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AND
PRIVACY ACTS**

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BREMER KIDNAPPING**

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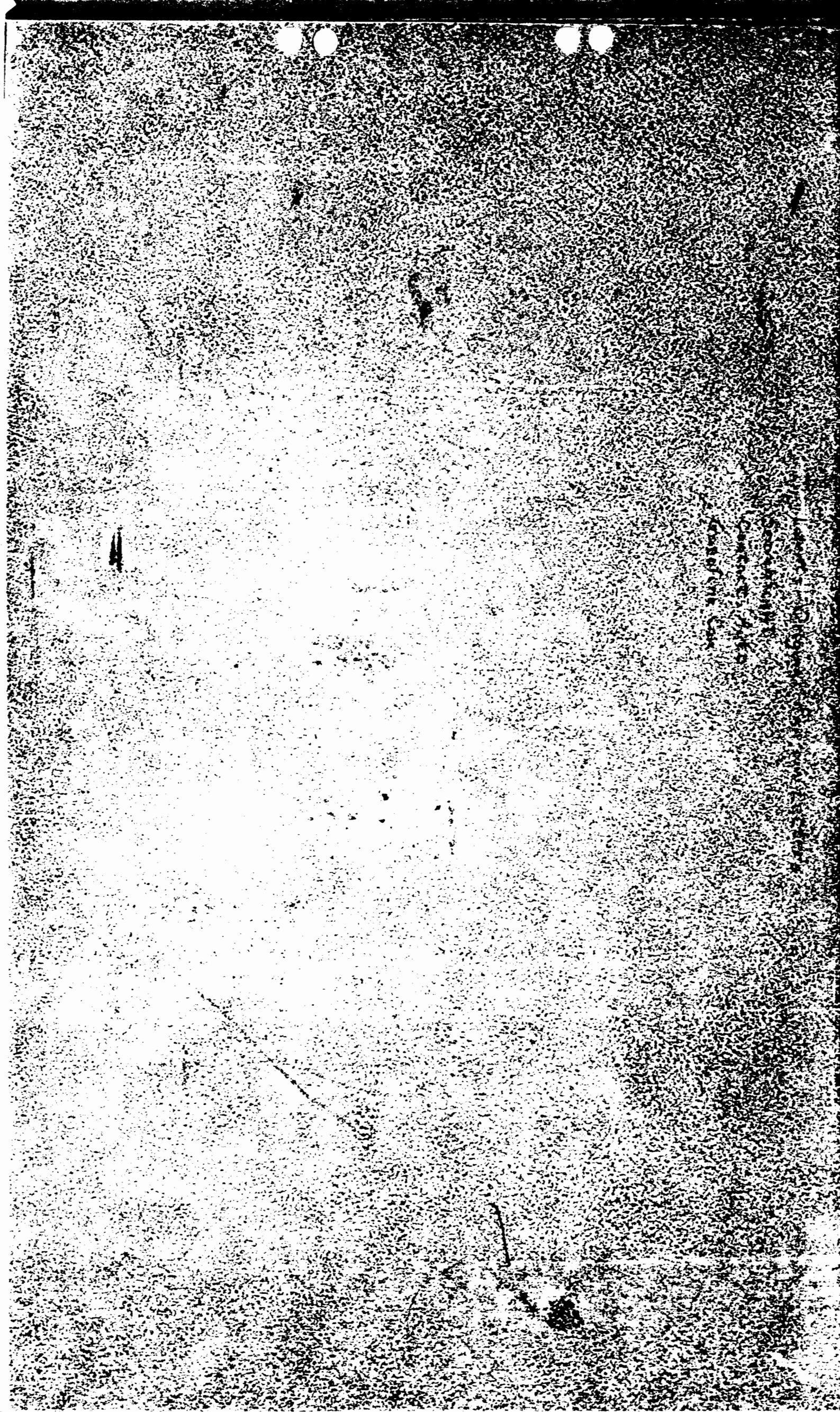
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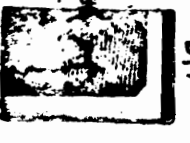
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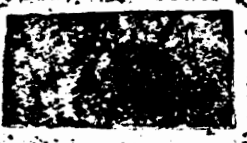
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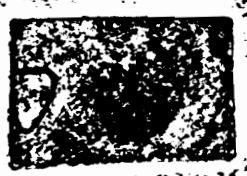
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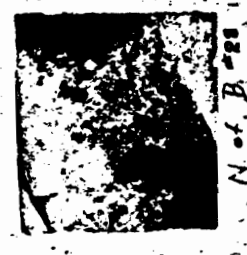
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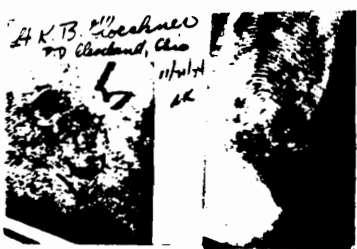
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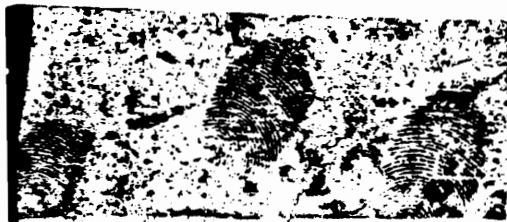
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Kansas City Office 9-27-34
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from consideration
as per letter
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* Oklahoma City Office - November 7, 1934



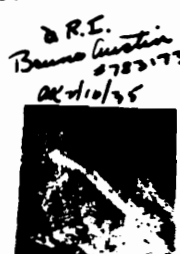
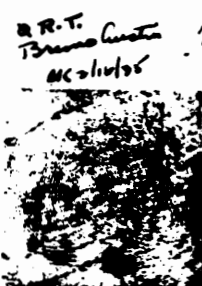
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1920 Pine Grove Ave, Chic.



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vault at Parsons, Ks.



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Chicago Office - 1-24-35
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1/23/55



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1/23/55



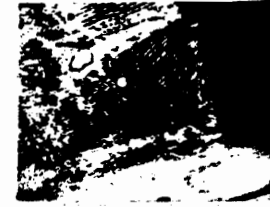
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R.T.
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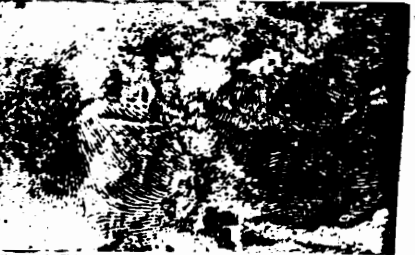
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R.M. Polono Pelaney
1/23/55



R.T.
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R.T.
Polono Pelaney
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R.L.R.
Polono Pelaney
1/23/55



(see original photos for additional details on Polono Pelaney)

R.L.R. Polono Pelaney 1/23/55
7137 Yates Ave
Chicago



204 Vernon Ave., St. Paul, Minn.
rec'd 5-27-34



7-576-2680
Cord. Callery
August 15, 1934



7-576-2680
Working Paper
Hofen-Ferguson



7-576-2680
Cord. Callery
August 15, 1934

Apt. of Helen Ferguson in Chicago
rec'd 8-22-34 and 8-25-34



7-576

Mr. Bremer

So you know
I feel quite sure
if you send some
reliable good man
to Watertown To ask
to have a heart to heart
talk with Sankey
bro. who lives
in Watertown. This
man Sankey is
a good under and
I am sure will
help you in every
way he can. If
he knows anything
about where the
kidnappers have your
son or a thing



Mr. Adolph Bremer

Charles Munroe

Jan 23 1934

he will tell you
Truly he is a good
man. I am
sure of this for
friends of mine
are friends of his

We shall not
decease asking
St Raphael to bring
your son home
safely very soon

Mrs Grace Mulvey
2430-17 W 50
Mpls



Mr. Adolph Bremer
885 West 7th St.
St. Paul, Minn.

Do not pay Ransom
Money to Kidnappers.

You will never see
your son alive again.

He is dead

Killed by the Kidnappers

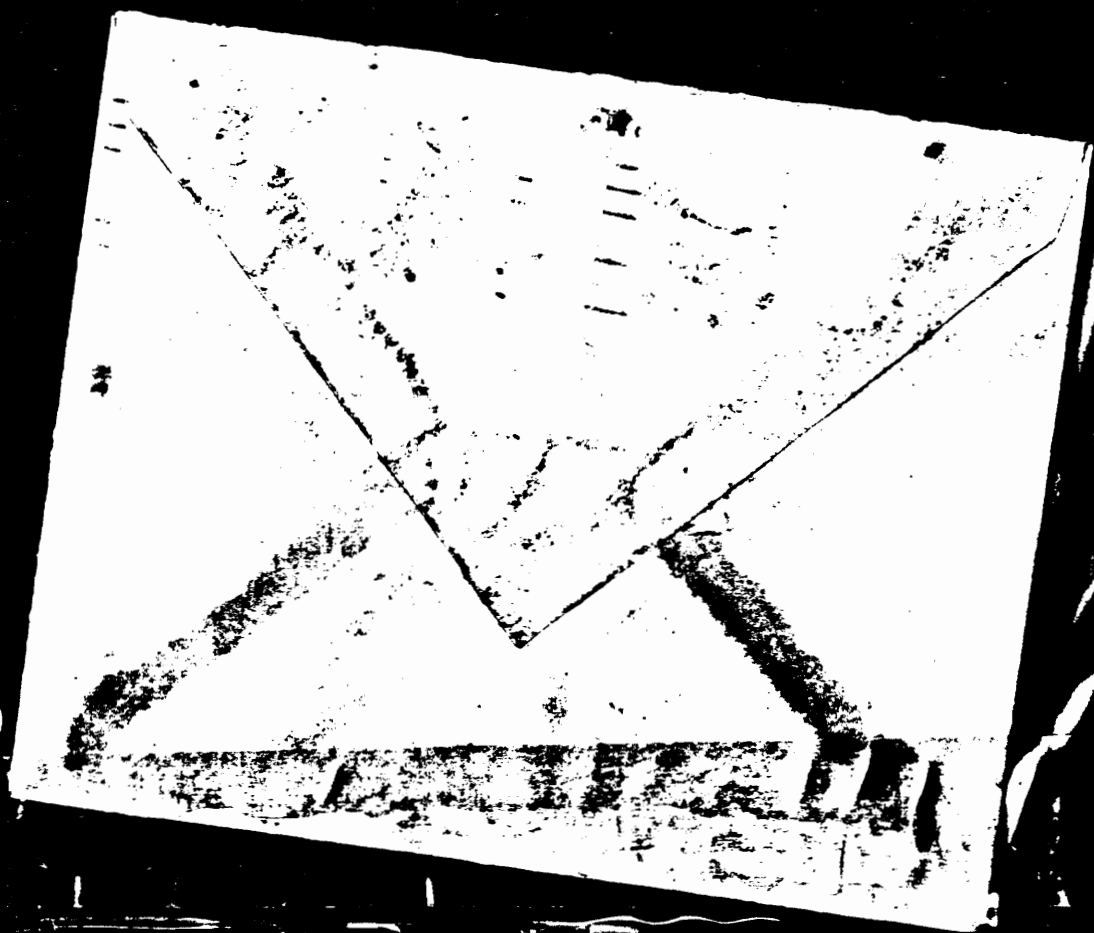
...with ...
...while have a bangles
...chain. Not in direct
...only because of a
...shuts, he means, is it
...possible to see him at any
...age, and windows not clean
...light at night as before.
...loft windows open & clean
...this too dirty to see anything
...place is an ideal spot for
...seeing each.

I am abroad in reporting. This
...my only desire is to be
...service. You will know
...how to understand my desires
...to help even if all proofs
...of us are to you

—

Wm.
Sunday -

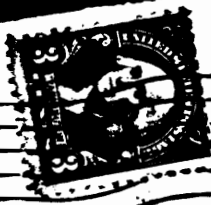
...can be seen
...last night curtains were left
...drawn until 10 o'clock in a.m.
...if put up then. Some 50 ft
...side. Many paper sacks put
...out on roof and taken in,
...only a hand to be seen.
...activities showed a neck of
...observed for me because
...I was kept in by ill-weather.
...as soon as darkness came
...on, lights must be flashed
...on and curtains drawn. Will
...be out in view. This continues
...until Thursday when some
...change took place. Could get
...a sight of men before curtains
...drawn. No more paper
...parcels outside. Curtains of
...lace pushed back and can



Mr. Frank Blake
Federal Clerk
St. Paul, Minn.
See Re.

The gray gone garage is
on 9th St. between 3rd & 4th
Avenues So, Mpls, on 214th
Back up against a
and facing 8th St is an
garage which must have
an alley entrance, and a
large garage on 8th St. is in
front of it. There is evidently
a flat in said garage. In
the windows with large windows
face 9th St over the top of
9th St garage. They are not
discernable from 9th St but
are an elevation with garage.

Mr. 515
Mr. Frank J. Blake
Federal Official
Washington D.C.
Post Office
St. Paul,
Minn.
Personal



Me, Dear.

Music by
EMMERICH KALMAN.



COMMERCIAL STATE BANK
ST. PAUL, MINN.

E. W. SWANSON
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER

STATE OF MINNESOTA
BANKING DIVISION
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
SAINT PAUL



December 2, 1901

E. G. Bremer,
President, Commercial State Bank,
Saint Paul, Minnesota.

Mr. Bremer:

Following up our letter
of December 21st, we now advise that we

by



L.R. = 14
DR. 5
Hall 8:15

*Just
Mother.*

July 28
8:15

Emily L. Crum
8:15

DIVISION SIX

Date 1933

From:

To:

Mr. Edwards

Mr. Schilder

Asst. Chief

Assembly

Card Index

Posting

Recording

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Stenographers:

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Name

See me

Bring file to me

Adolph Bremer
St. Paul Minn
Jacob Schmidt Brewing Co.

acquaintance with St. Paul & Mpls
under world. It occurred to me that
if the crime was committed by some
local men I might, by spending a
few days in the cities learn something
about the abduction. If a contact
was to be made I would be a
favorable contact man to many
Twin City gangsters.

New Hampton Ia. Jan 24-34
Mr Adolph Bremer
St. Paul Minn.

Dear Sir -

I know the medium of news
papers I learn that your son
has been kidnapped. No doubt one of the
things nearest to your heart would
be to effect a release.

I have a vague idea that I
might be able to help you. I will
list my qualifications for your approval.

I have served two terms in the
Minnesota State Prison & previous to
two years ago had a wide & favorable
acquaintance with St. Paul & Minn's
under world. It occurred to me that
if the crime was committed by some
local men I might, by spending a
few days in the city learn something
about the abduction. If a contact
was to be made I would be a
favorable contact man to many
Iowa City gangsters.

2.

I was in prison over 2 years ago. I had more information from within that the authorities did outside. After I left prison in Oct of 32 I was married & have lived a quiet life since that. On account of my record I have been unable to get work but have skimped along the best I could.

Now what I have in mind is this - I might possibly be able to come to St. Paul, loaf around a few days & make some progress. It would be a good gamble in your predicament.

In order to do this I would have to have transportation plus enough money to care for my wife here while I am gone. Also living quarters while I am in Minn.

Now this is not a case to blackmail a few dollars but it is an earnest effort to help you & myself. In the end it might be to some extent successful.

In effecting a release I would want for my compensation enough money to pay my bills around town keep & in addition enough to stay in some small business here at my home. I believe you would be reasonable in that respect. I have no sympathy for the abductors & would gladly help in apprehending them.

Now I wish to say for your information that my underworld character I am not one of only ordinary intelligence & I matched my wife with the abduction of your son.

This is my home & birth place & I have 50 reliable witnesses. The test is I haven't been away from home for more than a year further than 50 miles.

If you are interested wire me some expense money to the Irish National Bank at New Hampton & I'll be in St. Paul on the first train.

I'll go directly to the Ryan Hotel & register under my true name. After

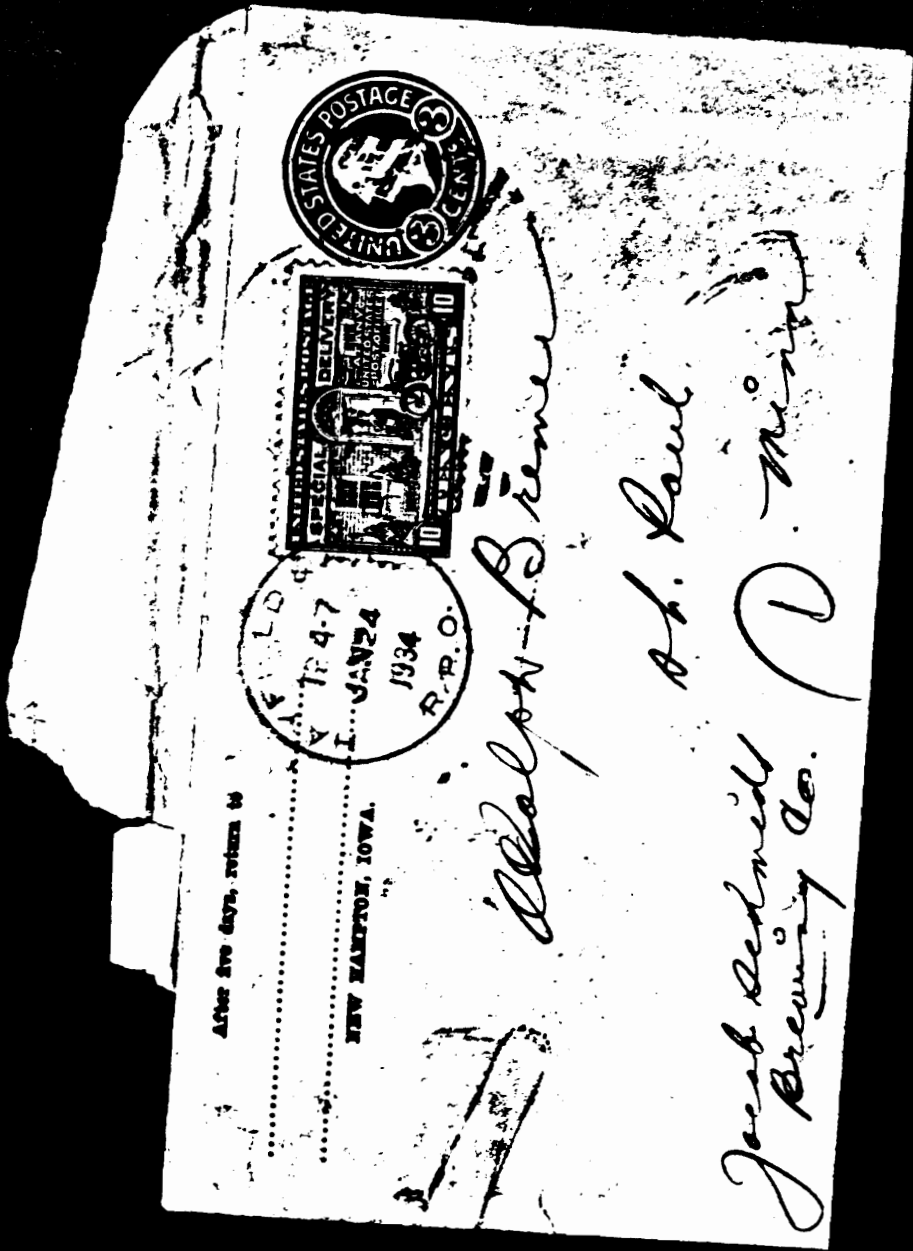
I get to my room have some one call
over me in order to avoid any suspicion.
At that time we can talk over
what might be done. I know
Mr. Brown on the police force & I
think he might know me. I have
a good many friends in St. Paul
among prominent attorneys. Can
give you all the references
necessary in my home town as
to how good my word is. If
I get this money by Thursday at 10 o'clock
I will catch a train here at one
o'clock & be in St. Paul around six.

This may or may not be a wild
goose chase but is a good gamble
for you & might make me some
money

Yours

E. J. Lee

New Hampton
Ia.



After 2nd day, return to

NEW HARTON, IOWA.

Walsh Bremer

St. Paul

*Jacob Sedmick
Brewing Co. (D. Minn.)*

Chicago Tribune

February 10, 1932

(1)

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS
contracted by any one other than myself
as I have paid in full on Feb. 2, 1932, all
obligations assumed by me as per insurance
policy. I am absolutely not able financially
to pay further. M. S. THOMPSON

Wm S L

Wm S L

Wm S L

Wm S L
Wm S L
Wm S L

Wash

Washable Bl

Washable Blue

Washable Black

Washable Blue — Script

Schaeffer's

Washable Blue —

Fountain Pen Ink

Ed Bremer

Ed Bremer

Ed Bremer

Edward D. Bremer

John. Edward
Ed Bremer

John. Edward
Ed.

11
File Brown
JFK

Gift Card
One Fair Coat.
Sagarmay



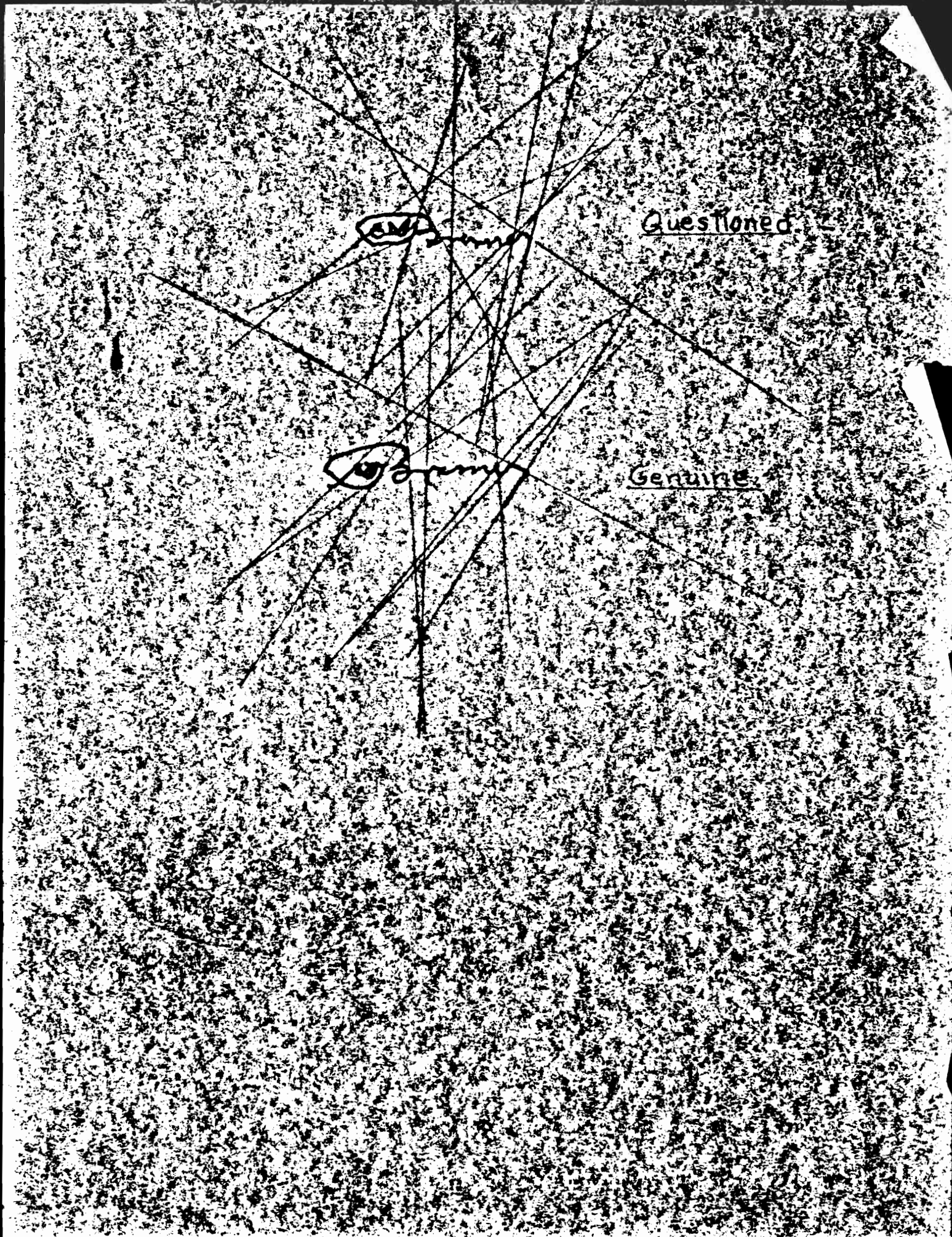
The
Season's
Greetings

St Paul Minn
12/2/55

Director
Bureau of Investigation
Dear Sir

Enclosed are fingerprint
notes in Bremer case. Please
let me know as soon as possible
whether the typewritten copy was
written on the same typewriter as the
previous one. Also of course the
result of comparison of Ed Bremer's
handwriting with previous sample
fprints by you.

P.S. Balance of fingerprint cards
also enclosed. This complete
that.



February 2, 1934

Mr. Coffey:

Mr. Cowley called and left the following message re: B. Lawrence LaMar. Above mentioned man wired Adolph Bremer that he had information concerning Edward G. Bremer. Investigation reveals that LaMar is a salesman, not regularly employed. His information was overheard in subway but not definite. Handwriting specimens and fingerprints being forwarded to Division.

GRM

EM

February 2, 1934

Mr. Appel:

Mr. Coffey says that this case is to be treated in the same manner as the previous crank notes.

GRM

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE TO AVOID
PAYMENT OF POSTAGE, \$300

ENCLS. DIVISION (2)

Re: Letter to Division from N.Y. office, dated 1/31/34 #7-120

UNKNOWN SUBJECTS - EDWARD G. BREMER - Victim. - Kidnaping - Extortion.

1-Ink handwriting specimen submitted by Bud Lawrence LeMar

2-Ink handwriting specimen submitted by Bud Lawrence LeMar

7-576-122

Still blindly hopeful after twelve days of waiting, Adolph Bremer tonight continued to maintain his vigil for a contact with the kidnapers of his son Edward G. Bremer.

The millionaire banker-brother for the first time expressed assurance that negotiations would be resumed and that the impasse resulting from Federal and police activity would be overcome.

