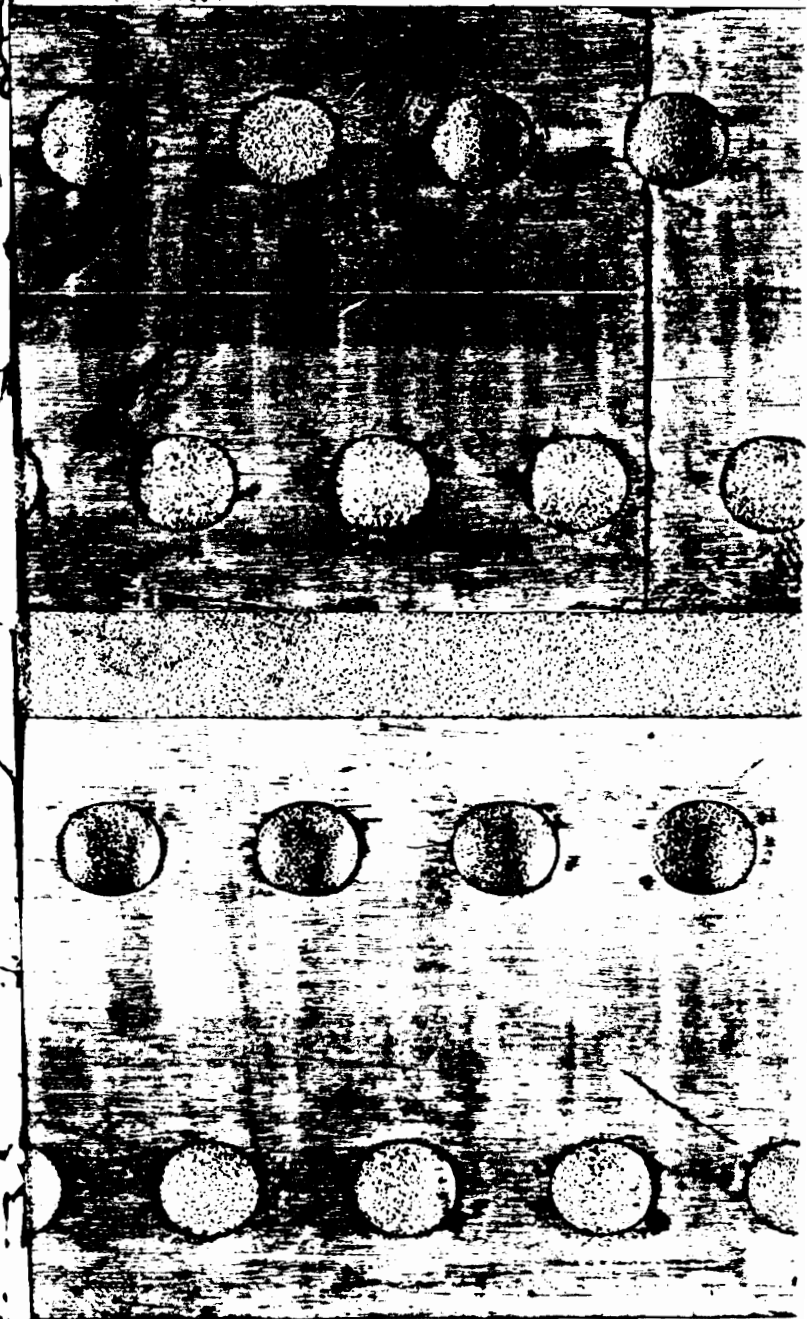
Give your Nephew \$8000.00, securely wrapped in heavy paper, and have him take either your Pierce Arrow, or Packard #20, and drive to Saint Louis Missouri.

He must leave St. Louis, on Highway #40, so he can arrive in St. Charles, Missouri, at six P. M. Wednesday Afternoon Feb. 3d.

Leave St. Charles, at five minutes past six o'clock, on highway #40 going through Solumbia to Kansas City, When he sees lights flashed ten times stop car, and, set package on pavement and continue at least ten miles ahead, If He is not stopped, have him turn around at City limits of Kansas City and drive back to Columbia.

If this agreement is met, as we stated, your case is a closed issue with us, But if you fail you can rest assured, We will do everything We told You.

.....



7.576



Mr. J. J. Weelverton,
307 South Lafayette St.
South Bend
Ind.
Personal.

Listen you prick any more
curves and your son. get it
you do your business thru
our lawyer or not at all. you
thought you was smart by calling
the cop's we told you to hang
a H, R, A. sign in the Window
and you cut it in half. you
aint as smart as you think.
you want a letter from your
son well you'll get it when
we get a \$100,000 in 5-10-20.
and 48 hr's to Cash it he's
Alright now but he, well.

be a corpse in a week from
now unless you answer this
note pronto! he has a right
too remember any crosses and
she follows her dad. and we
don't mean, maybe, you gave
your word and we're taking
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your son. dies Lime does a
good clean job. advertise in
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A. B. and where to meet you
Sincerely M. R. A.

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APPLICATION FOR ELECTRIC SERVICE

RESIDENTIAL

B. E. & M. CORP. FORM CO-18A

OPTIONAL

LOCATION

AVAILABLE FOR ALL RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMERS USING COMPANY'S STANDARD SERVICE

ACCOUNT NUMBER

NAME OF CUSTOMER

ADDRESS

RES. DUPLEX, 1ST FL. 2ND FL. FLAT NO. FLOOR RIGHT LEFT OVER STORE NO. OF ROOMS

CHANGED LOCATION FROM

CHANGED NAME FROM

PRESENT CUSTOMER AT

RATE—Standard Residential Schedule in effect from
time to time in this territory for this class of service as
shown by the Company's published schedule of rates.

THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE REVERSE SIDE HEREOF ARE HEREBY MADE A PART OF THIS APPLICATION

ACCEPTED

THE MINNEAPOLIS GENERAL ELECTRIC CO.

BY

BY

WITNESS

SIGNED

ADDRESS

ACCT. NO.

DATE SIGNED

DATE EFFECTIVE

INSTALLATION

METER NO.

TELEPHONE

BUSINESS ADDRESS

DEPOSIT NO. 5228/5-ee OR TENANT

CREDIT

CK'D BY CL. NO.
X 4 14

C.I.M.O. 5228/5-ee

this 19th day of May, 1933.

Notary Public

Notary's Address 3819 Ogden Avenue, Chicago, Illinois Laverda 2420

California LD 4739
Lic #

James Williams

E. Chicago

75 1230
and

5-77
8 am

The Above Prices Are for LABOR ONLY Unless Otherwise Specified

ereby authorize you (Butler Motors, Inc.) to perform the work as indicated above. I agree to pay cash upon completion of same. It is understood and agreed that old parts replaced with new may be scrapped immediately unless otherwise indicated herein; and that I will not hold you liable for loss or damage to my car or its contents as a result of fire, theft or other casualty beyond your control.

gned

Williams.

OWNER OR DRIVER

8-25-33
55 Indiana Chicago

INVOICE N° 11676

John Rogers, age 35 to 42; 5'8" to 10"; weight 165 to 180 lbs; very dark; swarthy complexion, straight nose; black eyes; black hair combed straight back; dark overcoat; light gray hat.

No. 2 man: James Williams or Jay James Williams
Age 25, height 5'6"; weight 145 lbs; slender; light complexion; blonde curly hair; light gray suit; light gray hat; no overcoat seen; very classy looking and dresser.

No. 1 Woman;
Age 60 to 65; height 5'2" tall; small slender build; 120 lbs; black hair mixed with gray; small woman.

No. 2 Woman;
20 to 25; height 5'2"; weight 110 lbs; dark complexion; black hair; small woman.

Boy: Age about 4 years; name Donald.

Woman No. 2 supposed to be wife of James Williams. Boy supposed to be their son. Woman No. 1 supposed to be mother of No. 2. Boy calls her Grandma. Were here in furnished apartment March 1st to early morning of March 5th. Checked out 3 a.m. driving California Hudson Sedan 8-H 475 Motor 30300 serial 950-174. Rogers signature on electric service contract.

*John P. Wall Sheriff Hennepin
Municipal Court
by John H. Molinari Chief Criminal Div.*

DIVISION OF INVESTIGATION
From: UNIT #1 Room 420
1934.

To:

___ Director
___ Mr. Nathan
___ Mr. Tolson
___ Mr. Edwards
___ Unit Two
___ Unit Four
___ Files Section
___ Personnel Section
___ Chief Clerk's Office
___ Unit Five
___ Identification Unit
___ Statistical Section
___ Technical Laboratory
___ Mr. Baughman
___ Mr. Cowley
___ Mr. Little
___ Mr. Lowdon
___ Mr. Newby
___ Mr. Smith
___ Mr. Stapleton
___ Miss Gandy
___ Miss Finnell
___ Washington Field Office
___ Stenographic Pool
___ Secretary
___ Correct
___ Re-write
___ Re-date
___ See Me
___ Send file.

H. H. CLEGG

Chas. McGee or Payoff Man (John B. Brakeechar)

We now cancel previous instructions

Follow these new instructions

Take the money and get off this bus at the next town called Owatonna.

About 50 foot west of where this bus stops at the station you will find a 1933 Chevrolet car.

The car is black and has a black tire cover with a white spot painted in the center of the tire.

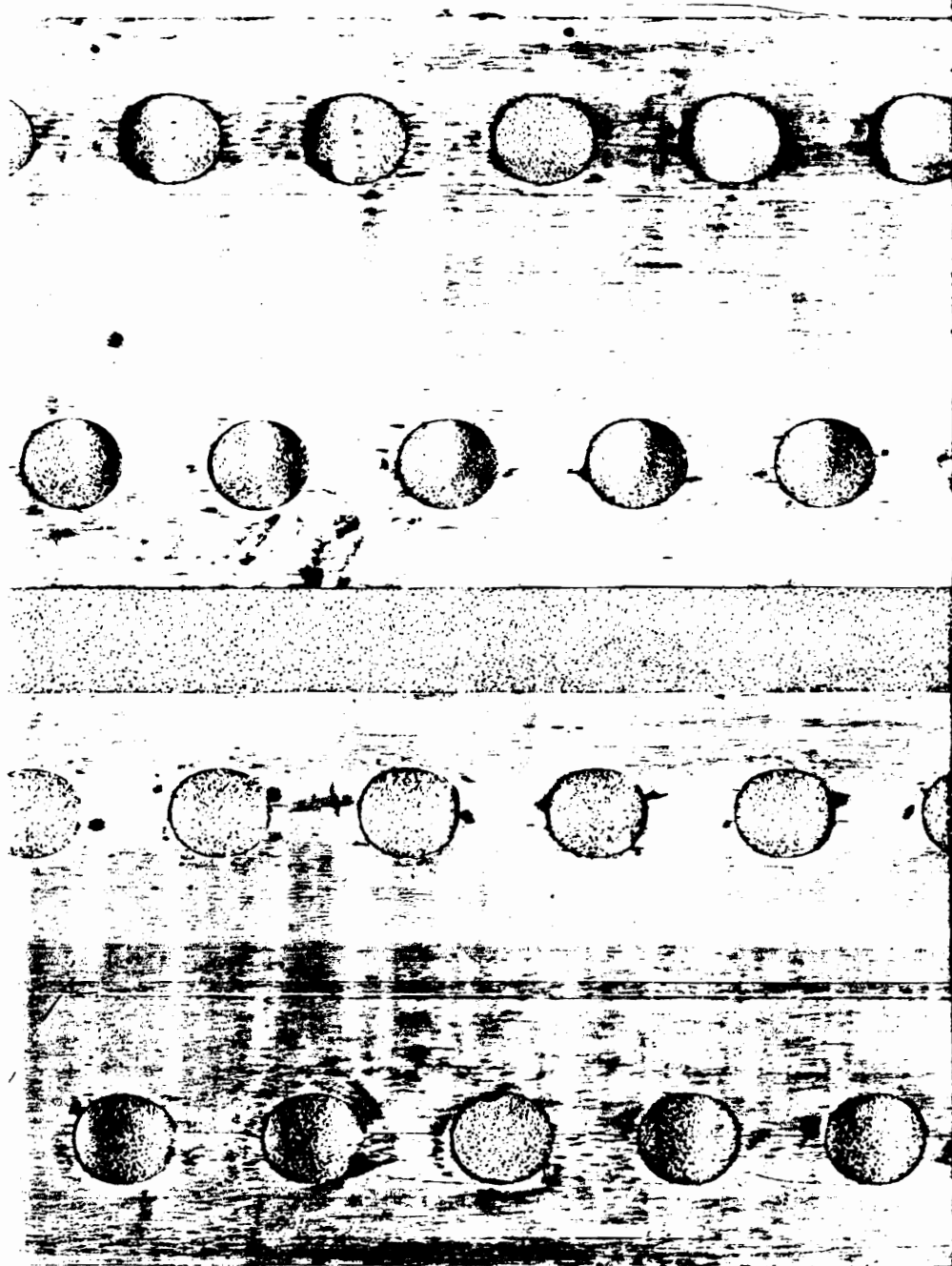
Place the money in this car and get into it at once

Your next instructions are on the other side of the bus.

Mr. Chas McGee (John B. Brakeechar)

I have named you as payoff man. You are responsible for my safety. I am responsible for the full amount of the money.

E. J. Brown

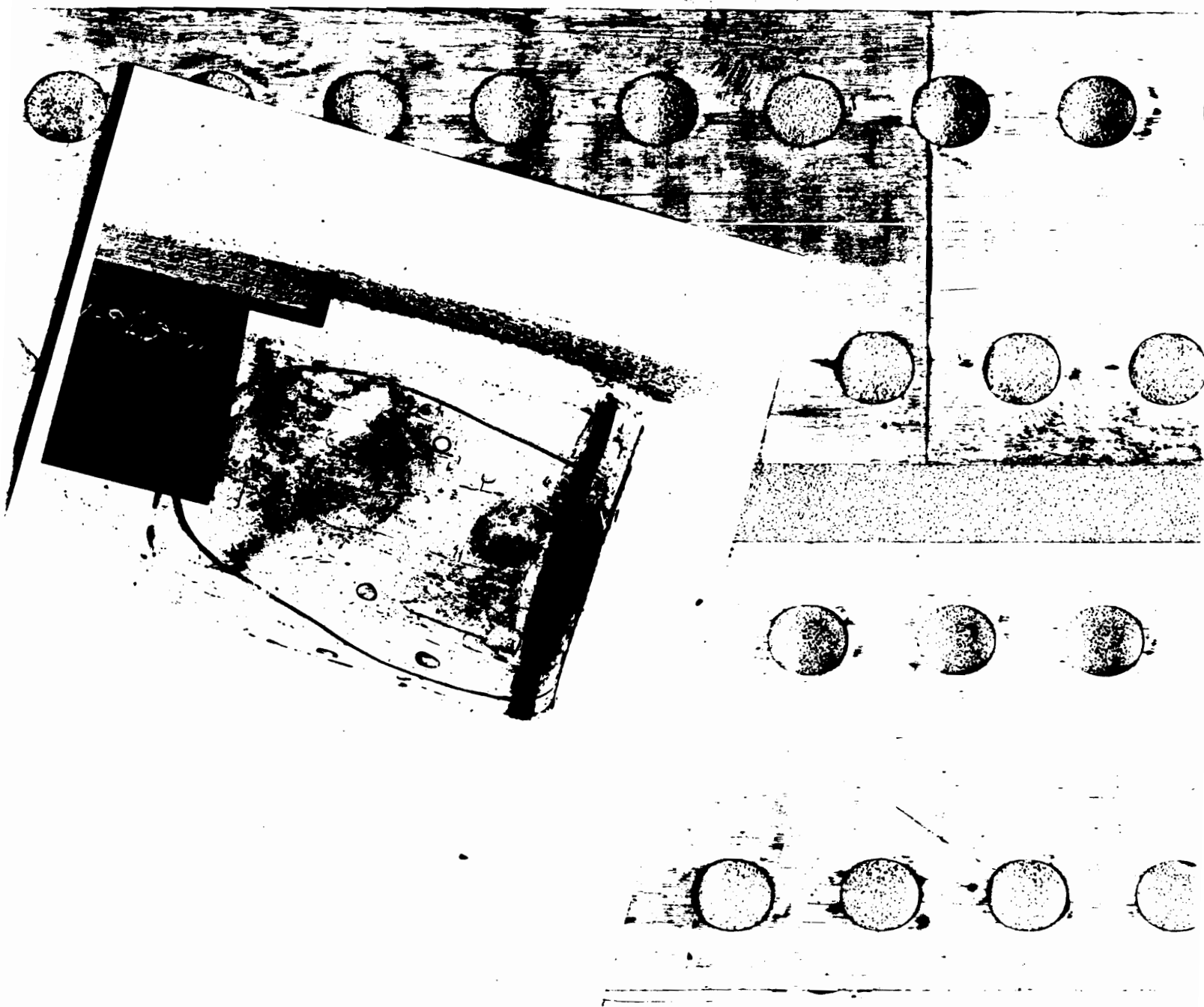


Karpis Aids Get 5 Years in Prison

Winona Burdette.
Miami, Fla., March 22.—(AP)—Winona Burdette and Delores Delaney of St. Paul, the girls Alvin Karpis left behind unexpectedly, were rushed into federal court Monday under heavy guard and at a secret hearing before Judge Halsted L. Ritter were sentenced to five years each in prison on charges of harboring Karpis. The two girls were rushed away from the federal building to an unannounced destination.

DELANEY GIRL'S HOME IN ST. PAUL

Delores Delaney, sentenced to a five-year term at Miami, Fla., is the common-law wife of Alvin Karpis, and Winona Burdette is the "girl friend" of Harry Campbell. Karpis and Campbell shot their way out of a federal trap at Atlantic City, N. J., several months ago and left the women behind. Miss Delaney of St. Paul is a sister of Jean Delaney, alias Jean Crompton, serving a term in a federal prison for harboring members of the Dillinger gang. She was the sweetheart of Tommy Carroll, who was shot to death in Iowa. Karpis and Campbell are under indictment as alleged kidnapers of Edward G. Bremer, St. Paul banker.



Person of

Miss. Lillian L. Dickman
1055 Cortland St
St. Paul
Minn

TO
ADOLPH BREMER

THIS LETTER MUST BE DELIVERED BY 6:00 PM TUE. FEB. 6th

TO
ED BREMER'S WIFE



—Times Union Photo
 Judge Frederick Crane of Court of Appeals was speaker at annual Men's Club dinner of St. Paul's P. E. Church. Seated, left to right: Sidney A. Clarkson, president; the Rev. Harold S. Olson, rector; James G. Banvard, outgoing president; Judge Crane and Robert H. Wilson. Standing, left to right: Lester Gauvain, recording secretary; the Rev. H. Boardman Jones, assistant rector; Charles H. Fuller and Charles O. Stanley, corresponding secretary.

\$200,000 RANSOM POWER ADVOCATES DEAL CALLED OFF REAPPORTIONMENT

Kidnapers Reported to Have Written Steingut Urging Enactment of Necessary Measure
Demanded That U. S. Agents Withdraw From Case

St. Paul, Jan. 13.—An underworld gangster message that Edward G. Bremer, kidnaped banker, would not be released until Federal Department of Justice agents were withdrawn from the case was received today by St. Paul police.

The message, for a release of Bremer, was sent to Walter, the prominent attorney, by one of the gangsters, who was known to the police as "Red."

The message was received by Walter today and he is expected to make a statement on it later.

U. S. Commissioner of Immigration, James H. Steingut, today made a public statement in which he said that the government would not be influenced by the demands of the kidnapers.

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Ralph Bremner
807
Main

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Edward is very ill,
the kidnappers specified that if
the ransom is not sent promptly
your son will be in great
danger.

Very Truly Yours
James M. Power

T.L.

For publication
I would appreciate that
my name be withheld.

pathetically if I were to turn
over the kidnapers to the police
but as I sincerely know that
the kidnapers mean business, I
would advise you as a go between
to carry out the following arrange-
ments.

One of the kidnapers said that
you make two packages of the
said ransom and send it to the
Astor Hotel in New York City in
care of a Mr Roger Mc Gabbe that
will call for it, and on receive-
ly of the money and safety, your
son Edward J Bremer will be
released.

They said that your sons signature
could not be on this letter because

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Dear Sir:

The greatest shock of my life came to me when the desperadoes that had raped your son communicated with me asking me to write to you and requesting that you make these following arrangements,

Owing to my integrity I would have tracked down the supposed notorious killers; but, as I have a son of my own I would regret

WALTER ROGER OF ADOLPH BREMER

Please deliver at once confidentially.

Adolf Bremer

Grand

Mr. J. H. Davis
Dear Sir
Thank you

Grand

Mr. Thomas M. Clark

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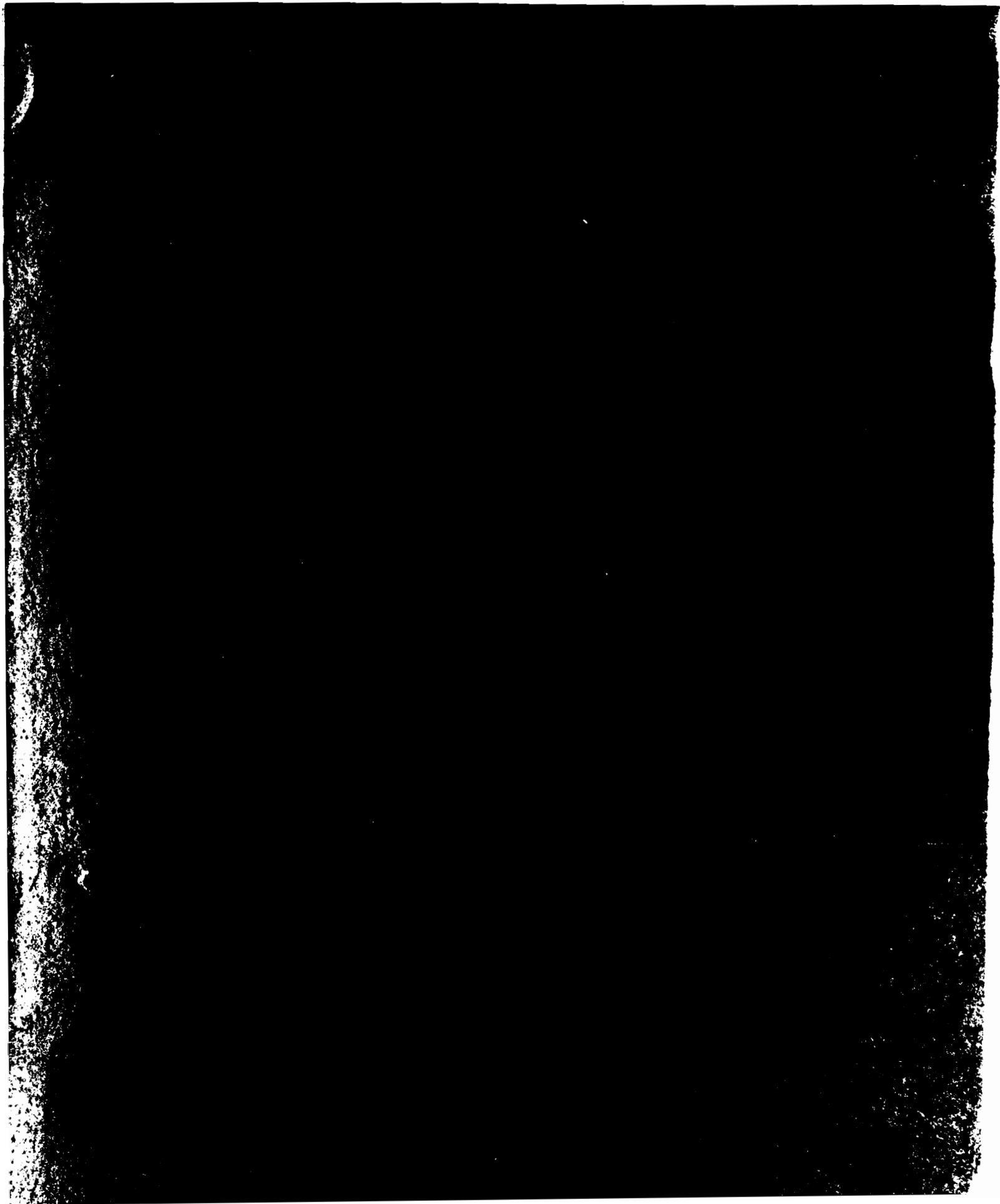
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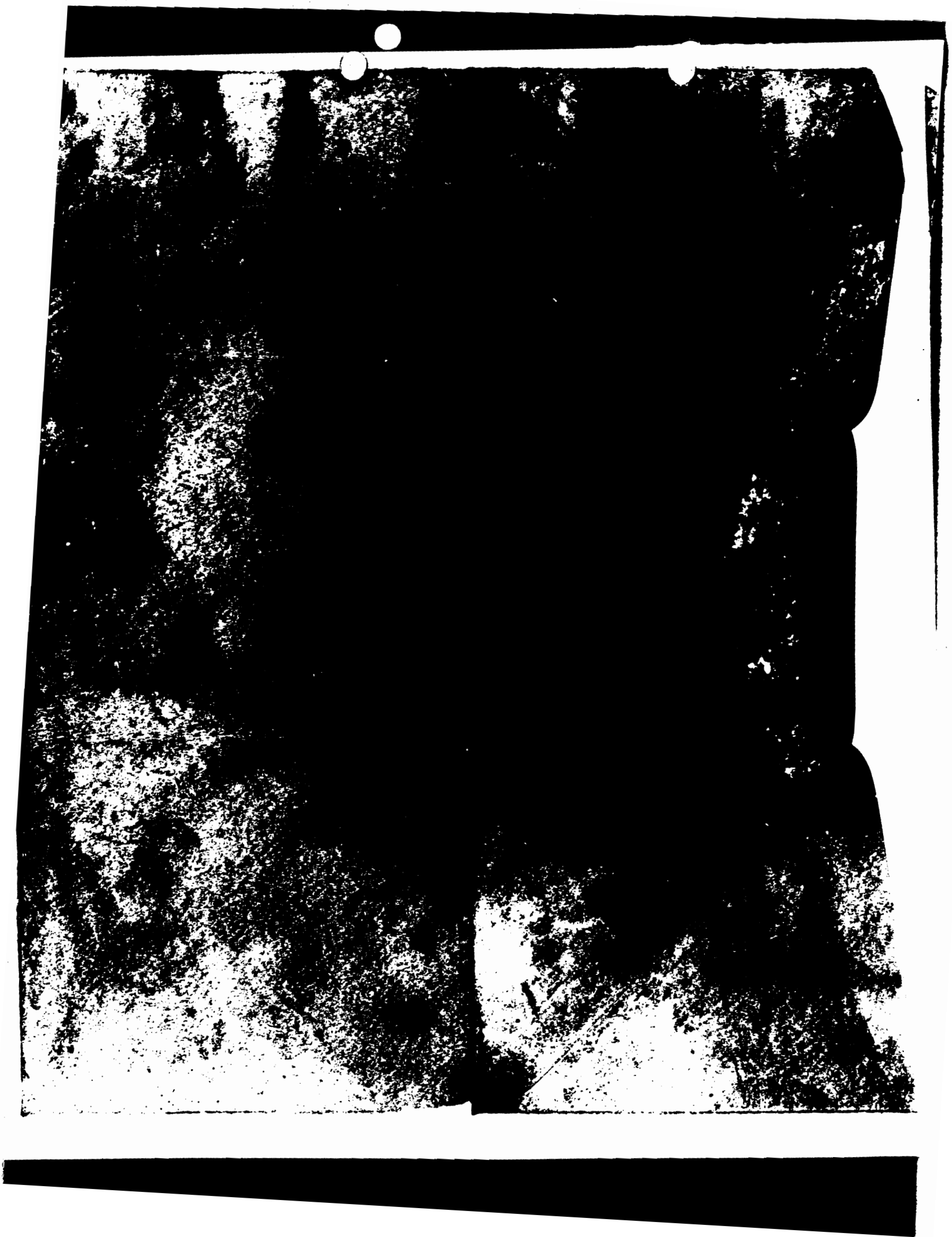
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to McGee
Adolph Bremer

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Please deliver CONFIDENTIALLY

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Dr. R. T. Nippert

PERSONAL please deliver at once.



Mr. Aaolph Bremer
St. Paul, Minn.

Jan. 20, 1934.

Mr. Adolph Bremer
St Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir;

Isn't it true? that there are certain experiences in Life that can not be put into words? One of them is the loss of a dear one.

Let the greatest Poet, the greatest Painter, and the greatest Musician combine and blend their efforts in an attempt to depict the heart-pain of bereavement, and they are doomed to failure. We are inarticulate in the presence of Death, when the departed one belongs to us. We can not express our sorrow, nor can any one express it for us. Can any one, imagine? the torture of doubt and the agony of anxiety of the members of your family.

Because I am a christian I join with you and pray to God for the safe return of your son.

I am of the opinion that a prolonged delay in the release of your son will be unfortunate.

It seems, the kidnapers are seeking a guarantee for a safe get-away with the money. They want 100,000 favorable conditions.

To the present time I believe, the proper method of action to secure positive results have not been offered them.

Why not give them what they want?

Permit me to say that I am an inventive mind; for the last 10 days I have been constantly thinking of a 100% fool proof plan which will bring speedy and satisfactory results.

I have it now perfect and I would like to offer it to you should you deem it necessary or convenient.

Although I am fully aware of the danger involved, I
rather welcome an opportunity, I want to offer myself
unconditionally to the carrying out of this plan.

No reward or remuneration is desired. Nor fame or
publicity is wanted. I want to put at your disposal what
I honestly believe to be a good idea that may gratefully
help you.

Hoping that you may believe me capable and sincere.

Yours Very Truly

A. Calderon

Anthony Calderon
24 Eneeland Ave.
Yonkers N. Y.

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References;
Joseph C. Ryan
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Dr. I. Weinbergen
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GASTONIA, N. C.



Mr Adolph Bremer;

St Paul,

Minn;

OFFICE OF
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Jan 29th 1934;

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St Paul; Minn;

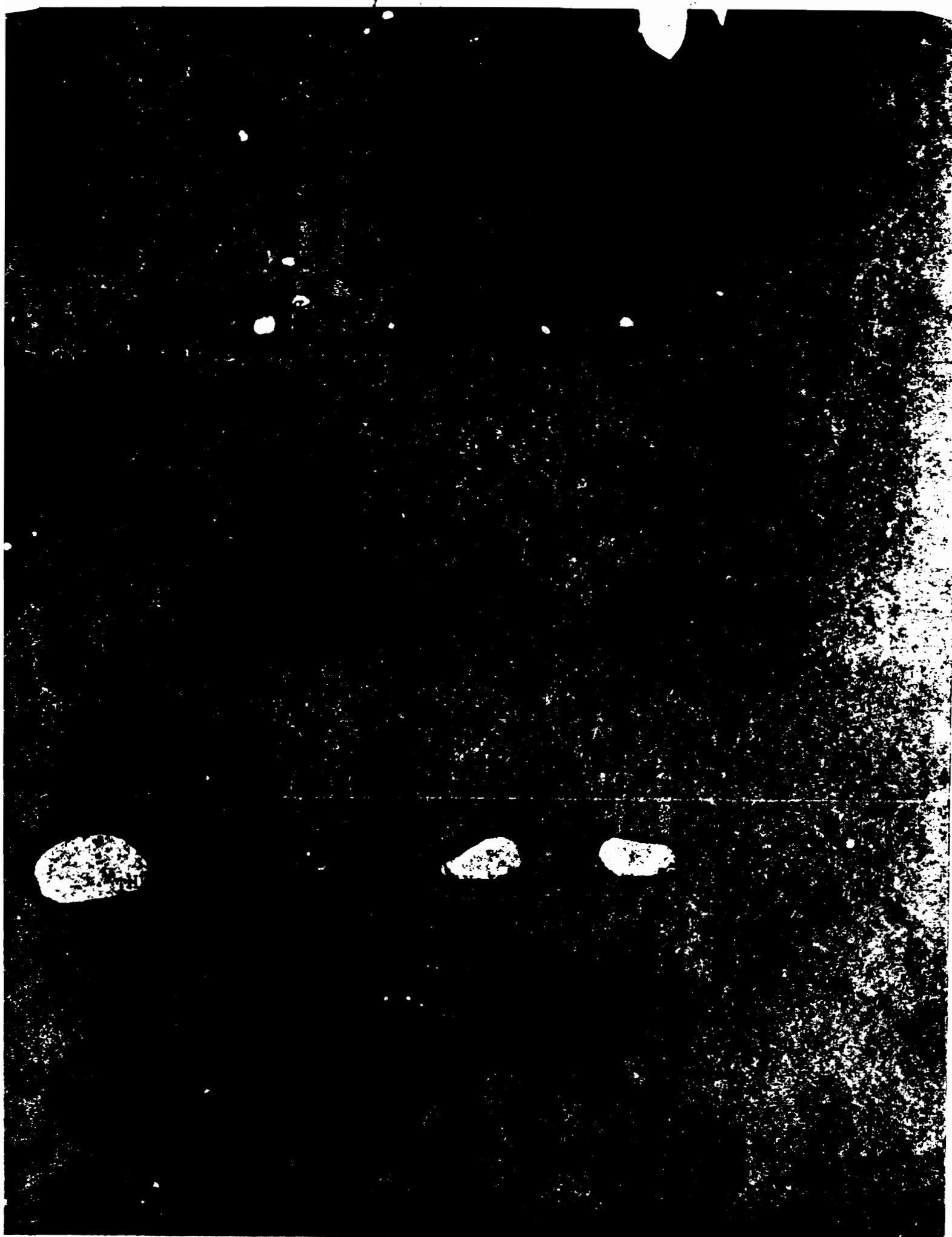
Dear Mr Bremer;

Just a word to say that your sympathizing friends here in the South are hoping and praying that your Son will soon be returned to you and family in good health and strenght; I keep up with the news paper accounts, and hope with every copy that it will say he has been returned to you his Mother and wife; wish I had words that would bring a ray of comfort to you and yours; We as parents know the anxiety that this brings to one heart; We have a cripple boy that had Infantile Parlyis when he was eight years old and we are anxious for him, for if he makes a mis spep he cant regain his footing and falls, that make anxious when he goes to scool, but we know that yours is a far more woby than that for we have him with us; When your boy is returned let me hear from you; I want to rejoice with you and will even the distance is so far from us;

With every good wish for the safe return of th
son,
I am sincerely your sympathizing friend;

W. Y. Warren.

Chas. McGee. Personal.



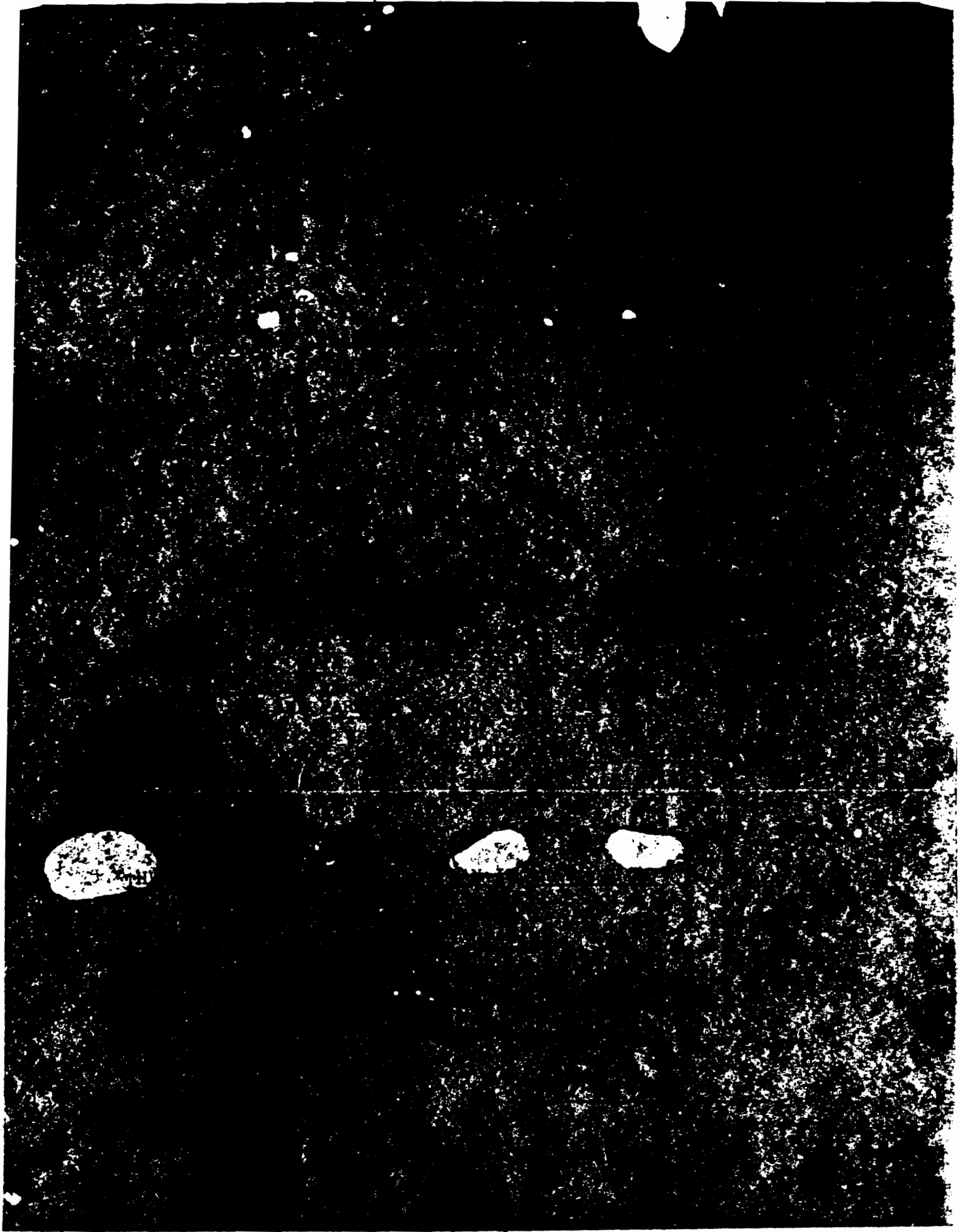
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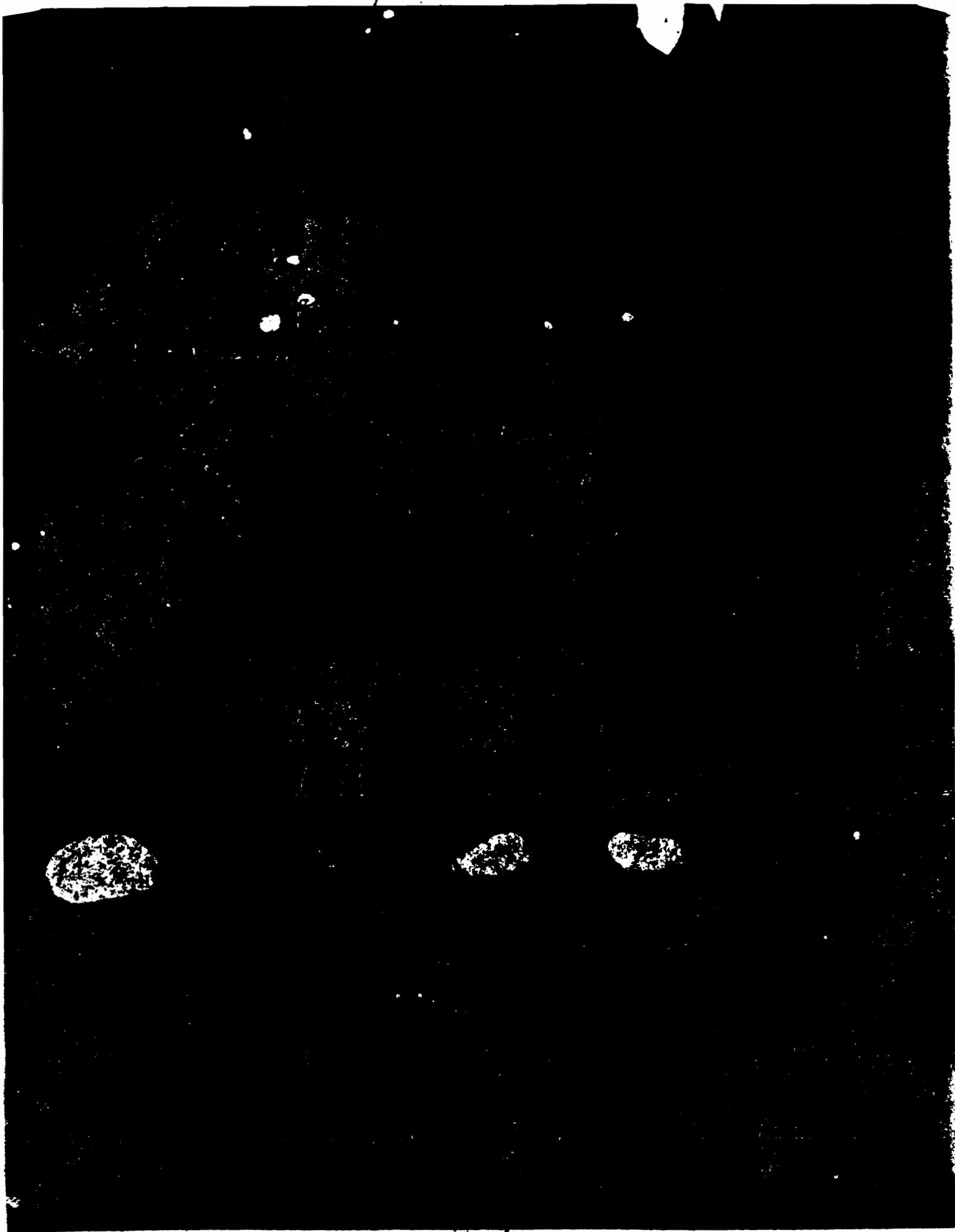
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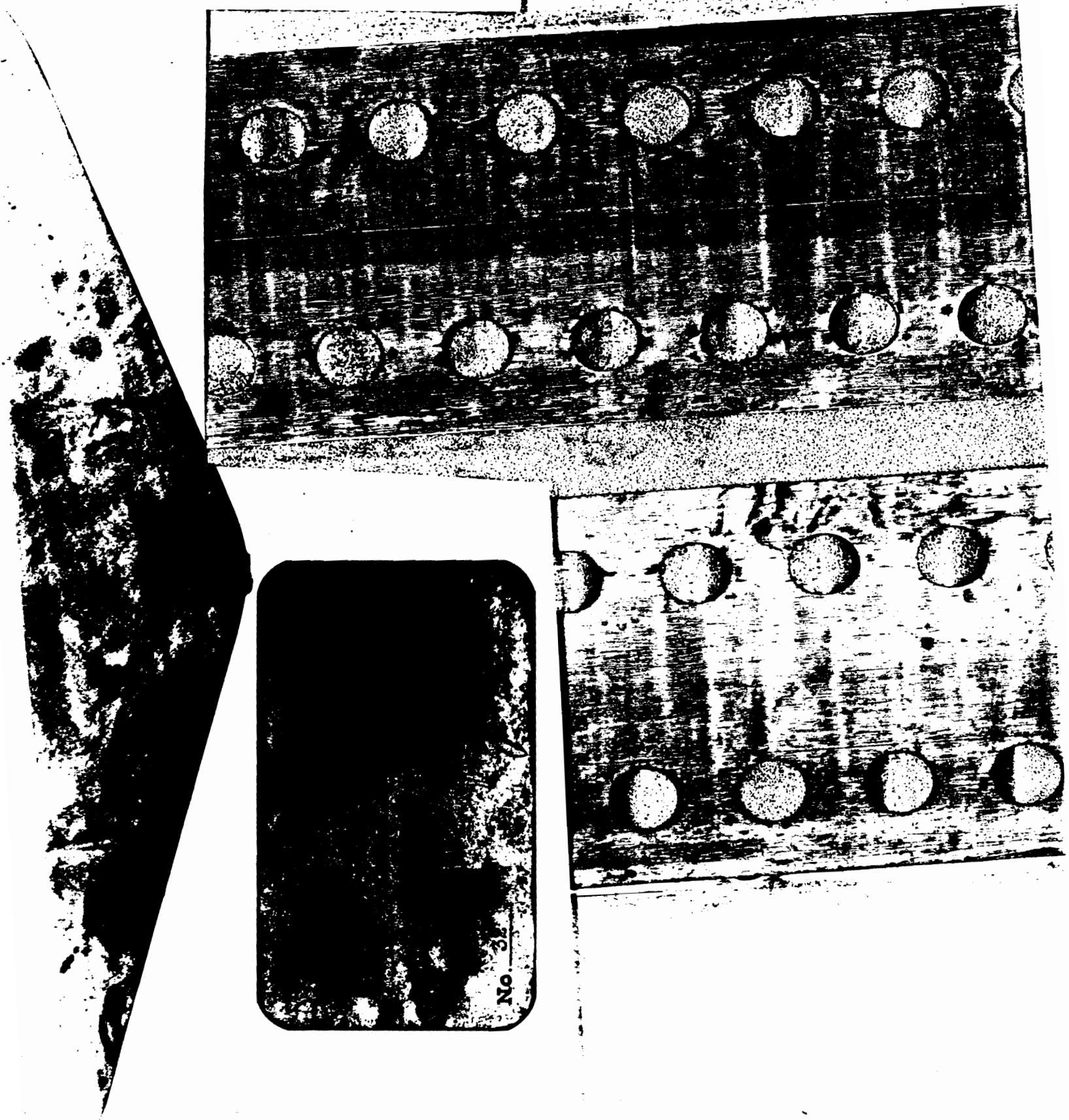
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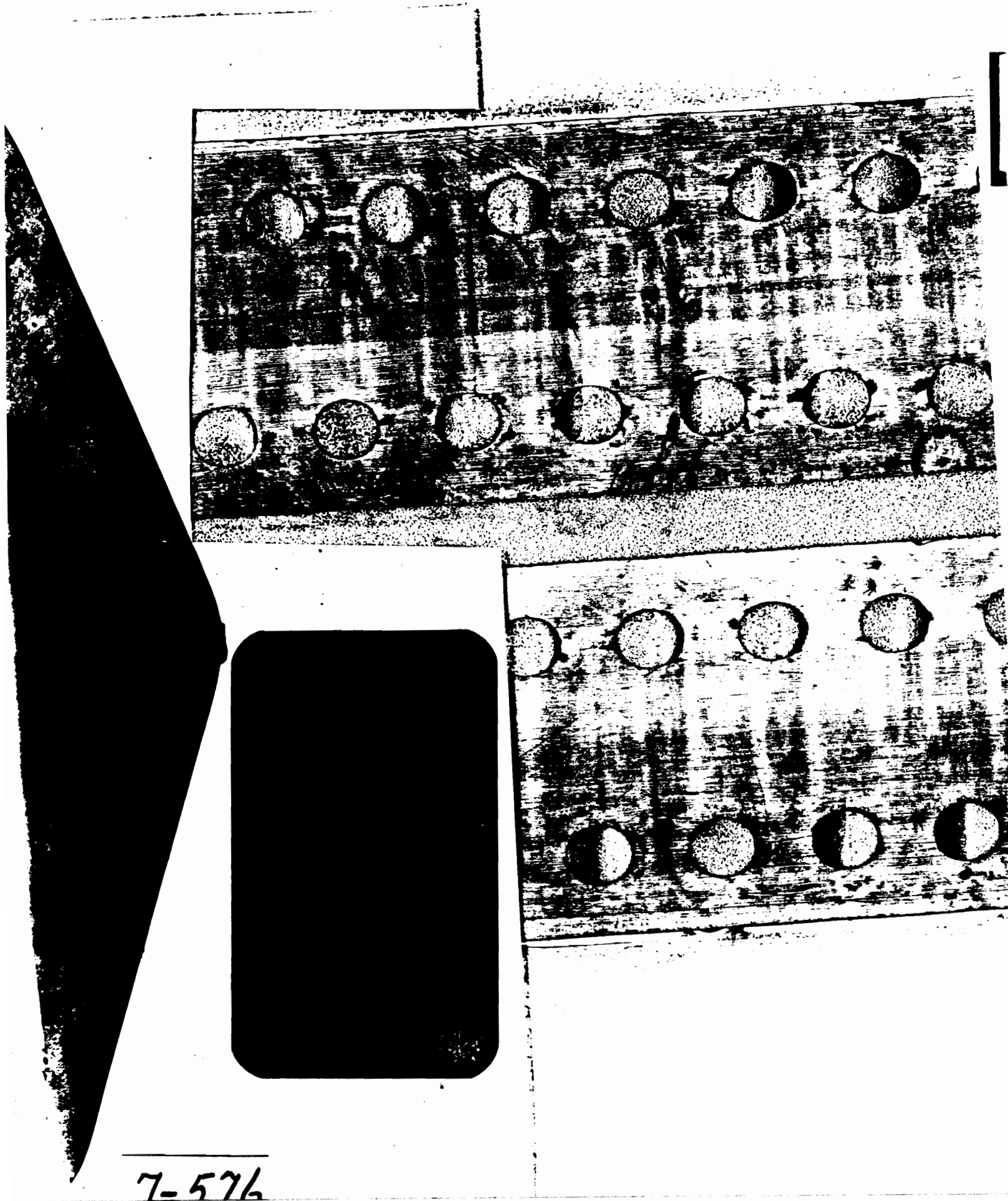
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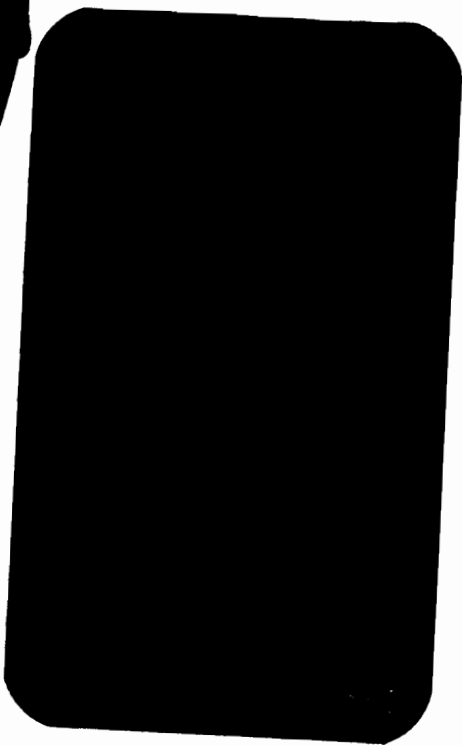
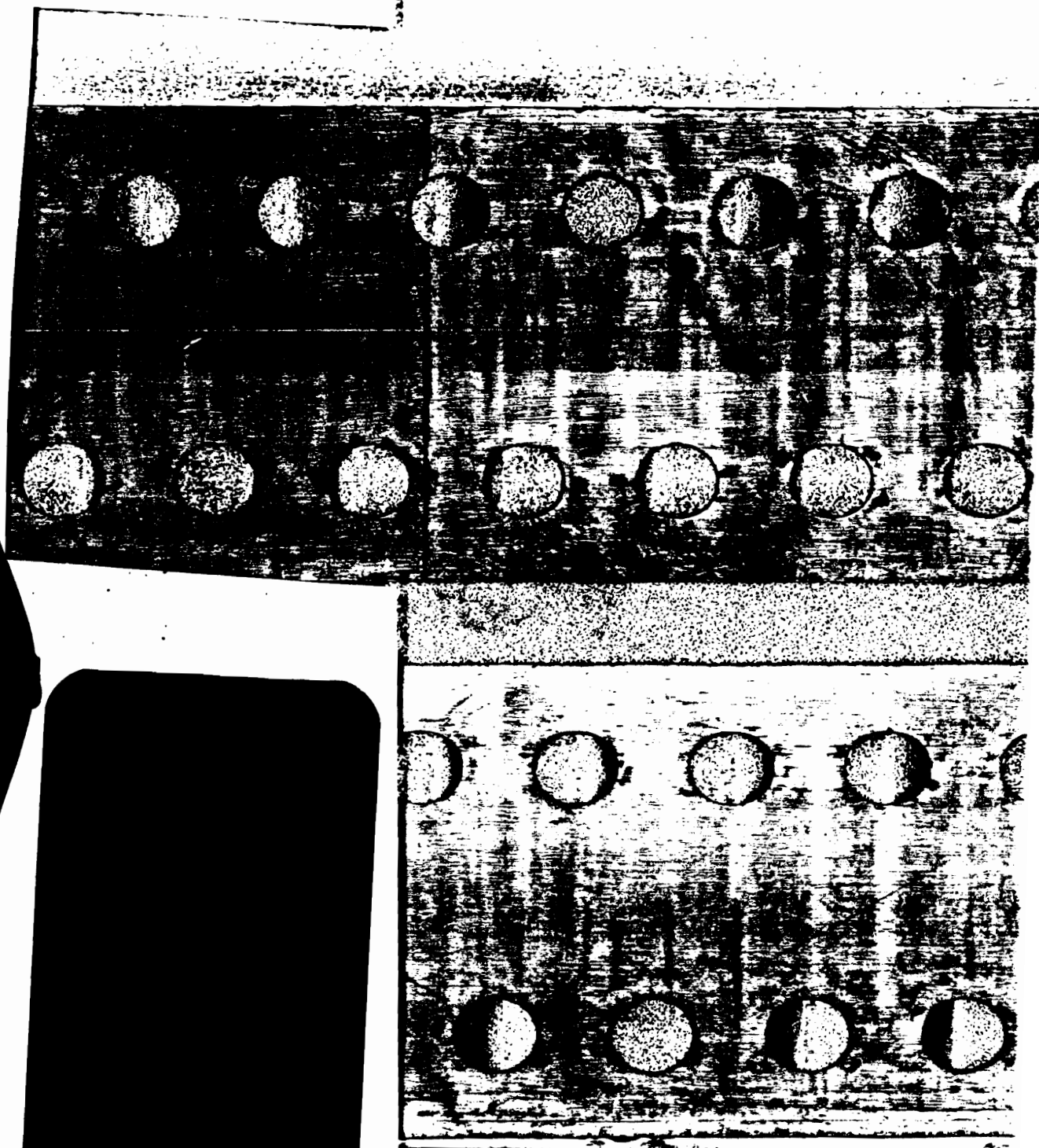
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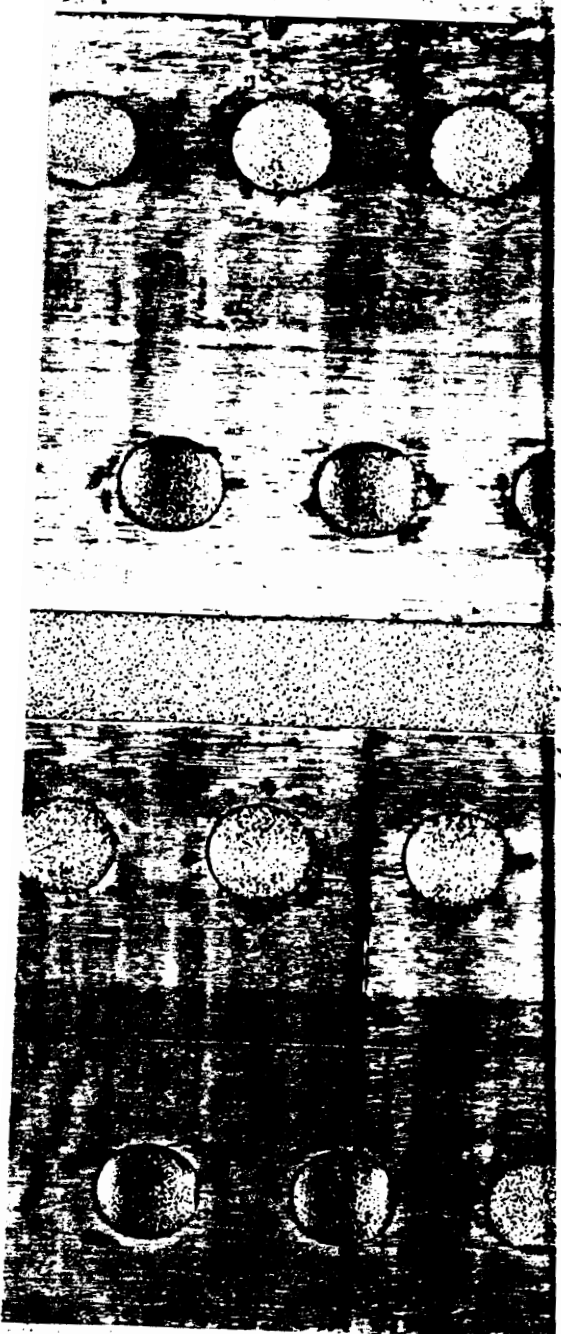


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To the Arresting
Officer:

Motor No. _____
Serial No. _____

The officer arresting the owner of this card for violation of the law regulating automobiles, will hold this card as bail and release party at once, and deliver this card to the Chief or Superintendent of Police, and receive further orders.

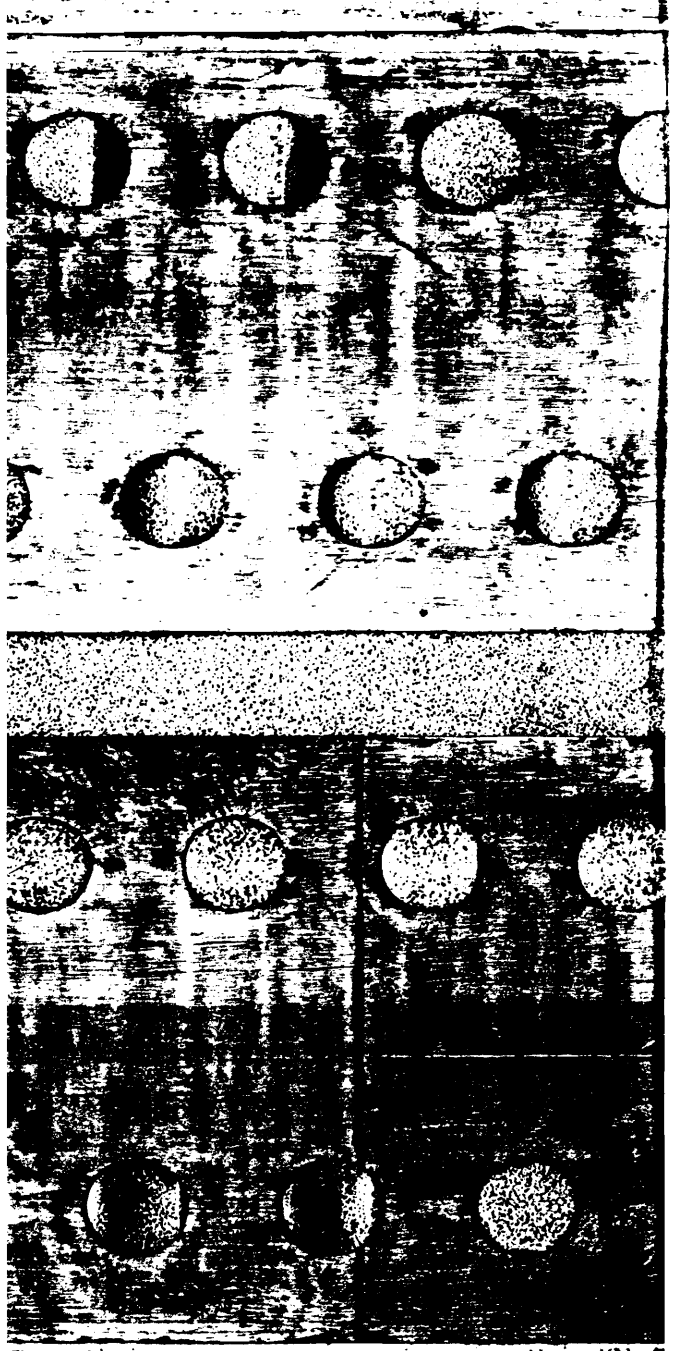
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FREE EMERGENCY ROAD SERVICE
to which the owner of this card is entitled

- (a) Any mechanical service necessary to enable the car to proceed under its own power, such mechanical service not to exceed thirty (30) minutes of actual labor on the road. In the event the mechanic is unable to put the member's car in running condition within the allowed thirty (30) minutes of service on the road, then the car will be towed to the service station.
- (b) The delivery in an emergency case of gas, oil, tires, tubes, batteries or such parts which may be available necessary to render the car operative. This service shall also include the changing of an inflated tire from rack to wheel.
- (c) Extricating a member's car from the ditch, mud, snow, sand or embankment, and towing it to the service station if it cannot be put in running condition on the road within the allowed thirty (30) minutes.