Talking to the writer tonight, Bremer said:-

We have the money ready and we want to pay it. There will be no interference by law enforcement agencies. We will deliver the ransom any time and anywhere, in the manner dictated. There have been rumors that the pay off was to be made by airplane. I know nothing about that. Whatever orders I receive I will obey to the letter and will not divulge.

Police Commissioner Thomas E. Plahill who has been sleeping at headquarters ever since the kidnaping, announced there were no new developments and that so far as he knew there would be none until Bremer's release. He implied that the family's latest demand for non-interference would be respected.

Mrs. Edward G. Bremer
Mrs. Edward G. Bremer
Mrs. Edward G. Bremer
Mrs. Edward G. Bremer

Or

Or

Or

Or

Mr. Adolph Bremer

Mr. Adolph Bremer

Mr. Adolph Bremer

Mr. Adolph Bremer

St. Paul, Minn.

St. Paul, Minn.

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855 W. 7th St.

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MRS. EDWARD G. BREMER

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JOHN EDGAR HOOVER
DIRECTOR

Division of Investigation
U. S. Department of Justice
Washington, D. C.

January 24, 1934

Mr. John Mahon,
838 Communipaw Avenue,
Jersey City, New Jersey.

Dear Sir:

Kindly be advised that your letter of January 19, 1934, concerning the kidnaping of Mr. Edward G. Bremer, has been referred to Mr. Werner Hanni, the Special Agent in Charge of the St. Paul, Minnesota Office of the Division of Investigation, U. S. Department of Justice, 203 Post Office Building, St. Paul, Minnesota, and will be given appropriate attention.

Very truly yours,

J. Edgar Hoover
Director



Mr. Adolph Bremer, Esq.

ST PAUL

Minnesota.

Personal.

Jan 30, 1934

Mr. Adolph Bremer,

Dear Sir,

I am a crime analyst and have followed this case very closely and am enclosing a letter from the Dept. of J. in Washington to bear out this statement.

It seems to be the opinion of all the crime experts including myself that this job was planned and executed by the free members of the TOUHY GANG for the sole purpose of raising money for the defence of their pals now on trial in Chicago.

If this is so, and I firmly believe that it is, then I am going to give you the benefit of a plan which I have evolved, and which I believe will be successful if carried out in the manner following.

THE PLAN

1ST INSERT AN AD. IN THE NEWSPAPERS OF ST PAUL AND MINNEAPOLIS TO THE EFFECT THAT YOU WILL DONATE \$100,000 ~~ADVANCE~~ TO THE TOUHY DEFENSE FUND FOR THE SAFE RETURN HOME OF YOUR SON.

2ND THAT YOU WILL DEPOSIT THIS MONEY IN A CHICAGO BANK IN THE NAME OF THE LAW FIRM WHO IS DEFENSE COUNSEL THE ONLY PROVISIO BEING THAT IF YOUR SON IS NOT HOME AT THE EXPIRATION OF 24 HOURS AFTER DEPOSIT IS MADE YOU WILL THEN WITHDRAW THIS MONEY AND THEREAFTER CO-OPERATE FULLY WITH ALL THE POLICE AGENCIES WORKING ON THE ^{CASE} UNTIL YOU BRING THIS GANG TO JUSTICE
YOU HAVE TO BLUFF THESE GUERRILLAS

PLAN

THEY WILL NOTIFY YOU IN THIS MANNER

1ST THEY ~~WILL~~ MAIL A ^{TELEGRAM} ~~LETTER~~ TO WESTERN-UNION OR ~~POSTAL TELEGR~~ ADDRESSED TO LOWELL THOMAS WHO SPEAKS OVER AN N.B.C. NATION WIDE HOOK UP AT 5⁴⁵ CENTRAL TIME SAYING PLAN AS PRINTED O.K. TO US.

2ND YOU THEN DEPOSIT THE MONEY AS OUTLINED
3RD THEN A WAIT OF 24 HOURS FOR SON.

4TH IF HE DOES NOT RETURN, THEN WITHDRAW AND ANNOUNCE YOU WILL FIGHT TO FINISH

5TH THIS WILL DRAW THEM OUT AS THEY WILL THEN BEGIN TO FEEL THAT THEY ARE ALLOWING THEIR OPPORTUNITY TO PASS, IT WILL AT LEAST BE THE FORERUNNER OF FURTHER NEGOTIATING - IT MAY BE POSSIBLE TO TRAP THEM ALL BEFORE

I have so arranged the plan in so far as the method of gang notifying you that it is possible to watch all the mail boxes for a person dropping a letter so addressed and trailing him to the hideout, my idea being to create complexity so that they would feel a certain amount of security which is not so to an expert who knows how to plan the capture.

If you feel that I could be of any assistance to you in the case you are at liberty to mail me a check for \$500.00 which will be my initial fee and which I would have to use to defray my trip, and expenses to your city.

I mention however that your son

may be referred to you before this letter reaches you,

I beg to remain

Very truly yours

John Mahon.

838 COMMUNIPAN AVE

Jersey City N.J.

P.S. I have a number of other plans which would have to be worked out by myself in conjunction with the St Paul Police Dept.

I might, also, add that I have worked on the Lindbergh case in N.Y.

I hate to see you pay any money at all to those who did not do it. I am sure there

Circleville Ohio R-4

1-27-34

Mr Brenner

Dear Sir

I offer my assistance to you. I know of a man in California I believe can help you to find your Son and his where bought and his abductors, you write and ask him for their names and address of them and how to bring the arrest about. Just in close money order for one dollar. send return Postage in letter. send By air mail Send your full name date of Birth and age and Sons. Just try this and see what you find out for your one Good self, Yours Truly

Edward L. Mock

Keep this to yourself

and God Bless you all

over

JAN 27 1934



Mr Adolph Brenner

St. Paul

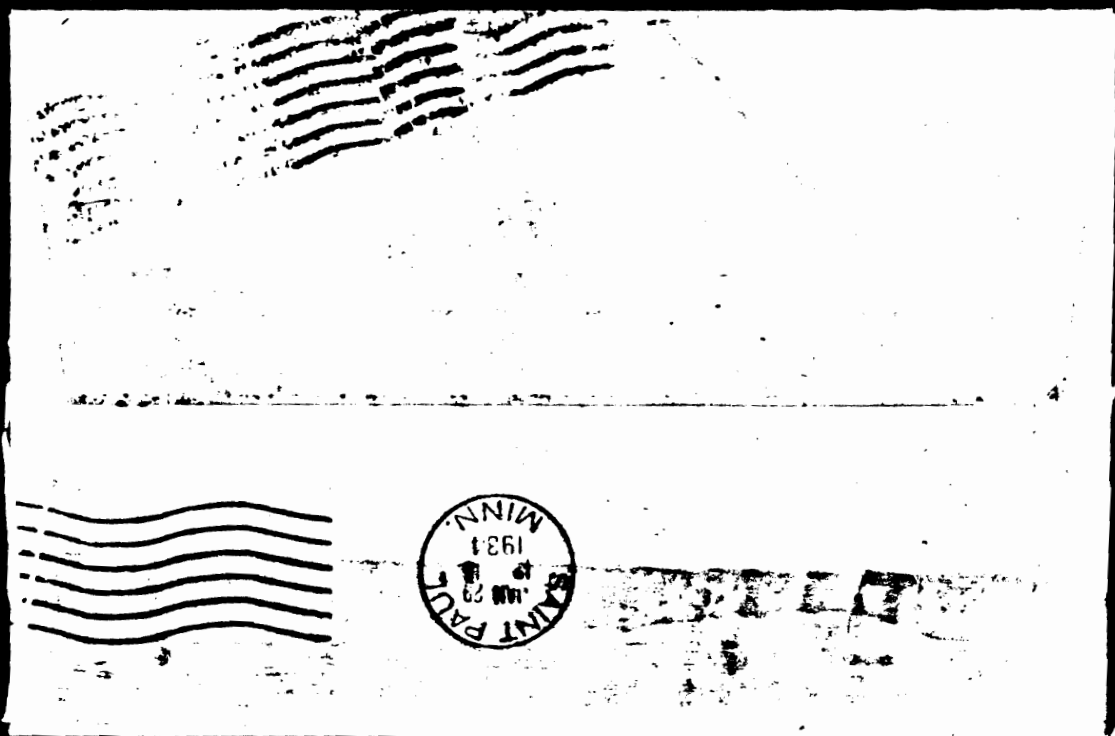
882 N. 7th St.

Winn

To Commercial State Bank

his address is

Mr Rango 175 Palm Station
Los Angeles
California



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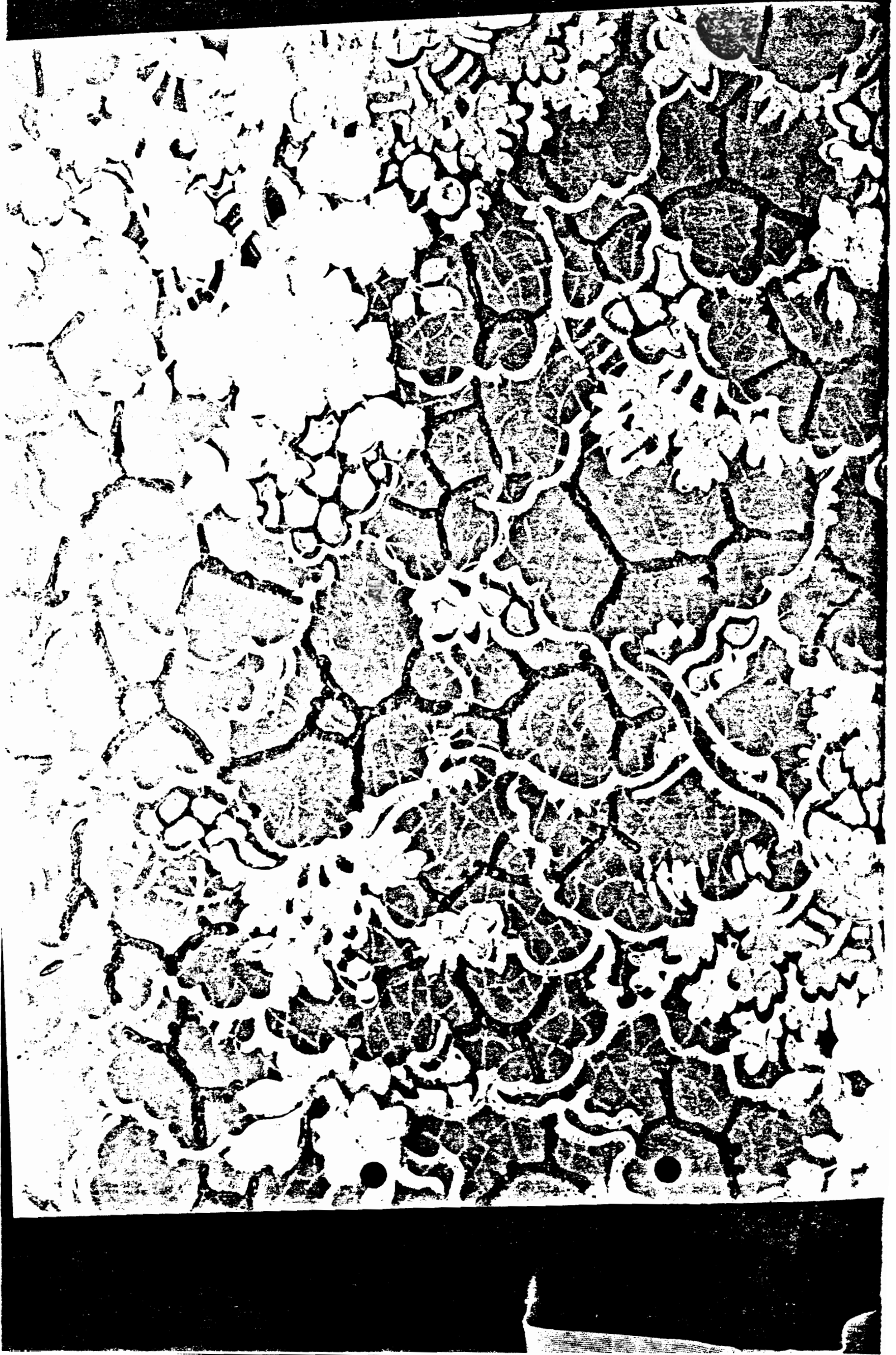
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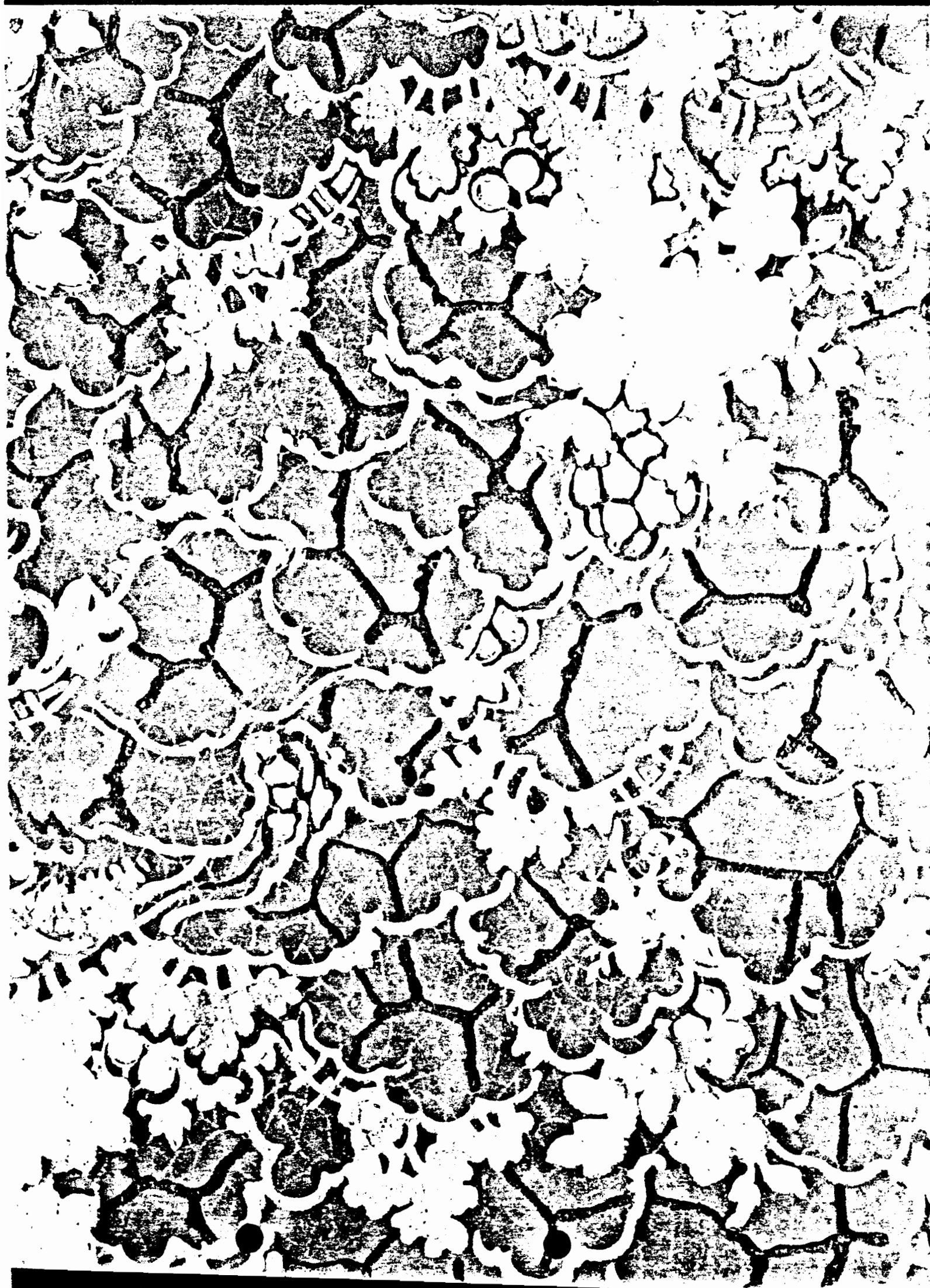
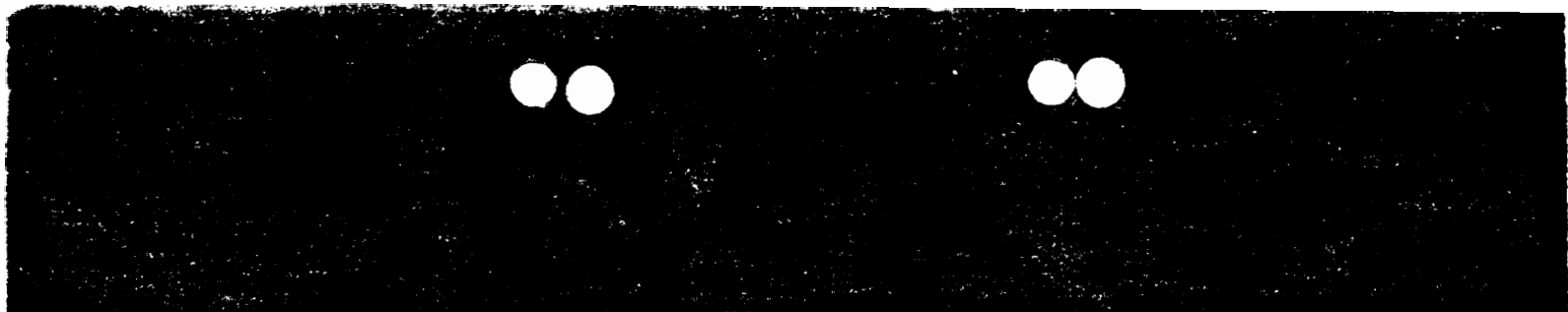
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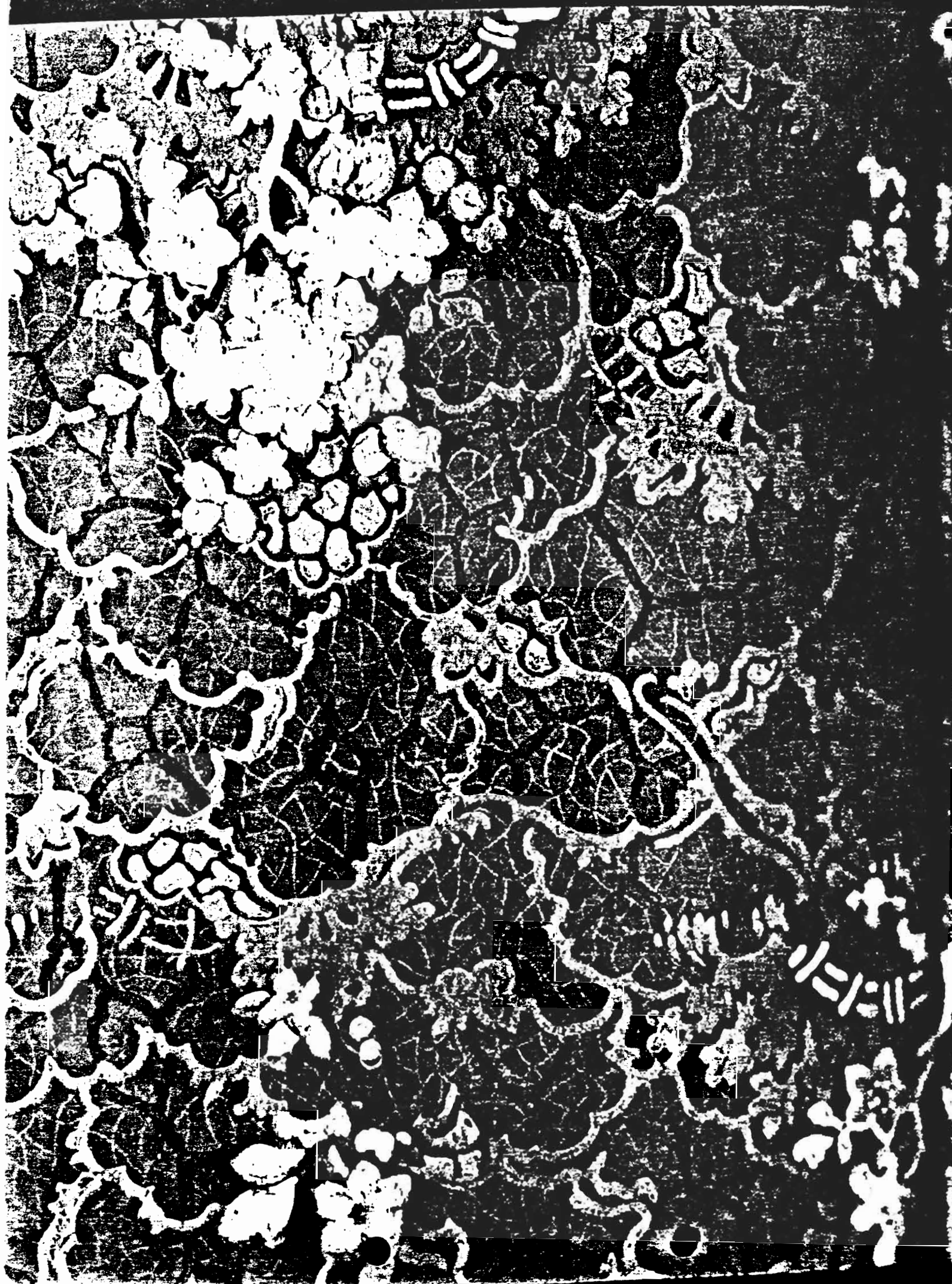
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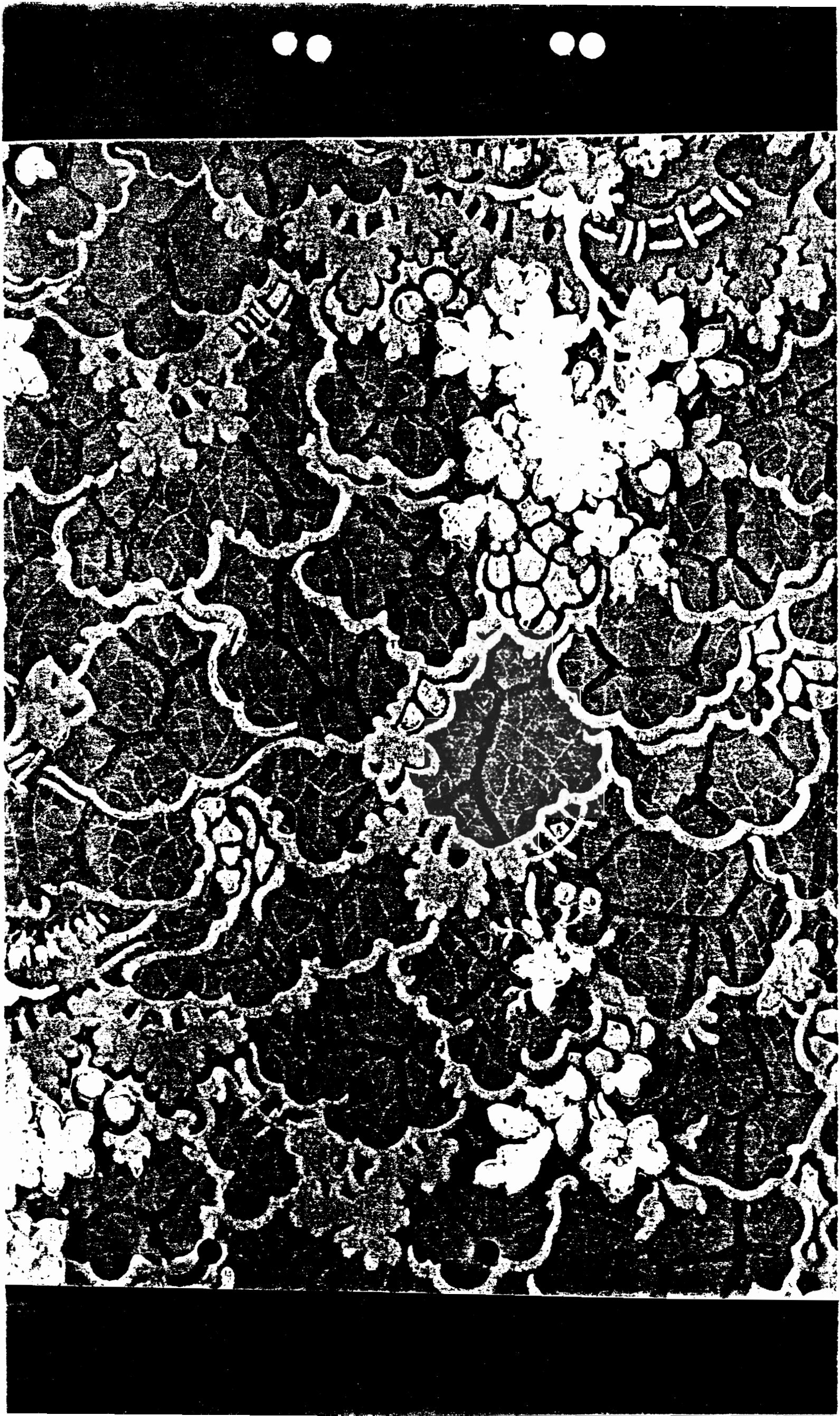
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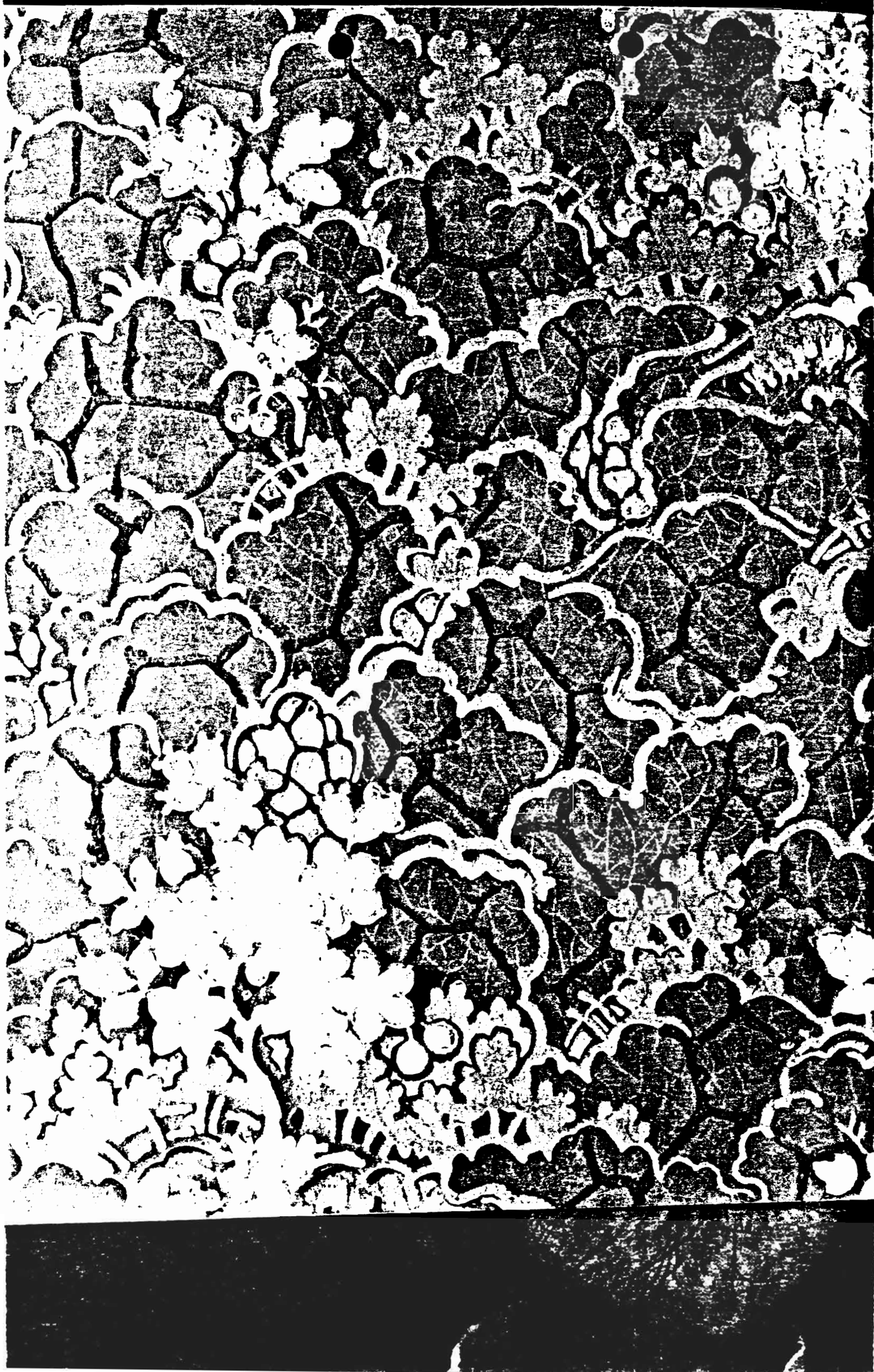
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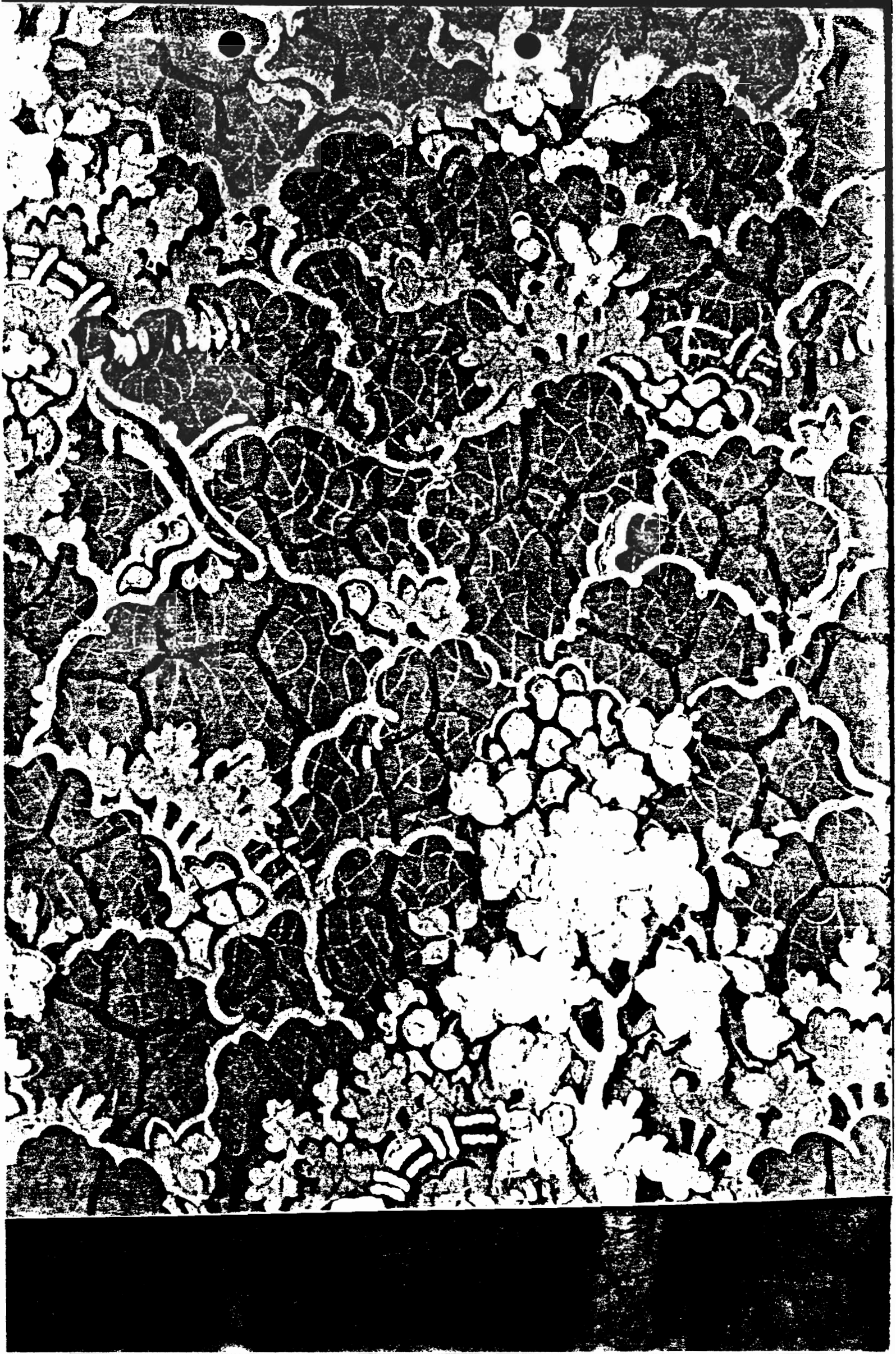