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AUTOMOBILE CLUB
ST. PAUL

ISSUED TO MR. EDWARD E. SPURER

EXP. RES. No. _____

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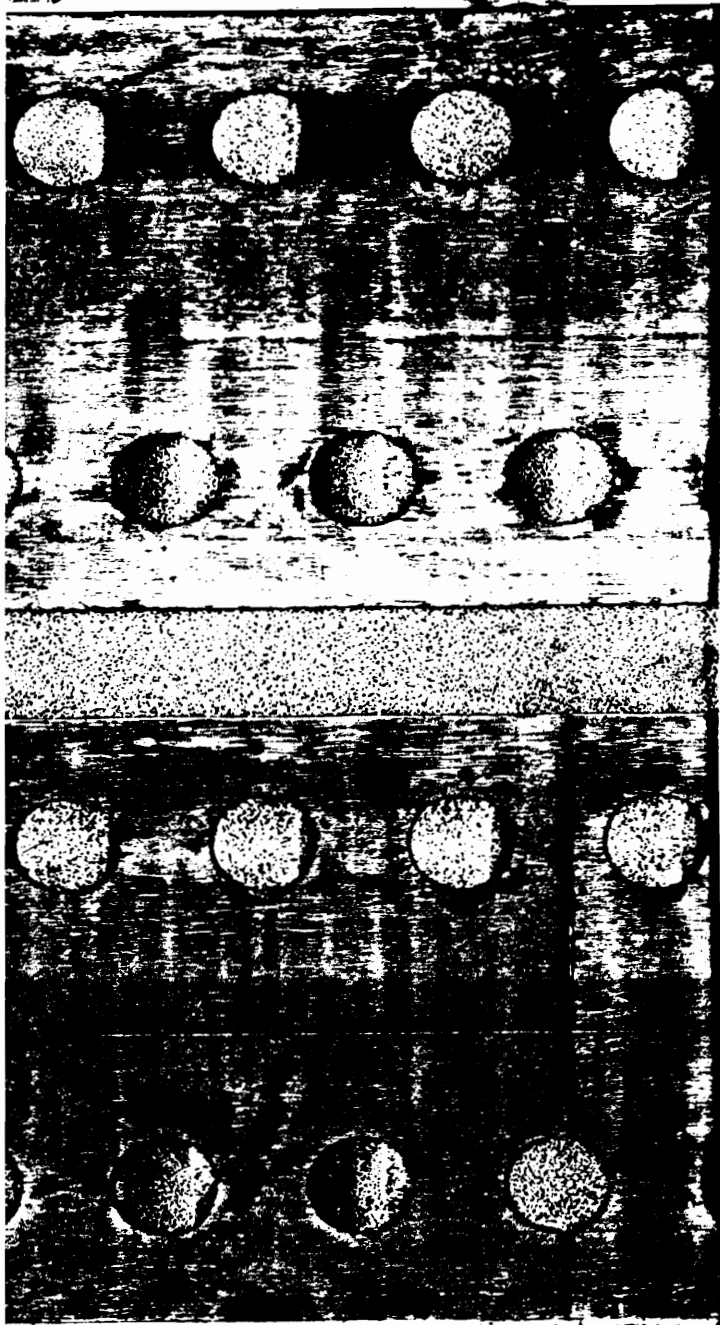
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MINNEAPOLIS At 1236	ST. PAUL Co. 2908	DULUTH Mel. 2700
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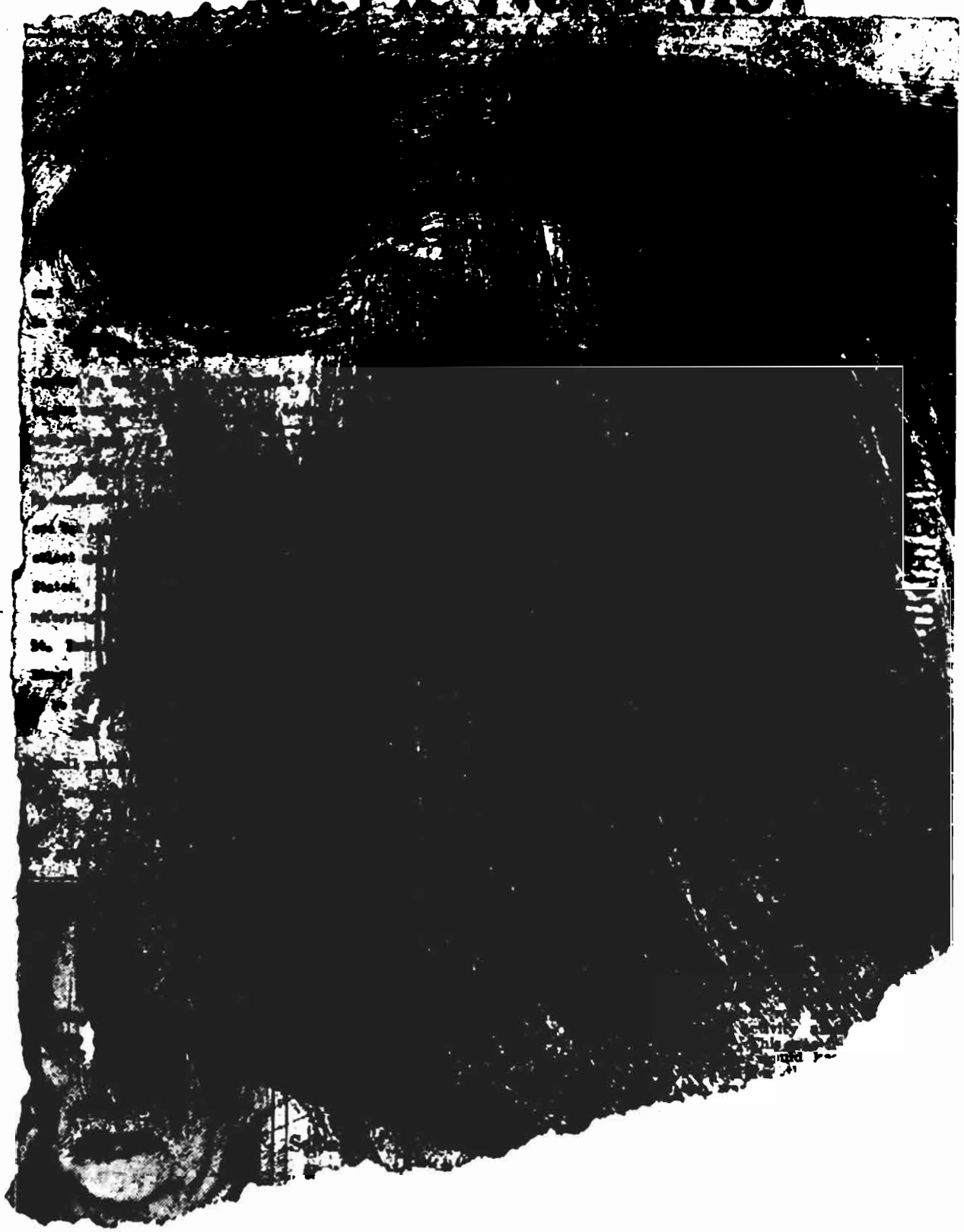
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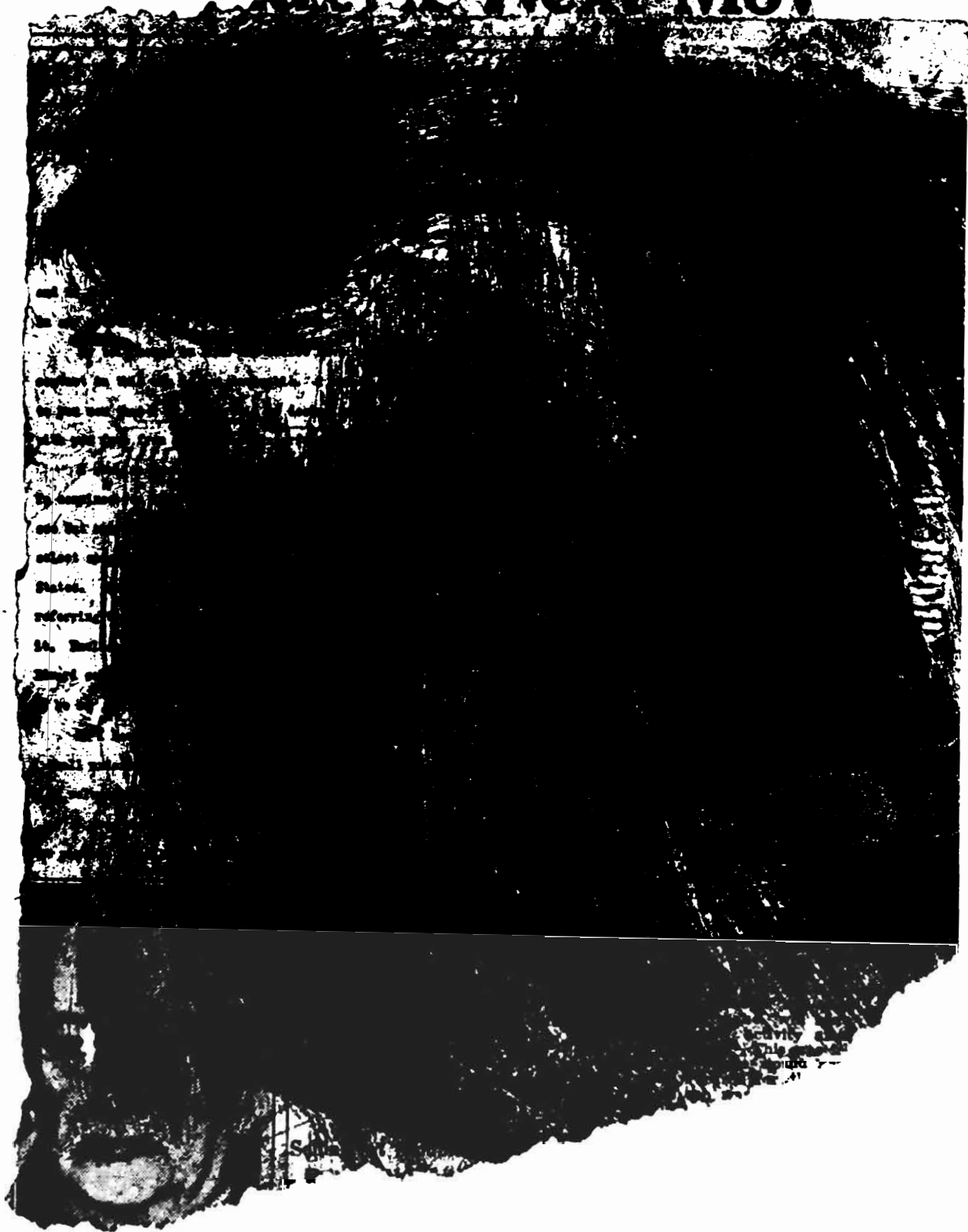
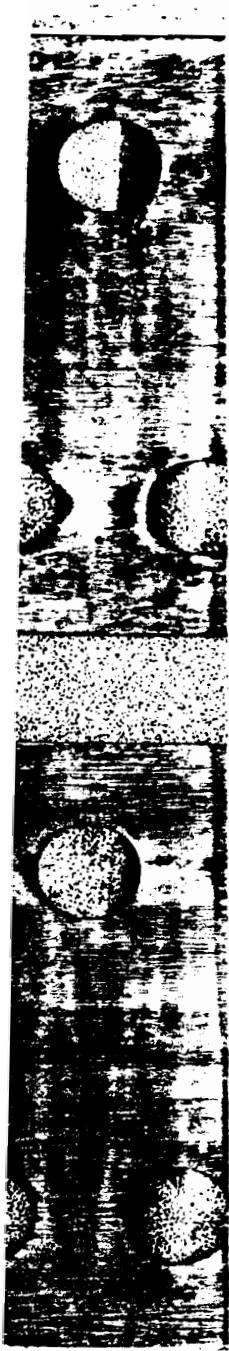
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Diamonds were found in the apartment at No. 1190 West Twenty-eighth street, Chicago, after the jury heard testimony from Mrs. Fred Ossa, who was burned by fire to a store building there last October. She is also charged with the murder of her husband, Fred Ossa, who died three lived at the address.

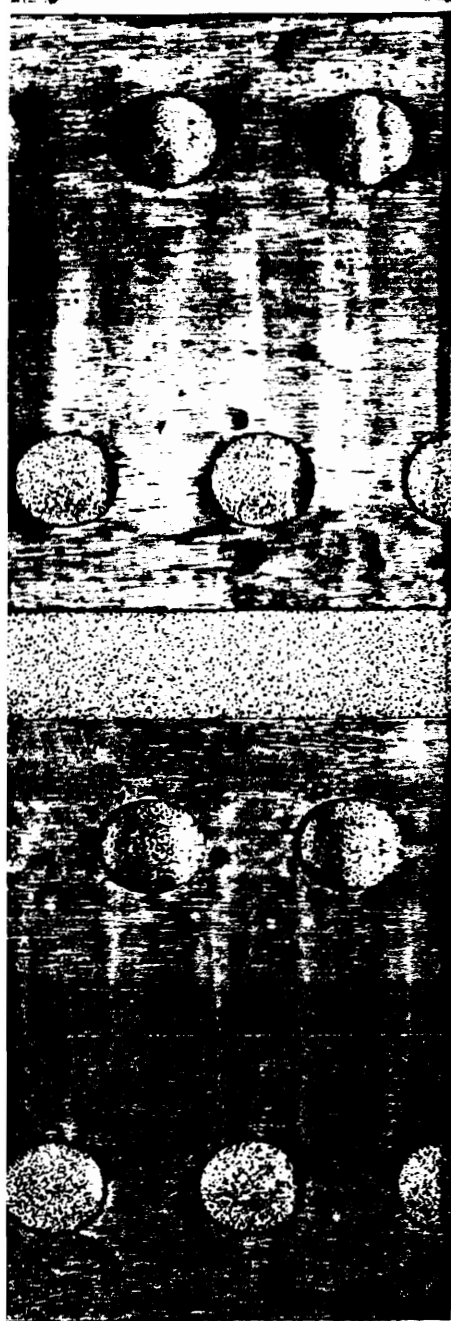
In support of her contention that there was property in the apartment in excess of the amount of insurance on it, Mrs. Ossa displayed diamonds she claimed were in the apartment at the time of the fire. She denied any knowledge of where they might have been hidden.

The coroner said he had no

work February 1 when they had to move the 2,200,000-pound draw of the Cape River bridge, south of Boston, 400 feet upstream to a new location. To guide, scows were placed around the heavy steel structure, as the ocean tide rose in the river, the draw was clear of its supports and could be floated to a new location and lowered into place on the ebbing tide.

Kidnappers Given 3- Ultima

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is a matter of time. I know you will do
it through the terrible
anxiety. That place do you
the boys insist to go to &
the sooner the better.

I am lying on you
 there is much to be done
 a long day. I am lying on you
 I am lying on you
 I can see you
 again

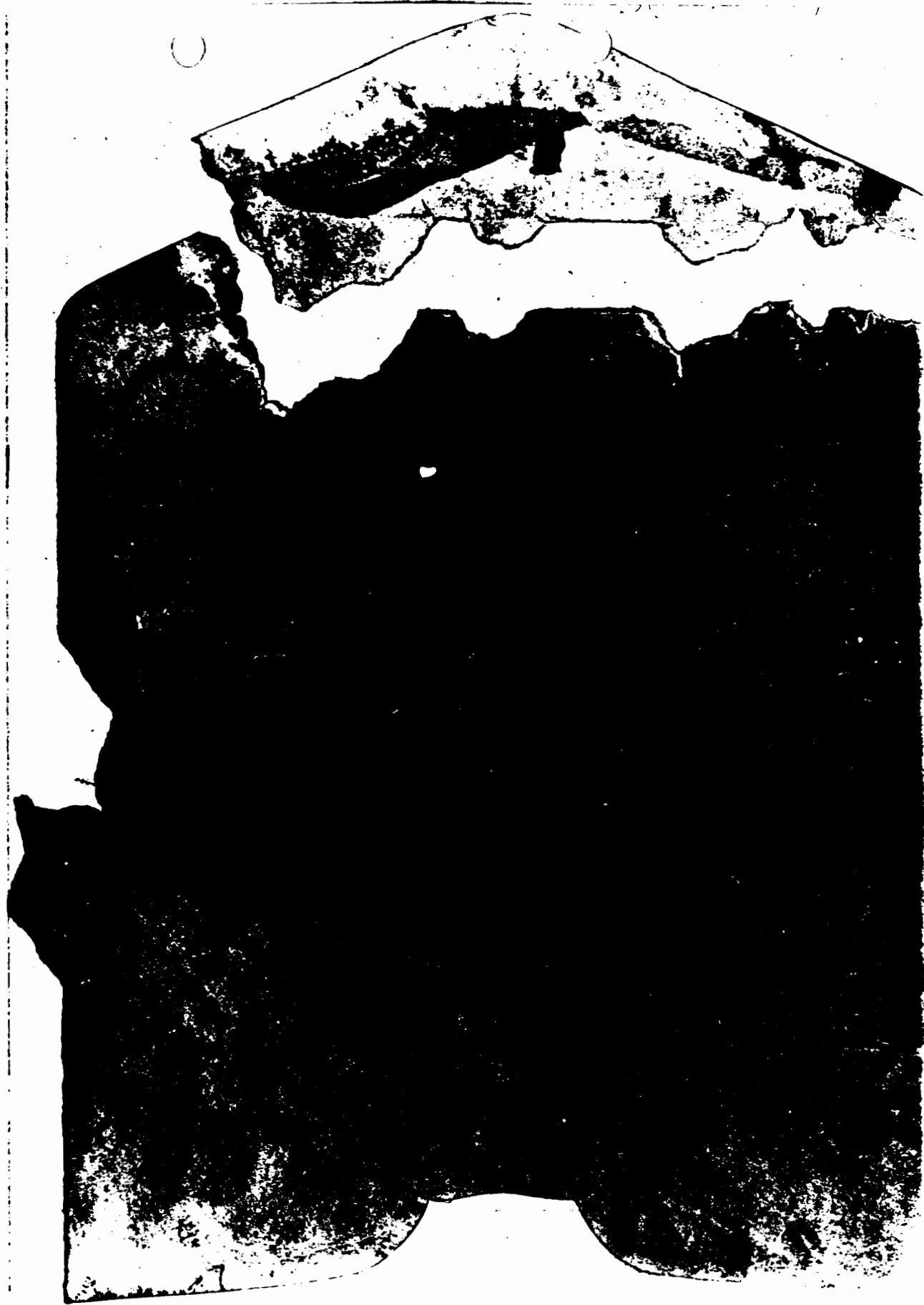
My Dear Father;

I've sent the newspaper
in which it states that you have
made arrangements for everyone to
be off for three days so that
the letter will reach you and
contacted someone to pay off.
I am sure that your word is good
and that it will be as the paper
stated namely - the boys can
get this letter to you and make
arrangements to return home.
I am sure you will get it.
I am sure you will get it.
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is a matter of time now
more day. I know you will do
better than I did last night.
I think I shall be able
to write you again soon.

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I've sent the newspaper
in which it states that you have
moved to New York to
live there days not that



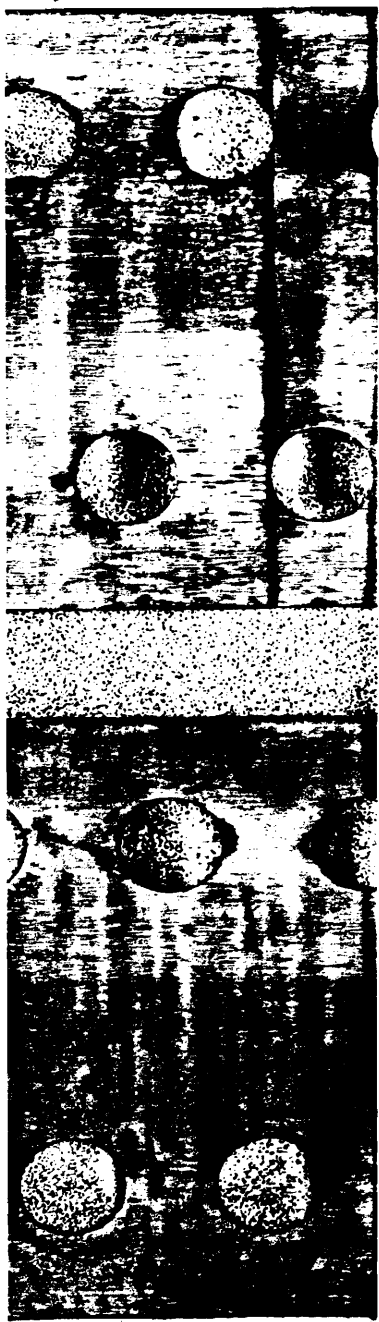


My Dear Father Dear;

I am calling on you
as a representative of God to
do something for me. It must
be a secret - every bit as much
as a confession. Under these
circumstances I am calling on
you. Enclosed herewith is a
letter addressed to my father.
This letter is to be sealed to
him - unopened & in a way
the privilege of asking you to
be the one to deliver it.

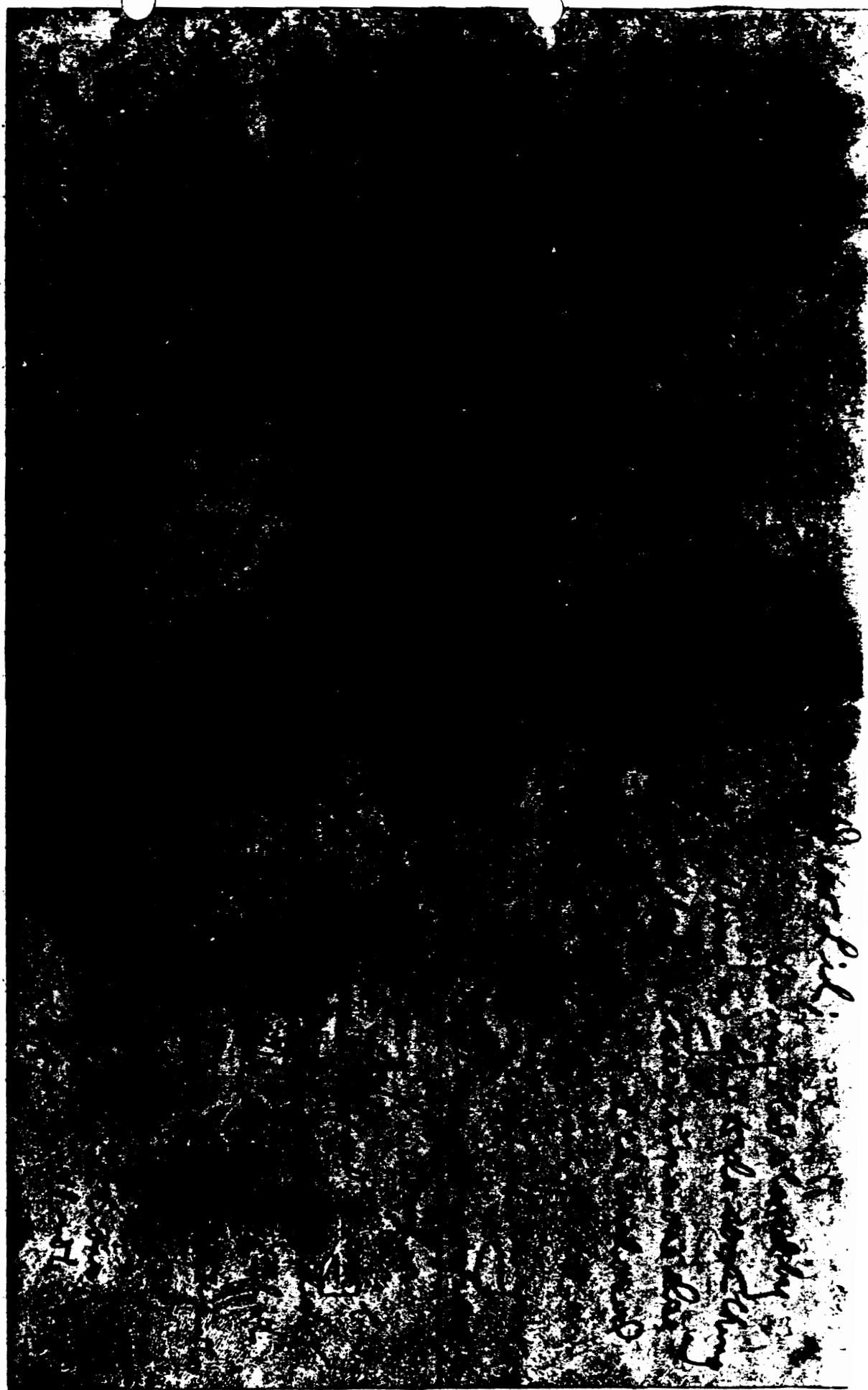
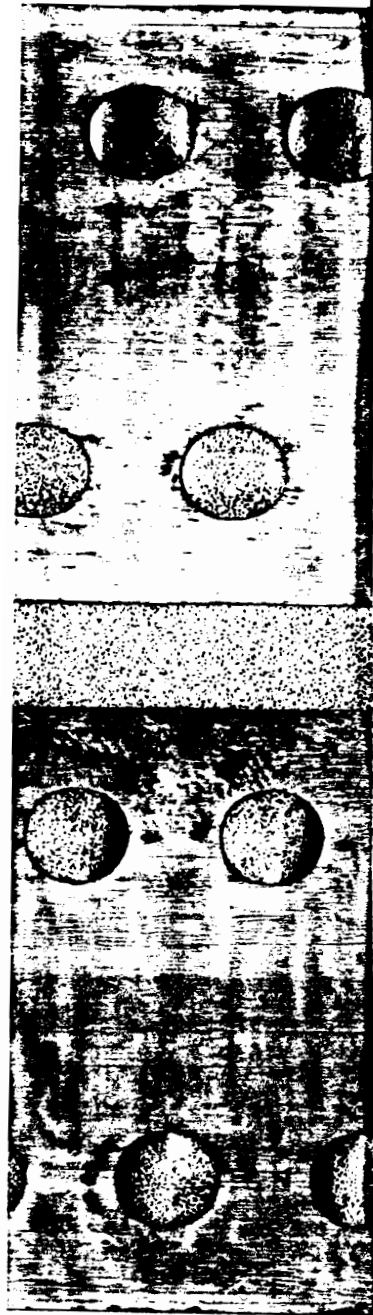
If you have in it the words
to read the other paper, I will
have had more that my father





My Dear Lili;

is my old stand by
I am calling on God to do something
for me that it seems no-one else
can do, I must get the undelivered
letter to my father. unopened -
I know if I entrust it in your
hands it will be done. I suppose
you know that my father has
made an especial appeal to my body
police & government officers included
to lay off for three days so that
he can make his arrangements to
get back. Now through his
instructions to
your old pal will not



fail me I know.
As soon as you receive this
note take it to my father & tell
him that you - one of the
boys - has been in the
Whiting & has been
about a few days & has
to look up the matter &
tell you what he
thinks of it. I have
nothing to say
about it. I have
this letter & I
see my father
is alone with
me & my brother.

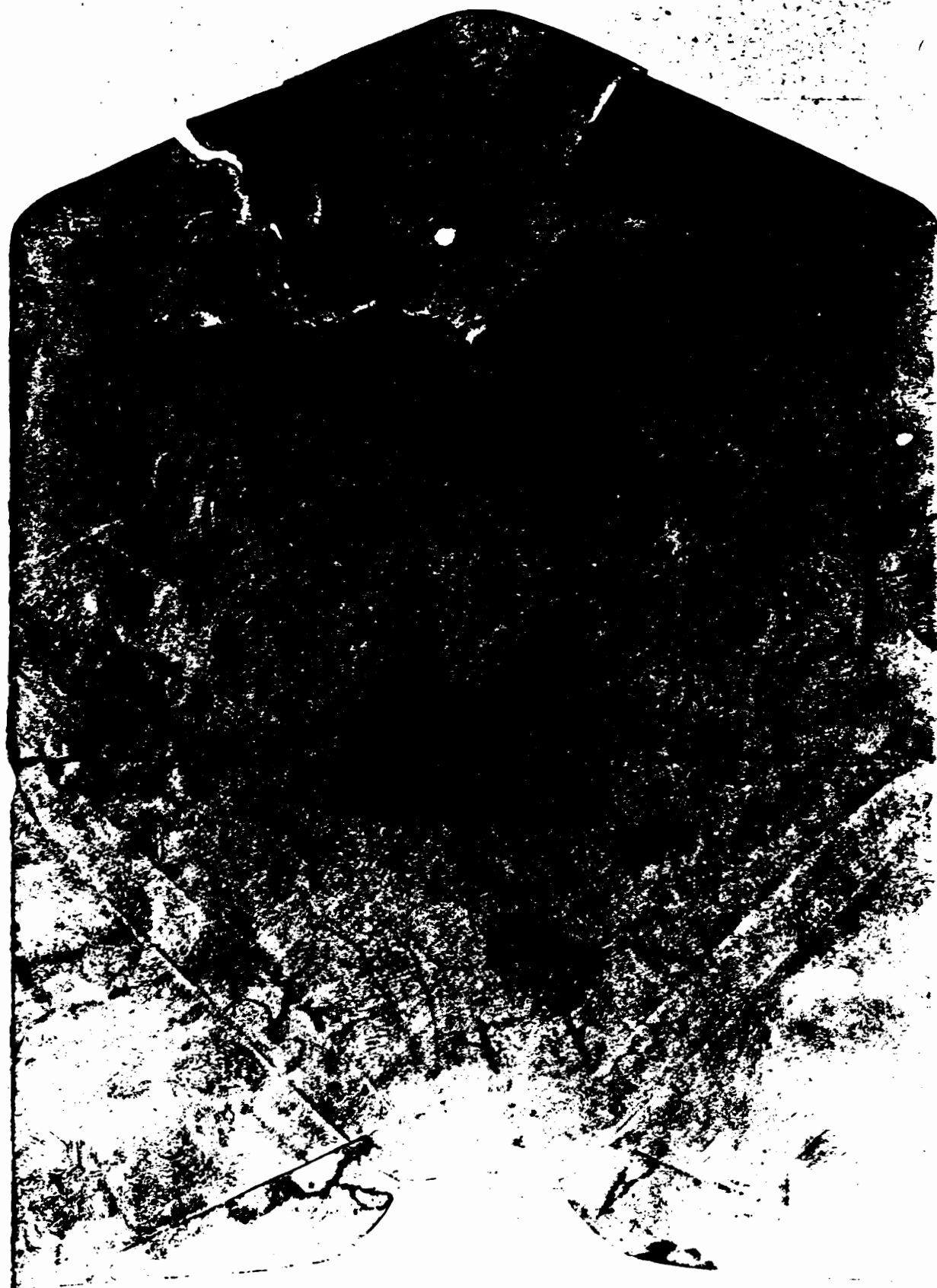
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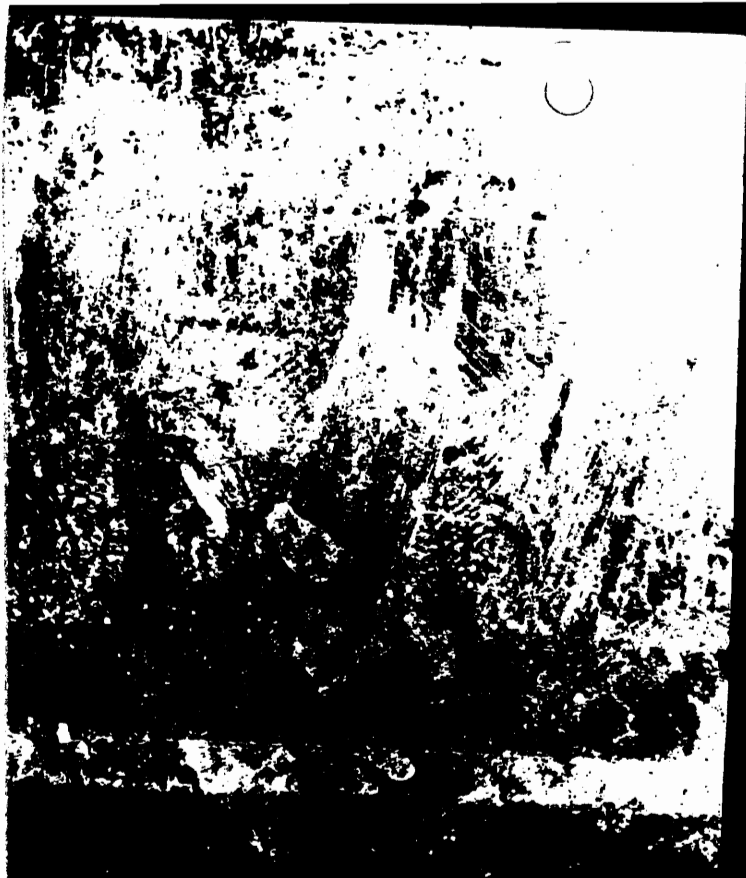


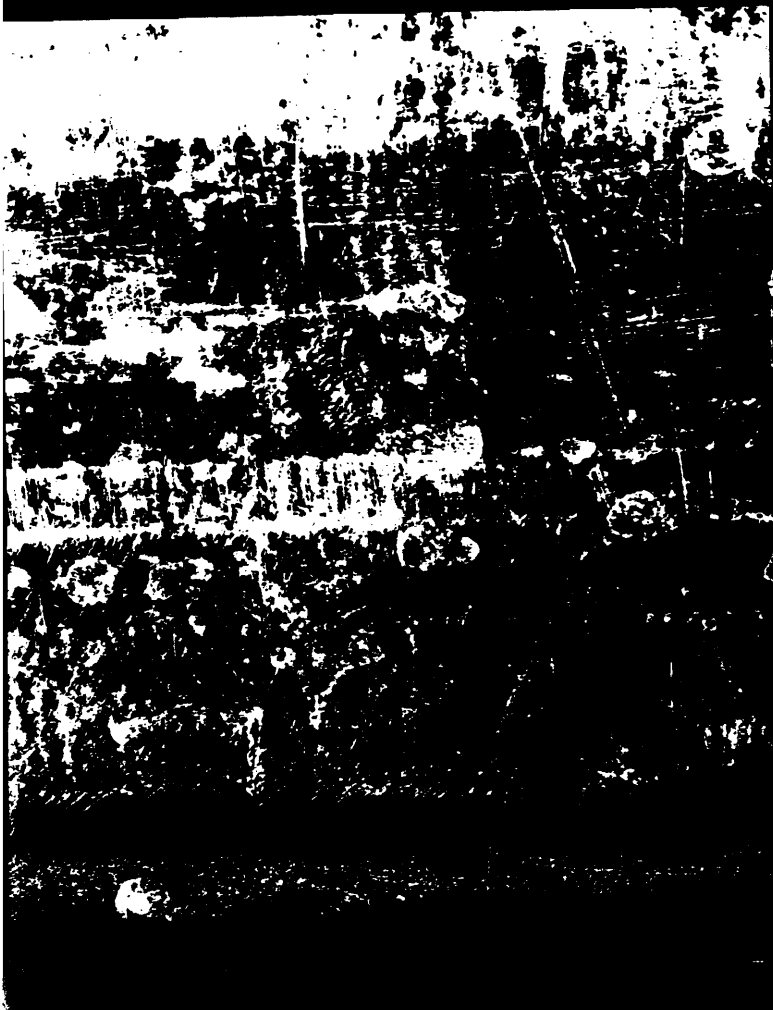
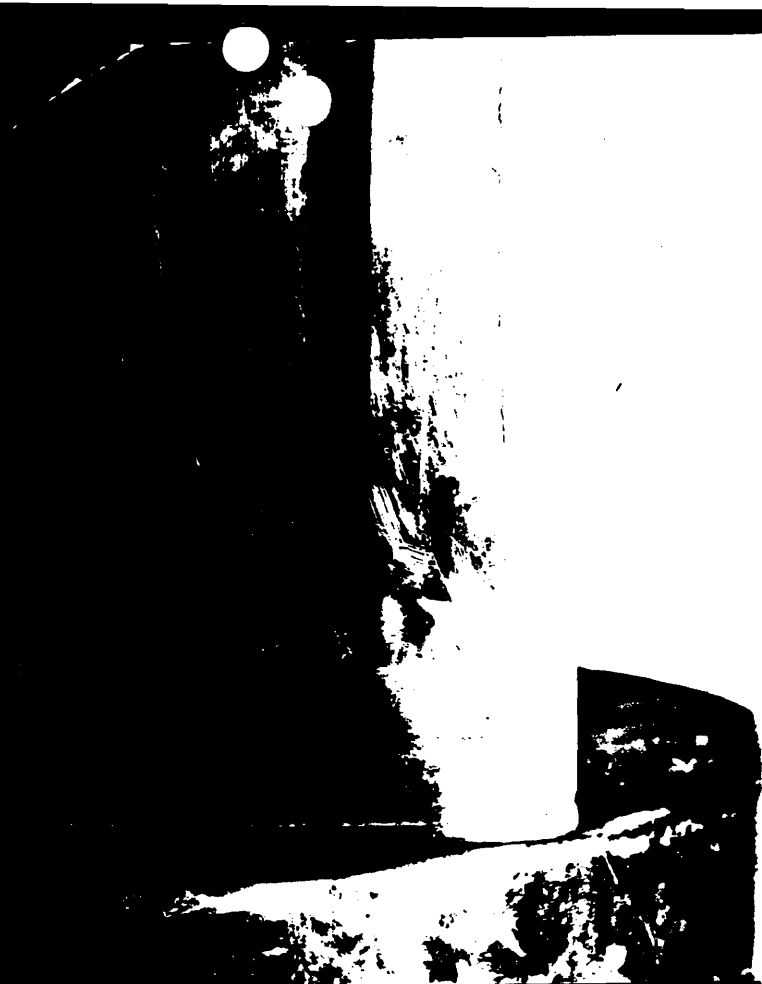


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I trust in truth it is your
that will be done.. I suppose
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some kind of objection to my brother
and sister's letters being opened.
But I think it is better that
they should be open than closed.
I am sure you will not
be able to help them.







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following expenditure of millions

Karpis' Aids Get 5 Years in Prison



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the last time that you said
 not get any letter from home
 and I hope you made
 just what to Harriet and
 she is so much of a help
 Monday the 24th you are going
 to Springfield and see a
 piece of Margaret poor
 woman is getting so large
 and she is working so hard
 her back bothers her so much
 Dear Alice I will please for now
 give Esth and Sam our best
 regards and tell them with love
 from home we are
 all well

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St Mary's Hospital I don't
 know how long she will
 be there.

Don't forget to go and
 see the big Steam-
 Boat.

now so what did I want
 I don't think that I look nice
 I hope you got the letter
 I sent you of yours
 I hope you are well to see
 for I know that you
 received one letter to home I
 wrote that the little brother
 was here you must have gotten
 at least 4 letters since your
 one in New York to Mary is

while then she drove to her house had a nice lunch and then we went over the Mendota bridge and in the little Mendota town and past Holly Hook and out on Cedar Avenue it was such a lovely day so warm and nice.

Now I don't know but it might be such a thing that I might go to Webster Sunday with Andersons but that is not so sure yet. And Berta called up the other evening she asked for you the card you send Mayrtle she it to her mother.

I saved 2 night silk ones for Mrs O'Brien she went to the

Minneapolis Minn
March 28th 1935

my dear daughter Alice,
I got a letter from you today and also from Mr. I saw Mrs. Locket to get his letter you told him I will write him soon but I will wait a few days for I had my funny days I let my ironing stand 2 days but never the less I had it all out of the way. but never the less I have been just the same Tuesday Afternoon Ella took me and sister Blanch oh such a nice long but ride she took us for a ride for a

Chas Paul Bremer
601-8194-81
Chambers
Capt 9
Cham



Miss Alice Conrad
c/o Carlo Thwaite

64 West 96 Street

New York City

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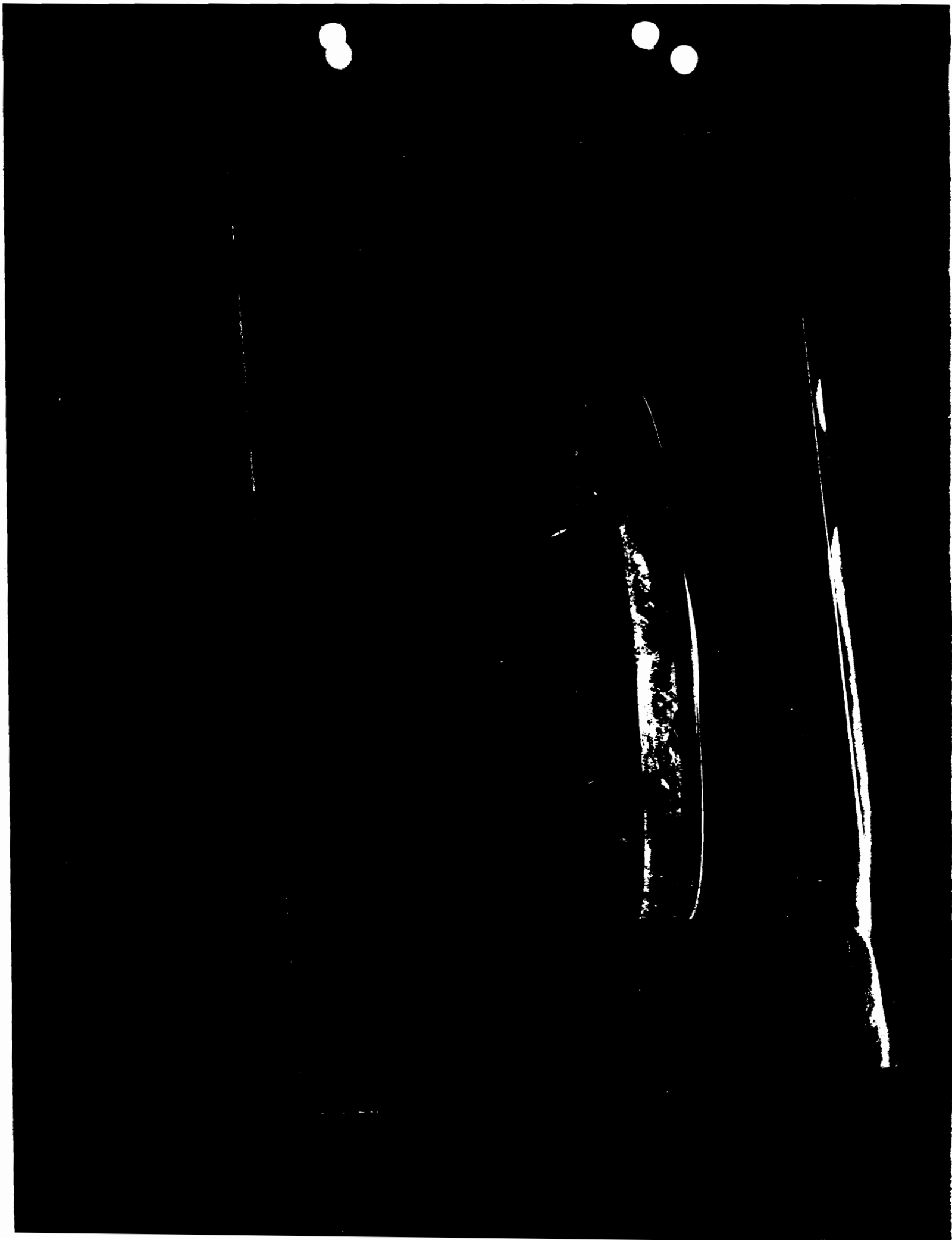
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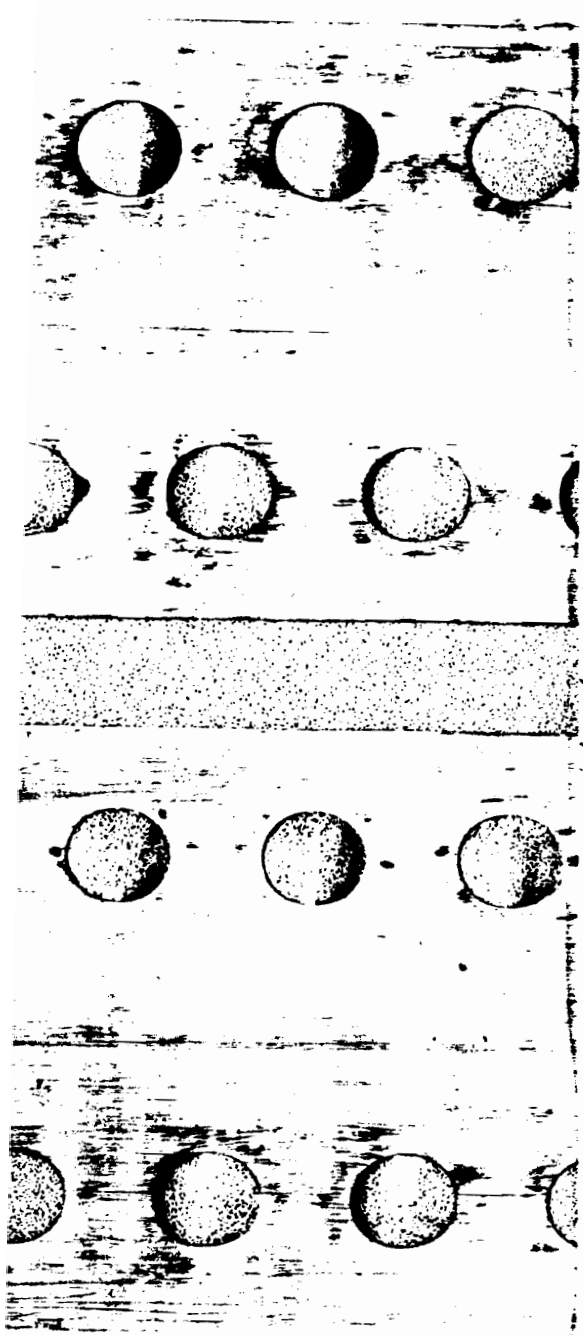
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To the Arresting
Officer:

Motor No.

Serial No.

The officer arresting the owner of this card for violation of the law regulating automobiles, will hold this card as bail and release party at once, and deliver this card to the Chief or Superintendent of Police, and receive further orders.

Thomas E. Dalzell
CHIEF OF POLICE, ST. PAUL

W. J. Meekhan
SUPT. OF POLICE, MINNEAPOLIS

E. J. Barber
CHIEF OF POLICE, DULUTH

FREE EMERGENCY ROAD SERVICE
to which the owner of this card is entitled


(a) Any mechanical service necessary to enable the car to proceed under its own power, such mechanical service not to exceed thirty (30) minutes of actual labor on the road. In the event the mechanic is unable to put the member's car in running condition within the allowed thirty (30) minutes of service on the road, then the car will be towed to the service station.

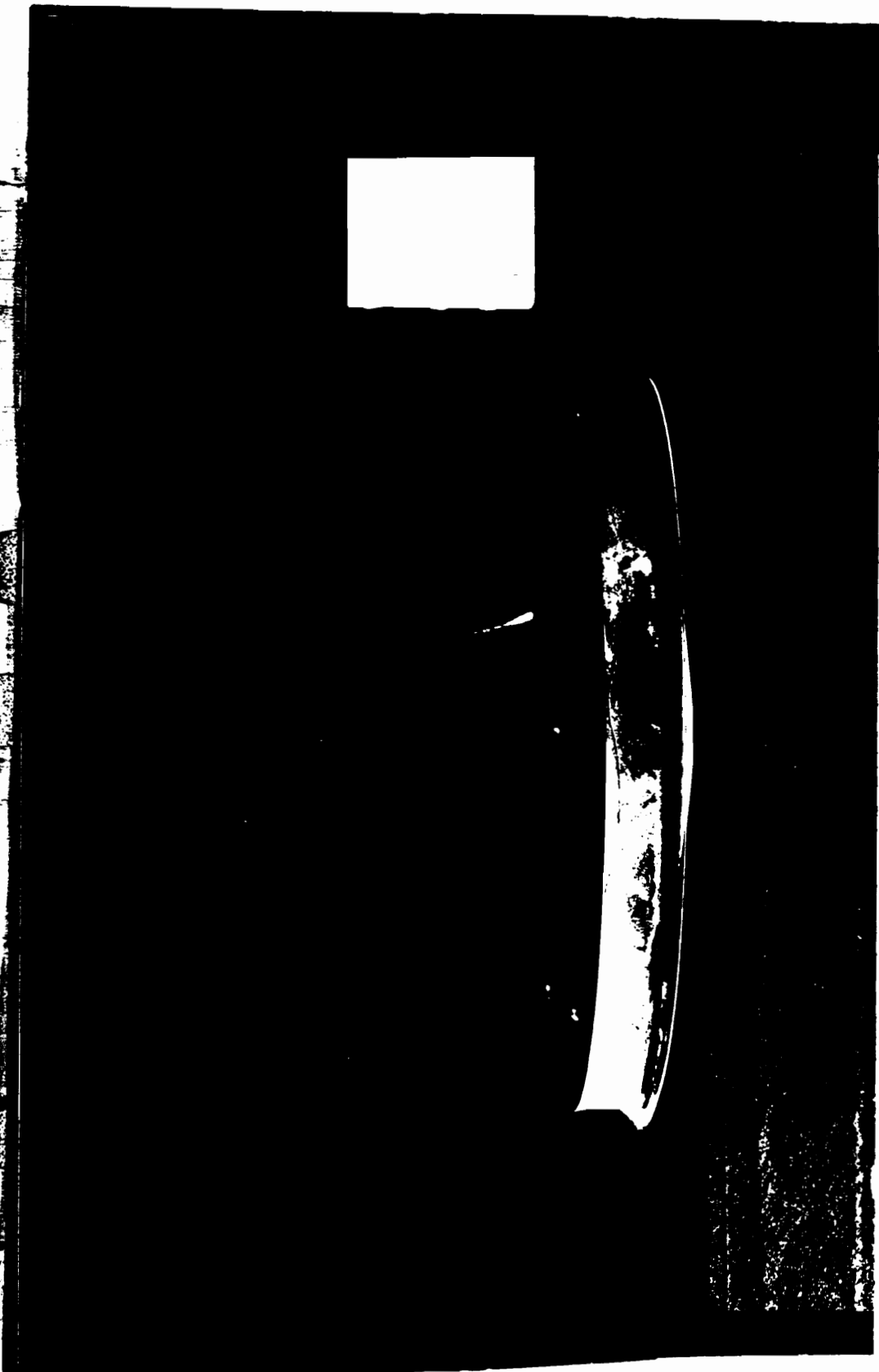
(b) The delivery in an emergency case of gas, oil, tires, tubes, batteries or such parts which may be available necessary to render the car operative. This service shall also include the changing of an inflated tire from rack to wheel.

(c) Extricating a member's car from the ditch, mud, snow, sand or embankment, and towing it to the service station if it cannot be put in running condition on the road within the allowed thirty (30) minutes.



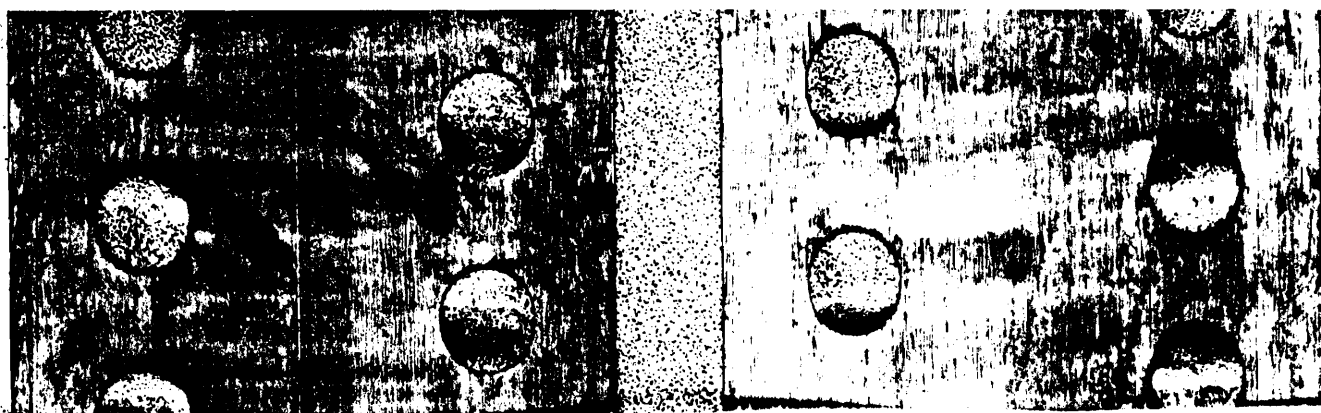
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No. 22790	No.
MEMBERSHIP CARD	
MINNESOTA STATE AUTOMOBILE CLUB	
ST. PAUL	
ISSUED TO	MR. EDWARD H. FRISER
SECRETARY	
EXPIRES	
MINNESOTA STATE AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION	
AMERICAN AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION	

Official Service		A. A. A. Stations
<p>Garages in Minnesota displaying the above sign are authorized upon presentation of paid membership card to render FREE EMERGENCY ROAD SERVICE to members of the Minnesota State Automobile Association within a territory not to exceed a five (5) mile radius from the Service Station and Fifty (50) cents a mile one way beyond (List of Stations published monthly in SPARKS). EXCEPTION: Members must call the following telephone numbers for SERVICE (24 hours) in Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth.</p>		
MINNEAPOLIS At 1236	ST. PAUL Ce. 2000	DULUTH Mel. 2700
Rules covering FREE EMERGENCY ROAD SERVICE other side		



fail me I know.
 As soon as you receive this
 write to take it to my father please.
 Be sure that no-one knows
 that you have received it.
 When you have done so
 about it. If any one stops you
 to ask you what you want to
 tell them you have a great
 matter to be heard of. I have
 or any thing else.
 then I don't know what to do.
 This letter I have written
 see my father.
 are alone with
 you give him the letter.

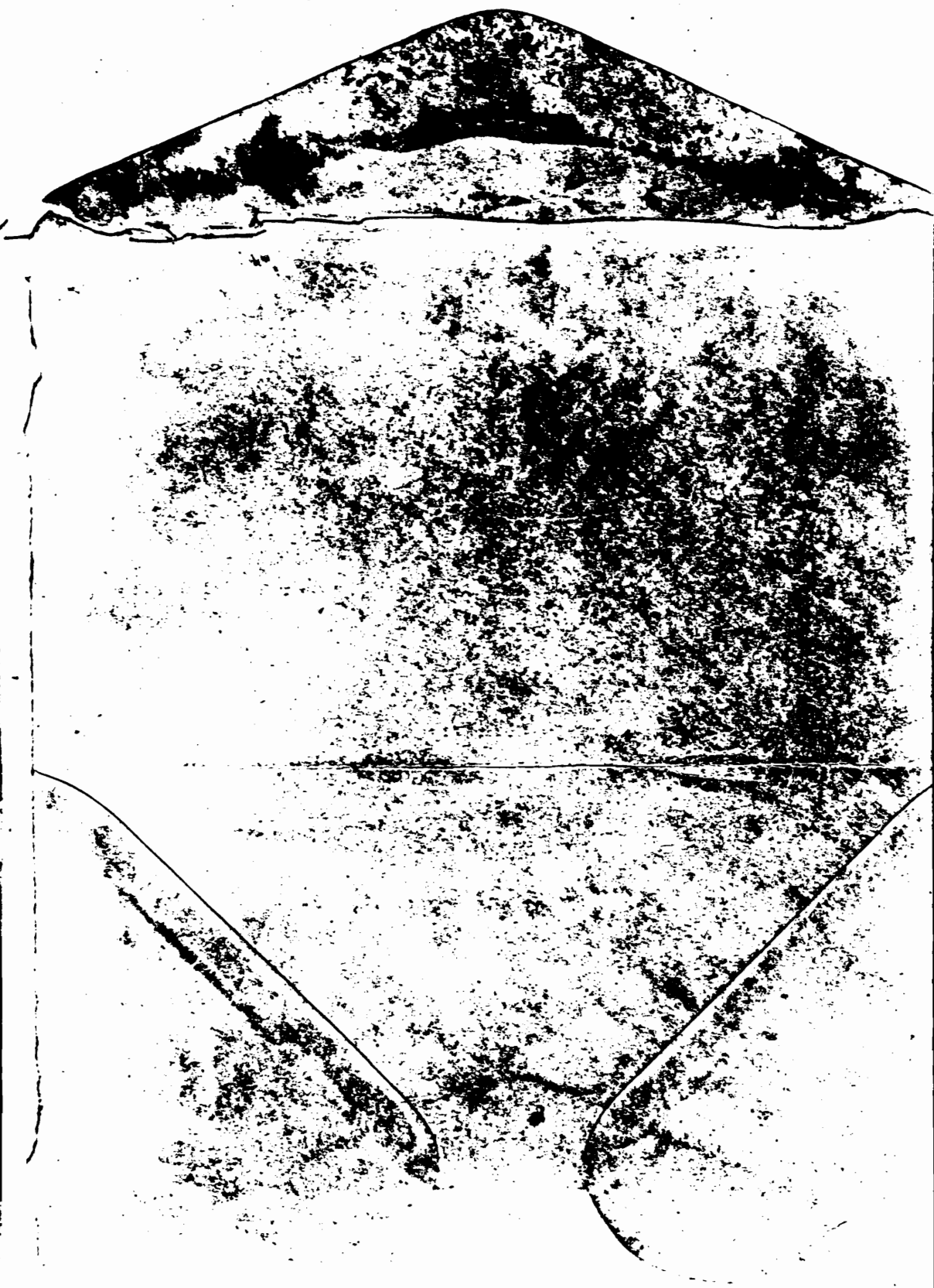
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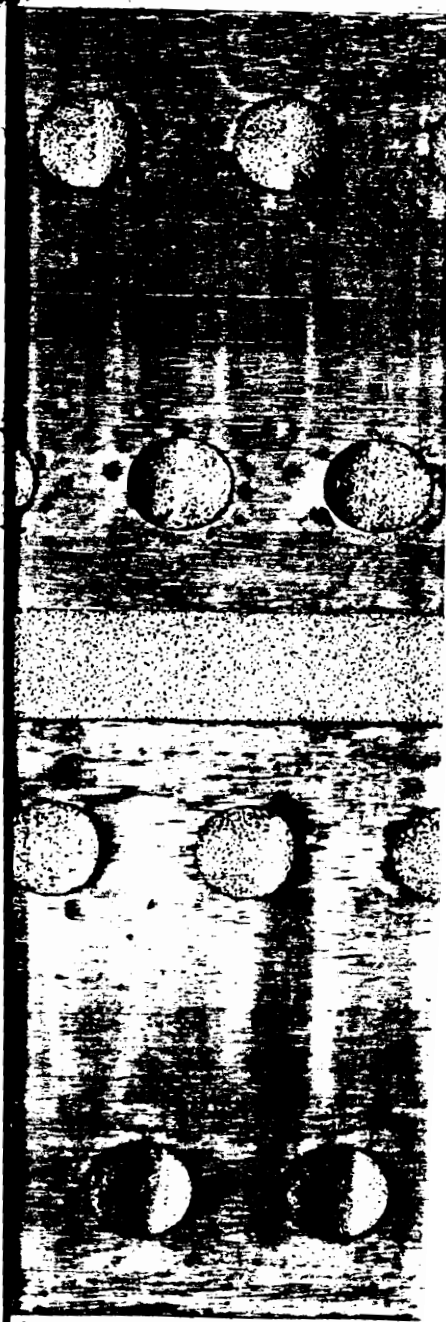
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all about
guilty...
\$6000...
the...
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that you said in the
I think that you mean
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will be...
you have paid off
Do please hurry as

My Dear Father Love;

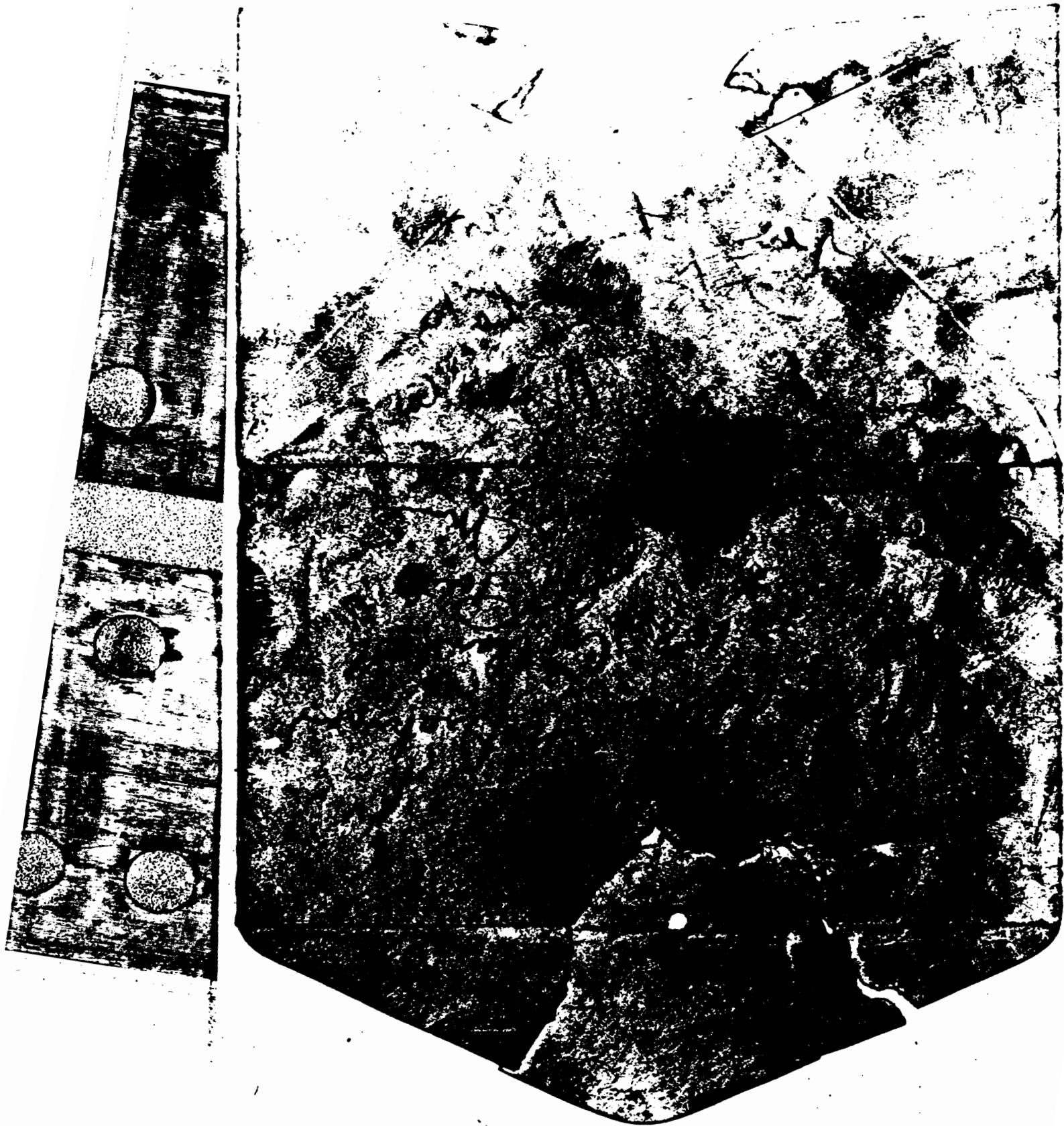
2) I am calling on you
as a representative of F & S
to something for me. I must
be a clerk - every bit as well
as a representative of F & S
I am calling on
Mr. Leonard Smith is
better known to my father
this letter is to be signed
in the name of F & S
the firm is asking you to
be the agent of the firm.
If you have no objection
to me the agent of the firm
I will have the honor to let you know.