Middletown Ct.
Jan. 25th 1934

Dear Sir,

Locate the vehicle registration number 1608 and
you'll find the clue. Unable to give my address for fear
of safety.

AFTER 8 DAYS RETURN TO

MIDDLETOWN, CONN.



Mr. Adolph Bremer

St. Paul

Minn.

company, but they stayed in an other Hotel in town, but came to see this fellow at our Hotel. I am sending you the sheet on which he wrote his name and if there is an expert in St Paul who might detect whether it is the same hand writing or not. The Sheriff let the fellows go, on producing evidence that they were government men. The fellow who stayed in our Hotel, always wanted his room locked, but my daughter went into the room and made an investigation of his suit case and found the lining of a good Hat in it also a shirt all full of blood and nothing else, but **kid gloves also stained**. Now Mr Bremer, you can have this name compared by an expert, and when you get there with it, please return it to the Comercial Hotel, Carroll Iowa.

We are watching the newspaper daily, and listen to the Radio for news with the hope of good news.

Mr Bremer, you can be assured of our sympathy of our entire family in your hour of grief.

We are your friends

Respt

Sylvester Urbany

Carroll

Iowa

"Over"



The hat lining stained with
much blood bore the name
of Society Club New York.
Andres Mena Shoppers
Miguelapalis Mena.
These men had three cars
in their possession. One a
green coupe with a sort of
runable seat the number
of which was B 112-970.

The other two ³³ cars. Tedano
of which I was unable to
get the numbers for they
stayed at another Hotel in
town & appeared to have been
Federal men and the one
staying at my place to have
been their last - person.
The action of all very peculiar
led to my suspicion, for he
suddenly left his room & insisted,
is about he looked & not a word
for. Mrs. Frank J. Buckhead a
sister of John F. Wham. These
returning parties sent to Commercial Hotel

Carroll Iowa Jan. 27 1934

Mr Adolf Bremer
St Paul Minn.

My Dear Mr. Bremer:

Our whole family feels grieved about the trouble you and yours have in the past two weeks about the abduction of your son Ed.

We are no strangers to the Bremer family, for my son John F. Urbany, who is past on the other side has been a room mate of Ed and of course a personal friend at Washington D.C. at the Catholic University. It is our desire and hope that you will have ~~return~~ your son back in your home. But Mr. Bremer, the real reason I am writing you this letter is: My son in law & daughter are running a hotel in this town, and they kept a newspaper in which a simile of the letter written, supposed to be by one of the Gang who abducted Edward. A couple of evenings ago a fellow stayed at our Hotel, and registered as Jack Ray of St Paul Minn. My daughter complained the two writings, and they appeared so similar that she called the Sheriff of our County, and he thought it was the same hand writing. He took this fellow in charge, there were two other fellows in his

Walker, Minn.

Jan. 25, 1934

Mr. Adolph Bremer.

St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir:

This man is an empotent
due to investigate. A lone cottage
on Pine Point Beach Lake, accessible
by road is owned by a man who is
known to have dealings with an
alcohol ring in the Twin Cities. The
owner was at this cottage a day or
two before and after the kidnapping
of your son.

We have no definite knowledge
but it might be well to check this.

You have our sincere sympathy.

P.S. PLEASE KEEP CONFIDENTIAL.



Mr. Adolph Bremer

St. Paul

Minnesota

Personal

Very Truly Yours
Mrs Jean Eva Herbert
12 Gray Street
Waterville
Maine.

Op. M. Thacher.

O. S. For God's sake help
me, you will be well
repaid by it
Please answer me as
soon as you possibly
can.

May God help you in
your sorrow.

near back. would be an
operation and where I was
left alone 12 years ago and
have been out of work
for almost four years I
tell you it is pitiful to
be here, and not able
to keep the only child you
have.

Mr. Bremer This is not
a threat or charity, it is
only to ask you, if you
would loan me two hundred
dollars. So I could have
my daughter operated.

And as soon as she
is well and able to work
she and I might be able
to save up, so I could
pay you back in a year
or so.

We are praying and
hoping that your son will
return safe and unharmed.

Waterville Maine.
January 28th 1934.

Dear Mr Bremer

I am writing to you
to ask you a favor.

I see by the paper
that you have lost your
son. And that you are in
sorrow very much. but you
have all kinds of money
to get your son back.

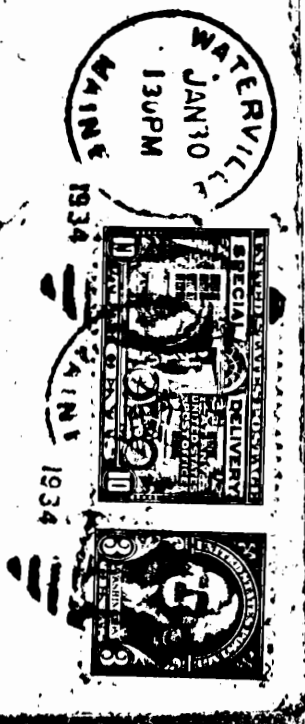
Mr Bremer, I am a
poor woman and have
a daughter of 16 and
had to take her out of
high school on account
of being in poor health.

And the only thing
that would restore her

Personal.

(3)

Mrs Elizabeth Bremer.
H. Davis.
Brunswick.



WESTERN UNION PRESS MESSAGE

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

A. C. WILLEVER, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

5.30 P.M. 2.8.34

Midland Michigan

Bremer Brewery

/Midland/Michigan

Still alive on M 10 Road Less 10 Miles N.W. Leech Lake Tourist Bungalow.

C.H. Sherriif Office.

Bremer So you DISOBEYED
THIS IS LAST WARNING
WE WONT NON-INTERFERENCE
MAKE YOUR RESIDENTS IN N.Y.C
AT ONCE.

MAKE KNOWN ADDRESS
THROUGH PAPERS THURSDAY,

not 117

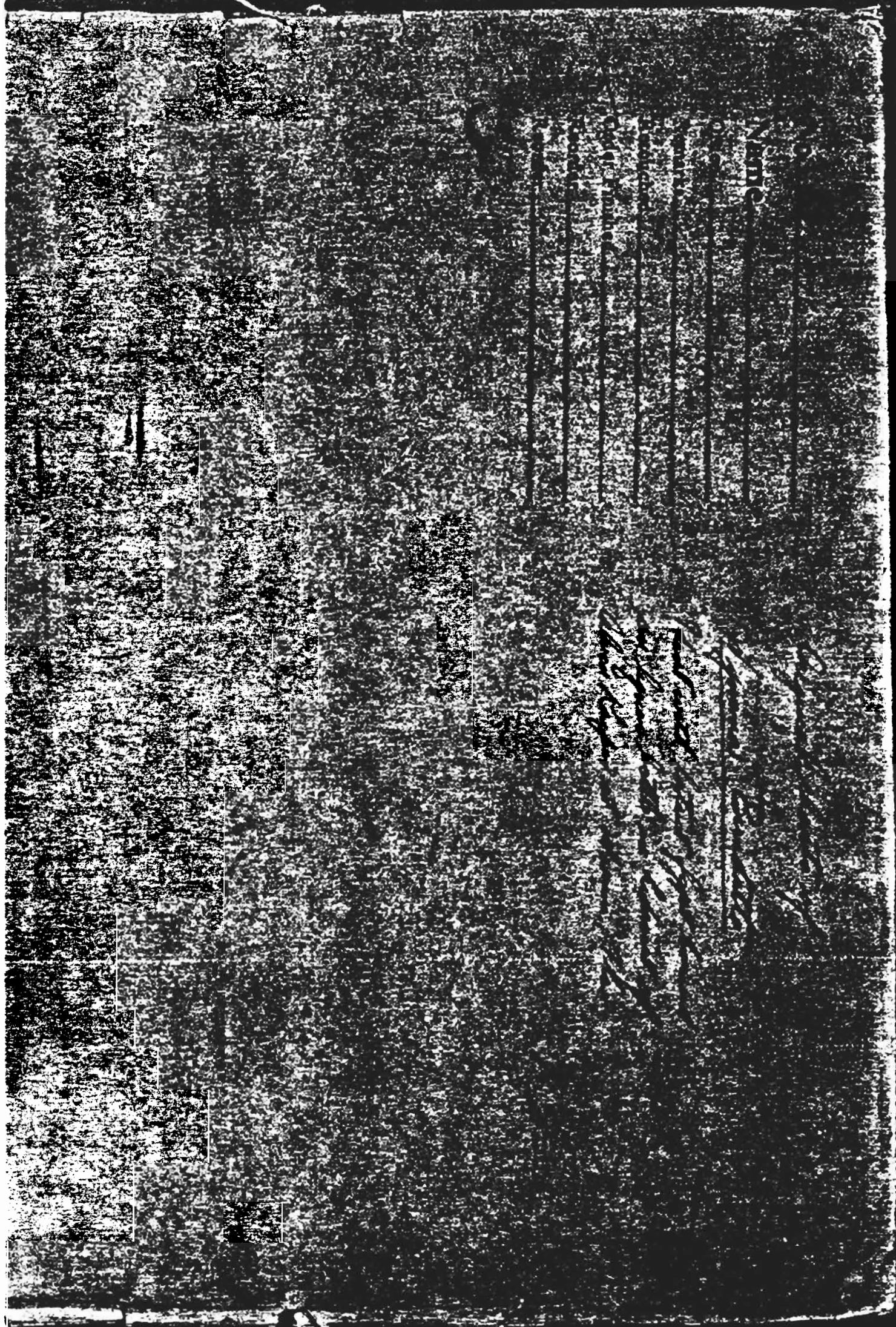


ADDRESS
YOUR MAIL
TO
STREET AND
NUMBER



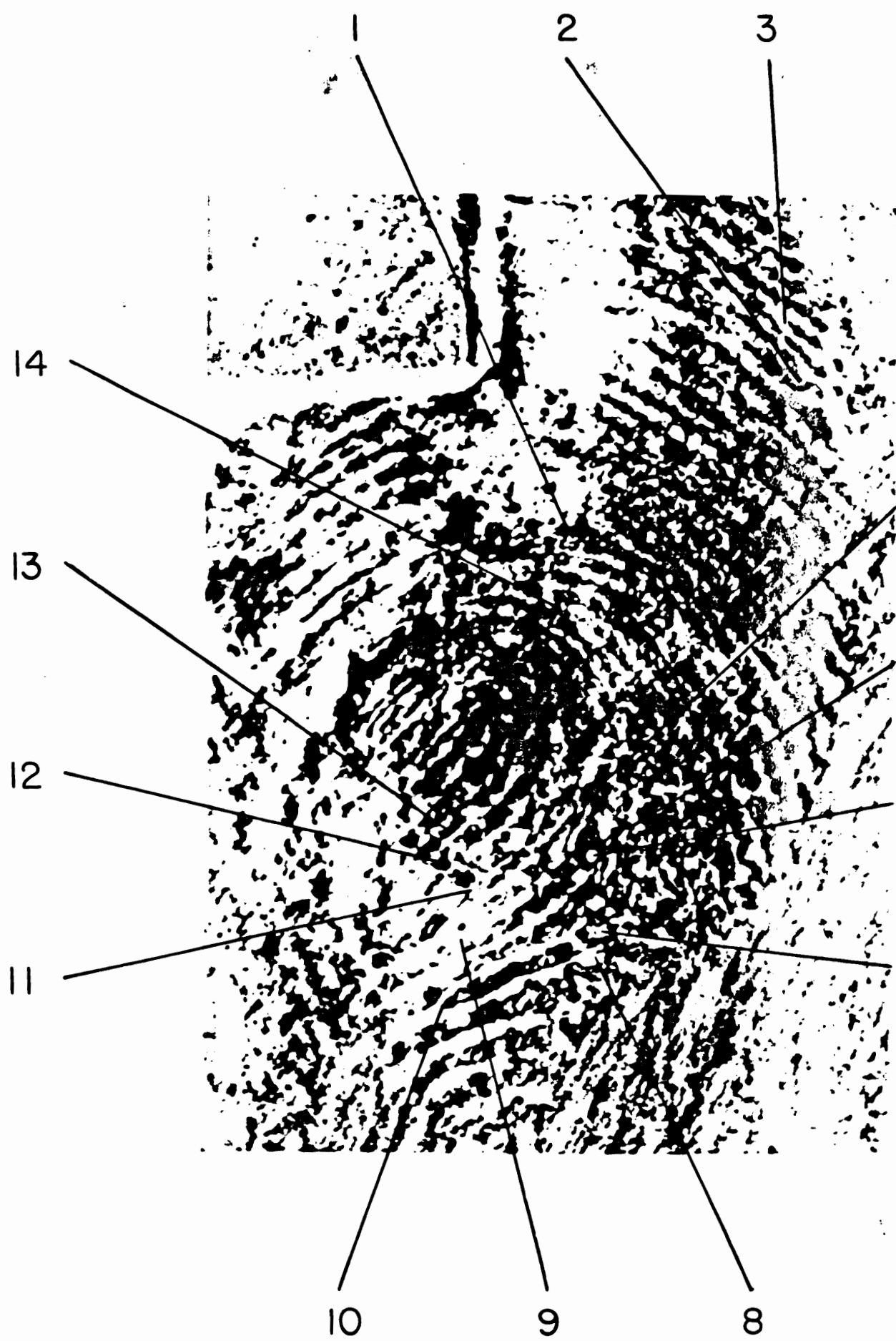
MR ADOLPH BREMER
ST. PAUL, MINN,

M. Not half as
sweet or pretty
as you dear
Ed

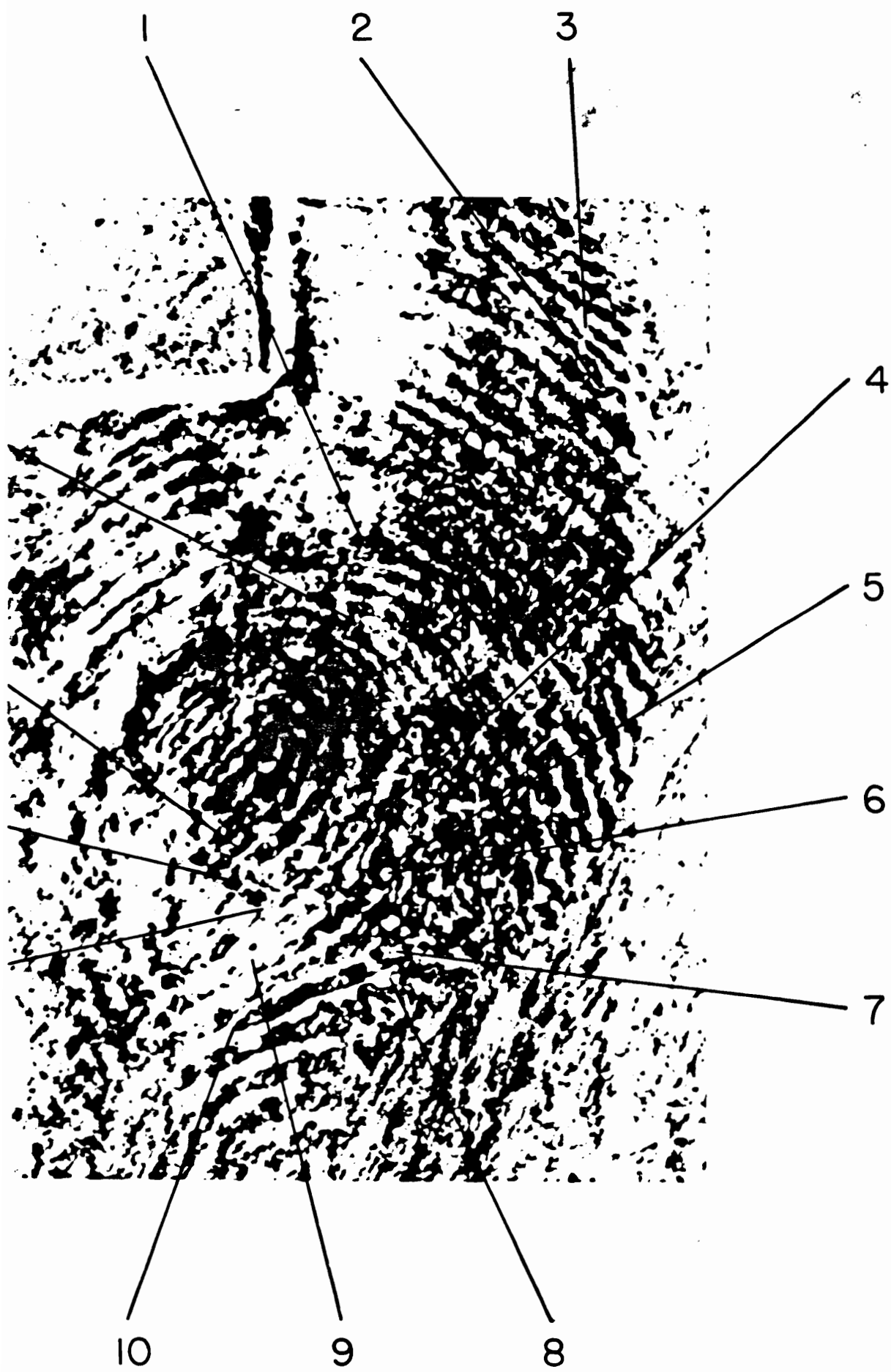


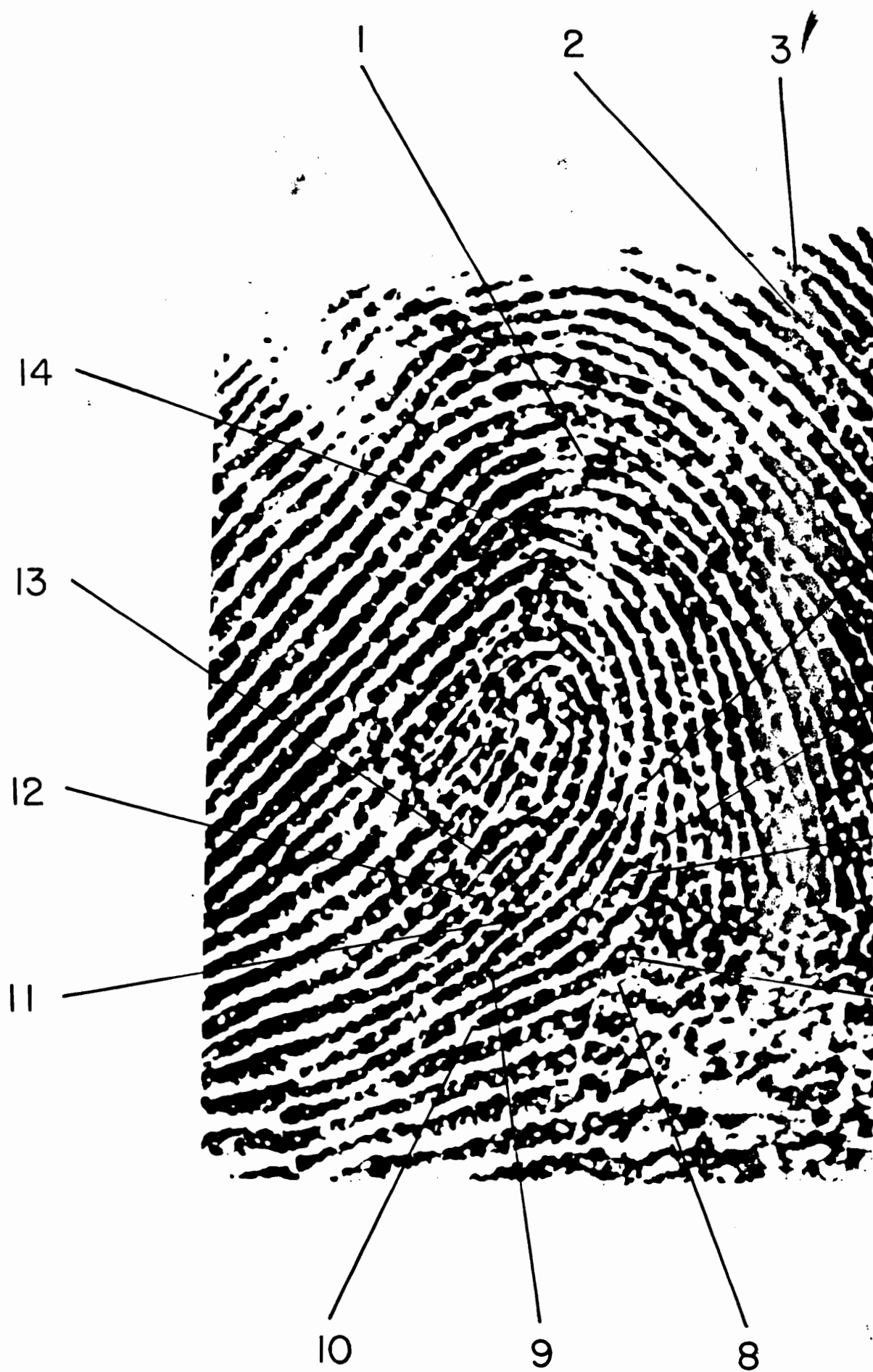
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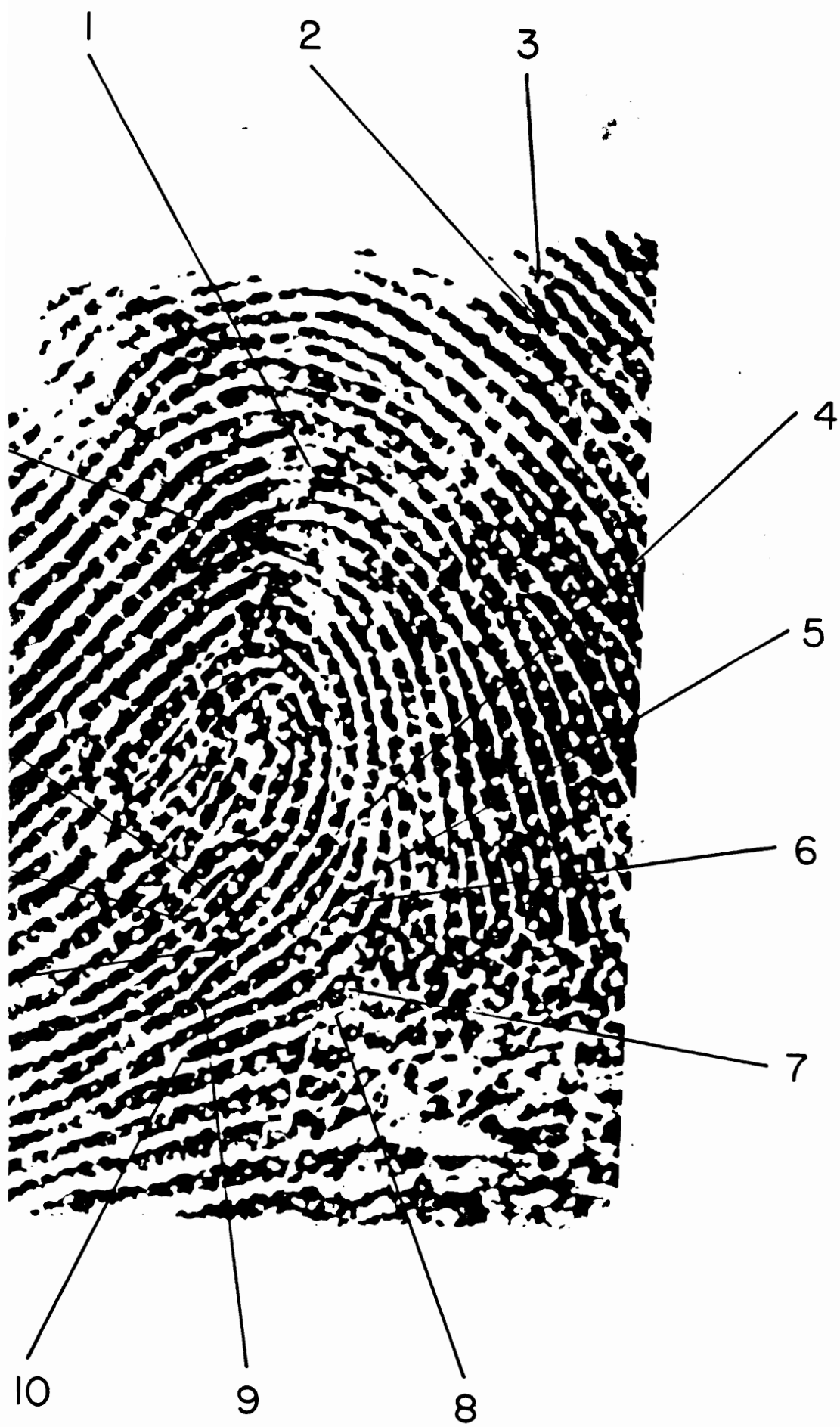


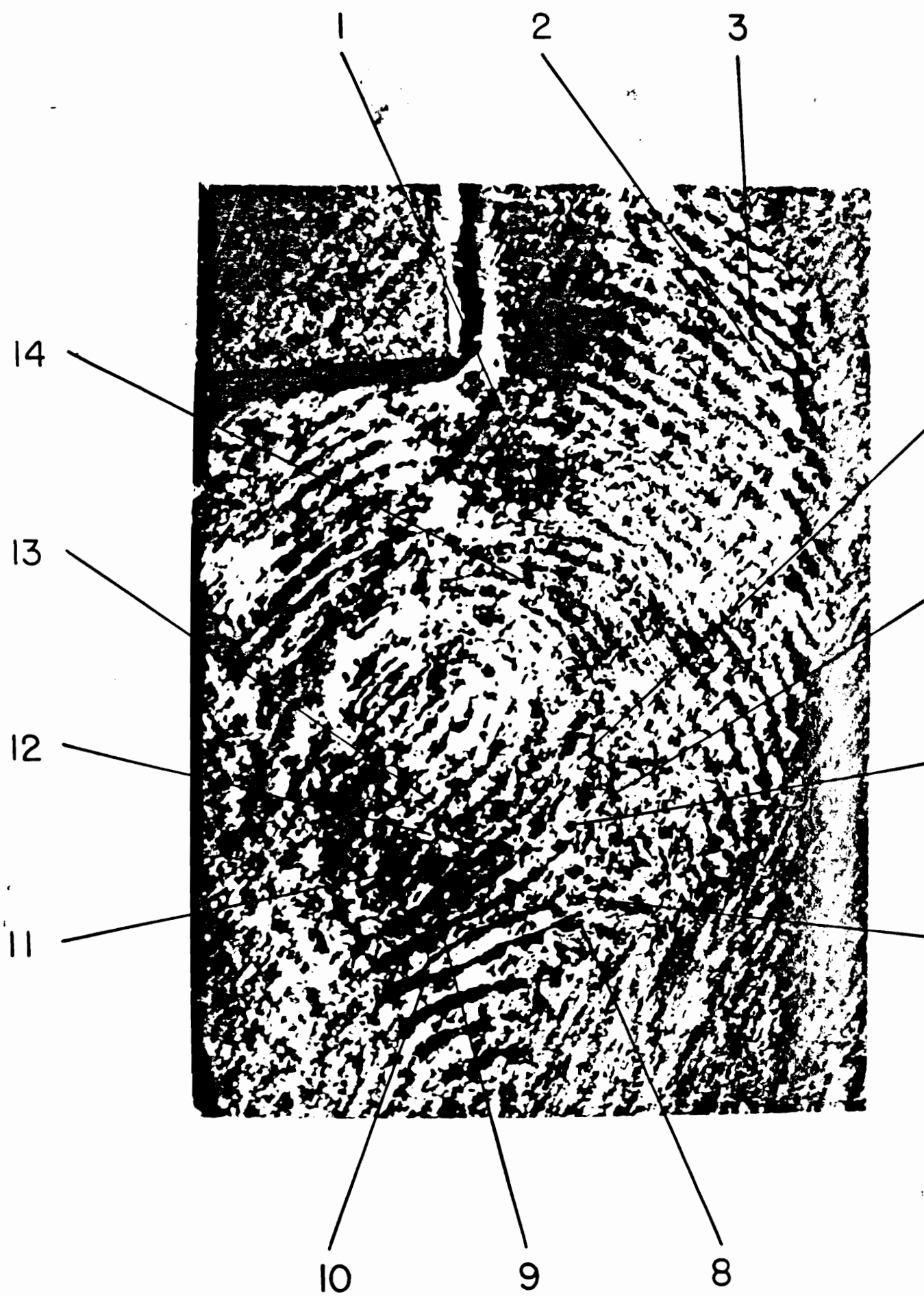
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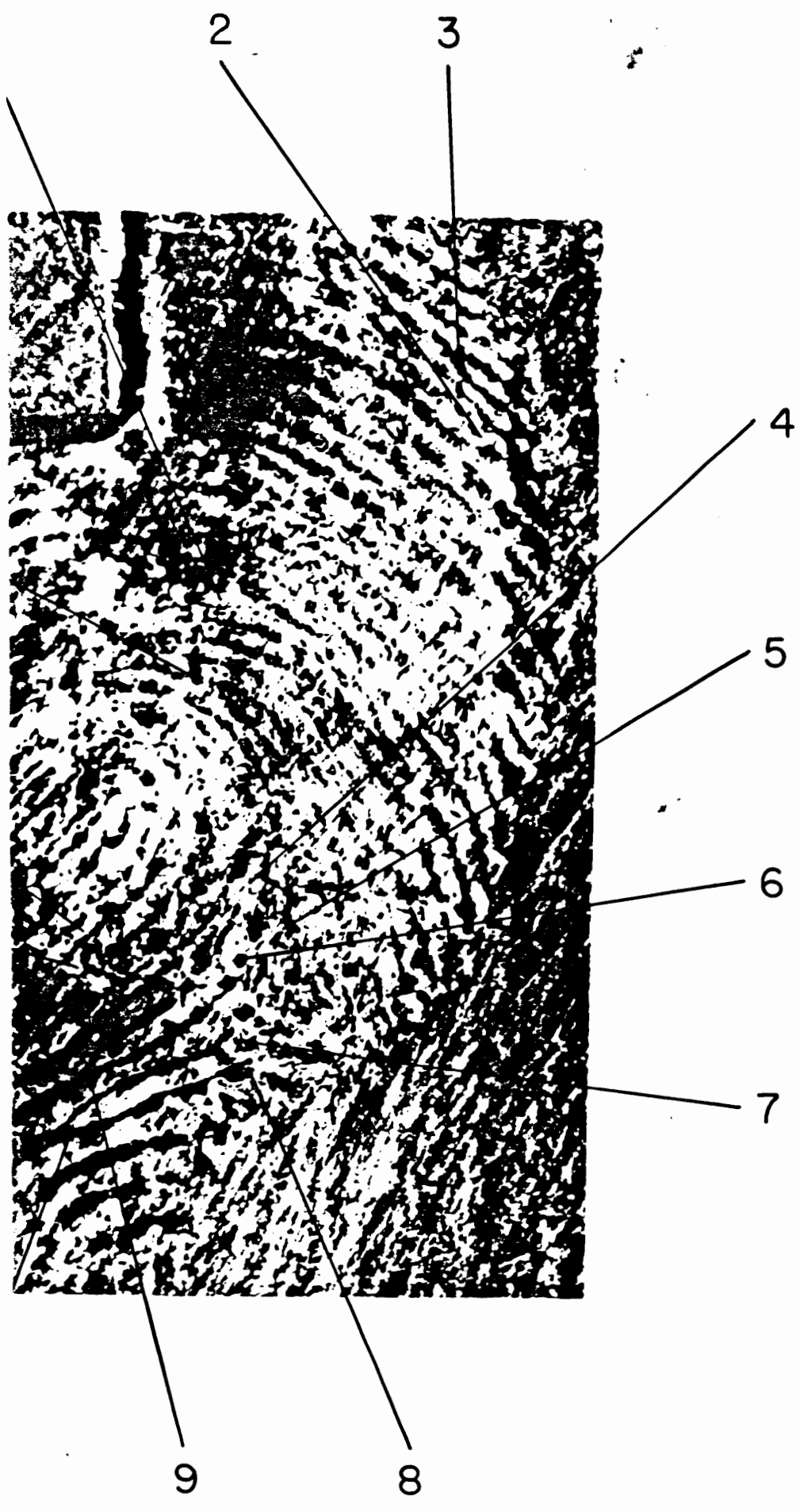


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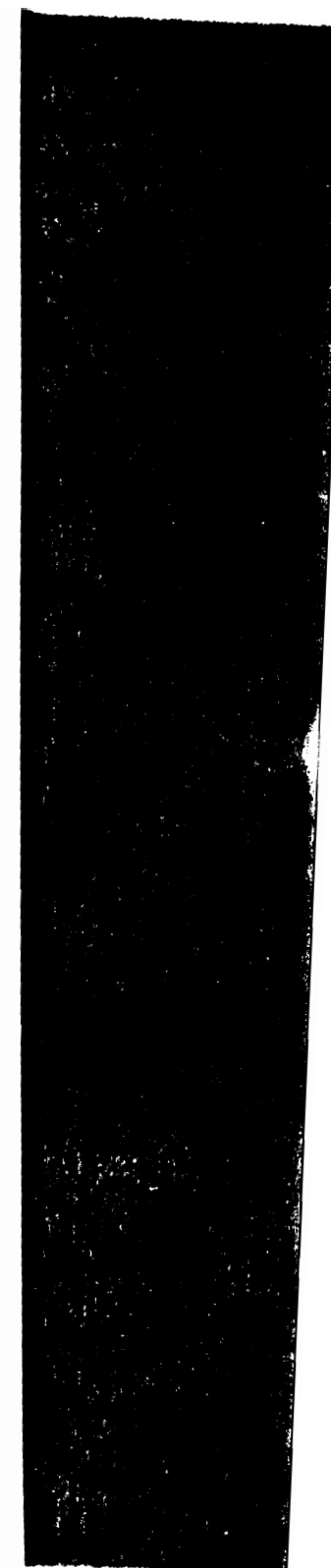
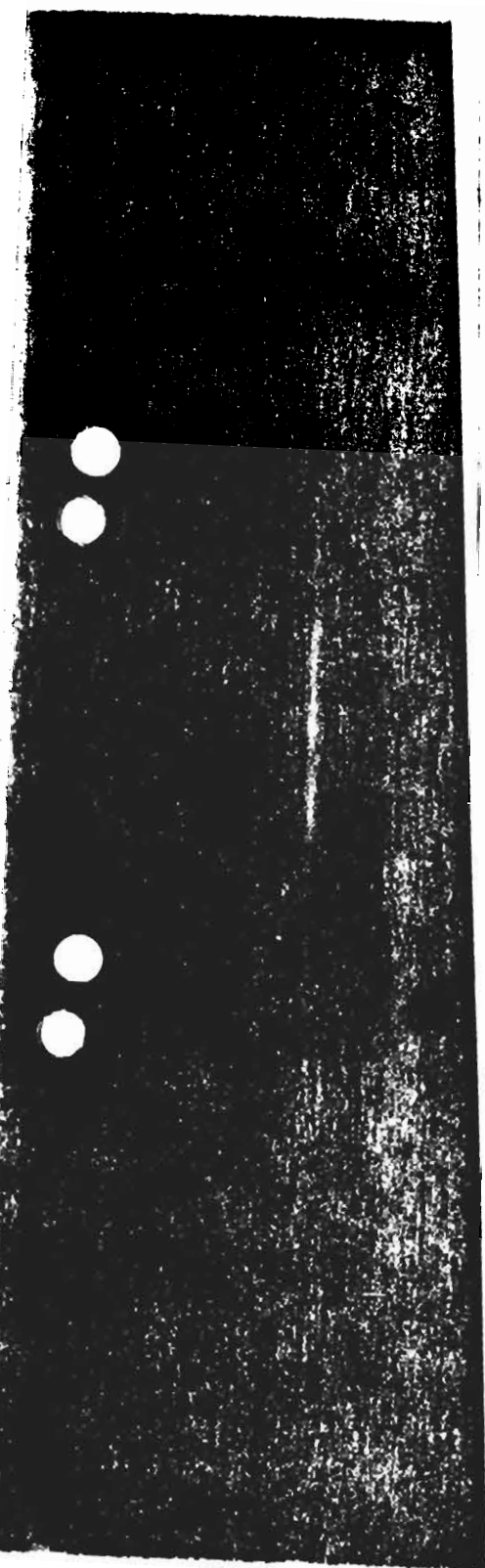
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Print title from Wyoming Walcott #828772

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LITTLE FINGER



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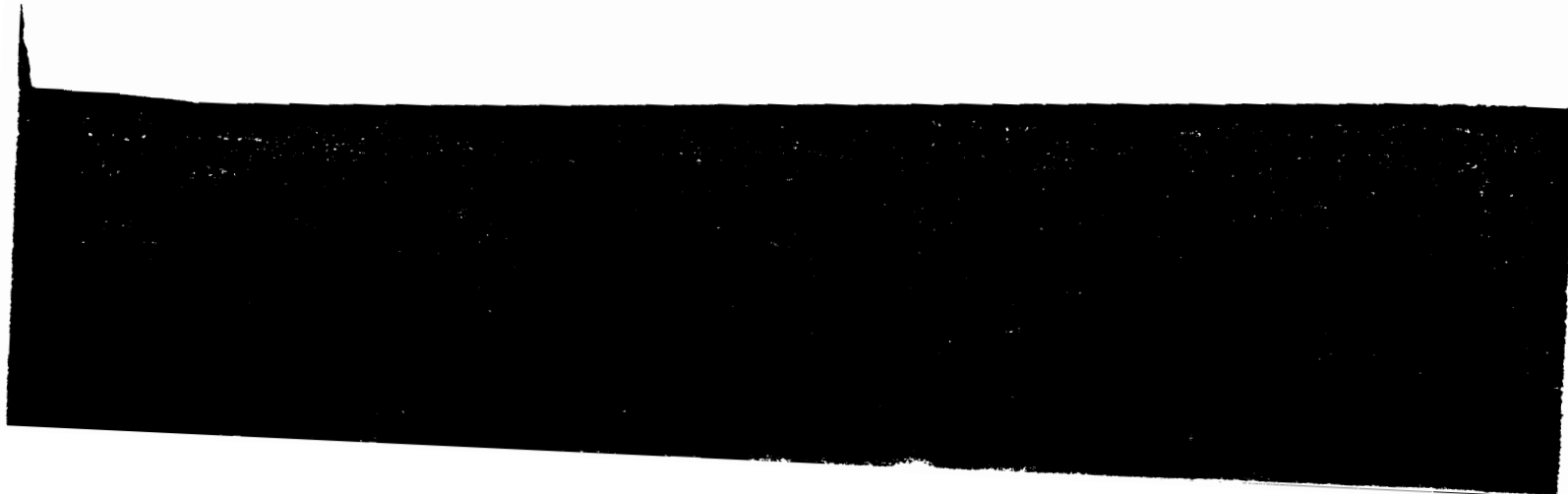
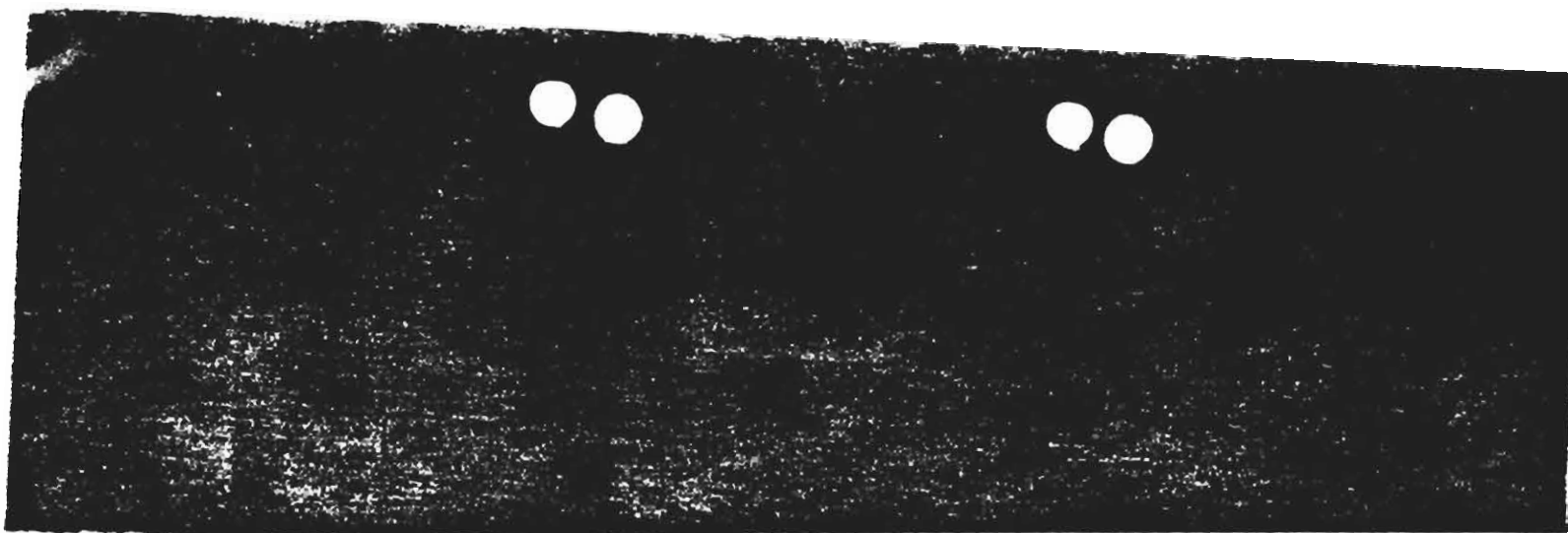


Left index finger of Charles J. Fitzgerald - 95780
7-576-7819















Delaware, Ohio

Jan 22 1934

Mr Adolph Bremer

Kind Sir: I am writing you
a message which I do hope will
be of great interest to you. I have
been reading about the kidnaping
of your son. I do have sympathy
for you I know a man on the
Radio if you will write him
or telegraph him about your son
he will tell you if you will
ever get your son or tell you
if he is a live or dead if
you want to know this now
I will explain to you just
how to do this. Maybe you
can save your self from

paying out the \$200,000.00 for ransom
if you will ask this man
I am referring you to. Now this
is no fraud about this

You write or telegraph
Gayle Norman
% Care of X.E.P.N.
Eagle Pass
Texas

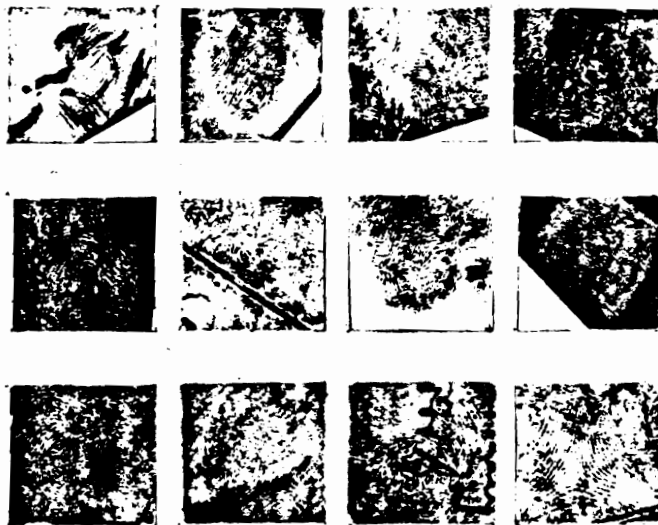
and ask him 3 questions
about your son and send
\$1.00 / one Dollar and a self
address stamp envelope to him
and he will ans you by Mail
or By Radio, whichever you request him to
He is on Station X.E.P.N.
Eagle Pass Texas 6:15 p.m.
and 8:30 p.m. and 6 A.M.
their time

Be sure and state your full name
and address to this man.

is his Broadcasting his every day.
We write him and thousands
of people do when they want to
know the truth. He is fine
cant be beat at this work.
If you havent heard from your
son yet give this man a
chance to tell you.

I remain a Radio listener
a Reader of papers
and a Friend I hope
to you. please let me
hear from you about this
if you write him

I remain
Mrs Dennis Lewis
Delaware Ohio
R. D. 1.



File No. 7-576

All fingerprint employees are requested to keep this chart conspicuously before them during the performance of regular duties in an effort to identify any of these latent prints.

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FBI

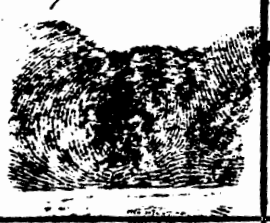

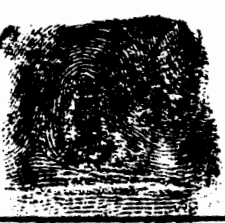


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Class.

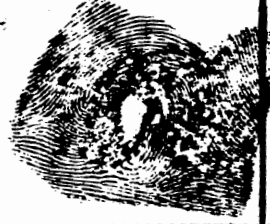

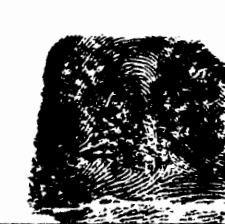
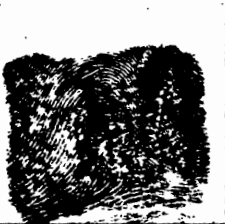

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RIGHT HAND

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LEFT HAND

6. Thumb	7. Index Finger	8. Middle Finger	9. Ring Finger	10. Little Finger
				

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Prisoner's Signature

A R Esser

Four Fingers Taken Simultaneously

Four Fingers Taken Simultaneously

Left Hand.