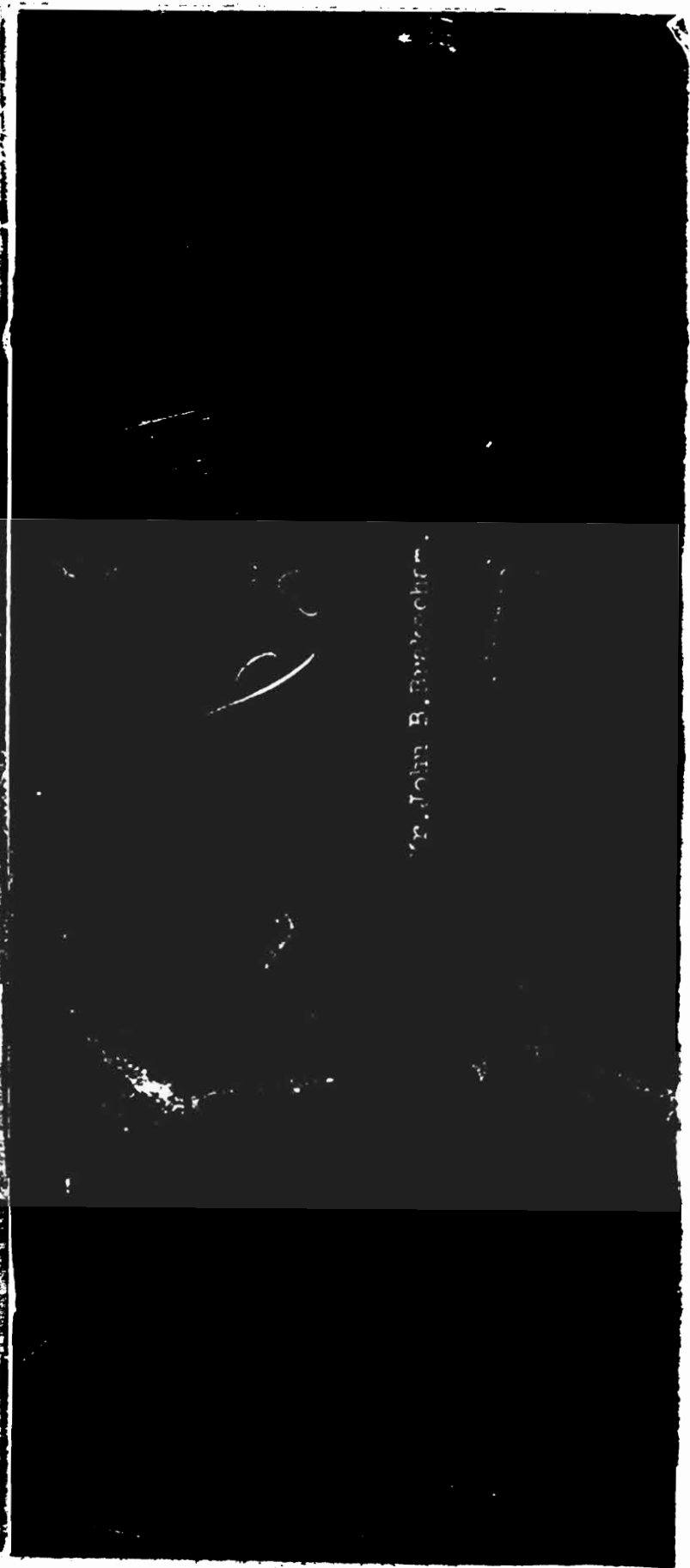
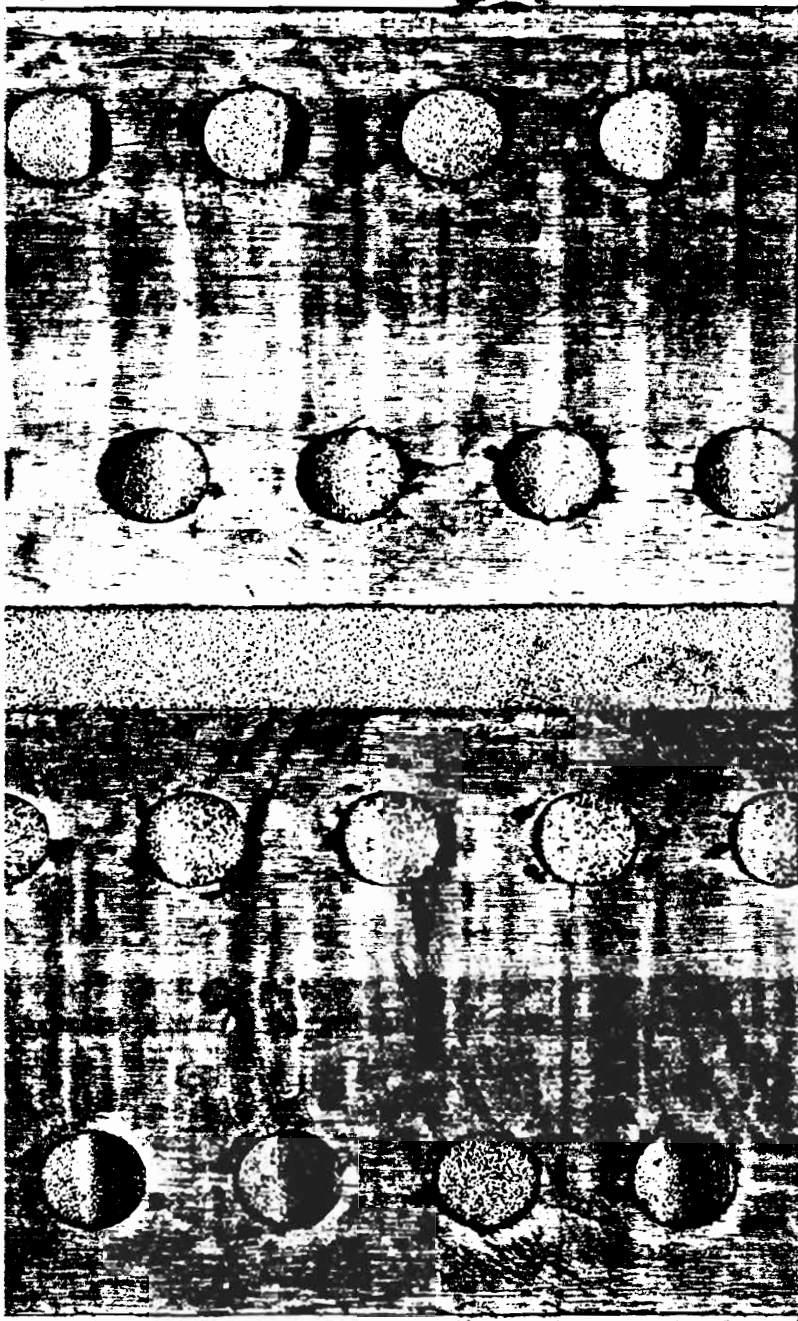


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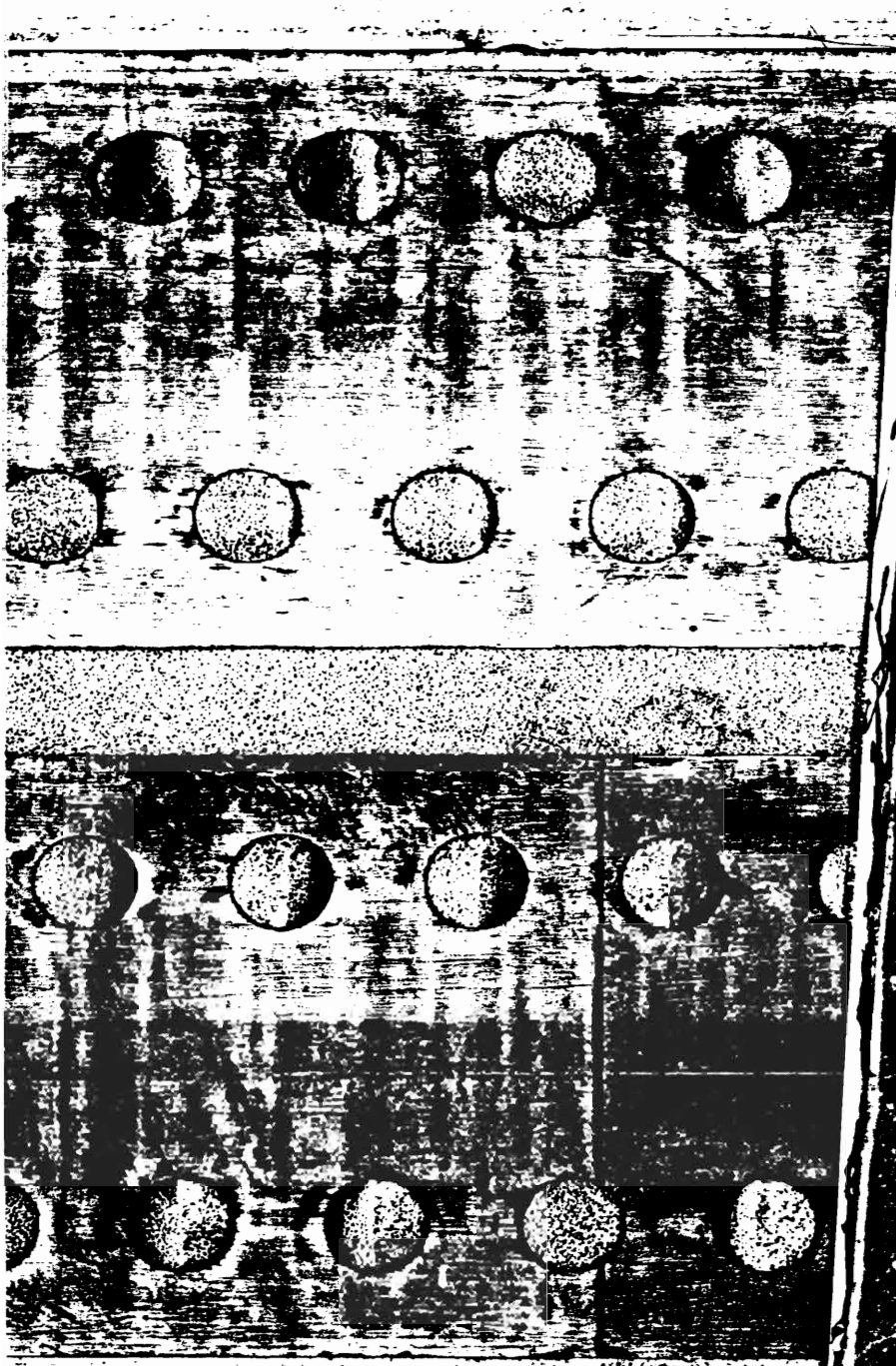
To
Walter McGee or
Adolph Bremer

VERY IMPORTANT

Please deliver CONFIDENTALLY

Dr. H. T. Nippert
Loring Building
St. Paul
Minn

Important
Personal
Please deliver to Dr. alone



Dr. H. T. Nippert

PERSONAL please deliver at once.

Mr. Walter W. Magee

Mrs. Edward S. Brewster

(Tracing of Valley Davis)
(Signature has been removed)

J. E. Hansen
J. E. Hansen

Letter received
Glasgow P.O.
Oct. 20, 1934

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OCT 18
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Mr Gary Bales
of Roundup Tavern
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UNITED STATES
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BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON

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(Tracing of Valley Davis - handwriting)
(No applying or enclosing address to Gary Bales.)

My dear Father,
I have just received the newspaper
in which it states that you have
made arrangements for everyone to
lay off for three days so that
this letter can reach you and
contact to be made to you and
I am sure that your word is
that it will be as the paper
states namely - the boys can
get this letter to you and make
arrangements to receive the
money we also get the money
with which anyone but you
now has to pay off the
money that is owed to me

Yours
Edward



every one is so busy that I
I want you to call on him
and see how he is getting
along. I am sure he is
some one that is trying to
some one that is trying to
will not be any more
I can't think of anything
than you.

I have taken the letter to
my father at once. I may be
asking a lot but it means
much to me. So to the house
you usually do to pay him a
visit but don't let on to

any one that you have this
letter. Don't let him know the letter
is there. If any one else is present
you can make the opportunity to
let you see a love with him.

Thank you for your
kindness in doing this for
me. God speed you.

Yours affectionately
Edward Cheney

and don't love, enough. I'll
be holding you both in my
arms before long & that is
all that I want in this world
is both of you.

Yours truly
D. M. Allen

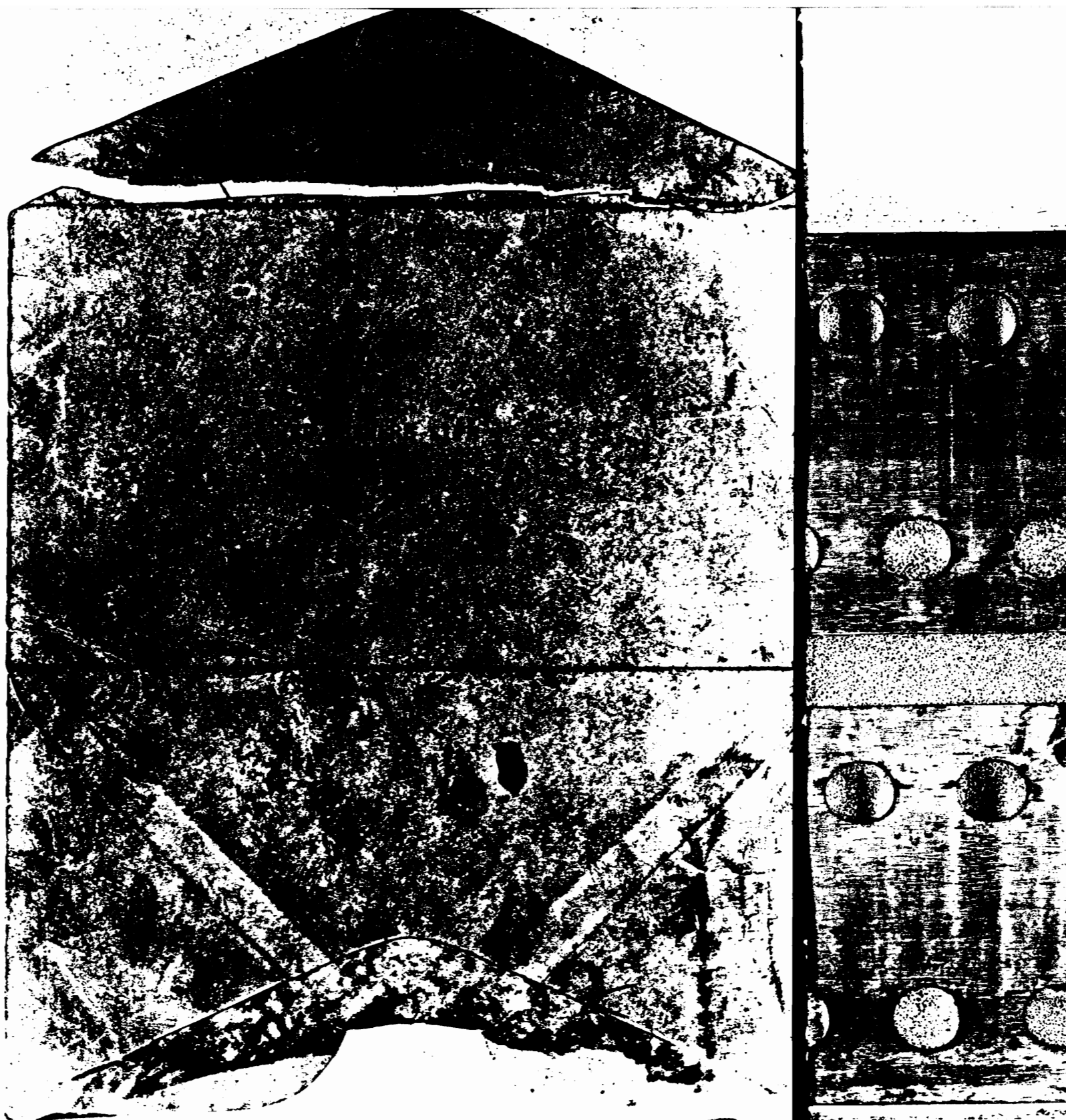
My dear friends
I have been thinking of you
in the past and I hope
you will be in the same
happy mood as
I am now.
I love you both
D. M. Allen



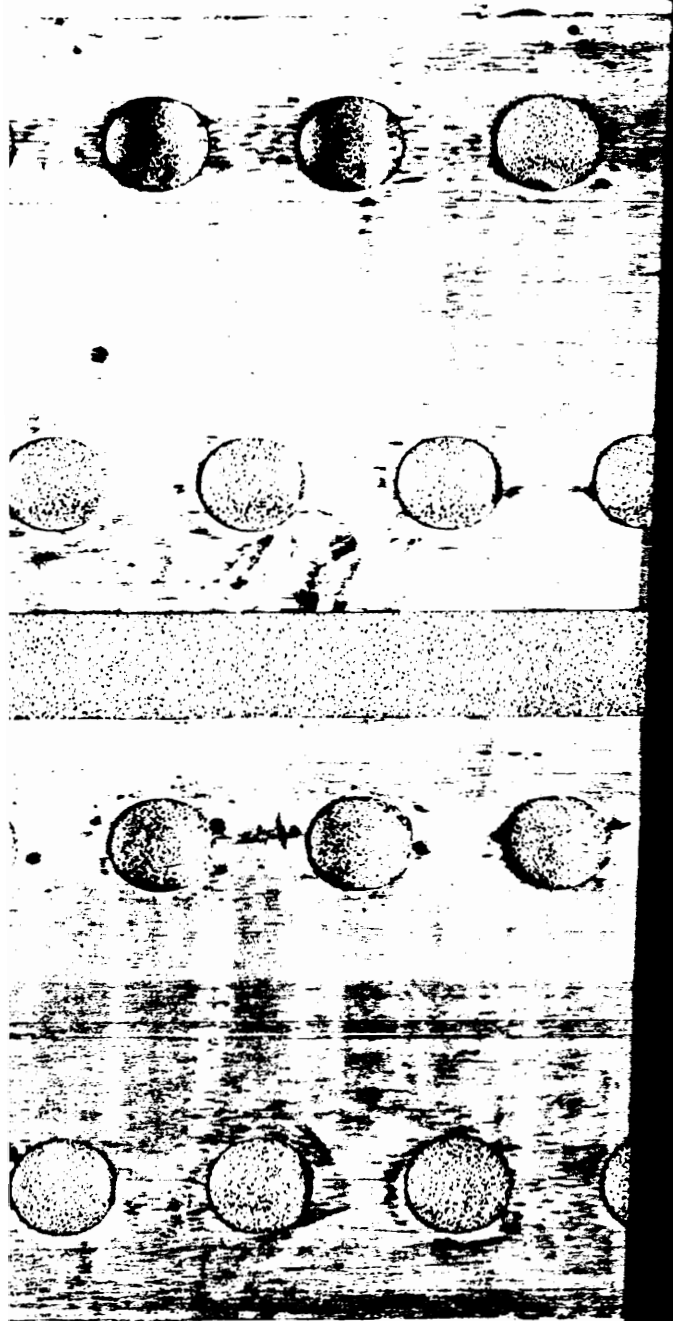
and don't lose courage - I'll
be holding you both in my
arms before long & that is
all that I want in this world
is both of you -

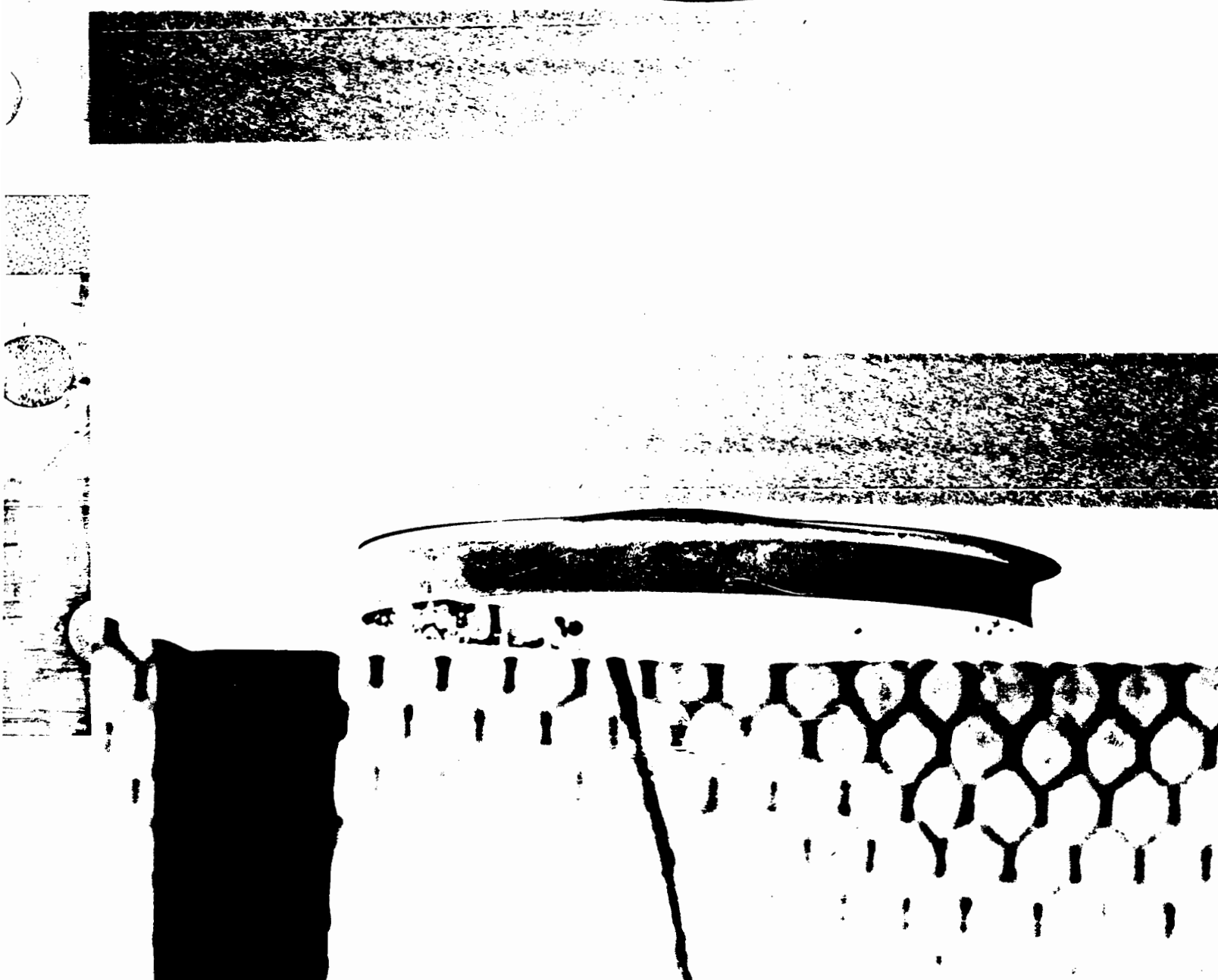
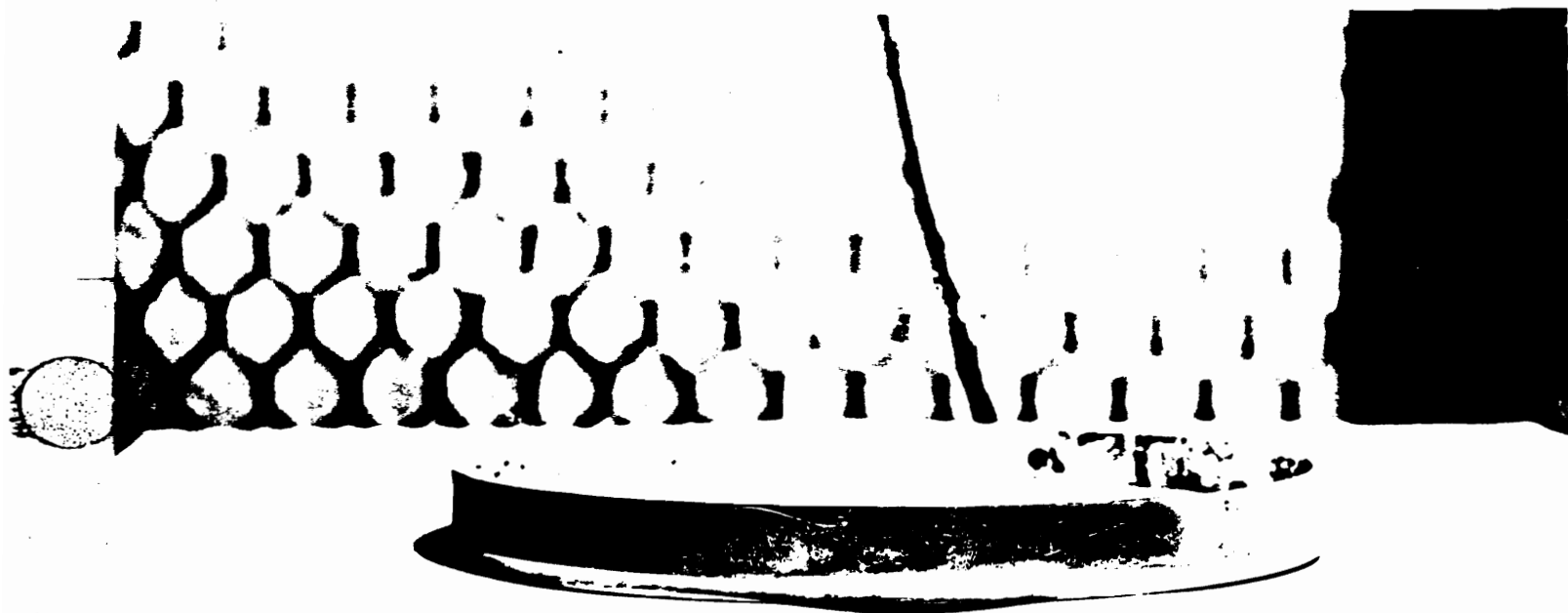
Your Own
Daddy

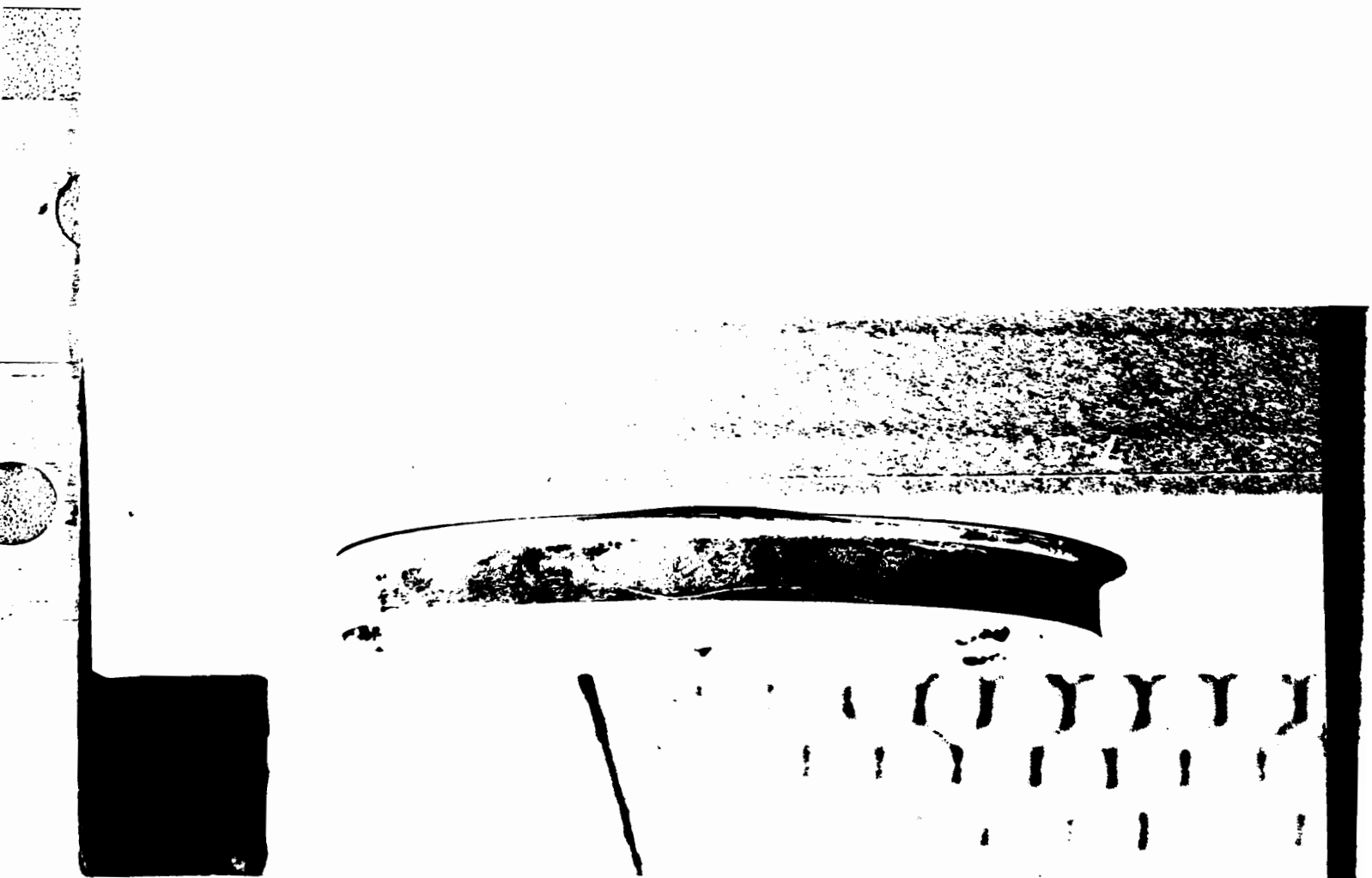
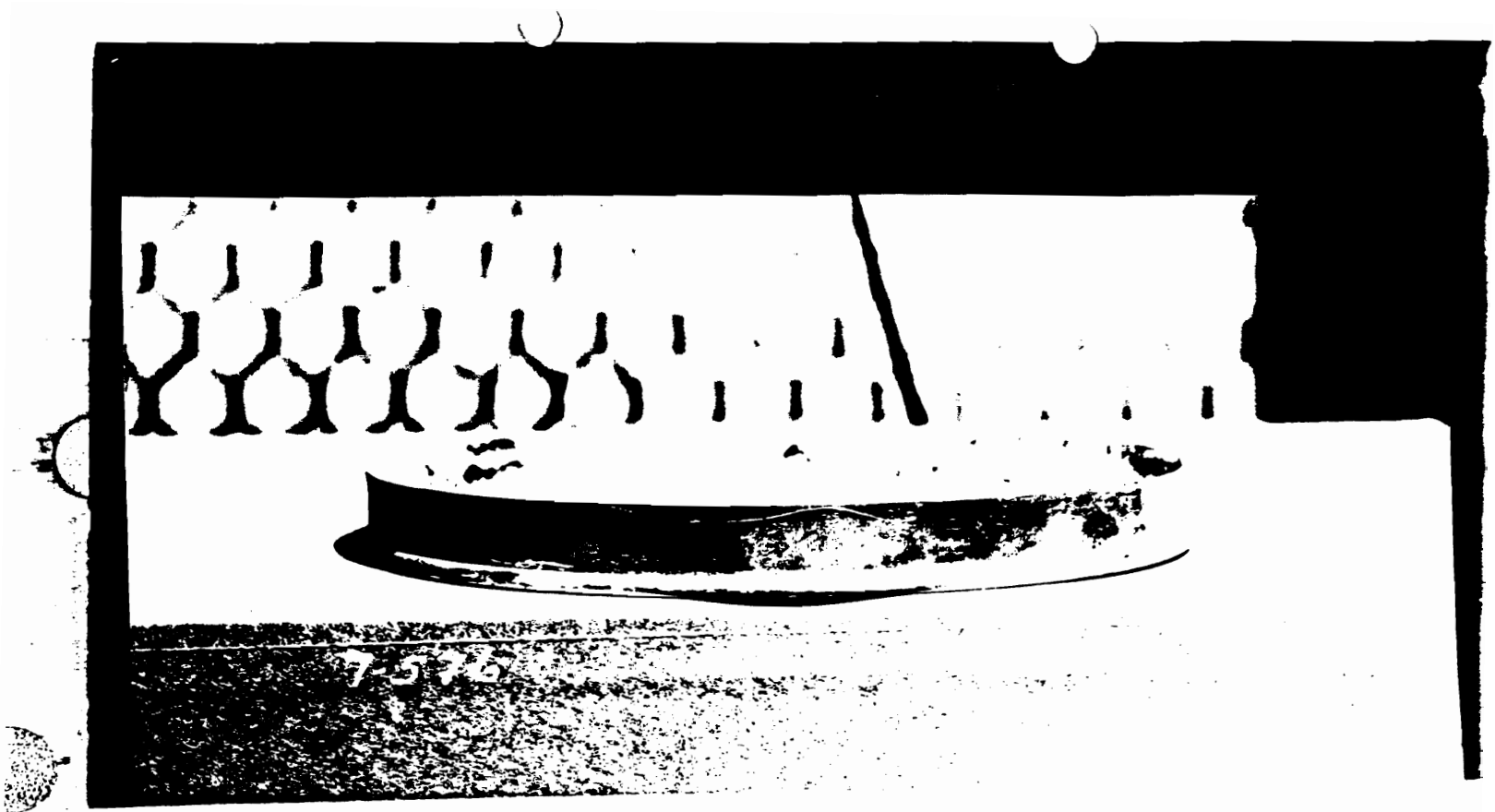


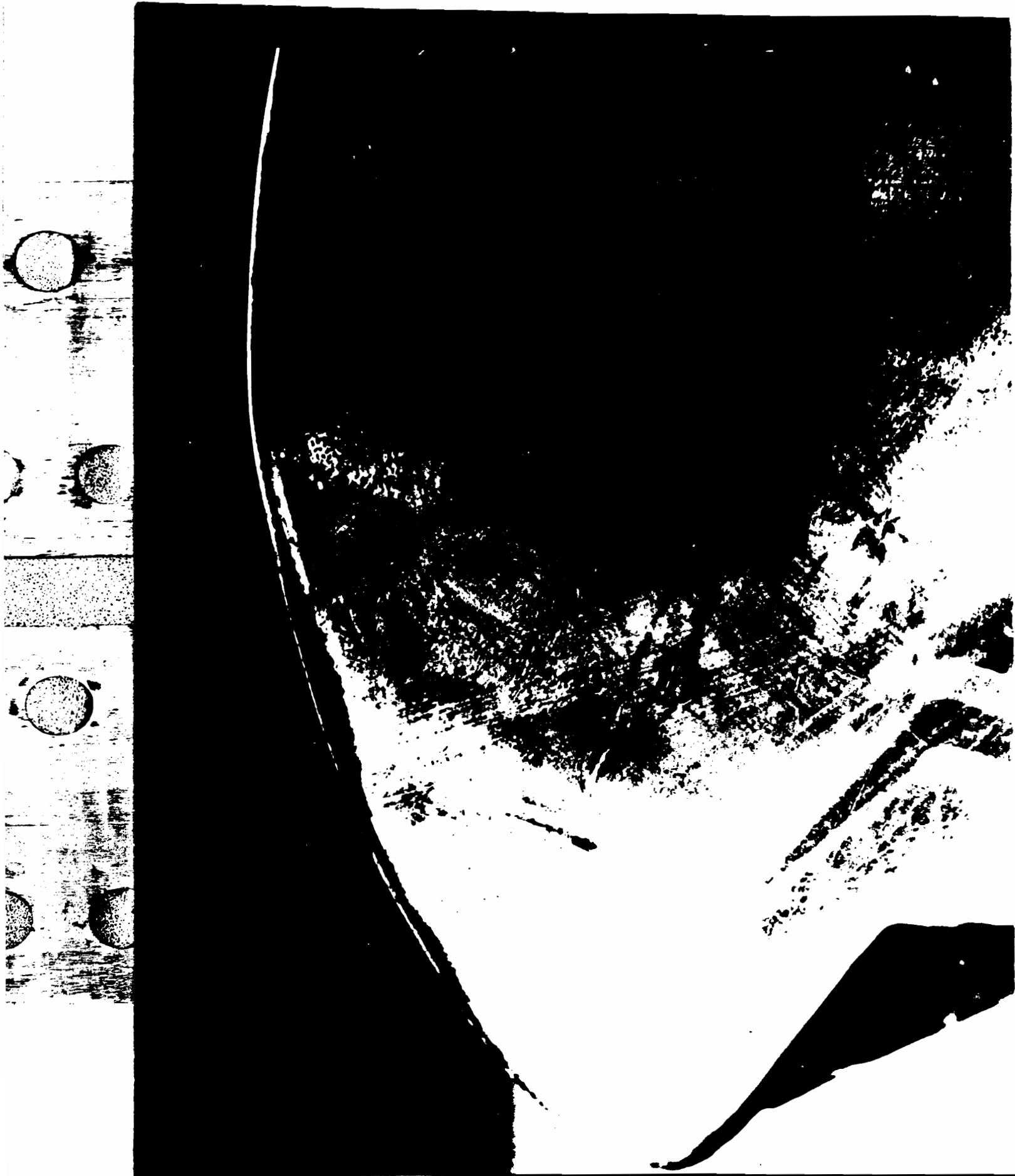


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My Dear Father,

This week has been hell on earth. The boss told me I'd have been home long ago if the money had been paid. I know you are willing to pay in order to have me back but the difficulty is that the arrangements have not been satisfactory. You must arrange that even, but you step out of the picture and deliver the money as instructed so that no harm come to the boys and that no harm will come to me. The police, government men and my other friends must quit right now and let you work alone. They must understand that you can only pay off if they do so for them to keep on working with ruins all chance to have me back. Explain it to them & don't let them get you out of it. If they were in my place they would say the same thing. I am saying. Why should they persist in staying on the case when it means my life & not theirs. You must not only ask them to stay off but must also see that they do. Your word has always been good with them & for this time I think it will be.

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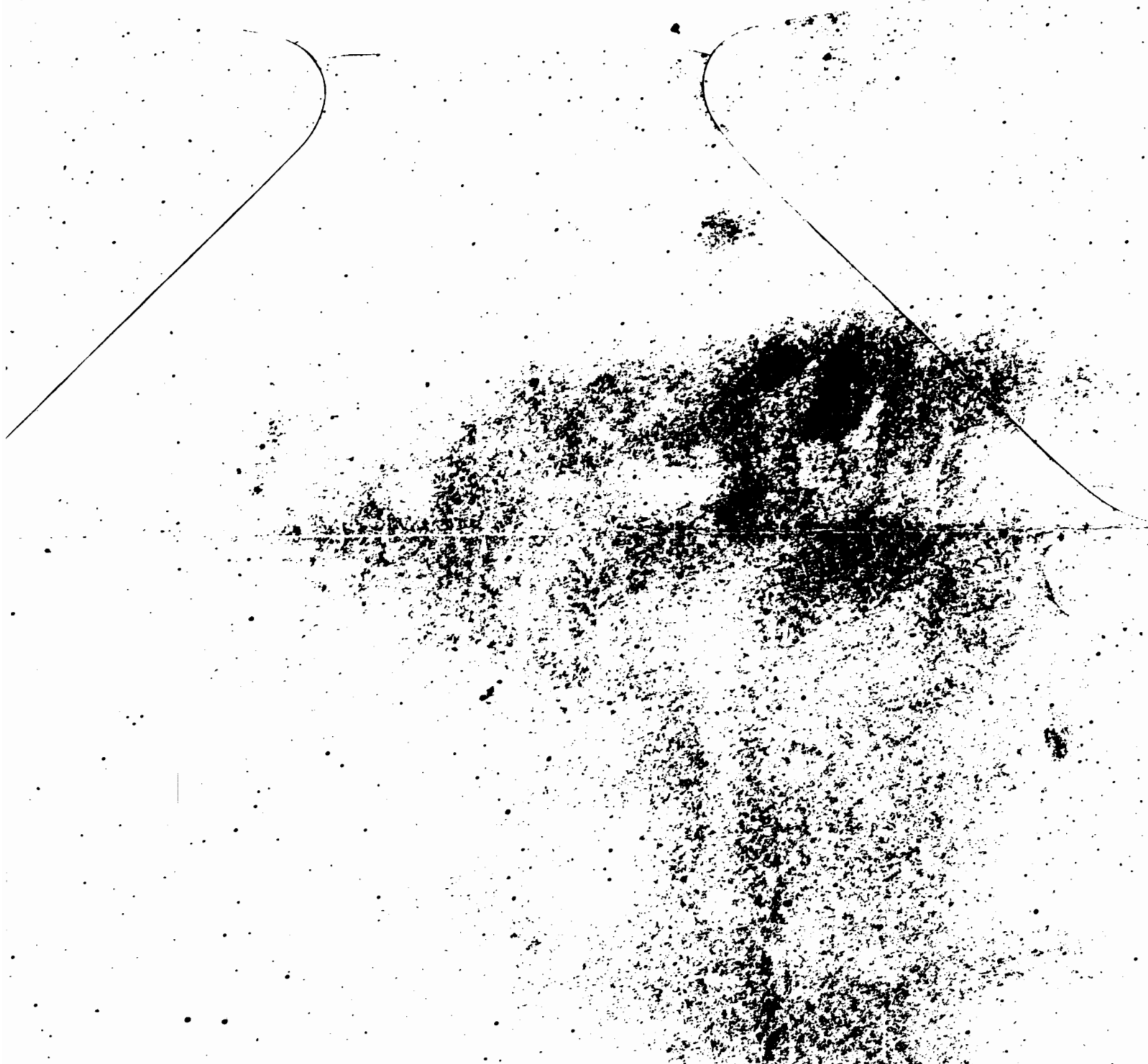
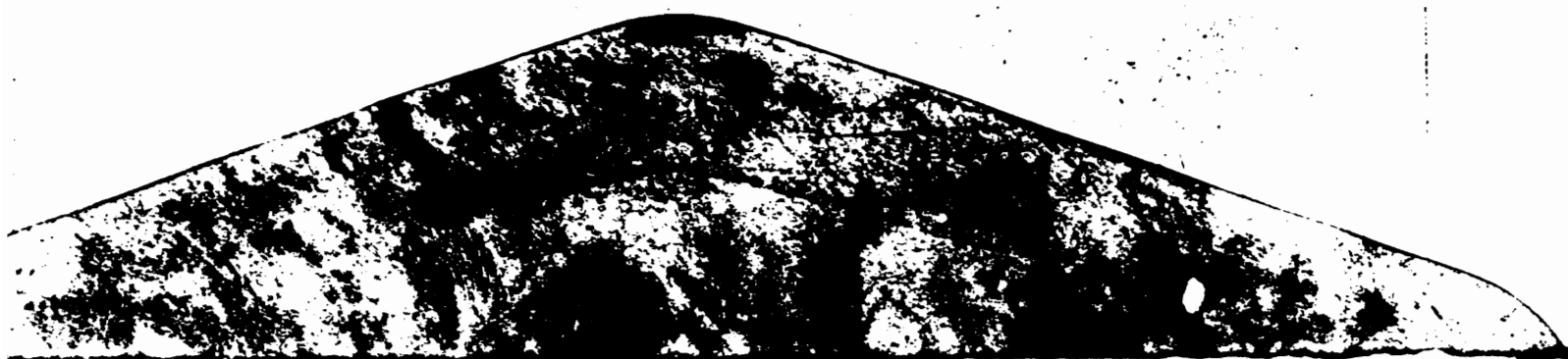
After you get this letter you will be given
another phone to pay. For Gods sake pay & see
that you pay alone. The people that you owe
to pay to are not the people that have me but
if any of them get hurt the people that have me
will still have me. Please see that the money
is paid without anyone knowing about it &
without anyone getting hurt. I want to get
back to you all so bad so please hurry.

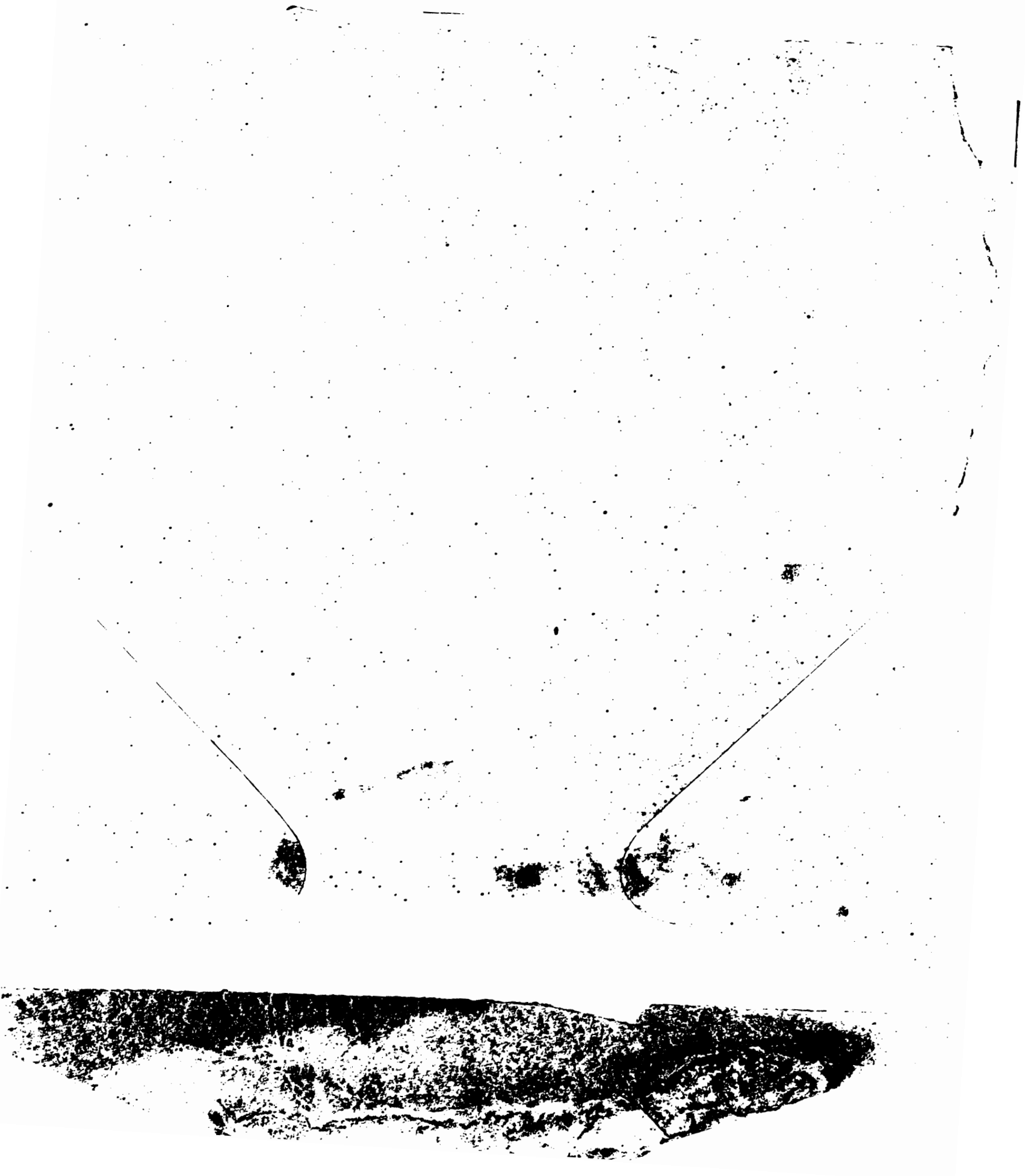
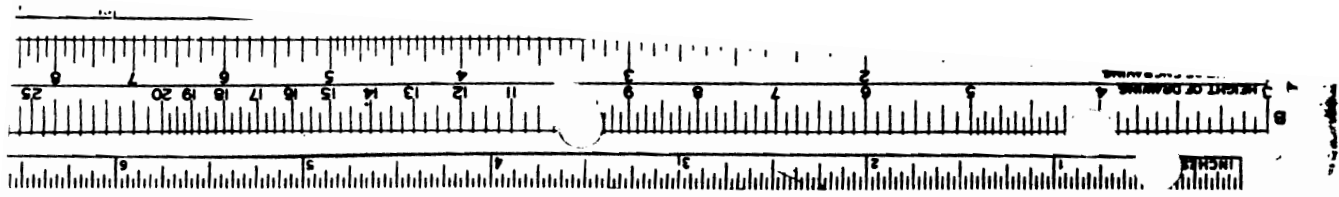
The government & police have stepped out of
every case so far when the pay off came why
shouldnt they do it for you & I. Please
hurry Pa & pay them \$2. I cant stand
this much longer but be sure no police
or government men are there so that it all
goes off as I said. no hitch but smooth
so that I can come back to you.

Say hello to Emily & Herbert for me
& kiss them for me. If I could I
hold them in my arms again. Please
hurry Pa its driving me mad.

Please Hurry

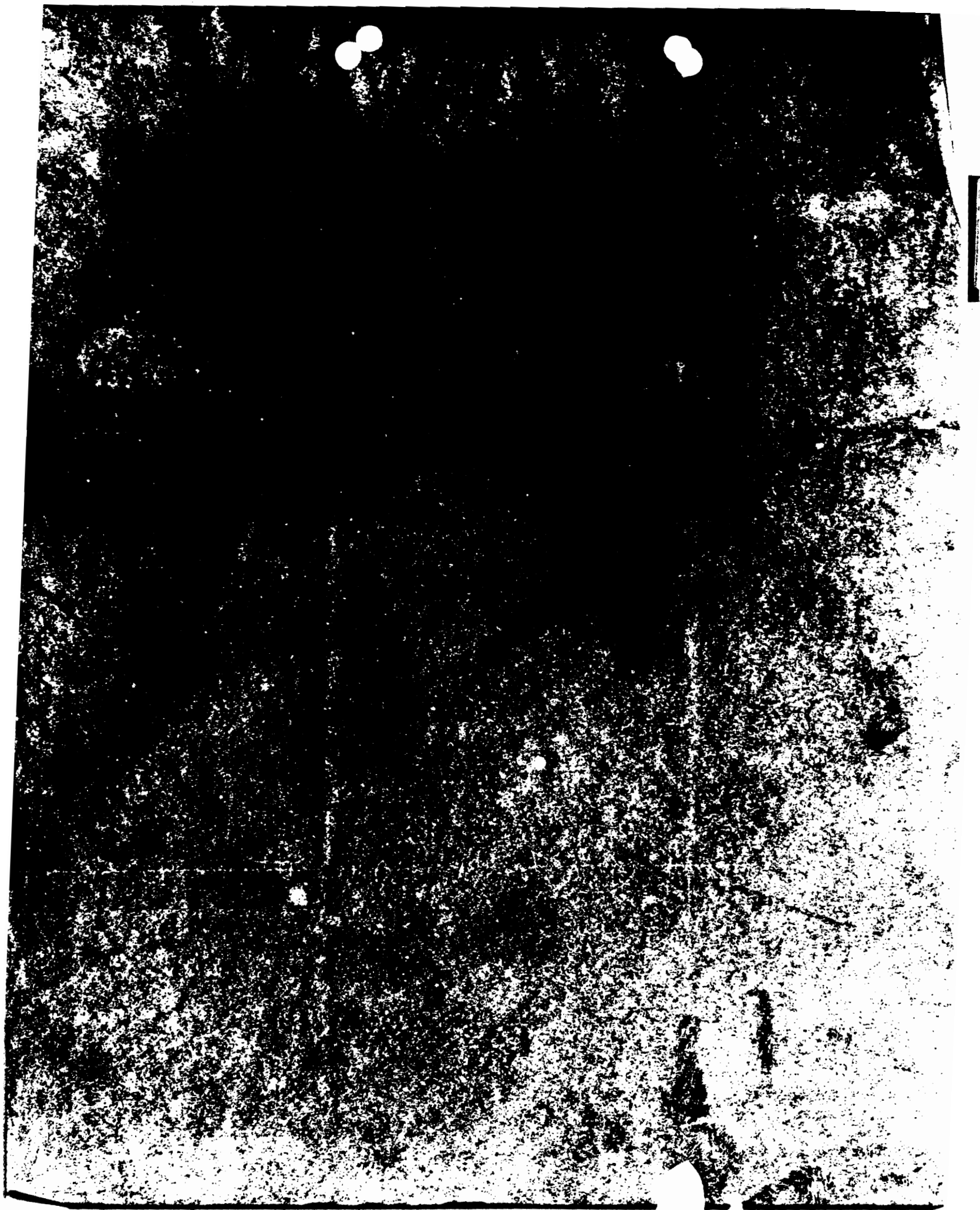
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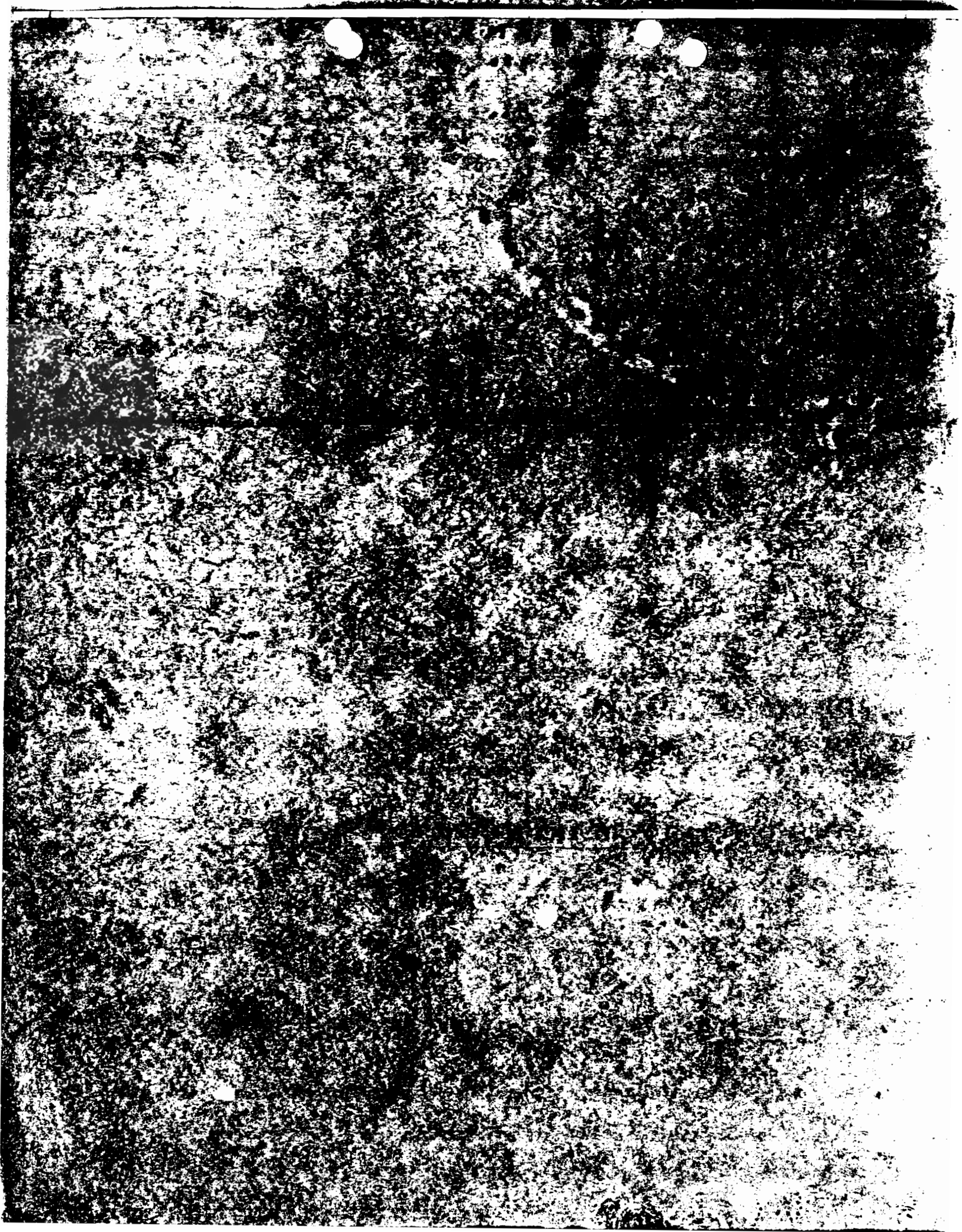