L. Thumb

R. Thumb

Right Hand



IDENTIFICATION DIVISION, WASHINGTON, D. C.

(Address)

On the above line please state whether Police Department, Sheriff's Office, or County Jail

Jan. 8, 1935

Charge

Disposition of case

Residence Chicago, Ill

Place of birth Missouri

Nationality American

Criminal specialty

Age 36

Build

Short

Height 5'

Com

Ruddy Hair Black

Weight 45

Eyes

Brown

Scars and marks

Scar on tip of
2" scar on right
side below ear

PLEASE PASTE PHOTO HERE

FILED May 17 1932

MARGARET L. MULLANE, Clerk,

By Joseph J. Lynch Deputy

CRIMINAL HISTORY

[illegible]

(Please furnish all additional criminal history and police record on separate sheet)

7-1229



Mr. Adolph Bremer.
Bremer Residence
St. Paul. Minn.

RUSH

① Washington, D.C.
Jan 25th 1934.
4:35 P.M.

Adolph Bremer, Esq.
St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Mr. Bremer:-

I can personally assist you
at once in safe return of your son Mr.
Edward S. Bremer, thru immediate contact
with the kidnapers or "go between" for you
and your son Edward.

As contact man for you,
(the underworld character who may have
your son detained) will at once thru
me arrange for his return home without
harm.

Reason why I am in a
better position than any other man in the
U.S. for this purpose, is because I am
a retired ex convict, and have the full
confidence of thousands of underworld
character, due to fact I was the
"Buggist" at U.S. Penitentiary at Leavenworth
Kansas, handling for nearly 3 yrs. the

(2)

U. S. Pharmacy (with full entire charge
I earn and full entire charge of the
daily sick call) at the Hospital then.

Dispensing, prescribing, and
neph 75% of all medicines its used; a
daily sick call 300 to 600 with nearly
3 thousand men to care for.

I therefore came in daily contact
and held full confidence of every inmate
as well as Prison official at some
time; treating all alike, no partiality
for one man than the other.

Wire me \$300. cash over Western
Union for personal expense money and I
will leave for St Paul by next fast train.

Sick myself for nearly one year here
in Wash. D. C. I really need expense money
for clothes etc aside for railway fare to
St. Paul, otherwise would not ask

for one cent ⁽³⁾ ~~admission~~ money

Would prefer coming by train
prefer airplane; but if you think
best will come by plane.

However in such event you
will have to wire me extra for the
transportation to cover by plane.

If you will have the
following paid when placed in St. Paul
and Minneapolis daily papers at once,
why we need not come by plane
but by train as will arrive there
in 24 to 36 hrs I guess. as you will
wire me money on receipt this letter

NOTICE TO KIDNAPERS OF
EDWARD G. BREMER
ST. PAUL, MINN. BANKER.

I wish to notify the kidnapers of Mrs
Edward G. Bremer, that I have been personally
retained by Mr. Bremer father, Aldrich

... P.D. is taken on airplane ride.

Brunner and family and (4) Mr. Edward B. Brunner's wife, to act as "the go between" or contact man. Please communicate direct with me care of [Put in here either Mr. Brunner's address or name of Hotel in St. Paul where I will stop at, possibly during Hotel in City].

As you will know by name "Doc H. H. Hatch" that I was the Druggist at U. S. Penitentiary, Leavenworth, Kansas, having full and entire charge of the U. S. Prison Hospital Pharmacy, and daily sick call line; part of 1921-1922-1923 in place of outside druggist. Also was handling sick call window as "day time druggist" part of 1929.

Every known underworld character from any of the middle west or western states who was ever "in Leavenworth" or had friends there from any part of U. S. knew "Doc H. H. Hatch".

as a "square guy". (5)

Therefore arrange matter with direct for immediate return of Mr. Bremer to his family safe and sound, and for payment of "Ransom money".

You can play safe in dealing direct with me; no foolishness however, no double crossing. You play fair with me and I play fair with you.

I only represent the Bremer family; have no connection with the Government or any private agency.

Have retired from the "so called" crooked game. While a business and professional man, yet I was accused of being the most dangerous gunman in U.S. known from Coast to Coast as the "Georgia Wildcat". Took in 1920 a newspaper decision, due to another escape from 3 men in Louisville, Ky. and following a jail break Omaha. Later when I was accused, wrecking a brand new jail there.

Contact me immediately for personal interview with a representative yours, or we can arrange matter OK.

(6)
Having this notice placed in this
of ~~the~~ ~~news~~; will arrive in St. Paul,
minn., within 24 hours after you
read this. Contact me at once; your
services held ^{in confidence} ~~your~~ respectfully,

Doc. H. H. HATCH.
(put in St Paul address
here)

ST. PAUL. MINN.

Rush me \$300. to \$500. by wire
less charge. Will leave Wash. D.C. for
St. Paul by next train after purchase
clothing etc. Taking few books only.

Whatever payment you
will make me later, left entirely
up to you. Best wishes for our
success etc. For one but the
underworld know me as H.H. Hatch;

⑦
am living here under my own name
C. Haydon Bozell; wire money to me
my own name "Bozell". However I will
use name H.H. Hatch in all business
in St. Paul after my arrival there.

Was former President & Gen. of
of 5 corporations and former owner of over
5 other enterprises; see letter attached;
party known me since 1909. However I
did not know I was ever in prison.

Still own valuable U.S. Copyright
#625684 for new "Auto Fuel" equal "Ethyl Gas"
and # A 22638 - A 227028 and B. 129125 are
directing; monthly and directing announcements

Many thanks

Respectfully yours

C. Haydon Bozell

471- Penn Ave. N.W.
Washington. D.C.

G.W. DORSEY, JR., PRESIDENT

A.J. SHERMAN, VICE-PRESIDENT

L.S. DORSEY, SECRETARY AND TREASURER

Colonial Charter Company

925-929 MARKET STREET
WILMINGTON, DELAWARE

December 23, 1932.

E. Haydon Bozell,

Dear Mr. Bozell:

Yours of 22nd inst. received.

During this long depression, so many demands have been made upon me for local assistance, that all resources I had for this purpose have been exhausted. Business has been very poor, and both my company and myself have suffered serious losses through decreased business and decreased value of investments. Hence, I am unable to comply with your request.

Why not look up some corporation business and send us orders for charters? One job would net you sufficient to tide you over present financial difficulties.

Thanking you for your good wishes, and trusting that you may have a Happy Christmas and Prosperous New Year, beg to remain,

Respectfully,

G.W. Dorsey, Jr.
President.

COLONIAL CHARTER COMPANY.

D/L

FOR SALE
C. E. MCCrackEN

REAL ESTATE
EXCHANGES OF ALL KINDS

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

January 24, 1934.

H. T. Nippert
706-Lincoln Ave
St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir:

I have read in the St. Paul Dispatch each day the progress of getting in touch with the kidnapers of Edward G. Bremer but up to this writing with no success, I am writing this letter to you as I noticed your name in today's paper and mentioned as their family physician.

If after reading this letter over you can take it up with Mr. Bremer's father, but I would not want any one else outside of you two to know any thing about it as I am not looking for any publicity now or afterwards, nor any reward. But after you have both read it over if you want me, I will come down and meet with you both at your house. And if Mr. Bremer will furnish me with what help I need I will if let alone otherwise so that I can work this out in my own way, return his son to him, for the time being you handle the transactions between us.

The above is written to you in confidence and out side of Mr. Bremer and yourself I would not want it made public at this time, maybe after the three of us have talked things over, I will decide different, for later publicity might help us.

For reference: H.W. Tarrent, Judge.
H.O. Chomnie, Attorney.
L.J. Kalhier, Banker.
Thief River Falls, Minn.
C.O. Johnson, with Brew-Cain
610 New York Life Bldg, Minneapolis, Minn.

Yours Truly

C. E. McCracken
C.E. McCracken.

C. E. McCrackEN
REAL ESTATE
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.



H. T. Nippert
706-Lincoln Ave
St. Paul, Minn.

secret - person up
Federal Bldg.
three on floor only
the other at 6th floor
and floor they are
using and apparently
trying to have in a hurry
anonymous



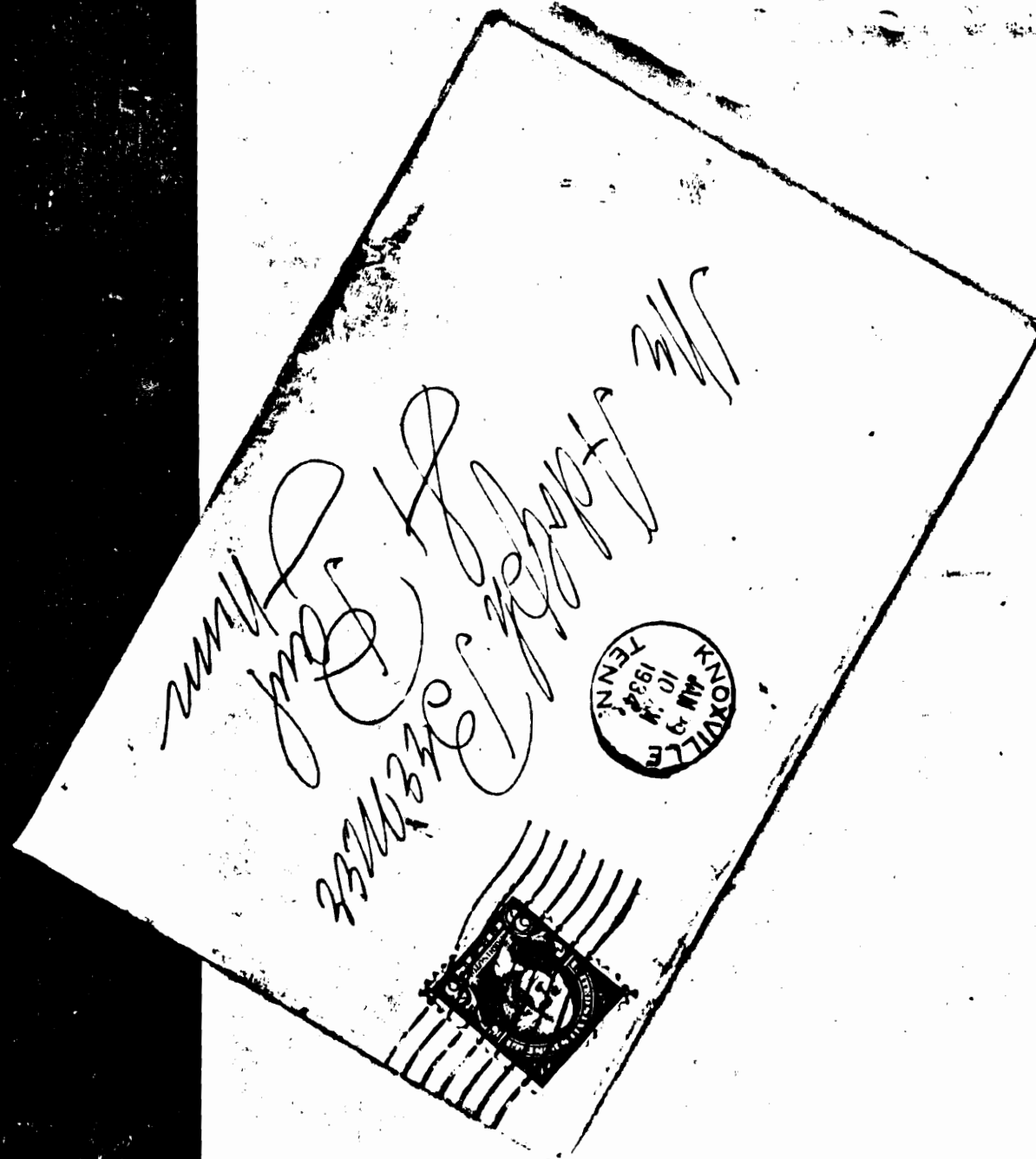
POSTAGE DUE

M. A. Perrot Peruvia sept.
Federal Bldg.
City.

W W Nagel
if you can keep the
Police off the get
we will do business
go to Lake Minnetonka
Minneapolis where the old
pump is and you will
find a note tied to a tree
that will tell you where
to put the money
Monday afternoon at
3⁰⁰
we will turn you over
Wednesday night to Bremer
the gang

MINNEAPOLIS
6³⁰ PM
JAN 22
1934
MINN
Walter W Nagel
1295 Lincoln
St
St Paul
Minn





Mr Adolph Brevett
St Paul Minn
Dear Sir,
I keep up your courage
surely God would permit
such a terrible thing to
happen to a young man
such as you are.
All one has to do is to look
into his face and read his
character.
And if the perpetrators
are caught - one shall

we can feel our presence that you
and. His family are suffering
in is torture, But I am
praying for you all and I am
sure there are hundreds of
mothers doing the same
I pray God you will soon have
him with you again, Well and
happy.

I have one son whom had the
misfortune to be disabled for
life in an accident. but praise
God I still have him.

So keep up your courage and
remember there are praying
for you.

Sincerely
Mrs Elizabeth L. Hargett
Route 9 Circle Road Knoxville Tenn

Mr. Adolph Bremer
St. Paul Minn

Sir:

Undoubtedly I am doing right by
informing you of this for it may have no
connection whatsoever.

Last Sunday morn June 21 1934
while waiting for a Hennepin car at Hennepin
& Lake overheard this conversation between
2 men. The 1st man said to the 2nd
"Did you get the paper?" No response but paper
was handed to 1st man who quickly glanced
at headlines of kidnapping and said. "Better
mail that letter". I witnessed mailing of
the letter. I don't know why but I took
the license no. of their car as they drove
away.

If you happened to rec'd a letter
corresponding with date of mailing in Mpls
& think this has any bearing on the case
will be glad to give information of car no.

I may be reached at 11327 E
St. Mpls. Phone No. Reg 8138. Ask for Anne.



Mr. Adolph Bremer
855 W. 7th
St. Paul
Minn

Mr. Bremer
Your Son is verry sick. he
needs a doctors care. but we can
not take the chance. therefore we will
make it easy for you. we dont want
this boy to die on our hands. so
work fast and your boy will be h.
Two hours after you let this old
man out of your ear. get two
large Potato Sacks for the money
Put all in but 25⁰⁰ which you
give this old man for his work
we do business with yourself only
and if you donot follow directions
to the letter. its hard to tell what
might happen. go fast and keep it
say nothing to any body. as we
donot intend on being caught the
are 6 of us and we are watching
all over

Jacob Schmidt
Brewing Co;
St Paul.
Minn.

don't bother this man as he is
just the goat. He does not know a
thing about the deal ask him no
questions and tell him nothing. If
he might think something and quit
the job and that will delay the
delivery of your son. and he need a
doctor and maybe two of them.
now remember if the law bothers
or interferes there will be nothing
doing. Take this old man and
the two sack. to the 7th corner
in Minneapolis and tell him to
turn left at the 1st corner and
just keep on going. we will be on
the look out.
Tie the sacks together so he can
put them over his shoulders.



Tell this old man that the
two sack contain advertising
matter. The same as we have
told him. and the only way
we all can lose, the law.
ask nothing say less work
fast and fall is well.
other wise, bingo,
hope you don't let the boy die
we got several kinds of medicine
but don't seem to do any good
remember \$25.00 to the old man
and don't forget his time or leave
anybody else bother him

your friend

we didnt directed this man only
to your home. now you direct him
at the 7- corners - now be carefull
and see that there is nobody
trailing you. and if you dont
tell any thing, there will be
nobody a head of you
and remember dont tother this
man as he is not connected in
any way whatever. just earning
a little money. and does not
know how for what he is doing
we dont know him and he dont
know us. we had to have somebody
and we just picked him up, and
we made him believe he would
have a steady job

Mr. A-B.

855 W-7th

St Paul

page one

Last Nighting. Jan 30-19-34.

Mrs E. H. Bremer.

Stop worrying Mrs Bremer and also the Bremer family because Mr. Edward Bremer safe and sound.

We could not get into touch with you Mrs Bremer or Bremer family, because the secret service police and detectives were almost on our trail.

Mr. Bremer is a sick man for past four days, which been our fault for not getting into touch with you Mrs. Bremer.

He is suffering from our blackjock wound, which one of my careless man was over anxious in blackjacking Mr. Bremer in St Paul, Minn, but I have giving to my henchman some ~~med~~ medicine as Mr. Bremer received on his head.

Police did a lot of nosing around for our trail, but them dizzy coppers will never out smart us, w. I am a leader of this gang.

Mr. Ed Bremer was taken away from St Paul, Minn, the first day we capture him and was taken to my private airplane, which I took him over to Bridgeport Conn to our hide out.

As we said in the first note we want 5-10-20 dollar bills. (page two)
You must not say a word to know one about this final Message from us
except Mr. Walter Magee and yourself. If you fail us, and tip the
police or newspaperman, then Mr. Ed Bremer will be chopped to death
by one of my henchman. His head and arms will reach your home soon,
then, with few days we will shipped the body and the legs to your home.
We mean business, when we say we will do just that, when you fail
us. When you get this final warning letter get in touch with Mr. Walter
Magee, and tell him to deliver the money by a airplane to Bridgeport
Conn, and must not say a word to know one about this special tip.

The money must be over in Bridgeport Conn. by Jan 31. midnight
at the Bridgeport Airport Office. When Magee arrives at the
Airport he must not say a word about this deal, to know one in the
Office, but if Mr. Magee has to answer question, then he must say
to them that he is delivering special package for a private party
at Bridgeport under name as (Dan Hawk) This private party will
be calling him self as (Dan Hawk)

(page three)
When this fellow by the name as Dan Starks arrives at the
Airport Office, Mr. Magee you must give him the large package,
and don't say a word to him, then you must wait half hour in the
Airport office, because we don't take chance on fake money, and
we must see for our selfs if the money is O.K., then if the money
is alright we will send Mr. Ed Bremer to the Airport Office,
blindfolded eyes, and his hands tied behind his back.
Then Mr. Magee you will be glad to meet Mr. Bremer once
more, and take him home in your airplane. And then I believe
Bremer family will be very glad to see him once more, and his
dear wife, which he told us about her.

Remember Mr. Magee we trust you and you must not try to double cross
us in any way, because it will be foolish and you might send Mr. Ed—
Bremer to his death if you double cross us.

Just take orders from Mrs Bremer as she gives them to you and stick to
them. We will get in touch, with the Airport, ~~and~~ with Mr. Sikorsky.

page four

the owner of the airport to see if Mr. Sikorsky recived any telephone or telegrams from St Paul. If Mr. Sikorsky gets the message from Mr. Magee, or you Mrs Bremer, than those messages must reach Mr. Sikorsky Airport by Wednesday Jan 31 one o'clock E. S. time. P.M. in afternoon. If you notify the Airport then we are going to get in touch also with the Airport Office to see if the messages come, so we could get ready for this private deal between Magee and us. And at some time we will have Mr. Bremer near the Airport. Remember Mr. Magee have the money by Wednesday Jan 31, midnight, when our henchman calls for it, under name as (Don Hawk). Our secret hide out near the Airport, when time comes to release Mr. Ed Bremer. Once more Mr. Magee if you try any dirty work on us, then you will be repponsible for Mr. Bremer death. Money to be delivered to Bridgeport Airport Office, Wednesday Jan 31 Midnight, 12 o'clock, or death to Mr. Bremer by Feb 2. unsign

Byron Minn.
Jan 30 - 1934.

Dear Mrs Bremer.

I have been thinking
of you and I have been
listening to Gale Norman
of Eagle Pass Texas.

X.E.P.M.
he talks twice over Radio
during the evening
just what time I do
not just remember
but he answers any
questions you ask
him & nearly always
strikes is right.



Mrs. Edward J. Bremer
St Paul
Minn.

In care Adolph Bremer.

he may help you out!
in this way if you
know nothing of this
Mr. Hornsby &
I am in & watch for
his brood cost &
see for your self.
the last one is Cum
what in about eleven
or eleven 30, P. M.

This runs in my mind
of thoughts is might
help. he is good I think.

Mr. R. H. Mortfield.
Byron
Minn.
Box 96,



Los Angeles, Cal.
Oct 3 1934

Mr. Adolph Bremer

St. Paul, Minn.

My dear Mr. Bremer:

I am taking the privilege of introducing myself to you. My name is A. R. Klingman formerly of Des Moines. I came to Los Angeles in 1921 bringing with me references from the Governor of Ia. and bank and business men of Des Moines.

I have been in the banking business for over fifteen years.

I am writing the above for the purpose of showing you who I am.

This is what I want to say to you Mr. Bremer. The fact that you (3) I have been in the Psychic Research work proving that we live beyond the grave, and that our loved ones and friends

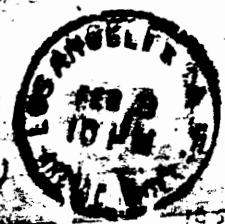
AFTER 3 DAYS, RETURN TO
A. R. Klingman
1337 1/2 Santa Monica
LOS ANGELES, CAL.



AIR-MAIL

Mr. Adolph Bremer
St. Paul,

Minn.



to live and know what we
are doing. So my advice to
you Mr. Bremer is to get in
touch immediately with a
Dynges medium whereby you
can get in contact at once with
some of your loved ones who
have passed out in so called death.
They can very easily tell you
whether whether your son has
been killed or where they are
keeping him. You must do
this at once Mr. Bremer.
otherwise you might lose your
son if he is alive, by such
long delay.

If you want further
information regarding these
matters please write me at
1337 1/2 Vista Terrace, Los Angeles
Very sincerely yours

D. H. Livingston

You will receive
an envelope with
instructions. Follow this.

Two men are holding
your boy - one wants to
let him go without
ransom, the other, short
swarthy and with limp
wants the ransom
badly.

Don't give up
hope but hurry -

Sincerely yours

Mrs Douglas
2 Bath Rd
Newport R.I.

Feb 5, 1934

Dear Sir

I've had a vision
last night in which
I was told that
your son is alive
but desperately ill.
If he is not delivered
or found within two
days he will not
survive.

He is located about
three hundred (300)
miles W of his



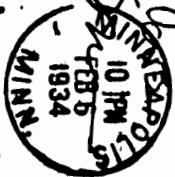
house. The long,
paint-work, farm-house
is located a mile
back from the main
road in woods and
behind several little
"hot-dog" stands on
the main-road.

The boy has no
liberty what-so-ever
but is not heavily
guarded now ~~by~~ two
men and a woman
who watches him
more than anybody
else.

Minneapolis Feb 6th 24
Mr. E. J. Fosterberry
St Paul Minn
Dear Sir:-

A couple of days after
you interviewed Mrs
Gustafson, in regard
to Mrs Anderson's
whimbrels, I happened
to hear something else, that
I believe would be of advantage.

Mrs. A. H. Huggen
2569 Grand Ave
Minneapolis



Mr. E. J. Fosterberry
263 Post Office Building
St Paul

Minneapolis

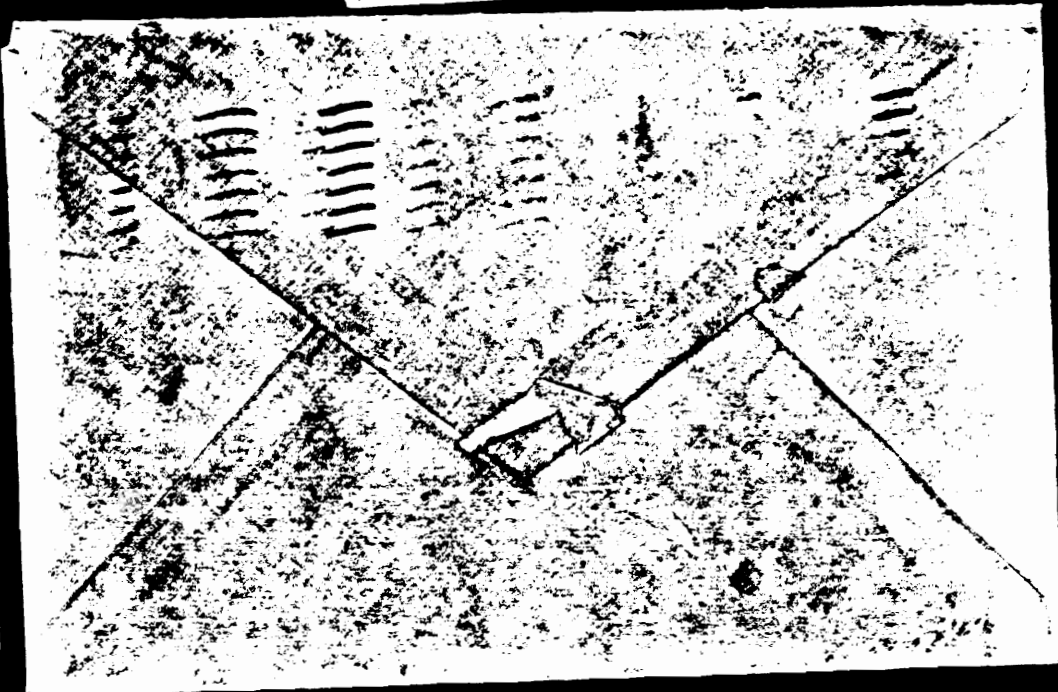
to you, Have tryed to get you
by phone coupler of times
but you were not in.

Mrs J. H. Kruger
2309 Grand Ave 2
Minneapolis
Minn

Perhaps it would be
better to call than
to phone.