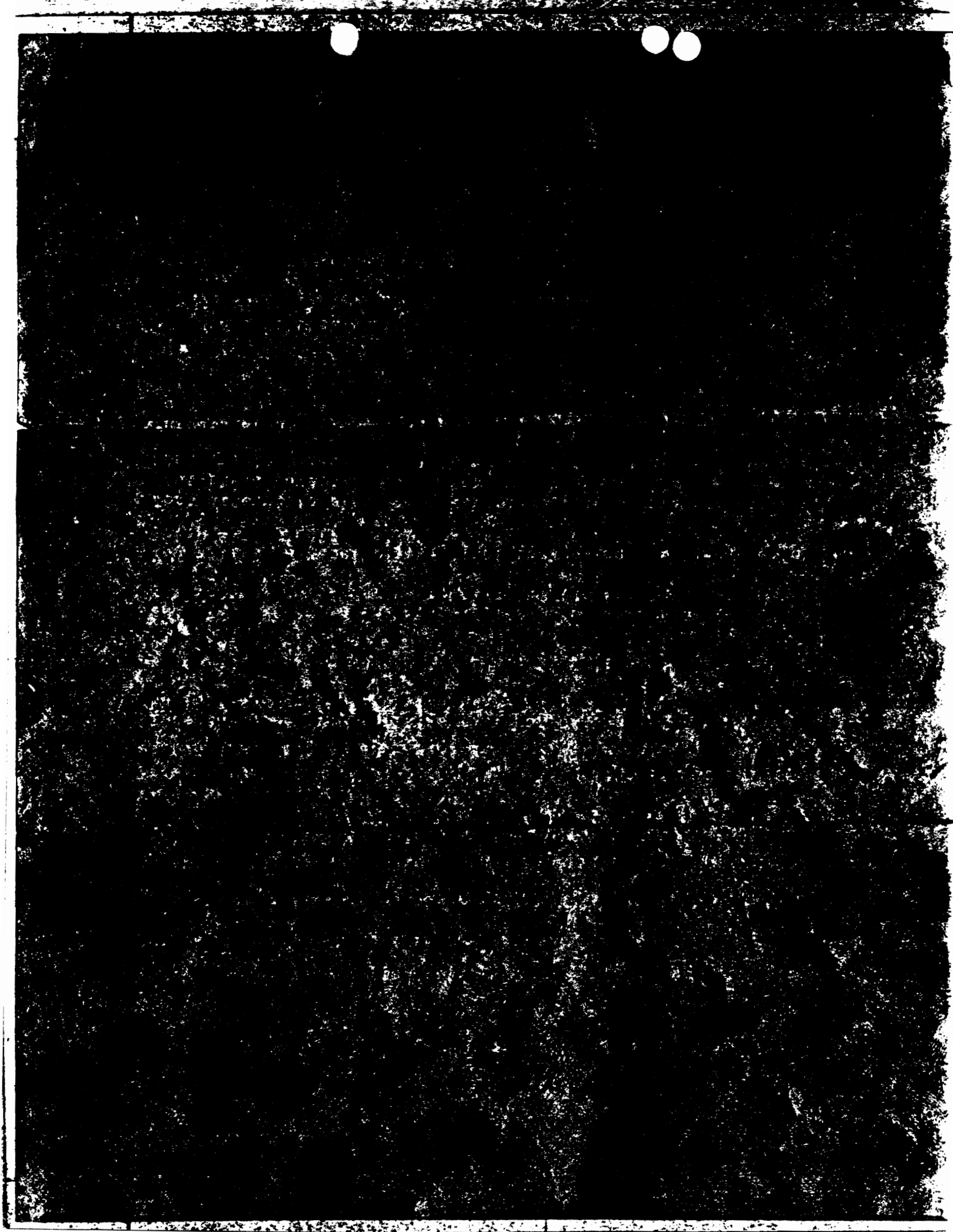


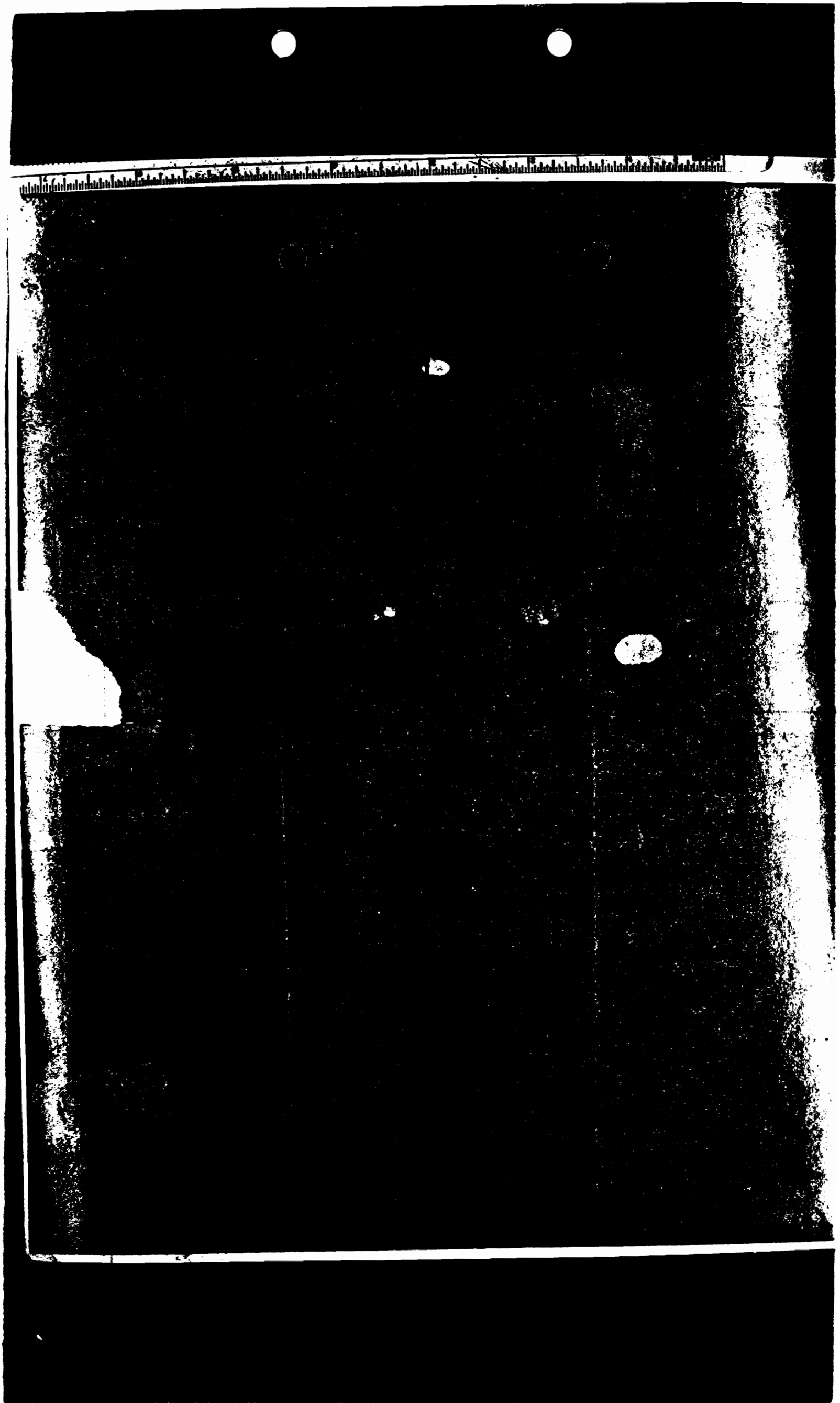


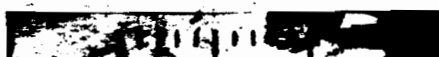
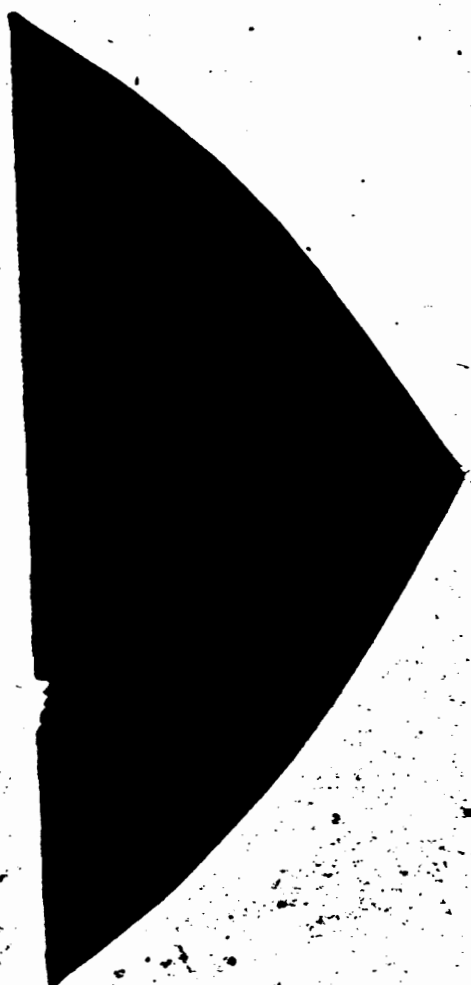
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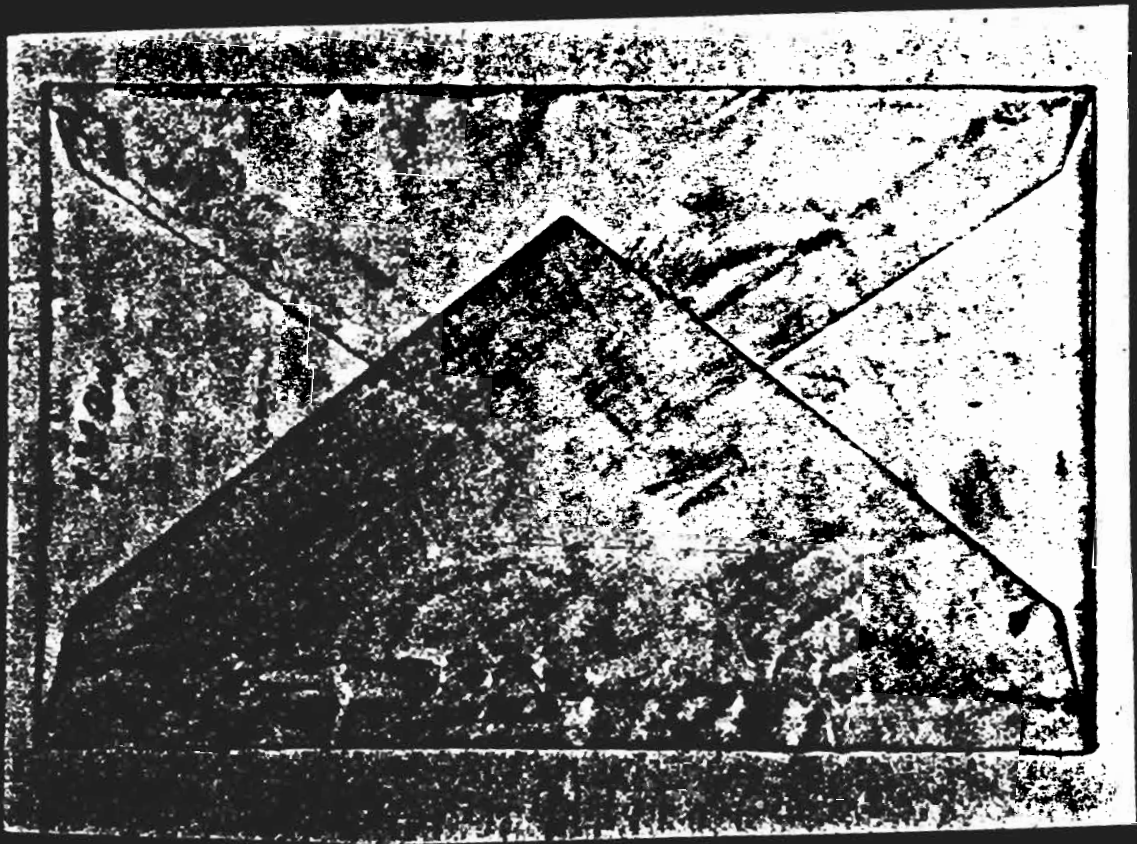




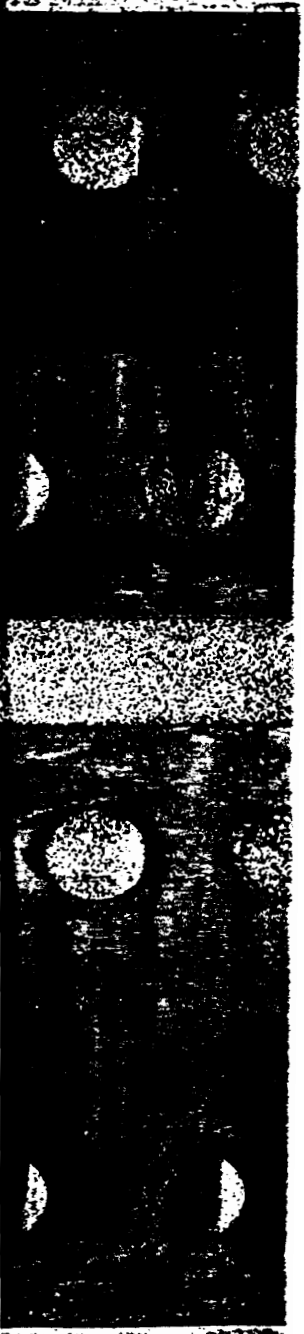


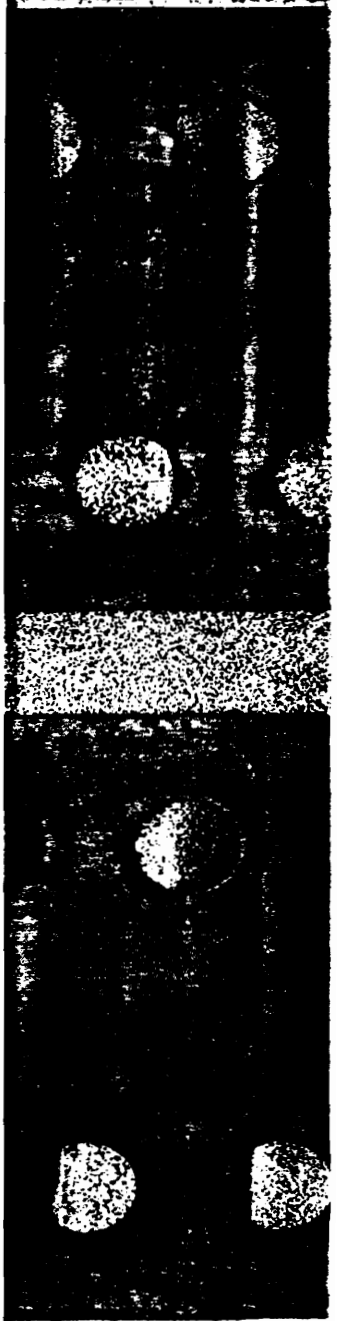
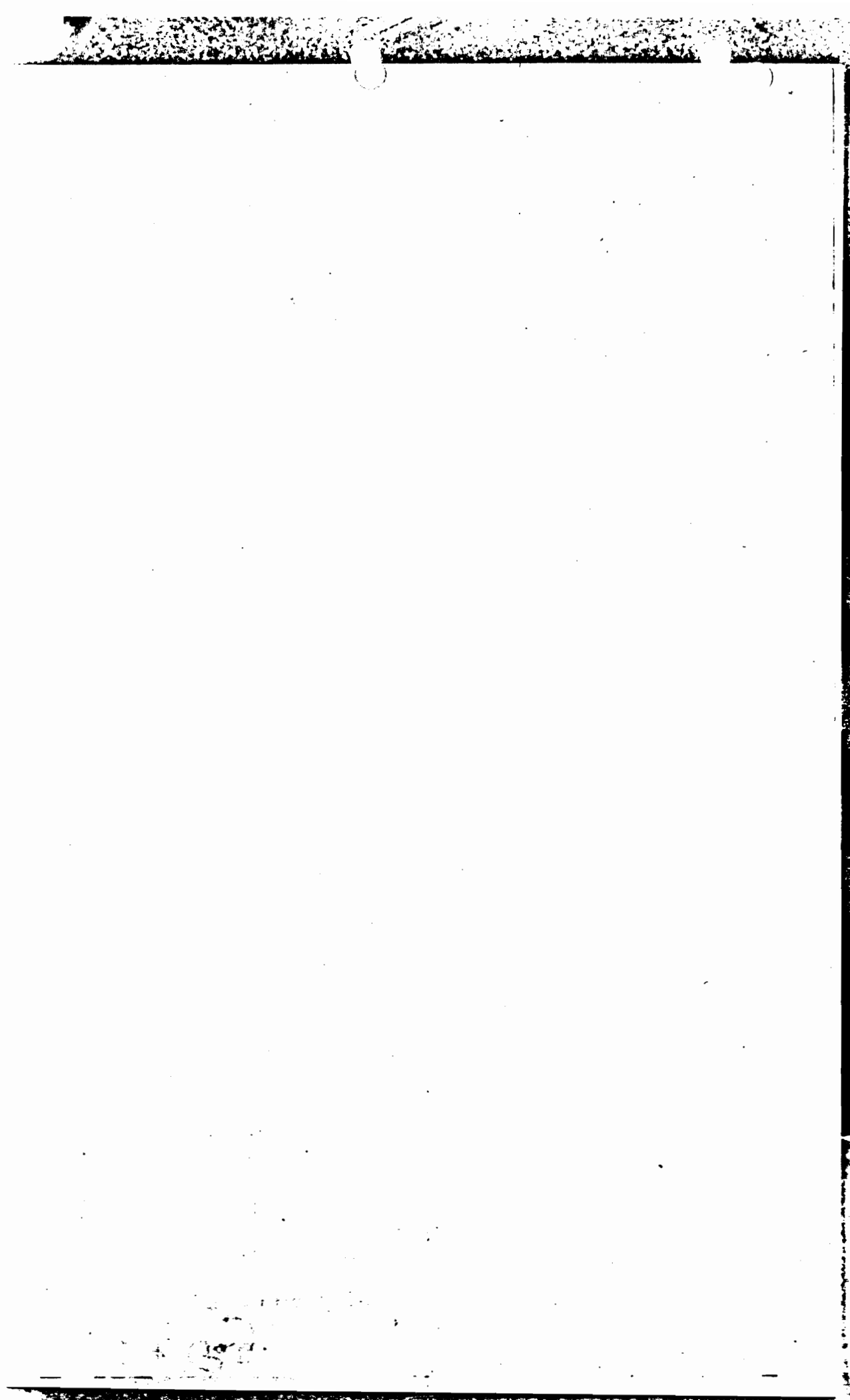






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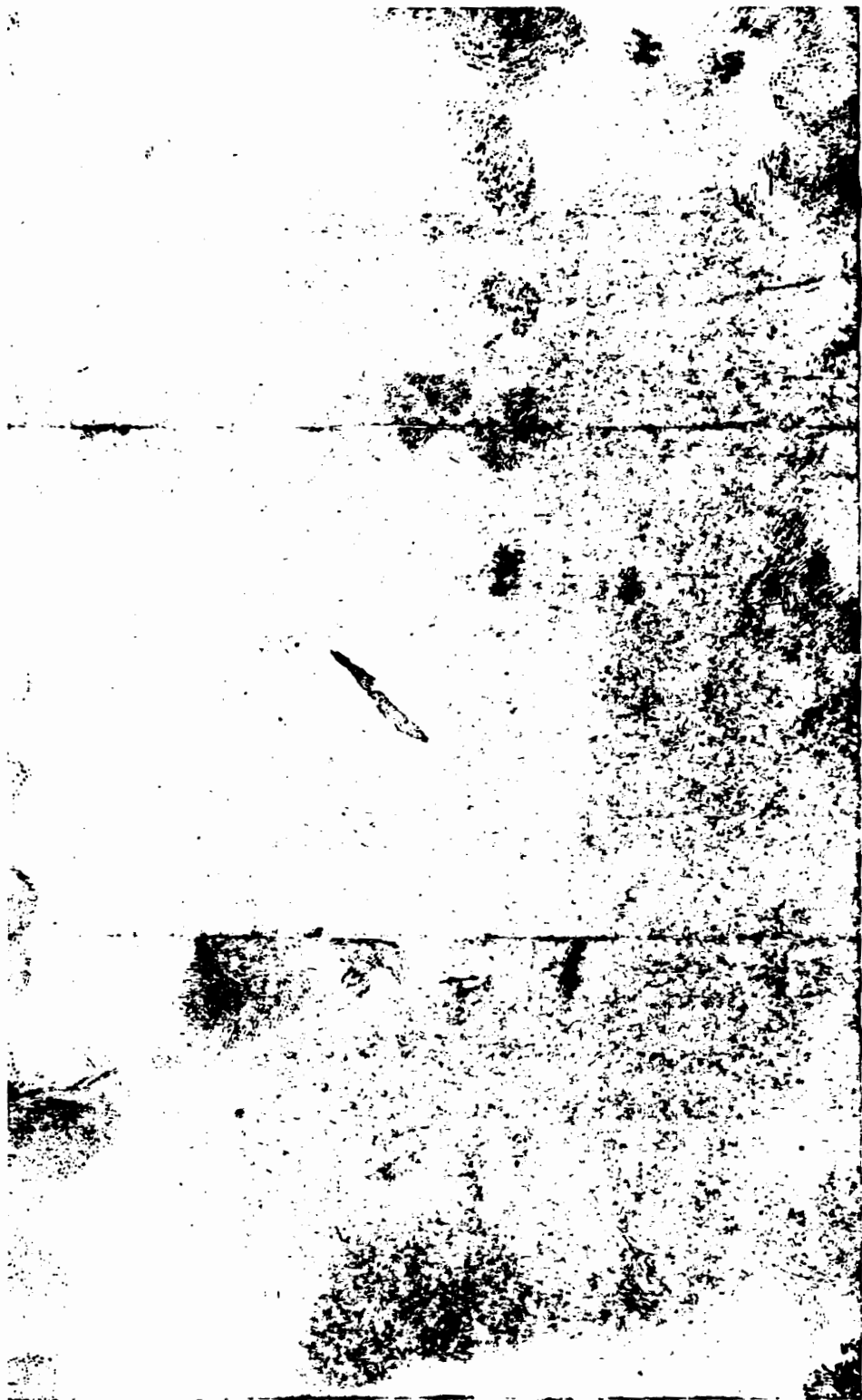




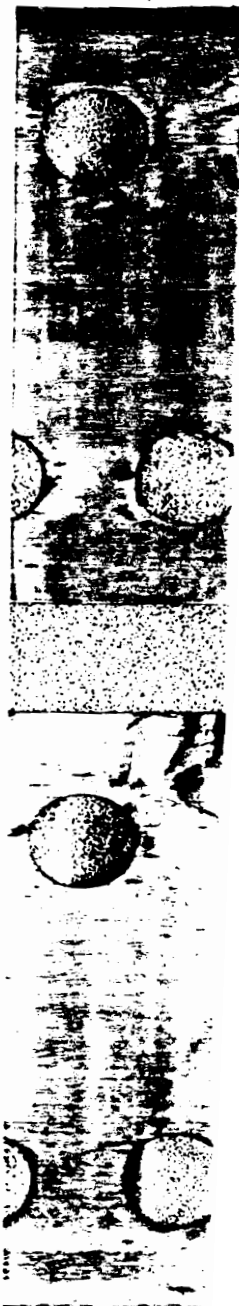
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REMEMBER



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European Plan
FIRE PROOF

Regis Hotel

DEE HEAD
MANAGER

Winnipeg, Canada

if you delay. And this
would mean a considerable
period of time before we
would be in a position to
release ^{him} him. How soon he
is free is now up to you

The gang



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European Plan
FIRE PROOF
Regis Hotel

DEE READE
MANAGER

Winnipeg, Canada.

...half an hour after
...the money you
...will be free and with
you.

You remember Mr Bremer
...you are told
...one into your
...outside of your
family. Not even Walter McLe.
We are desperate men Mr
Bremer and if the police
are told or if you do not
do as you are told?

2



European Plan
FIRE PROOF
Regis Hotel

DEE READE
MANAGER


Winnipeg, Canada.

...the money
...of the
...in the
put out the
columns of the
Tribune saying 'We are ready
to welcome you home' and
sign it Dan.

Then return to your rooms
and await a phone call
which will instruct you
where to take the money

4

European Plan
FIRE PROOF



St. Regis Hotel

DEE READE,
MANAGER

Winnipeg, Canada


My dear Sir,

I am very sorry to hear of your illness and I hope you will be able to return to your home in good health. I am sure you will be able to do so.

Yours truly
John Woodruff

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European Plan
FIRE PROOF



St. Regis Hotel

DEE READE,
MANAGER

Winnipeg, Canada

My dear Sir,

I am very sorry to hear of your illness and I hope you will be able to return to your home in good health. I am sure you will be able to do so.

Yours truly
John Woodruff

Nothing is better than
her collection of the
fact. No
do do as

I have been thinking of you
 and wondering how you are getting on.
 I hope you are well and happy.
 I have been very busy lately,
 but I will write to you again soon.
 Love,
 John

It is a great Dispassionate Personal
Column & instructive (I'm in St Louis
phone me) Mr Harlan)

This is our final Contract. No
other Contract is to be
executed. I am at home. Do not
be at Hotel St. Louis on Monday
- Tuesday 2-6-34 you will
be dull. Please register in
name Harold C. Hart
making the money in 5 or 10. Make it
10 P 30 on payment in hand. Please
make as possible. and you will
not be kept this from the law
- Harry Lind

P.S. I have a personal in the
St. Louis Post Dispatch Personal
Column as instructed (I will then
phone me) via (phone)

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... to give ... the ...

... of ... must be pulled off.
... the ... be ready.

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... if the ... are pulled on

... at ... until 8:00 p.m.
... and ... in ...