As got because they have
The nitch so they can
not send this children to
School here in the east
are go out them selves with
out gasds. so we (Colored)
Coors this work for first-
Class places. can not
Get any thing to do. The nitch
is afraid to spend the money so
They go to Europe. so they can be
free. so I am speaking for the Colored
As a hole we suffer to. I used to cook
on a dining car out off Chicago
as one off the waiters call me in to
Shoe me Mr Edward Bremer one day
I shall never forget how pleasant he
seems to be. so please let us hope
they will let the nitch alone and can't
least get the pay there school
This is how I work all ways felt about
this crime

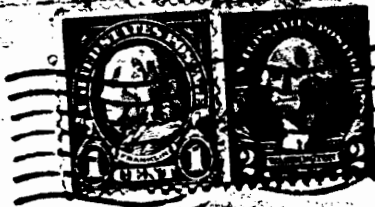
Edward Chester Hedgecock
Opt(11) 19 - W 137 St - New York N.Y.



Sunday 21-34

New York N.Y.

Mrs Edward G. Bremer
all in this Church
me, on Sunday we
Prayer for you, and your
family, and we are all
most sure you will have
your husband back again safe
and sound to you and his
loving daughter. That he was
coming to school. My name is
Edward and I to have only
me and his name is Edward
Hester Hedgeman for he is
studying medicine at Howard
College in Washington D.C.
is Junior. all that I am
poor and a (negro) but that
they do to the nether hurts
the poor. they work so many
Thousand people, and
feed so many hungry
ones. I am a first-class
Cook. and out of



Mrs Edward G. Bremer

96 W. C. Robertson

East 1st St
Minneapolis Minn

3.

One in the act of eating
one in the act of laughing
and one of a favorite pose
familiar to his family.

Will you be kind
enough to forward this
suggestion to the father
of Edward H. Bremer.

Hoping for the best.

Very sincerely
Gino Tivoli

Please let this be confidential.
Not to be published.

be useless to pay as much
money to no avail. The
kidnapers are afraid they
will be doublecrossed.
What assurance has he
that they are the ones who
have his son or that he
is alive therefore I suggest
that he send the kidnapers
a camera with films in it
and sealed, with instructions
to take four pictures of
his son and to return it
unopened to be developed.
The pictures should be
taken as follows:

Memphis Tenn

W. C. Robertson

Postmaster



Dear Sir,

I hope my suggestions
are not too late. I take the
liberty of writing to you
not knowing the address of
the kidnaped Edward H. Bremer
I know that the father of
Mr. Bremer would willingly pay
to ransom for the return of
his son alive. But God forbid
if he were not alive it would

Jan 20, 1892
141-41-182 Street
Springfield Mass
Long Island N.Y.

Postmaster W. C. Robertson

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After 5 days, return to
COMMERCIAL STATE BANK,
Sixth and Washington Streets,
SAINT PAUL, MINN.

Mr. Adolf Bremer,
855 W. 7th Street,
City.



Venice, Cal. Jan. 29th. 1934.

To the Father
of
Edw. G. Bremer
St. Paul, Minn.

Sir:

I the undersigned offer you my
Services and co-operations in restoring
to you your Son Edw. G. Bremer.

You may use me any way you see
fit, even if I have to exchange my
life for that of your Son.

I am willing to do this not for
financial rewards, but for prestige to
be allowed to remain in the U.S.A.
and to be allowed to become an
American Citizen.

I am not a criminal, have no
convictions against me.

But I am illegal in this Country, having entered illegal 22 years ago from Germany. The War and the Laws prevented me from becoming naturalized.

I love this Country + want to stay here. I prospered here, had my own Home in West Palm Beach, Fla. a good Business, a Wife + 2 children.

The Hurricane in 1928 wiped out my home, later my money was lost.

I moved from place to place + finally I applied for help to the Welfare.

I was honest told the truth about my Life + that's when my troubles started.

Now I am slated for deportation by June 30th 1934 and be parted from my Wife + 2 american born children.

Take it from me I rather suffer an honorable Death, than being thrown into Hitler's Lion-den.

III.

I have written Pres. Roosevelt asking for an executive pardon. But what have I done to deserve this? So please give me a chance to hunt for your Son.

You can rest assured I will try my very best, even at the risk of my life to find your Son.

I don't want any money, only a recommendation to Pres. Roosevelt for a pardon. Please answer soon.

I the hope that your Son be restored to his love ones very soon,

I remain yours very truly
Frank Hoff.

28 So. Venice Blvd.

Venice, Cal.

Lincoln Illinois, Jan. 22nd, 1934.

Mr. Adolph Bremer
St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir: having read in News Papers about
the supposed Kidnapping of your Respect-
son. seeing in Paper about Drawing & diagram that
might solve the where ^{abouts of} your Respective Son.
Now I work out things in the drawing &
Diagrams that might help where your son
might be located. of course understand I can
guarantee those. but I suggest you use it as it
might solve the where abouts of your son. you
people up there are Strangers to me. I never saw
Minnesota, or St. Paul, or any part of your Country.
I have helped solve two of the greatest Problems
that confronted the world lately. my Checking
Came true I work under a Cloud I am Clear
^{not} guilty of no offense in this world Clear &
and blame in the Face of the good above.
I am no Grant. what I draw and explain
herein is meant to be of Interest to you.
I mean no Humbuggery to you. couldn't
name any body Connected with the taking
of your son. I am not Connected up in this
Incident in any ^{manner}. I see the Coffee grounds like
you men, some times things come to me like
visions. I read Hinglyphins. of course I



Mr Adolph Bremer.

St Paul,

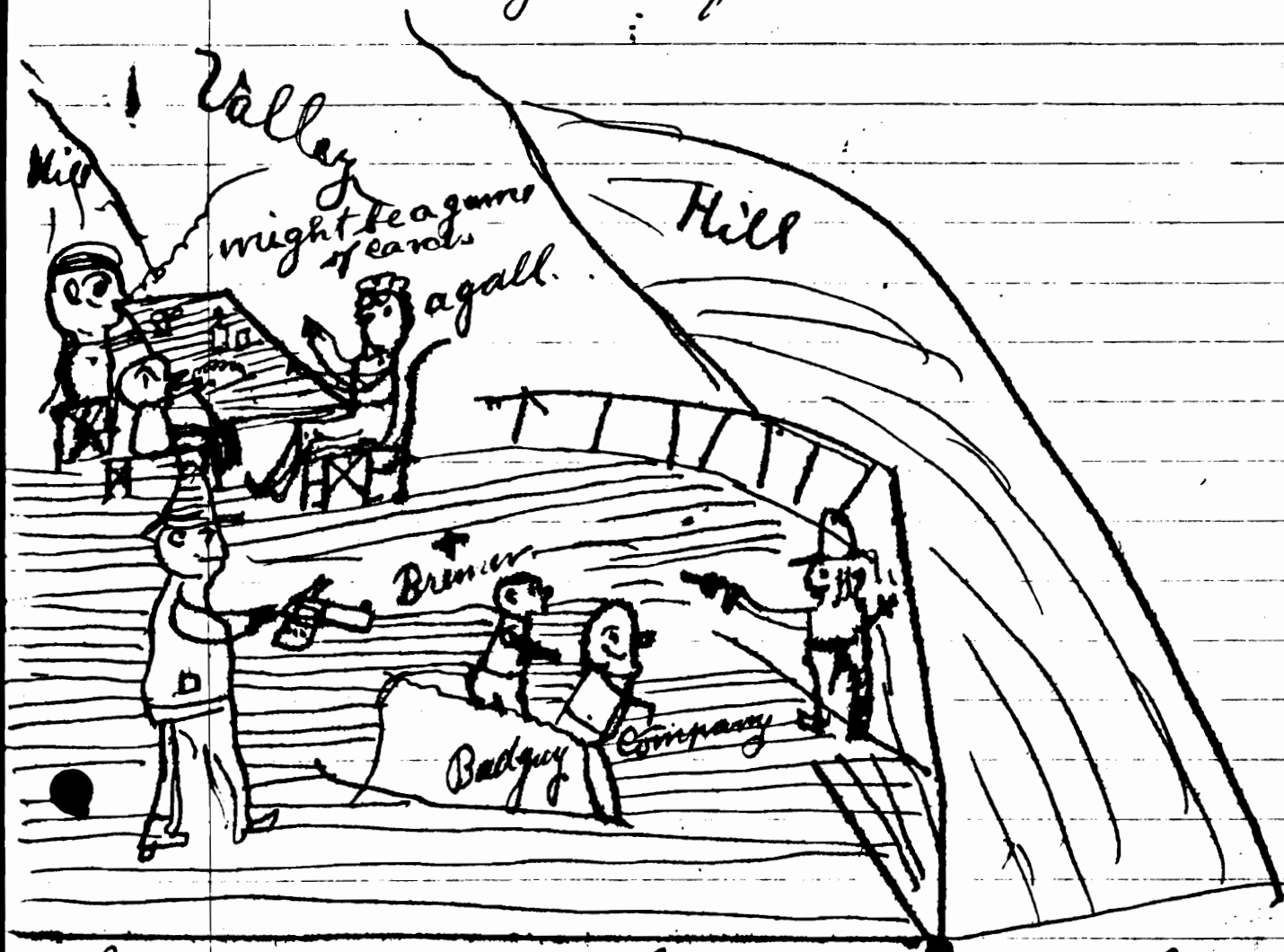
Personel:

Minn

Police Officer Onhill

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might make a mistake some times two.
I dont follow kidnaping to get by. have a machine
gun handy when you happen to get acquai-
nted those kind of Chaacters. you know.
So I will make a drawing that might fit
the whereabouts of your Respective Sons reside
is now. So hear you as follows.



See if youse cant locate a place where
large quantities of Barrel Beer or whiskey
has been ~~kept~~ in ~~the~~ gone By. ware House

or Tunnel Cellar under a Big ^{warehouse} where a
Cold Storage Department or Tunnel
● between the hills. Storage or Hootch den
in hills in your vicinity. now this from
my readings. use this. saw wood on it
work quite on it. it might be of interest
Keep number of money on Bill it might
help get them. might be held Captor
under some Building. I am not trying
to make fools out of youse. I understand
your time is precious & valuable.

so yes. Respectfully. it seems Favorably for
him to get home O.K.

no name. I'll keep Cases on this
you may hear from me again
till i see how this checks up.

Respective Success to youse
all interested

Pardon me no name.

To Police Dept

There is a man that
is living at Wilson Broadway
house at 13 and 1st St saying
he wrote the note about
the man being buried in
snow at Alaska

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT

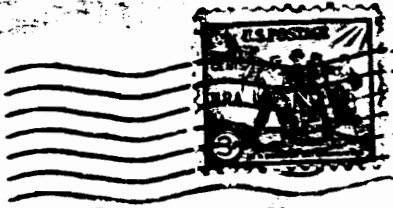
MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.
OFFICIAL BUSINESS



I want to tell the fact
is a good time to buy for
hear that it is pushing the
little city folks or
back in the country.

I sincerely hope that your
son will soon be released
to you and that you will
get that enormous sum of
200,000 or back again. Fifteen
and half percent of that sum
would ^{lift} ~~take~~ my burden
and give me plenty the rest
of my life. Best wishes

Respectfully
Mrs. H. L. Cole



Mr. Adolph Bremer
Pres. J. Schmidt Brewing Co.
St. Paul

is going to foreclose on me.
I am 53 yrs old and it is going
to be hard to find something to
do at that age. I have wanted
to sell the farm but no one has
money. Being in Lenoir County
a good farming part of the state -
I hoped to be relieved of the heavy
crushing burden. Many have
great faith in the "medicine"
and I have thought some of attend-
ing their meetings with a
question. I thought if you
also and wondered if you
could find out any thing about
your son or who the men are
that took him through the
medicine. I know they can
do you no harm; at least it is
worth trying. I am going
to know what they think about
me.

and left a farm of 173 acres
with nearly \$8000⁰⁰ mortgage
which he ~~took~~ got from the
Federal Land Bank of St. Paul
Minn. I did not realize that
depression was coming (1929) when
prices kept going down. Having
no money I borrowed for two
years. Kind help did not take
interest and dislike having a
woman dictate to them. Conse-
quently I do not get as much
off the farm as when husband
was looking after it. I am
back 5-payments and taxes
for '31-'32-'33. I have worked
out doors in the fields (since the
accident) in the summer and
help with chores during winter
in order to keep paid on
condition of livestock and cut
expenses. Last Saturday
I was informed that the bank

Palmyra, Mich, Feb. 1-1934
Mr. Adolph Bremer
St. Paul, Minn.
Dear Sir:

I have read in the papers
about the cruel heartless way
some people have in getting money
from others; this time I must
run for your son's
release. You have my sym-
pathy in your trouble and I
sincerely hope that soon all
kidnappers will have the law
around their necks. Hang them
lynch them - nothing too hard
for them.

My heart has been terribly
crushed also. Four years ago
last Aug. I lost my husband
met with a fatal accident
while business store was for me.
He carried life insurance.

Mr. Warner Harmon

If I were a Detective I would

think like this. —

Some of the Brown money
will go for the lawyers in the Tandy
case. Tandy will know that his
better half and gang is on the job.

The lawyer will know he
will get his money for silk underwear
for his wife. —

This lawyer forget that in
Tandy's car were kidnaping goods
not beer only. — In Elkhorn one
man get away. —

Tandy by this time should
be fat and have a mustach. —

Think what you like. —

The Dream —

Three days before the Kidnaping
I saw a man hurt on a bed
in a basement like the Denver
man.

Opolains 5 men playing
card gambling. — in their shirt
sleeves. The house big and rich
looking in the best part of
the City. —

They are not in a hurry
as the Tandy trail may take two
or three weeks. Bresser will
get well he is not dead don't
worry they want the money. —

Still they may take one eye
for an eye if they. — no
I think you will get them. —

but be a fat

I saw guns —
the man on the bed said don't
use that gun. — please when
the police come. —

It is the real thing I think
but do as you folks please
I am truly

Johanna Ekman

1239 40th Street
Brooklyn, N. Y.
January 25, 1934

Mr. Adolph Bremer
Jacob Schmidt Brewery Co.
St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir:

Very often we read in the newspapers about crimes more or less revolting, and similar to your case.

Therefore I take this liberty in bringing to your knowledge the fact that I am the inventor of a new system which makes crime impossible in any circumstances, whether in trains, automobiles, offices, private homes, or streets.

In case of kidnapping, the victim will be found, dead or alive, within the 24 hours.

All this can be obtained with my new system, without crowding the streets with policemen, or requiring the co-operation of the citizens, or arming them, and with no need of drastic laws and capital punishment.

I wish that the government and the population of the U. S. know about the existence of this method which will unfailingly trap the criminals and secure the life and the property of every citizen, and if you so desire, I will explain and describe my system.

I do not ask for money in advance, but to protect my interests. I'd like to have a contract signed which will guarantee that I will be recognized and compensated soon after the results will show to be as satisfactory as I promise.

I believe advisable to hide my real name, and use the assumed name of Cosimo Buliatti, until the government will accept and use my system. The reason for this decision is that I cannot protect myself with the use of my invention, unless there is a special installment which must be authorized and supplied by the government, and I fear that criminals could harm me if they knew that I am trying to paralyze their activities. This special installment I will describe to the authorities as soon as I will be asked to do so by the government and the request must be made through the daily newspapers.

The great Marconi had to ask the support of a government to succeed in his marvelous and useful invention. Well, I firmly believe that, although in a different field, my invention is just as useful as Marconi's.

I have no financial means to pay the newspapers for the publication of the enclosed message. So I ask you to do so for the welfare of the humanity.

I will be very grateful to you if you will grant my request and I sincerely hope that you will give my letter your kind consideration.

Very respectfully yours,

Cosimo Puliatti

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St. Paul

AFTER 3 DAYS, RETURN TO
 609 So. Florence Ave.
 SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI

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



LEADER AND PRESS

'ACCIDENTALLY KILLED'

Union City Mission



for a federal office
 have been
 Very sorry, but
 Ed. Bremer is now residing
 in Paris. - Was by accident
 bumped off - body never
 found. Man, will not be found
 until after some good hunting
 all off - please forgive me -
 all a mistake by one of our
 gang been drunk. Please tell
 Walter Mayer & Paul
 One of the gang

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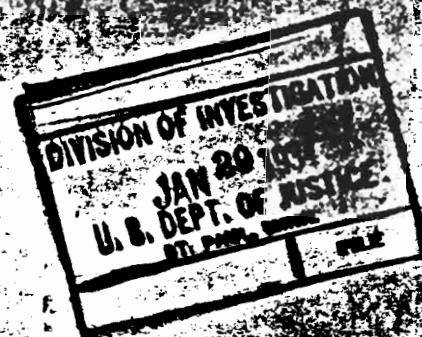
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Mr. C. H. Varley
Chief of Bureau of Investigation
U. S. Department of Justice
Kansas City, Mo.



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, Minnesots. I borrowed more money and, took he and his family to Barret, 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 Barom, Wisconsin. by the name of Ray Higgenmeister.

White while in Springfield, preached several sermons and, seemed to be quite an evangelist around Barret, 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. White

KANSAS CITY, MO.	
DIVISION OF INVESTIGATION	
JAN 29 1934	
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	
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S. M. WEED

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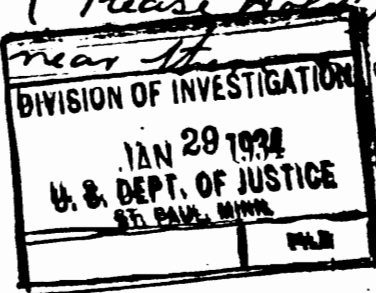
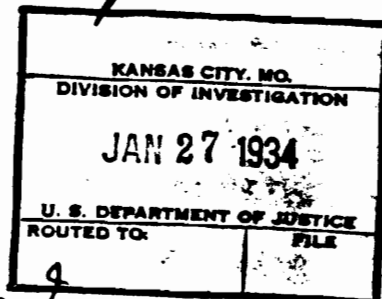
Dear Sid

When I got to Lee Morris Iowa, I called up no & they said they wanted to see me also. wired me money. The wife 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. right & Jack is not going to stay there but is going to meet me Madison Wis. and work for me on that job. I am going to raise \$90.00 here from Pete I'll send you half of it so as you can settle some of the things and then meet me in Wis. as I am going to Minneapolis Wednesday to get this money which is on a grain store. Co. there also to pick up an old Ford I can get one there for \$20.00 good enough to get me south. Things are plenty bad here now. plenty of trouble among the farmers. I did not like the Wentz (George) did he does not want to sell unless he gets all like the rest & he wanted a car. you know how it was. Well going on that big cattle truck from Barrett tomorrow he is a load of tile (clay) to the city from the Benson tile Co. Ha I have had a tough time and got rotten treatment here when I came back, plain Hell, and I don't blame the w for not staying here every one here raised Hell with me. 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 soon as I get there & let you know where to come as it is new theatre in a small town near Madison & I don't know where we will stay. Don't bother about the Soilase Co. we'll have to let it all ride for a few months and get other work done. I don't want to handle anything else

we have the money to do it rite. I tried to get money from Kate my sister in law by telling her we had a car broken down, smash up etc. all kinds of things but you have an idea & will know just about how they acted. but I got some satisfaction anyway besides Hell. Well it will not be much good writing to any address till I write you which will be as soon as possible as soon as I get planted some place in Wis. and its going to be as soon as I can. Im just sick of all this trouble from one side then the other & relations are now turning out worse than all, just kicked us out this time, its just the same as Chloes relations they are all the same well Im made up my mind to do them the same as soon as I get on my feet, which wont be long. if I can help it. Well youll be here in a few days Sid and Ill send you what I can. We are also going to sell the things I have in Minn. The wife sold the few things we had at Rays place to get money to go on as she could not get enough from here, Oh I tell you its must have been tough for her and the kids, And one I made was I made it them here. Well Sid you can rely on me, Ill do all I can, as I always have done we just get Hell from all sides & it cant go on for ever.

Regards
Ray

If you write to Madison Wis. mark the Envelope (Please Hold) as I am not sure of the time exactly its rite near there Ill go there to get it.



Jan 29 1934
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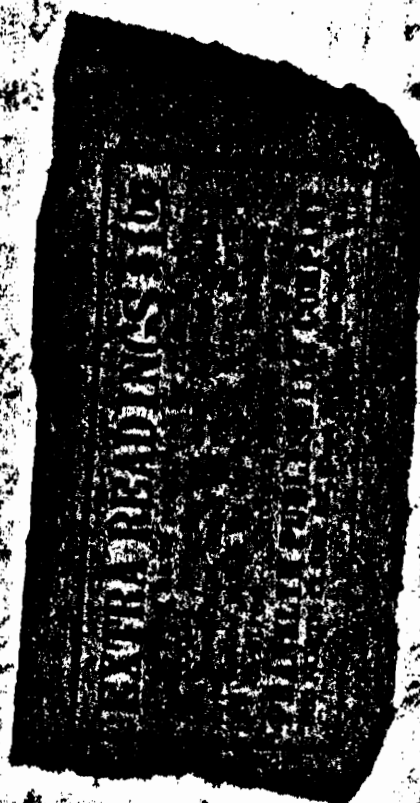
Mr Adolph
Bremer

St Paul Minneapolis

Kind sir.

In regard to your son Mr Bremer
that was seized Jan 17, which
I see in the paper which I send
you a copy of and would
like to tell you that you
can probably get some idea as
to where he is by going to a
good fortune teller they can
locate him.

There is one in Mountal. P. Q.
and one in Chicago I am sending
you a slip with their address
on it. Please look them up and let me know
and if you can locate Mrs
Maya Bert her address was
Langaster N H. 9 years ago last
sept. she can tell every thing
of the past & the future and get it
write. and if I can be of any help
to you by going to Bartonsville
I will be glad to do so and see
what can be done. P W Darn



AGED FATHER MAKES NEW PLEA TO KIDNAPERS

ST. PAUL, Jan. 29 (AP)—A seven year old Adolph Bremer, ill and worried, today pleaded with the kidnapers of his son, Edward G. Bremer, for some sign that the missing man is still alive.

As the twelfth day passed since a gang seized the younger Bremer, without any definite word of his fate, the elder Bremer apparently was becoming more desperate and begged for a benefit with the abductors.

He made public statements today in which he said:

"Please communicate with us. We want our son back. We are ready to negotiate and the money is ready if you will only tell us where to meet you."

(Signed) "Adolph Bremer"

Even federal operatives of the department of justice have been unable to span the gap of silence that has widened between the abductors and the family since the first ransom note and a telephone call were received by Walter Magee, wealthy businessman and friend, a few hours after Bremer was spirited away.

City police have not tried. They have resumed their normal routine at headquarters in contrast with heavy forces of officers on 24-hour duty during the early stages of the case. The elder Bremer who is the principal owner of the Jacob Schmidt Brewing Company and a personal friend of President Roosevelt, however, begged authorities to remain on the sidelines until his son was freed, feeling that police activity might endanger his son's life.

The young Bremer was asked for \$200,000 ransom.

C.L.A. & Co.

ST. PAUL, MINN.

Adolph A. Bremer
ST. PAUL, MINN.



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I sure would tell
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 sure is good it will
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New Salem
 Jan. 23. 1934

Dear Mr. Bremer
 I picked up a newspaper
 in town and read that
 your son was taken away
 from Bad Men or women
 It is sure to Bad and
 I sure have sympathy
 with you in your
 Government I am
 going to pray to the
 Lord to right for the
 return of your son
 Edward Sam and No
 harm to him as I
 am a Believer in
 our heavenly Father
 he is always watching
 over us. Please

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 NEW SALEM
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 Mr. Adolph Bremer
 1944 Jacob Schmees-Brewing
 St. Paul Minn.
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 from Salem
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I am a man 55 years
old have 7 children
all suffering with a
murder Colitis for
18 years now no
no money for medicine
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for this Colitis but
no funds I always
was a hard worker
notice this Colitis
before me robbing my
health away. I always
pray to our heavenly
father for the return
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I do wish I could
talk to him Mr Br...

4 But wife a sick
ailing man (is it)
Buy it, now Mr.
Bremer, I am a son
to you. And again
I am your friend
Will you please write
me, and tell me
some thing off your
ailment. I hope
by the time you get
this letter your son
will be safe at home
I wished I could help
bring him back
My prayers will
bring him safe at
home health is what
I wish God I trust
I am your friend
Edam Brumam

If you do not have a copy of the green colored KOLOKAY Booklet or the KOLOKAY Diet Leaflet, you should write at once for them. Both are free. You need them.

lated normally. KOLOKAY powder is not a laxative, it clings tenaciously to the injured membranes of the stomach, intestines and colon and allows them to heal. KOLOKAY powder has absolutely no action on the heart, and will not injure you in any way, even though taken over long periods of time.

DIARRHOEA

If you are troubled with diarrhoea, we would advise that you follow the information in our KOLOKAY booklet, under the heading of Diarrhoea, however, if your bowel movements seem quite normal in consistency, and just frequent movements, we would advise that you follow the information in the booklet under heading of Spastic Colitis. Be sure to follow the proper diet, depending upon the nature of your case, as this is a very important part of the treatment of any functional disorder of the stomach, intestines or colon. Faulty diet has probably caused most of your trouble. Be sure to avoid fried foods, rich and greasy foods, pastry and rich cakes, sweets and indigestible foods, given in the diet list. Avoid all raw fruit, with the possible exception of orange juice (strained) or grape fruit juice (strained). Use cooked fruits sparingly for a time at least.

KOLOKAY powder is indicated in the treatment of diarrhoea as well as constipation, for it regulates the bowel walls so that they can perform their work unaided. It usually requires a little time to get the bowel regulated quite normally. However, the small amount of time, patience and money expended is well worth while for the sake of your future health.

KOLOKAY powder being a 200 mesh powder, is finer than most talcum powders, and clings tenaciously to the injured membranes of the stomach, intestines and colon and allows them to heal. KOLOKAY powder tends to restore the normal tone or vigor to the bowel walls, thus enabling the bowel to perform its routine functions spontaneously; that is, without the aid of cathartics or enemas. If you find it necessary to use some artificial means of elimination during the beginning of the KOLOKAY treatment, until the powder has had an opportunity of strengthening the bowel walls, we would suggest that you use occasional enemas, rather than cathartics, for enemas are less irritating and less harmful generally. (Use plain water enemas.)

KOLOKAY powder is absolutely harmless; in fact, the adult dose is given to small children. The powder may be taken over long periods of time without fear of injury to any part of the body.

PTOSIS

We would advise that you follow closely the information in our green colored booklet under the heading of Ptois. Your case is evidently chronic and will require treatment for some time. As explained in the booklet, the only way in which to overcome ptosis is to rebuild the fat cushion under the transverse colon, which auto-

matically raises the stomach and colon. This is necessarily a very slow process and usually requires several months' treatment with KOLOKAY powder, and the observance of the proper diet. After you have taken KOLOKAY powder for some time, you should notice a gain in weight and strength, due to increased appetite and better assimilation of the food eaten.

When one has been in the habit of using cathartics or enemas for a long time the bowel walls become partially paralyzed and for this reason it is often necessary to use some artificial means of elimination for a time until the KOLOKAY powder has had an opportunity of restoring the normal tone or vigor to the bowel walls, thus enabling the bowel to perform its routine functions spontaneously. If enemas are effective in your case we would advise that you use them occasionally during the beginning of the treatment. If you wish, you may use some other mild laxative, such as milk of magnesia or mineral oil.

If you are troubled with gas it would be advisable for you to take one level teaspoonful of the powder in a half glass of water after each meal for four or five days.

SIMPLE COLITIS

If you are troubled with Simple Colitis, we would advise that you follow the information given in the green colored KOLOKAY booklet, under the heading of Simple Colitis. Drink plenty of water daily, up to ten glasses daily. Be sure to observe the Colitis Diet, as the use of the proper diet is a very important part of the treatment of any functional disorder of the stomach, intestines and colon.

If you find it necessary to use some artificial means of elimination during the beginning of the KOLOKAY treatment, until the powder has had an opportunity of strengthening the bowel walls, we would suggest that you use occasional enemas, rather than cathartics, for enemas are less irritating and less harmful generally. (Use plain water enemas.)

McBRIDE'S KOLOKAY POWDER is sold in three sizes as follows:

11 Days' Treatment.....	\$1.50
22 Days' Treatment.....	\$3.00
45 Days' Treatment.....	\$5.00

Special—FOR THOSE WISHING TO BUY KOLOKAY POWDER IN QUANTITY, WE OFFER 3—45 DAY TREATMENTS FOR \$13.50. [A 10% Reduction or a Saving of \$1.50]

Postpaid any place in the United States and Canada. (This does not include duty in foreign countries.) You may obtain KOLOKAY POWDER direct from the K-O-KOL Company, Station "A," Glendale, California.

Dear Friend:

I want to help you get well and stay well.

Will you let me? Are you in earnest? In this little folder are many helpful pointers. Please read them all very carefully.

R. A. McBride

Biochemist.



The K-O-KOL Company
Glendale, California

NOTICE to Users of KOLOKAY Powder

Regarding SIZE OF DOSES and the length of time a can of the powder should last.

The length of time which KOLOKAY powder will last is based upon the amount of powder required by the average case of colitis daily, which is one level tablespoonful. In measuring the powder, fill the spoon and then scrape off the excess powder with a knife even with the edges of the spoon. It is not necessary to pack the powder in the spoon. We find that the average dose taken in the majority of cases is much better when continued for a reasonable length of time, than large doses taken for only a short time and then discontinued. In some chronic or severe cases it is beneficial to take additional doses occasionally, and when this is done the containers contents will not last the specified length of time. KOLOKAY powder is not injurious to any part

SPASTIC COLITIS OR SPASTIC CONSTIPATION

We would advise that you follow the information in our green colored KOLOKAY booklet under the heading of Spastic Colitis or Spastic Constipation. Drink plenty of water during the day, up to ten glasses daily. If you are troubled with gas it would be advisable for you to take one level teaspoonful of the powder in one-half glass of water after each meal for four or five days. In a few chronic or severe cases it is beneficial to take a level tablespoonful of the powder in the evening for a time, until the bowel has been somewhat regulated. Be sure to follow the proper diet, as this is a very important part of the treatment of any functional disorder of the stomach, intestines and colon.

Read and follow carefully the paragraphs concerning Constipation in the KOLOKAY diet leaflet, and attempt to have a bowel movement at the same time each day until the bowel has been re-trained properly again. One should not become discouraged if marked results are not received after a short time of treatment, for in many cases it has taken years to bring about the present condition and in consequence it may require several weeks of careful treatment in order to restore the colon and bowel to their normal state. KOLOKAY powder is not a laxative and is not intended for one. Laxatives only cause further paralysis of the bowel and increased irritation of the colon. One should find some means of eliminating the use of cathartics, for they will doubtless cause serious trouble later. KOLOKAY powder tends to produce lasting results by renewing the strength and vigor to the bowel walls. When one has been in the habit of using cathartics and enemas for a long time the bowel walls become partially paralyzed and for this reason it is often necessary to use some artificial means of elimination during the beginning of the

of the body, it gently aids nature in cleansing and soothing the injured membranes of the stomach, intestines and colon and helps restore these organs to their normal state.

On the small cans of KOLOKAY powder the directions state to take three level teaspoonfuls, since it is impossible to insert a tablespoon into the opening of this size can. The three level teaspoonfuls represent a level tablespoonful of the powder. In our booklet and on the large cans the dosage is given in level tablespoonfuls, instead of level teaspoonfuls, since it is possible to measure from the large can with a tablespoon, and for this reason more convenient than using a teaspoon.

KOLOKAY treatment until the KOLOKAY powder has had an opportunity of building up the tone and vigor of the bowel walls. We would advise the use of plain water enemas occasionally, rather than cathartics, as the enemas are less irritating and less harmful generally.

MUCOUS COLITIS

We would advise that you follow the information in our green colored KOLOKAY booklet, under the heading of Mucous Colitis. Follow the suggested dosage for method of taking the powder. Drink plenty of water during the day, up to ten glasses daily, as this tends to flush the poisonous waste which has been accumulating for years, from the body. If you find it necessary to use some artificial means of elimination occasionally we would advise the use of plain water enemas rather than cathartics if enemas are effective in your case. Avoid the use of rough foods or medication with irritating properties, as they do much harm. After the colon has been restored to its normal state, then one may build up the roughage in the diet safely, but not before. The KOLOKAY powder causes the mucus to be loosened from the linings of the stomach and intestines and helps it to pass on through the digestive tract with the feces. Sometimes an additional help such as a mild laxative or enema which causes this collection of mucus to pass through more quickly gives relief. In time the KOLOKAY powder should clear the gastro-intestinal tract of this mucus and enable the membranes to become normal, so that an excess of mucus will not be produced, provided one is careful of his or her diet. We would suggest that you drink only boiled milk or fermented milks, as the plain, sweet milk causes considerable mucus. Also avoid or eat meat sparingly, especially the fibrous portions. Discontinue any foods from the diet list that disagree with you. Do not become discouraged if marked results are not received after a short time of treatment. It may re-

quire several weeks in your case to obtain marked relief, but surely this is a comparatively short time when one considers how long it has taken to bring about the present serious condition.

The main thing with which you have to contend is constipation, one of the disorders accompanying the mucous colitis, and when you have flushed the accumulated poisonous waste material from the body, which has been piling up because of the constipation, and regulated the bowel by restoring the normal tone and vigor to the bowel walls, your condition will be greatly improved. KOLOKAY powder is specifically intended to invigorate and strengthen the bowel walls, in addition to cleansing and soothing the intestinal tract. Cathartics will only increase your bowel inactivity, by producing further paralysis of the colon and bowel.

Oftentimes, gas is formed in the lower bowels which is brought about by fermentation. Food particles lodged in pockets along the intestinal canal is a source of gas formation. The gas is backed up into the small intestines and reaches the stomach, so it is also backed up through the transverse colon and into the descending colon. KOLOKAY powder cleanses out these pockets of their decayed food particles, thus eliminating the gas pockets. These pockets are healed over by the soothing action of the powder. In order to eliminate the gas accumulations it would be advisable to take one level teaspoonful of the powder in one-half glass of water after each meal for four or five days.

ULCER OF THE STOMACH AND ULCERATIVE COLITIS

In this particular case we would advise you to follow the information in the green colored KOLOKAY booklet under the heading of Ulcerative Colitis. Be sure to follow closely the ulcer diet, as the use of the proper diet is a very important part of the treatment of any functional disorder of the stomach, intestines or colon. Later you will be able to follow the Colitis Diet, but do not eat anything not listed on this diet, and if you find that some of the items do not agree with you, then discontinue their use. Do not eat sweets of any kind. KOLOKAY powder is absolutely harmless, it may be taken over long periods of time without the fear of injury to any part of the body. The adult dose is safely given to children. The distributor of KOLOKAY powder has three small children from four to nine years of age to whom KOLOKAY powder is frequently given in order to keep the intestines in good shape. The basic formula of KOLOKAY powder has been used by two famous French physicians, of Paris, France, with gratifying success in the treatment of colitis and related stomach and intestinal disorders.

After you have taken KOLOKAY powder for a time we feel certain that you will note considerable improvement in your condition. Slowing up of marked results is not due to any ingredient in the powder, but rather to its action on the accumulated waste material in the intestinal tract, which oftentimes contains cathartic material from former medication. This material has been lodged in pockets lining the intestinal canal. The KOLOKAY powder cleanses the waste from the intestines and colon and when it has had an opportunity of completing its work then the bowel should become regu-

January 22, 1944
 Mr. Adolph Belmer
 Dear Sir I have
 seen in the Eastern Express paper about
 you boy and wish to say that I believe
 without a doubt that he could help you
 as to I want him and maybe bring
 him back through the effort of crystal
 reading and so forth if you are willing
 to spend money to come to my home I will
 gladly try my best to solve the problem
 you have. Please write back and
 I will deal through crystal
 and try to find out what is wrong
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 204 Lincoln Ave
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 HERBERT H. GRIFFITH
 204 Lincoln Ave. Nazareth, Pa.
 I have not heard of any other person who has been so successful

Mr. Adolph Belmer
 Schenectady
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 JAN 22 1944
 NAZARETH PA

Today

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billions of outstanding bonds. Now he owes twenty-five billions and more, and is about to add ten thousand millions, plus interest, to the debt.

Poor old dollar, Europe would surely say, "Please send gold."

Bailey and Bates, gunmen and kidnapers in Leavenworth Federal prison under life sentences, said at first: "We shall not stay here over Christmas," but they are still there. Now they have decided to leave by the road of self-starvation since bars and bolts are too strong for them.

Authorities say they will force the men to eat, when that becomes necessary, which raises the question, "What jail men for life and force them to live against their will?"

The men cannot leave the building, see each other or the other prisoners. They have access to the library, food better than that of millions of Americans out of jail, but they would "rather die." This should impress on kidnapers the fact that liberty is precious.

Engagement of Astor Is Broken

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What was to have been one of the season's most brilliant weddings will not take place February 6.

Announcement that the engagement has been ended was made last night by Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence L. Gillespie, parents of Miss Gillespie. No reason was given.

Astor is the son of the late John Jacob Astor who perished in the Titanic disaster. His mother, the former Mrs. Madeline Force Astor Dick, recently married Enzo Fier-

mona. The handwriting, the transcript shows in this letter, are somewhat contradictory, but taking the predominating characteristics of the writing, you may get not only a very good picture of the mentality and moral makeup of the writer, but also an accurate picture of his height, weight and general appearance.

It perhaps seems uncanny to say, without ever having seen the writer, that the note was sent by a man, short in stature, of stocky build, strong above the waist with a particularly heavy chest.

It sounds like something taken from the Arabian Nights to describe him as slow thinking but of good judgment, handicapped by an inferiority complex. He's old and alcoholic or paralytic.

He is physically bold, courageous. But gifted with a good brain, his mental development has been slow.

His nerves are disordered; he likes food to the point of gluttony. He is cautious in his movements; but when called on he goes heavily into action, if it requires physical exertion.

This note was written when the man was laboring under great fear of apprehension.

He is—or was—a man to whom neatness in appearance meant a good deal.

All this is revealed by study of his handwriting. It is, so with anybody's handwriting that I ever have studied.

SLOW THINKER

Briefly—for so much enters into graphology it is impossible here to give a detailed analysis—the regularity of the letters shows a slow-thinking process.

That even margin on the left—and the margin on the right is

monte, Italian prizefighter, after obtaining a Reno divorce from her second husband, William K. Dick. Young Astor inherited more than 10 million dollars when he became 21 in August.

comparatively well spaced—and the good spacing of the letter show a fundamental good judgment.

The dot on the "i" and the evenness of the commas and periods shows an appreciation of detail.

The perpendicularity and "slant" of the letters give an idea of the writer's physique—short, stocky, strong-chested.

Size and heaviness of capital letters show again the heavy thought process but also general coarseness and vulgarity.

His poor attempts, in some cases, to disguise his handwriting, betray his fears.

Loops of the "r" and long letters reveal, under close examination, a certain wobbliness which shows alcoholism or paralytic tendencies—hardening of the arteries.

Regularity of spacing and the care in dotting "i"s and the placing of punctuation show to graphologists an inferiority complex.

The general handwriting shows he is one of strength and physical courage. He's bold, in his way, but handicapped at present.

Increase in Navy Granted by House

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Henry L. Roosevelt with approval of the administration.

JAPS, BRITISH SPEED UP

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22 (INS)—Both Great Britain and Japan have speeded their naval building programs, Admiral William H. Standley, chief of naval operations, disclosed in testimony before the House naval appropriations sub-committee made public today.

Since the President allotted the navy \$238,000,000 for new ships from Public Works funds Great Britain is seeking new ships and Japan already is building as rapidly as possible. The condition of many American naval vessels is bad and growing worse, Admiral Standley observed.

an instant's notice.

The father of the kidnap victim is bearing the strain of his son's misfortune extremely well, close friends report, and appears convinced Edward will be returned safely to his family.

Mrs. Edward G. Bremer, wife of the missing president of the Commercial State bank, remains in seclusion in her home, overlooking the Mississippi river, with her daughter, Betty, last member of the family to see her father.

Although those close to the Bremers decline to be quoted, they agree no word has been received and that they are unable to anticipate the date of Edward's release.

Meanwhile, police and Federal agents are standing by impatiently awaiting word to go into action.

Rumors have flown thick and fast, first that Bremer was dead, later that a gambler was involved in the case and next that a Twin Cities mob had committed the crime.

All these have been discounted by the police and there are no real leads.

Bremer disappeared Wednesday morning about 8:30, after he left his eight-year-old daughter Betty at school.

About two hours later a contractor, Walter W. Magee, received a phone call in which he was told his friend, Bremer, was kidnaped and that at his back door he would find a note containing instructions.

Magee found a crudely written letter demanding \$200,000 for the release of Bremer. This note contained a signature identified by the police as that of Bremer.

Magee was told the banker's automobile could be found at a certain spot. Police located the car.

Considerable blood was in the automobile and there was some blood on the snow, which also showed footprints.

Investigators reason from the fact that Bremer's signature was on the ransom note that he was not injured badly, but may have struggled with his captors and been struck on the nose.

SOVIET OFFICIAL WARNS JAPAN ON STARTING WAR

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Means with the expectation that Japanese bayonets will be used to deliver the population of all Asia."

Kagonovitch reminded his hearers of Japan's surprise attack upon the Russian fleet at Port Arthur in 1904, declaring:

"Japanese militarists aspire to repeat the surprise maneuver, but Russia of today is not the Russia 1904 which was ruled by a government of fools. It is now led by a Bolshevik government which will never be taken by surprise."

"If the Japanese generals dare attack our borders they will be promptly at their backs the right of our country, the might of our heroic army. The Soviet Union will never concede an inch of its territory."

Reviewing the complicated situation growing out of negotiations for the sale of the half-Russian owned Chinese Eastern Railway in Manchuria, Kagonovitch declared:

"We say to Japan that the Chinese Eastern railway will not go to you for nothing and any attempt to seize it will result in serious conflict."

Kagonovitch called the attention of the conference to the European situation.

"Our relations with Germany are also very tense," he said. "Our government has told Germany repeatedly that their promises to continue the policies agreed upon at Rapallo—policies of continued friendly relations with us—would be judged not by words but by actual deeds."

He denounced nations which he said were supporting Germany's

demands for rearmament declaring they were motivated by a desire to attack Soviet Russia.

JAPS DENY WAR PLANS

By JAMES R. YOUNG

(International News Service Staff Correspondent)

TOKIO, Jan. 22 (INS)—Japan is pursuing a policy of peace and the "war cries" appearing in Japanese magazines and newspapers do not reflect the official opinion, a foreign office spokesman declared today.

Referring specifically to the statement of a Soviet official recently that Soviet Russia regards a war between Russia and Japan this year as a possibility, the spokesman said:

"Our policy is known to Moscow and to the world powers as one of peace. We cannot understand recent verbal attacks upon us."

Strained Russo-Japanese relations were sharply accentuated today with the unexpected resignation of Gen. Sadao Araki as minister of war, and with the apparent selection of an even stronger militarist and nationalist to succeed him.

Premier Kato immediately accepted Gen. Araki's resignation, which was attributed to ill health and a consequent inability to attend the session of the diet opening tomorrow. Gen. Araki recently suffered a severe attack of pneumonia.

General Kunjuro Hayashi, inspector general of military education, member of Japan's strongest military clique, and known as a protagonist of a vigorous anti-Soviet policy, was mentioned as the man almost certain to succeed to the post.

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Injured at Play

A boy and a girl were treated yesterday at Kings hospital, Schenectady, for injuries received in winter sports accidents. Jean Maynard, of Alplaus, suffered a sprained right ankle while skating near her home and Woodrow Grigollet, 15, of 1526 Foster avenue, broke his left leg while coasting.

Daily Record

ALBANY BUILDING PERMITS.
St. Matthew's Parish, 75 Whitehall road, erect frame structure, \$4,000.
Welsh and Grey, 79 Fourth avenue, alterations, \$200.
Del. Palmer, 118 State street, erect partition, \$180.
M. Goldberg, 40 South Ferry street, repairs, \$2,500.
C. Brunner, 74 South Hawk street, erect frame fence, \$10.
W. Reddy, 38 Pinewood avenue, install heat system, \$350.
J. Richter, 20 Lark street, install heat system, \$350.
J. Seim, 622 Washington avenue, insulate floors, \$260.
S. Horton, 443 State street, insulate ceilings, \$110.
B. M. Pruyn, 306 State street, heat system, \$500.
J. Wallace, 446 Central avenue, heat system, \$600.
F. Barry, 340 South Pearl street, heat system, \$500.
C. Pepeski, 26 Dove street, heat system, \$450.
H. Williams, 35 South Pearl street, heat system, \$400.
H. Saunders, 614 Central avenue, heat system, \$250.
I. D. Bone, 3 Crowell street, heat system, \$485.
C. Richards, 306 Washington avenue, heat system, \$305.

ALBANY ELECTRICAL PERMITS.
Al's Restaurant, 25 South Pearl street, wiring, \$125.
Mrs. Miller, 205 South Pearl street, wiring, \$200.
Brewster Invest. Co., 33-37 North Pearl street, service, \$25.
W. G. Smith, 338 Sherman street, wiring and fixtures, \$338.
H. M. Williams, 35 South Pearl street, motor, \$25.
M. Mores, 278 Livingston avenue, service, \$75.
J. Richter, 20 Lark street, motor, \$25.
W. Reddy, 38 Pinewood avenue, motor, \$25.
P. G. Ten Eyck, 74 Chapel street, fixtures, \$75.
G. Franse, 32 Second street, wiring and service, \$150.
N. Iarocci, 66 Madison avenue, wiring and fixtures, \$125.
H. White, 36 Chermont street, wiring and fixtures, \$250.
H. A. Colburn, 115 South Pearl street, service, \$95.

MARINE NEWS

The following ships are scheduled to dock at New York tomorrow:
Laurentic, Liverpool, Jan. 12, via Queensdown and Halifax, 9:00 A. M.
18th street, 9:00 A. M.
Mauretania, Southampton, Jan. 12, via Cherbourg, 8:40 A. M.
14th street, 9:00 A. M.
Pennland, Antwerp, Jan. 12, via Havre, Southampton and Halifax, 9:00 A. M.
18th street, 9:00 A. M.
Vulcania, Trieste, Jan. 12, via Naples and Gibraltar, 9:00 A. M.
18th street, 9:00 A. M.
Damenstein, Antwerp, Jan. 12, via Havre, D. Weehawken, 9:00 A. M.
Alaudia, Southampton, Jan. 12, via Havre and Halifax, 9:00 A. M.
18th street, 9:00 A. M.
Oriska, Vera Cruz, Jan. 12, via Havana, 14:00 A. M.
Wall street, 9:00 A. M.
United States, Copenhagen, Jan. 11, via Oslo, 6th street, Hoboken, 9:00 A. M.
Santa Paula, San Francisco, Jan. 8, via Los Angeles, Cristobal and Havana, 4:00 A. M.
11th street, 9:00 A. M.
Santa Barbara, Valparaiso, Jan. 8, via Callao, Cristobal and Havana, 9:00 A. M.
Hamilton avenue.
Droguis, Miami, Jan. 30, 34 N. E. Canal street, 9:00 A. M.
Robert E. Lee, Norfolk, Jan. 28, 28 Franklin street, 9:00 A. M.

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Universal Service

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22—A five-point program of attack on the National Recovery administration has been laid down by western progressives, backed openly by some leading Democrats and privately by numerous others of the majority party, it is revealed. The program follows:

1—Appeal to the entire nation's business interests to come forward fearlessly with complaints of injustices in NRA codes without feeling that such a protest would be taken as an attack on President Roosevelt.

2—Make clear to the nation that the onslaught on NRA is not directed against the President and that the chief executive has the full sympathy and support of the Progressives in his general recovery program.

HIT MONOPOLIES.

3—Continue to demand that the "little fellows" of business be enabled to lodge complaints against oppressive monopolies with some punitive government agency entirely outside the influence of NRA.

4—Concentration of fire against NRA administration, but with refusal to enter into epithet-throwing contests with Gen. Hugh S. Johnson who grouped sensational critics under the designation "sideline tom-tom beaters."

5—Full restoration of anti-trust laws.

The group attacking NRA, headed by Senator Borah (R), of Idaho, and Senator Nye (R), of North Dakota privately have agreed on this program.

NATIONWIDE FLEA.

Nye will open the national appeal with a speech on a national NBC radio hookup, probably Friday night, and an address in St. Paul the following Tuesday.

Additional attack from the Senate floor is expected this week. Thus far no Democratic voice has been raised in reply to Borah and Nye. A majority of Democrats have offered the two insurgents their support, even though it may be silent support. Some Democrats are planning to take the floor in support of Borah and Nye.

Today

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billion of outstanding bonds. Now he owes twenty-five billions and more, and is about to add ten thousand millions, plus interest, to the debt.

Poor old dolla. Europe would surely say, "Please send gold."

Bailey and Bates, gunmen and kidnapers in Leavenworth Federal prison under life sentences, said at first: "We shall not stay here over Christmas," but they are still there. Now they have decided to leave by the road of self-starvation since bars and bolts are too strong for them.

Authorities say they will force the men to eat, when that becomes necessary, which raises the question, "Why jail men for life and force them to live against their will?"

The men cannot leave the building, see each other or the other prisoners. They have access to

Bremer Death Note Writer Bold, but Slow Thinker, Says Albany Expert

Union City Mission
MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

SIZE OF CAPITALS SHOW SLOW MENTALITY. GENERAL COARSENESS

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EVEN MARGIN SHOWS FUNDAMENTAL GOOD JUDGEMENT

DOT OF COMMAS PERIODS DENOTE INFERIORITY COMPLEX

GENERAL SIZE SHOWS PHYSICAL STRENGTH AND BOLDNESS

To a federal officer
New line
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.
One of the gang.

Short, Stocky Individual; Possessed of Inferiority Complex, Old and Either Alcoholic or Paralytic, Writing Indicates to Betts

[Editor's Note—One of the most spectacular developments in the Bremer kidnaping case in St. Paul was the receipt of the letter shown above by Postmaster W. C. Robertson of Minneapolis, which purported to tell of the death of Edward G. Bremer, kidnaped bank president, at the hands of his abductors. Below, Edgar H. Betts, Jr., Albany graphologist, analyzes the handwriting and describes the writer of the note and his mental and moral makeup.]

By EDGAR H. BETTS

Like most handwriting, the traits shown in this letter are somewhat contradictory, but taking the predominating characteristics of the writing, you may get not only a very good picture of the mentality and moral makeup of the writer, but also an accurate picture of his height, weight and general appearance.

It perhaps seems uncanny to say, without ever having seen the writer, that the note was sent by a man, short in stature, of stocky build, strong above the waist with a particularly heavy chest.

It sounds like something taken from the Arabian Nights to describe him as slow thinking but of good judgment, handicapped by an inferiority complex. He's old and alcoholic or paralytic.

He is physically bold, courageous. But gifted with a good brain, his mental development has been slow.

His nerves are disordered; he likes food to the point of gluttony. He is cautious in his movements; but when called on he goes heavily into action, if it requires physical exertion.

This note was written when the man was laboring under great fear

comparatively well spaced—and the good spacing of the letter show a fundamental good judgment.

The dot on the "i" and the evenness of the commas and periods shows an appreciation of detail.

The perpendicularly and "slant" of the letters give an idea of the writer's physique—short, stocky, strong-chested.

Size and heaviness of capital letters show again the heavy thought process but also general coarseness and vulgarity.

His poor attempts, in some cases, to disguise his handwriting, betray his fears.

Loops of the "t" and long letters reveal, under close examination, a certain wobbliness which shows alcoholism or paralytic tendencies—hardening of the arteries.

Regularity of spacing and the care in getting "r" and the placing of punctuation show to graphologists an inferiority complex.

The general handwriting shows he is one of strength and physical courage. He's bold, in his way, but handicapped at present.

Increase in Navy

BREMER SAFE, KIN BELIEVES

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meet the abductor's terms, and this amount has been held available on an instant's notice.

The father of the kidnap victim is bearing the strain of his son's misfortune extremely well, close friends report, and appears convinced Edward will be returned safely to his family.