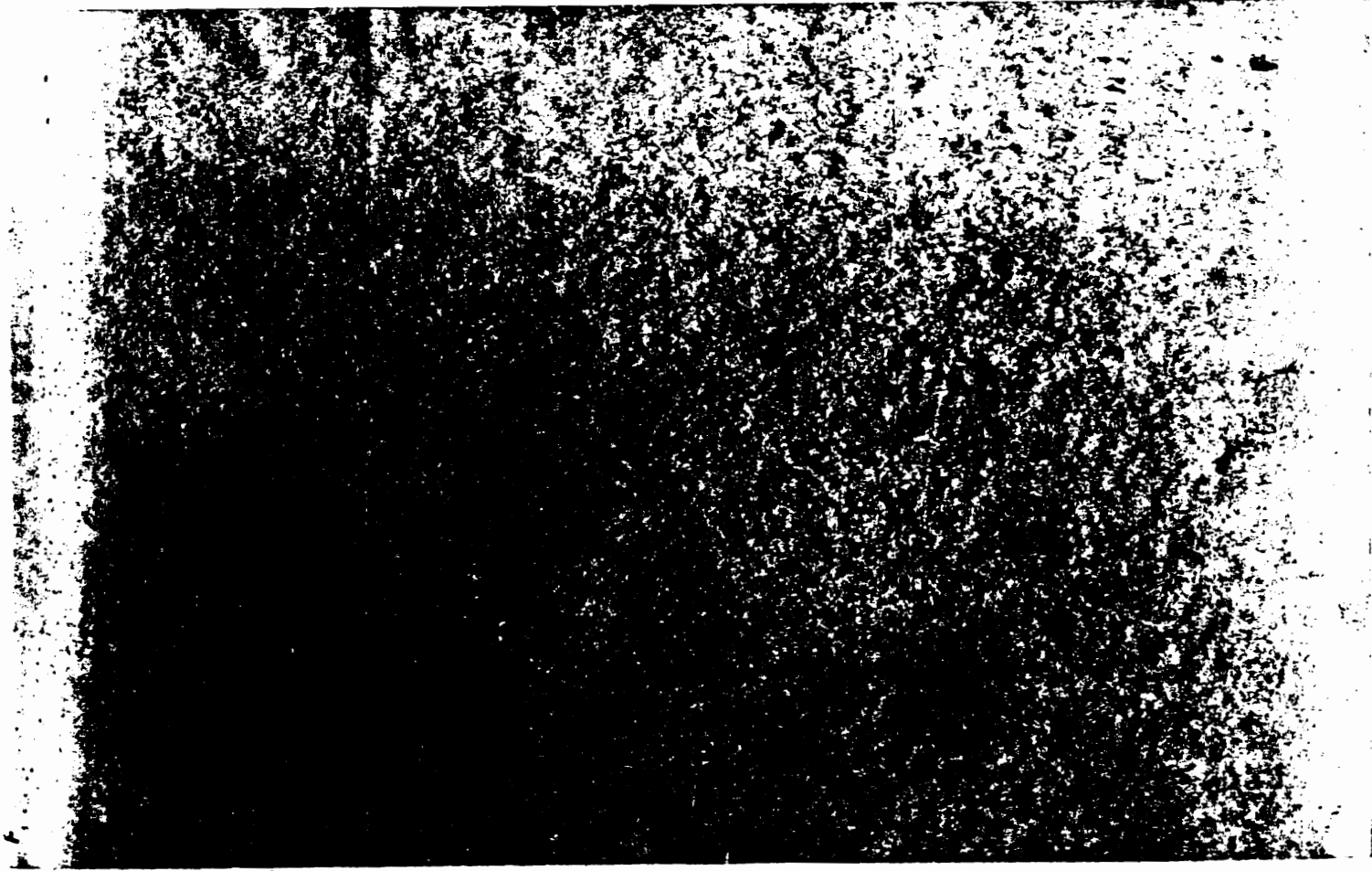
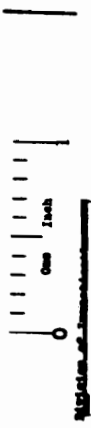
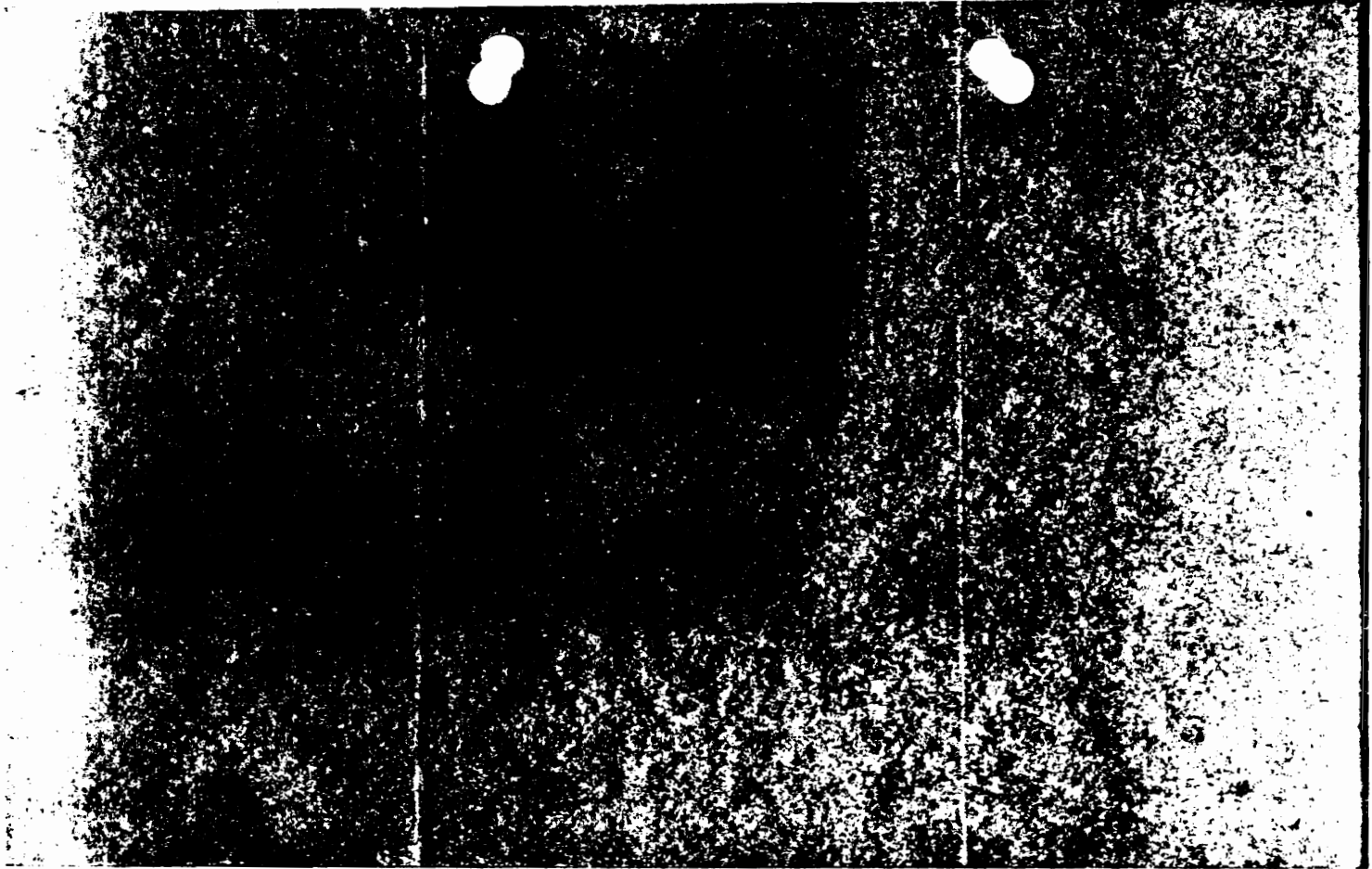
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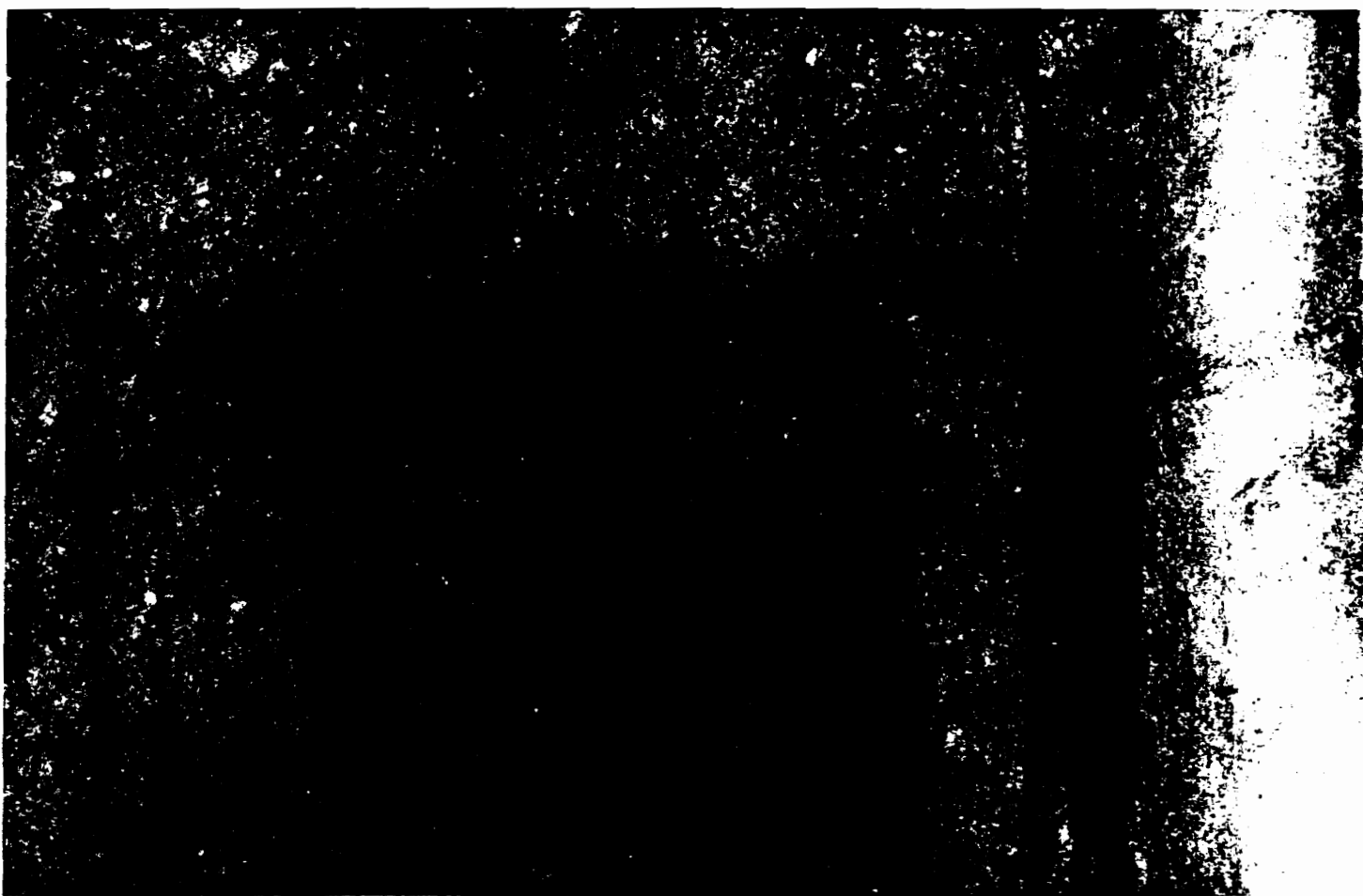
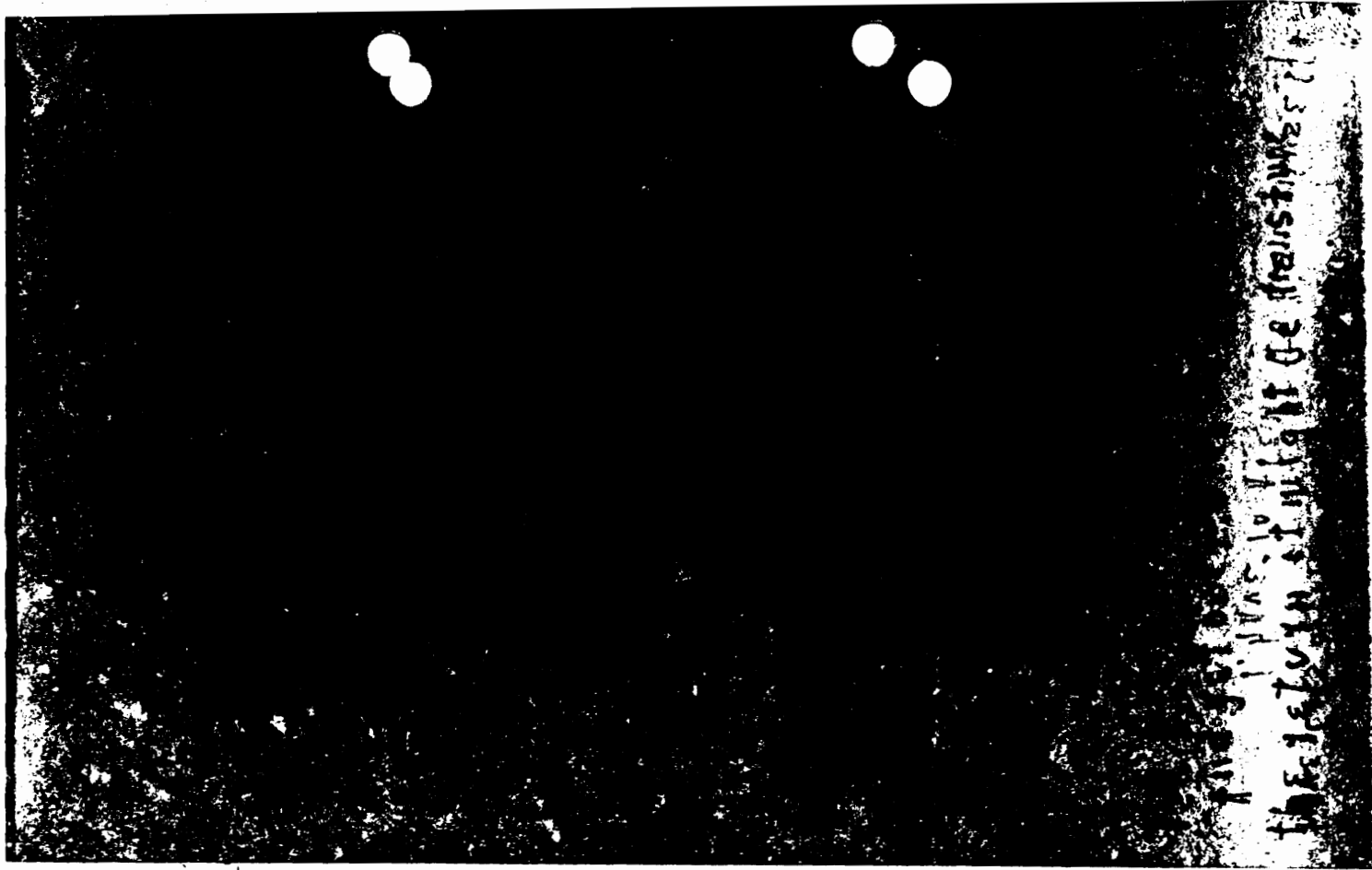
... is ... to meet us you can send him out with ...

... to be ready for any trickery if attempted.
... our last attempt. DON'T duck

... as payoff man. You are responsible for ...
... for the full amount of the money

These things
if you can wait
trying to get
but don't wait
were told
half of every
you get the
better not wait





this only way to get him

Give 4 FHS to J. B. M. &

Give 4 FHS to J. B. M. &

the only way to get him

Ed. B. M. &

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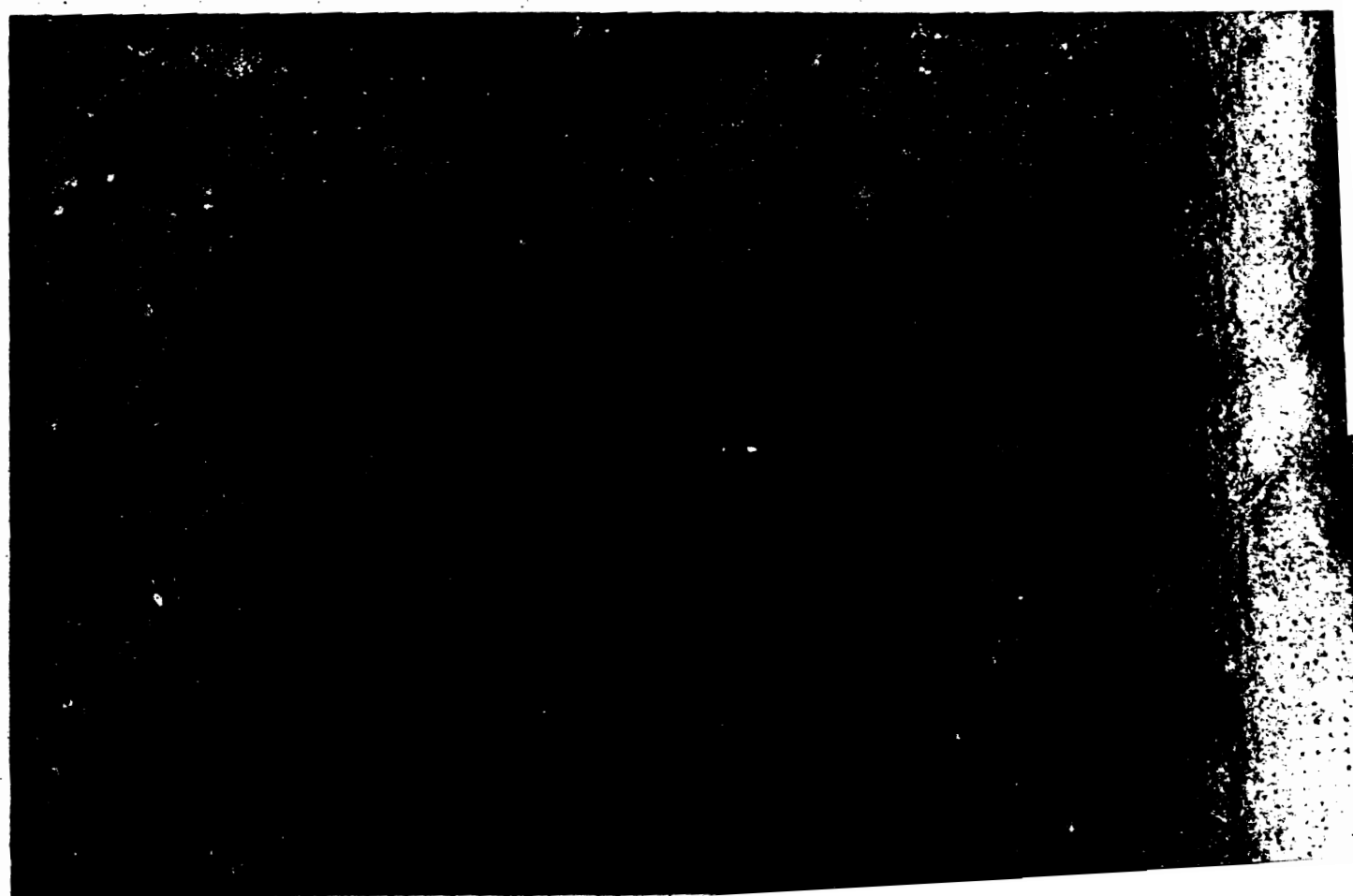
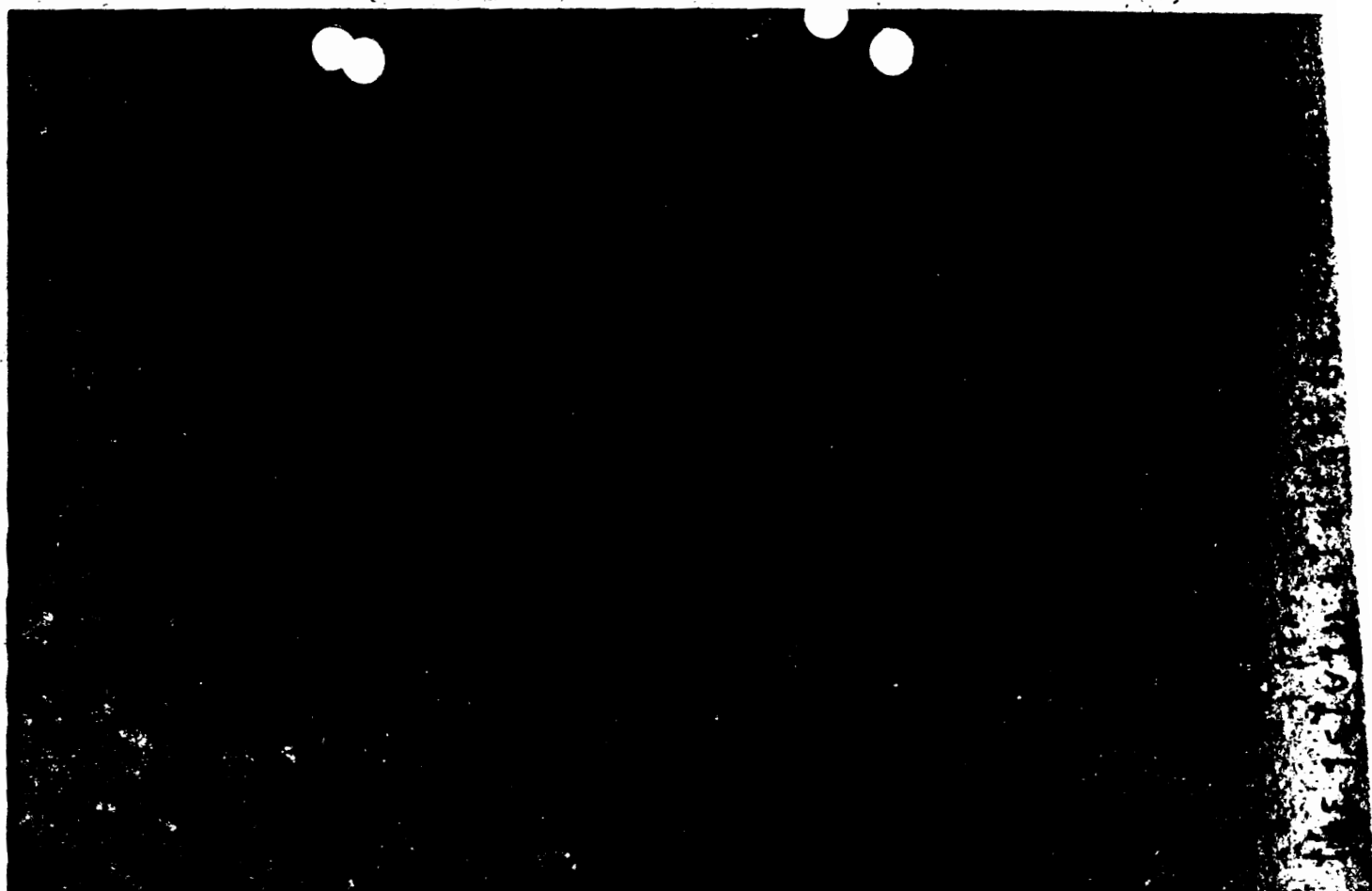
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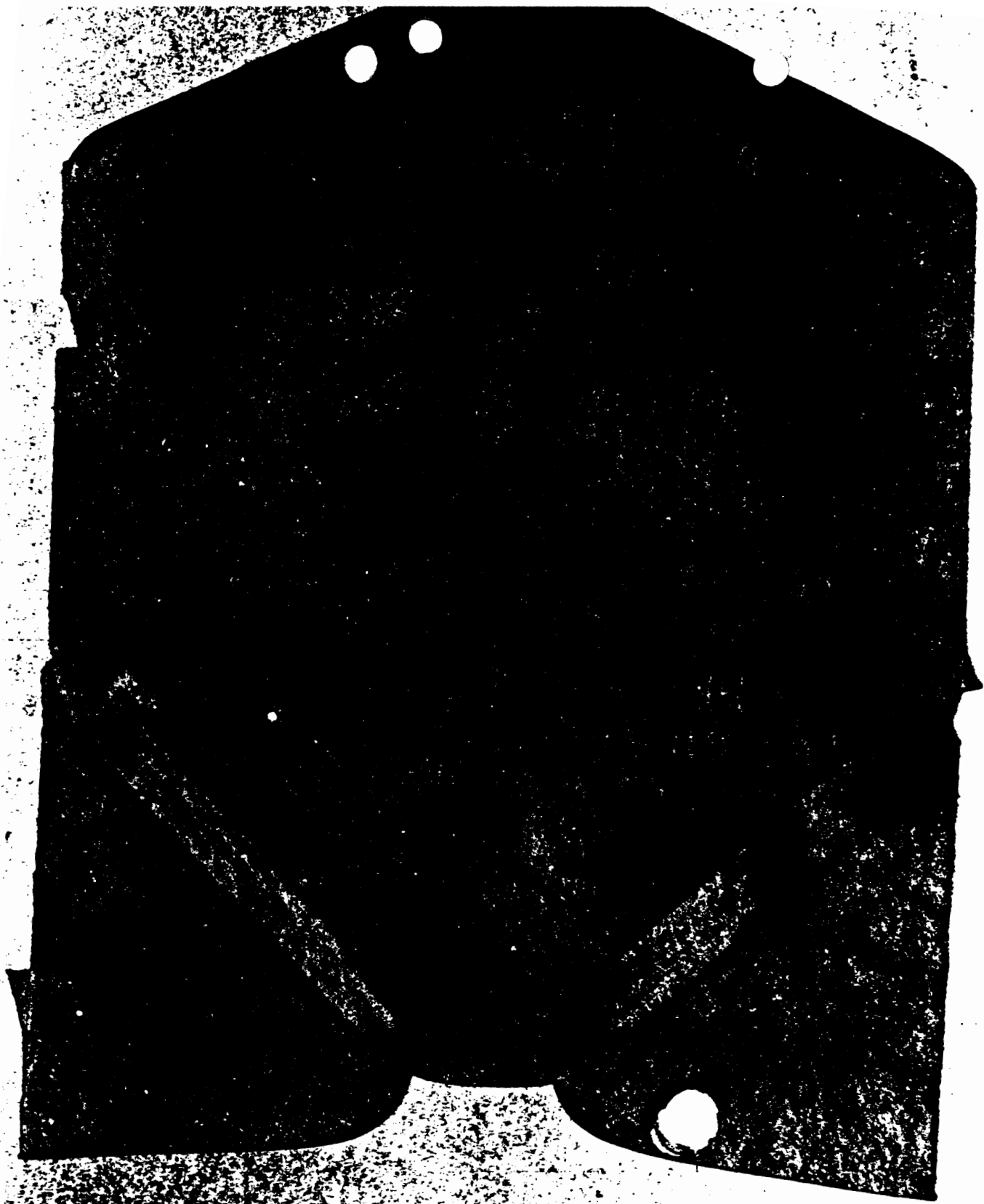
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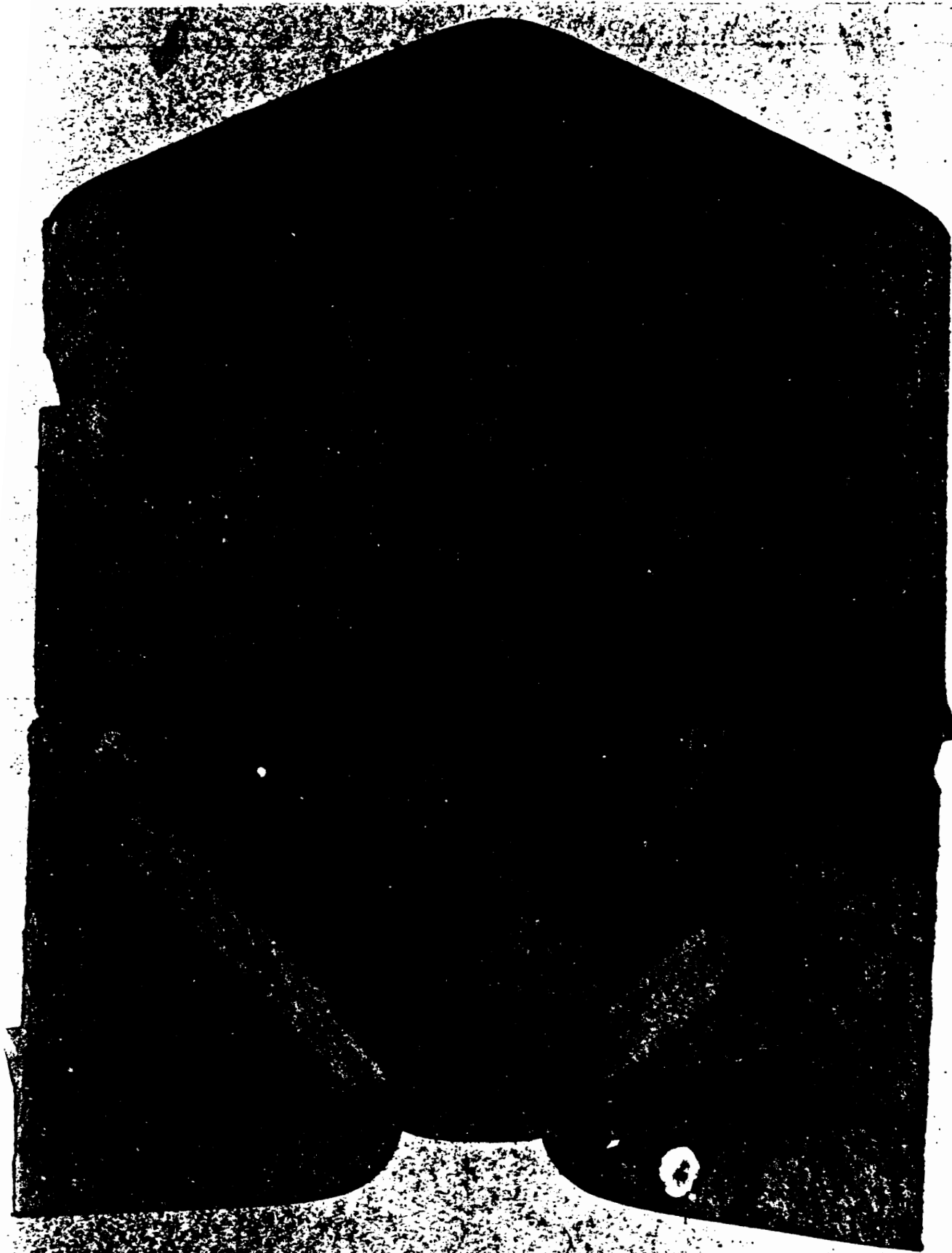


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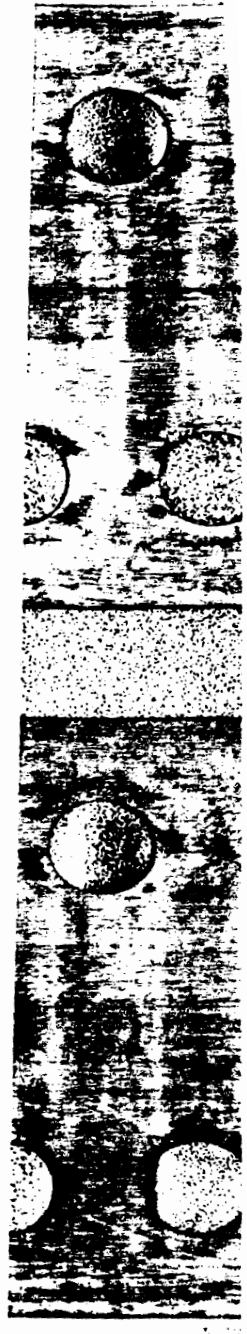


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DEPT. OF INVESTIGATION, U. S. DEPT. OF JUSTICE
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BREMER



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Mr. Dickman
Comercial State Bank
St. Paul
Min.

Division of Investigation, U. S. Dept. of Justice

Case # 7576 BREMER

Date 2/12/34

You must be a good of yourself by now. If Bremer don't get
back with a big money to thank you've made it almost
impossible for me to give one more chance the

First of all all coppers must be pulled off.

Second the dough must be ready.

Third we must have a new signal. Now you are ready to meet
our terms please R.H.A. sticker in the center of each of
your office windows. Well know if the coppers are pulled or

Fourth if you office daily from noon until 5.00 p.m.

Have the dough ready and where you can get it within thirty

minutes.

If you don't have it ready it will be expected before

order is released

If Bahili is not to meet us you can send him out with

the dough.

Well try to be ready for any trickery if needed.

This is possibly our last attempt. DON'T mess it

up. Please.

I have raised you as payoff man. You are responsible for my
relief. I am responsible for the full amount of the money



Mr. Nash.

We would appreciate you
acting as a go between, for
in the case of Edward Bremer
of Adolph Bremer of St. Louis
if you can make necessary
arrangement, before the time allowed
you will be well paid, we wish
you would explain that the
man writing the last note
cannot do so, cause he is
set foot under sod, now, if
he fails to do as we ask, we
shall put his son in his

pathetic by if I were to turn
over the holnapers to the police
but as I sincerely know that
the holnapers mean business
I would advise you as a father
to carry out the following plan

One of the holnapers said that
he had a package of the
holnapers and send it to the
New York City in
care of a Mr. Roger McSahbe that
will call for it and we can
get the money and safety, you

General J. B. will be
in the hands of the sons signature.
After being

own back yard, in sign -
one week, from today, we want
\$100,000 in 5-10-20, in sight of
one week, here with no statute
and remainder after his
is delivered safe & sound, if
well bury him, his ad must
be in the Chicago Tribune, before
Saturday, Personal ad, you try any
thing funny, and you won't live
long, we know you well, I remain
a friend.

W. A. A.