Mrs. Edward G. Bremer, wife of the missing president of the Commercial State bank, remains in seclusion in her home overlooking the Mississippi river, with her daughter, Betty, last member of the family to see her father.

Although those close to the Bremers decline to be quoted, they agree no word has been received and that they are unable to anticipate the date of Edward's release.

Meanwhile, police and Federal agents are standing by impatiently awaiting word to go into action.

Rumors have flown thick and fast, first that Bremer was dead, later that a gambler was involved in the case and next that a Twin Cities mob had committed the crime.

All these have been discounted by the police and there are no real leads.

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If war comes, it will be between Japan and Russia. The latter is now a buffer between Asia and Europe. Russia would show what revolution, Lenin and Stalin have done for her, and Japan, afraid of nobody, would learn the difference between revolutionary Russia and the Russia of the czars. It would be a considerable difference.

Germany's Nazi government says that two million men, formerly idle, have recently been put to work.

Paris Temps says many of these are in factories adapted to manufacturing war material, and many today possess the powerful war-equipment stored on the earth and Germany could put on the battle line as many trained men as could muster. With this, you may say, would you not be able to smother her the next time?

Germany now has great power. Let it be used against us, bombing us, overrunning us. Stocks in factories able to produce war material have risen in price on the German exchange, which according to Herriot means that posterity is to use them, to the (1) soon. Many men have been put to work in factories. Germany has aircraft factories, against Britain, and could promptly send five hundred new and pursuit planes every day. Unpleasant war possibilities.

Germany has fields equipped near the border. It is one thing to keep another thing to keep next war.

By the time that next this nation will owe so much that even Europe will have the heart to lend us. The big war started was in debt one little bit on Page 2, Col. 1.

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Roosevelt Meets Johnson on NRA

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JAPS SHIP FIRST WHISKY TO AMERICA

TOKIO, Jan. 22 (INS).—The first shipment of Japanese whisky consigned to the United States since the repeal of prohibition was aboard the S. S. Nankai Maru as she sailed from here today. The liquor, amounting to 1,500 gallons, is due in Los Angeles February 1.

Dr. Wynekoop To Decide On Trial Course

CHICAGO, Jan. 22 (AP).—Judge Joseph B. David today ruled that Dr. Alice Lindsay Wynekoop should decide for herself whether she could continue on trial for murder in the slaying of her daughter-in-law, Rheta.

He made the ruling after reports of three physicians who examined Dr. Wynekoop Saturday had been read in court. The reports varied as to whether she is physically able to stand trial.

The aged defendant had been absent from court during the arguments, and Judge David ordered that she be brought before him from jail to make known her wishes.



EILEEN GILLESPIE

Announcement Made By Parents of Miss Gillespie

NEW YORK, Jan. 22 (AP).—The engagement of John Jacob Astor, 3rd, and Miss Eileen S. S. Gillespie has been broken, and

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Peacock's Resignation Expected by Tomorrow

John J. Peacock, assistant chief of the Albany police department, is scheduled to file his application today or tomorrow for retirement because of physical disability.

Assistant Chief Peacock submitted to a physical examination last week by Dr. Edward G. Cox, police department surgeon. It was learned that the report of Dr. Cox, submitted today to William H. Fitzpatrick,

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It was also felt that whoever is chosen to succeed McCooey will remove the Brooklyn organization from its alliance with Tammany Hall, run it as an autonomous part of the state Democratic organization and so align it with the Roosevelt-Farley units of the party.

McCooey's death came when his leadership was being seriously challenged for the first time because of his faithful co-operation with Tammany Hall and Curry.

He had been in poor health for

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Over Subscription Of N. Y. State Notes

NEW YORK, Jan. 22 (AP).—A \$50,000,000 issue of New York state 2 per cent one year notes was three times over-subscribed today. The subscription books were closed 10 minutes after they had opened at 10 o'clock this morning. A huge demand for the securities, largely from banking groups, awaited the opening at the office of Comptroller Morris S. Tremaine here. The notes, due January 25, 1925, were offered at par value.

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As a result of the Public Works program, the American Navy is being expanded faster than either the British or Japanese, but it was relatively lagging behind both.

NAVY STILL SMALL

The expansion program provided for in the bill, which leaves the Navy still in an unsatisfactory condition, according to testimony of high ranking officers, includes raising enlisted strength of the Navy from 79,000 to 82,500 and the Marine corps from 15,000 to 16,000.

Off-setting the increases, however, is a cut in funds for naval aviation, and testimony showing that present funds are not sufficient to keep the navy in fighting trim.

The committee recommended a decrease in funds for the Bureau of Aeronautics from \$22,230,879 to \$18,880,398. Funds were provided for 143 new planes, and 297 more planes will be needed to bring the navy to authorized strength in 1936.

5-YEAR PROGRAM APPROVED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22 (INS).—A five year naval building program which would bring the navy to treaty strength at a cost of \$475,600,000 under NRA prices was recommended to the House naval affairs committee today by Assistant Secretary of the Navy.

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Former Albanian Sister, Reunited

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Jan. 22 (AP).—Harry L. Boyle, London, Ont., dining in a local cafeteria, recognized at a nearby table the sister he had not seen nor communicated with for 30 years. The sister, Mrs. Genevieve Allison, of Albany, N. Y., also recognized Boyle about the same time.

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Soviet Official Warns Japs Not to Start War

MOSCOW, Jan. 22 (INS).—A stern warning to Japan to think twice before attacking Soviet Russia was delivered today by Lazar Kaganovitch, secretary of the all-Soviet council of trades unions, in an address before the Moscow district conference of Communists.

"The situation in the Far East is very tense," Kaganovitch told the delegates. "It smells of war and we must expect a Japanese attack at any minute."

Reviewing the Far Eastern situation Kaganovitch, a former member of the Communist committee on organization of the Red army, said:

"Japanese militarists have taken advantage of the complex international situation to seize Manchuria and are attempting to dominate all China. They are dreaming of con-

quering Soviet Russian territory in the Far East and generally speaking the whole world.

"Gen. Araki (Japanese war minister who resigned last night) is developing Pan-Asiatic

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RECOGNITION OF CUBA LOOMS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22 (INS).—President Roosevelt will recognize the new Cuban government of President Carlos Menditea within the next 24 hours, International News Service learned today.

Rudy Hints Early Divorce Action Against His Wife

NEW YORK, Jan. 22 (INS).—In a surprise move, Mrs. Fay Webb Vallee today discontinued her suit here to set aside the separation agreement with her husband, Rudy Vallee.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22 (INS).—Legal machinery that will definitely and finally sever the Vallees—Rudy the crooner and Fay Webb, his estranged wife—will start grinding, the singer promised today, as soon as Supreme Court Justice John E. McGehean hands down the answer sometime this afternoon to the question:

"Where do we live?"

Justice McGehean today was

scheduled to rule on Vallee's petition for an injunction restraining Fay from bringing a \$7,400-a-month separate maintenance suit against him in California. Rudy claims Fay is a resident of New York and that she has herself admitted that status in a previous action filed here.

If Justice McGehean rules Fay is a New Yorker and cannot sue in California, Rudy will immediately move for a divorce from his attorney said today. But if the court rules Fay is a citizen of California and entitled to bring action against her husband in that state, early trial of the separate maintenance action is anticipated.

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Speaking of the "tendency" toward municipal ownership in Schenectady, Mr. Leamon declared: "There is a danger there that the power company should recognize, even if it has to lose a little money in the interim until conditions in Schenectady improve."

Commissioner Lunn declared that the commission could not hold up the decision on the new schedule until Schenectady decides that it will go into the electric business.

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U. S. MISSIONARIES IN CHINA UNHARMED

FOOCHOW, China, Jan. 22 (AP).—Definite word was received today that four American missionaries, isolated near Kufien as a result of recent fighting, are safe. They are Rev. W. S. Bissanette of Canton, Ohio; Dr. and Mrs. H. N. Brester of Xenia, Ohio, and Miss Martha Graf of Cincinnati.

Doris Duke Is Threatened by Kidnapers

NEW YORK, Jan. 22 (AP).—The Daily News says Doris Duke, tobacco heiress, is being guarded by an extra detail of private detectives because she received a threatening letter.

The detectives, said the News, are seeking the writer of what was reported to be a kidnap letter sent to the heiress demanding money and threatening her life. Police refused to comment on the contents. Miss Duke, whose fortune is estimated to be more than \$50,000,000, was said to be in Seaside, N. J.

Today

Congress Roars Yes.
Quick Action, Plenty of It.
Why Drag Us In?
Germany Worries France.

By Arthur Brisbane

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Wherever we may be going we are moving in a hurry. The President asked Congress: "May I cut down the value of the national dollar, double the price of gold, take for Uncle Sam all the gold in the country? And may I borrow ten thousand million dollars this year to help the idle and revive business?"

The House roars yes, by a vote of three hundred and sixty to forty, as though the President had asked, "May I have a match?"

Republicans complain, demand more time to fight and protest, but they are swept aside. They had their chance, sat still and did nothing. Now they must watch some one who does NOT sit still and do nothing.

The Senate will approve the action of the House. This is no time for gentlemen on the public payroll to say "NO."

The people want action, quick and plentiful, and do not care how the bill will be paid.

One thing is certain, if this Government insists on putting out the billion dollars worth of new yellow, interest-bearing bonds, costing taxpayers for interest four or five hundred million dollars a year and perhaps more, as Government credit falls, there will be trouble ahead.

Once more be it said, the Government, instead of insisting on bond issues and gigantic interest payments, could and should issue its own currency and pay bills with that. The Government's promise to pay, on green paper bearing no interest would be exactly as good as its promise to pay—plus interest—on yellow paper. And issuing currency, instead of a crippling bond issue, would help Government credit. A government, free of a four or five hundred million dollar annual interest load, would have better credit than with that annual interest burden added to its other obligations.

Who are the congenial usurers, money lenders and interest grabbers that persuade the President to issue bonds, instead of currency? Is the currency would be "INFLATION," then the bonds would be inflation, plus the added inflation of ten billions in interest charges, added to the ten billions of principal, before the debt could be paid off. An unnecessary interest burden might be the last straw on Uncle Sam's back, leading to a real smash and a dollar really cheap.

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He said: "Right here, pictures now being shown in The Albany Times-Union. No one is out cringing. Pictures of actual scenes appearing through our eyes. We could

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WAITS WORD FROM KIDNAP GANG

Clues Disconnected and New Leads Absolutely Lacking

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millions over night. It need be for national defense rather than take one chance in a thousand of a recurrence of what happened on the other side during the World war as these amazing photographs from The Albany Times-Union depict. "You cannot estimate the value of a proper national defense—nobody can."

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Mr. Hillman has exceptional knowledge of European affairs, extensive acquaintance with government officials in various countries, and prolific sources of information.

Europe knows much more about the acts and purposes of the American government than the American people know.

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SCH'DY HURLS MUNICIPAL OPERATION THREAT

9,000 Taxpayers Represented in Protest: Charge Discrimination

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I know that this is a time
of great distress for you -
God grant your boy may
be safely returned by
the time this reaches you

When Mr. Edward Bremer
is safe again it would
mean much to me to know
if you were members of
my family.

With All Best
Wishes for your Boy
Safe return to you -

Elizabeth Bremer
437 Elk St.
Albany N.Y.

From Miss Elizabeth Bremer
457 Elk St.
Albany N.Y.

Mr. Joseph Trimmer
J. Schmitt
Trimmer Co
St. Paul. Minn.

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308 Kraemer Bldg

Portland, Oreg. - Jan 19 - 1934

Adolph Bremer -

Jacob Schmidt & Brewing Co. St Paul - Minn

My dear Sir - re Disappearance of your son -

Perhaps psychology may play a part - perhaps not. Go to the Power House near the Brewery - originally Governors Place two at St Paul - he must have been there yesterday - you know where this is -

I think the whole scheme originated in the Brewery - they intend to hold him for a while then turn him out - They want the money to start another Brewery -

He must be kept in one of the Tanks back of the Engine House - one of the men is the son of a Brewer that busted up in St Paul just before Roosevelt came into office -

This is for the use of The Bremer family
not for publication - as I handle Waste material
Products.

Sincerely yours

Benj. F. Atterton

Return to
Bing & Hentze
Portland, Oregon

Air Mail



Joseph Bruner, (Personal)
Post-Jacob Schmidt Brewing Co.
St. Paul.

Mme.

Madison, Wis Jan 22 - 1935.
Dr Sir - I will give you some information
of the man in the Bremer Kidnaping
Case I will give you 2 of the parties
names, 1 is Hartzell and
Emel Rachelle. This Rachelle
address is 604 North St. Madison, Wis
and this Hartzell is from
Sioux City, Iowa as you remember
this O M Hartzell is under \$25000 ^{at Bond}
in that Drake Estate Shewenchild
these 2 men I saw 2 days before the
Kidnaping at Rachelle place
604 North Street Madison, Wis
and there was 1 more man with them
in a big car. I give word that they
when go to St Paul miss this
O M Hartzell. has Shewenchild the
the people in the United St are
of millions of dollars. These
Rachelle is one of his agents here
in Madison

Chief of Police
St Paul
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I have seen the gate in
the wall a Round Madison
felt this 2 man and you
the Hobbiting.

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1934 Officials Fear Silence Means Bremer Dead

Father Issues Plea for Kidnapers to Make Contact Soon

ST. PAUL, Jan. 29.—Still blindly hopeful after 18 days of waiting, Adolph Bremer tonight continued to maintain his vigil for a contact with the kidnapers of his son, Edward G. Bremer.

Meanwhile, authorities are baffled by the prolonged silence of the kidnapers. In the beginning they were confident of a quick contact, but the belief grows that Bremer is either dead or so seriously injured that he is unable to write his signature.

However, the millionaire banker-brewer for the first time expressed assurance that negotiations would be resumed and that the impasse resulting from Federal and police activity would be overcome. He believes the victim is still alive and that the only thing that is deterring communication is fear on the part of the abductors of a double cross.

Talking to the writer tonight, he said: "We have the money ready and we want to pay it. There will be no interference by law enforcement agencies. We will deliver the ransom any time and anywhere, in the manner dictated. There have been rumors that the payoff was to be made by airplane. I know nothing about them. Whatever orders I receive I will obey to the letter and will not divulge."

Police Commissioner Thomas E. Dahill, who has been sleeping at headquarters ever since the kidnaping, stated there were no new developments and that so far as he knew there would be none until Bremer's release. He implied that the family's latest demand for non-interference would be respected.

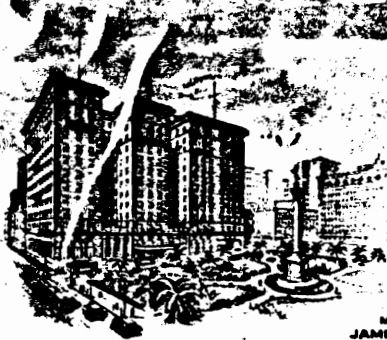
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ADAMS—In this city, January 28, 1934, died M. Adams, beloved wife of Albert F. Adams, devoted mother of M. Parker and Robert V. Adams. Funeral services will be held today (day) at 2 o'clock p. m. at the home of M. Adams, 1234 Oak St. Interment, Mount Hope cemetery.

ALLEN—In this city, January 27, 1934, died Mrs. Allen, wife of the late H. Allen, sister of Mrs. C. E. Henderson. Funeral services will be held today (day) at 2 o'clock p. m. at the home of Mrs. Allen, 1234 Oak St. Interment, Mount Hope cemetery.

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ONE OF THE WORLD'S GREAT HOTELS
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MANAGEMENT
JAMES H. McCABE

Jan 30/1934

Dear Friend

Mr. Bremer

I Guess you will think it
quite strange in me writing to you
and not knowing you But I was
Reading in the Paper about your son
and I think it is so Bad
if he and off Guys should be
shot Down like Dogs insted
Giving them Money if you do
Give them Money they will
Ward the life out of you
for Money

CABLE ADDRESS "SICNARF" SAN FRANCISCO

HOTEL ST. FRANCIS
UNION SQUARE
SAN FRANCISCO



VIA AIR MAIL

Mr. Adolph Bremer

210 Street
Marble Washington Capital

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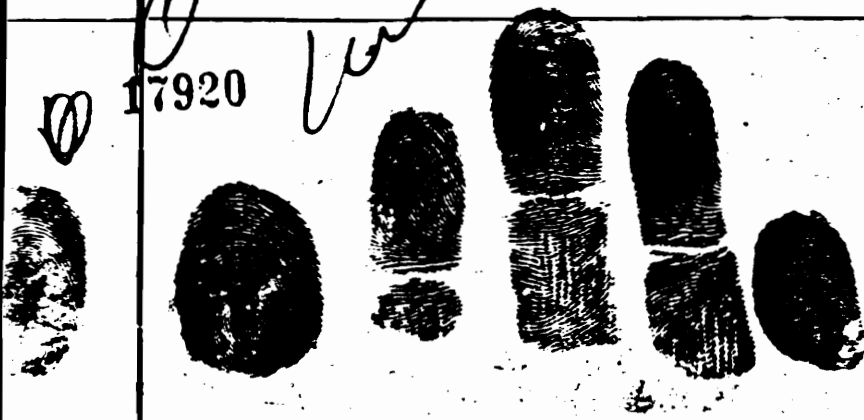
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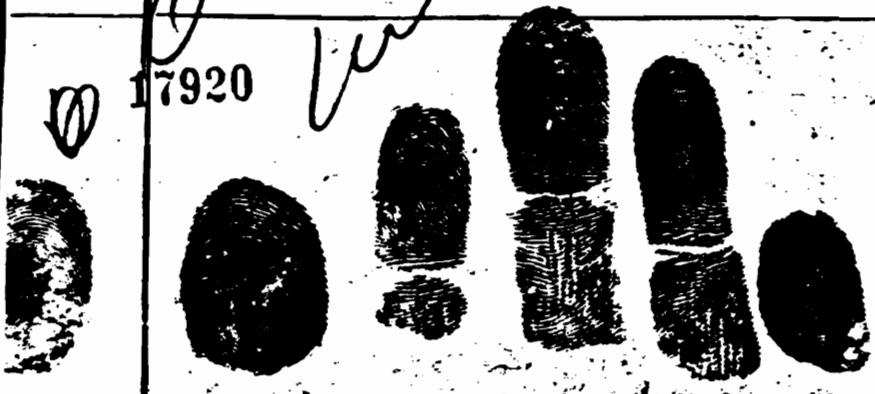
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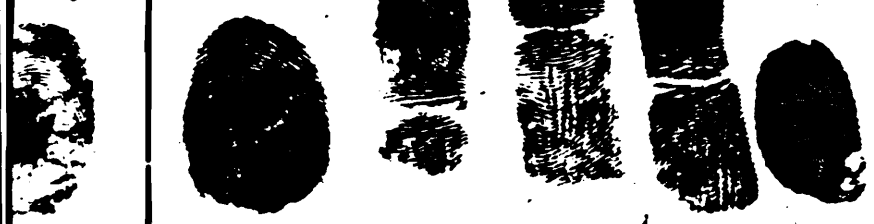
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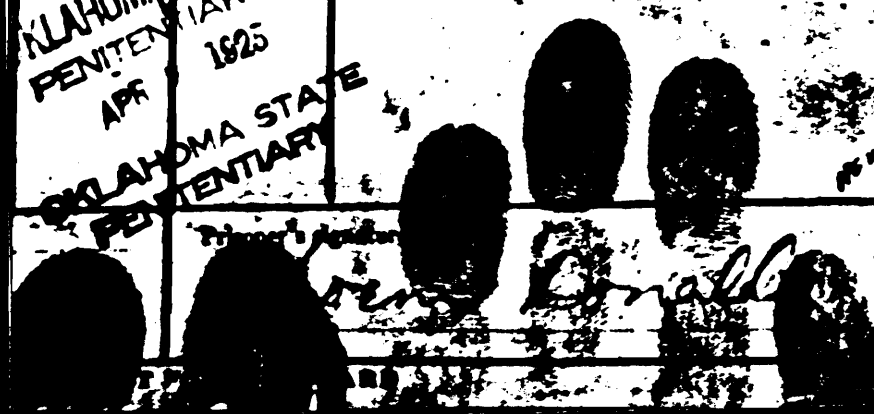
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V. Henry Davis

NO. 12288

RULES FOR WRITING AND RECEIVING LETTERS

LETTERS MUST BE SIGNED WITH FULL NAME

McAlester, Oklahoma, *June 22*, 192*2*

My Dear Father and Mother:-
I will write you this month in answer to
your letter I have received the last month. I
have received three letters from you and two
letters from Rena.

letter from Rena.
I am well and getting along just fine. We
are having some pretty weather that night. B. 1-
is awful hot.

Mamma here is excited because says that I want you to see for me. I think the doctor recommended me it is a pretty place. He is under sheriff there.

underneath there
Mamma when you go to talk to one
of them people you can tell them: that-
I have permitted you that if I get out that
will come and I will get a thing and
I will never get into time more / I will
And that I will never be any thing to
cause them to regret recommending me.

Till M. had I made for him. I told
her to write to me. I'll all the same
know. And if I feel that is true, I'll
think that's just what I'll do. I'll
see him. How is he? I'll see him
I hope. I guess I will see him with
as often as I can. I'll see him
the more often you write. I'll see him
I'll see him.

July 10, 1928

Miss Irene Davis.

P.S. I will give these letters to the first one of you that comes down.

My Dear Sister:-

I will try to answer all your letters. I am getting along o.k. I am glad you have got things to going so nicely now. Also I had that Jimmie Butler is helping you. I don't hardly remember him but I would if I could see him. You tell him I will sure appreciate what he does for me. I don't remember that Harold Collins.

Now Irene you have done well so far. If Galdebury won't give you a letter of recommendation you ask him if he will give a letter stating that he won't protest any testimony that the Governor are parole board see fit to extend to me. I believe if you talk to him and explain that my lawyer told me that they didn't have any case strong enough for a conviction and persuaded me not to take stand in my own behalf that he will see my side better than he understands it at present. I believe he is a fair and honest man. Also tell him that if never did even discuss my case with my lawyer and that he wouldn't even let me explain my side of it to him much less take the stand. Tell him I was young and deluded by a smart lawyer's talk and didn't realize the seriousness of my predicament. You keep it in papers until I see some of you all. Show the confession to Galdebury also to those jurors. And explain my case the best you can to them. Will write to you when I can. And will expect to hear from you often. Let me know if I will get that letter for me. Come to see me if you get an opportunity. I will close as ever
John D. Davis
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Oklahoma State Penitentiary
JOHN Q. NEWELL, Warden

RULES FOR WRITING AND RECEIVING MAIL

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All incoming and outgoing mail must pass thru the office of the mail clerk where it will be opened, examined and placed on record before it is mailed or delivered to prisoners. All other officers are strictly forbidden to pass out or deliver prisoner's mail. Write plainly and confine yourself to business or family matters. No objections will be made to the receipt of mail in accordance with these rules, but none other will be permitted. All letters and packages must be addressed in care of Box 298, McAlester, Oklahoma.

If you desire to send money send Postoffice Money Order. Currency sent in letters is at the risk of sender, and personal checks will be returned. All funds for prisoners are deposited to prisoner's credit with the Warden.

These articles are admissible thru the mail: General and local newspapers direct from the publisher only, books of proper character, family photographs, shoes, socks, hose, supporters, underwear and handkerchiefs.

These articles are not admissible: Neck Ties, cooked foods of all kinds, nuts, toilet articles, shaving apparatus and accessories, lotions, creams, soaps, cigars, cigarettes, tobacco, snuff, candy, sugar and every other article not enumerated in the last preceding paragraph.

All prisoners, except those who are on High, will be permitted to write one letter per week, but will not be permitted to write to uncles, aunts, cousins or male or female friends. All letters and packages sent to prisoners must have name and address of sender written plainly on upper left-hand corner of envelope or package.

VISITING RULES:—The following are permitted to visit the prisoners provided that no one relative visits more than once every 30 days: Father, Mother, Sister, Brother, Wife, Husband, Son or Daughter. These visits will be allowed any day in the week, including Sunday and the hours are from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No exceptions to these rules will be allowed except with the special permission of the Warden or Deputy Warden. The Warden will at all times arrange to allow prisoners to see their attorneys.

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McAlester, Oklahoma

July 22, 1930

My Dear Father, Mother and Sister,
I will answer your letters. I glad you are all
as well as you are. I am well and getting along
fine. I was awfully sorry that I disappointed you I
last month about writing but I never thought but
what I was would be there and call you just as soon
as I got my letter. But won't let it happen again.
I haven't heard from Bertha or Mildred since
good while I was glad to hear Mildred was having a
good time over there. I know you miss her a lot
though. Tell papa I have been expecting to see
him for the last three months. Tell him not to tell
me the next time he intends to come just to come on
down as I was about it quite a bit when I was
expecting him. And he doesn't come. I am glad he
is getting along as well as he is in the West.
I am going to write Irene a letter on the back
of this paper. You can give it to her I have
-ed her 5 letters from here in the past month.
I remember I wrote her like I did was because
I think maybe she can be able to run around more
than you could. And you know it will be 11 months
more from since that piece was in the paper. I was
on it the 3rd of June. I am not blaming you
for I know you love her you best. But if she should
be allowed to see him. Write me when you can
and tell me all the news. Tell Mildred to write
me when she can. I am as ever Valuing her.
over

PUT PRISONER'S NUMBER ON OUTSIDE OF ENVELOPE OR THE LETTER WILL BE RETURNED

Dec 18 - 34
My Darling Helen -
Just a line to
let you know I may
be a little late with
a Xmas present. But
I won't forget you.

I sure would like to
see you.

I am S.T. and
getting along alright -
I have been a bit
not and I will be
better next time
I will

BOX NO. 398

NO. 12808

Oklahoma State Penitentiary

JOHN Q. NEWELL, Warden

RULES FOR WRITING AND RECEIVING LETTERS

All incoming and outgoing mail must pass thru the office of the Mail Clerk where it will be opened, examined and placed on record before it is mailed or delivered to the prisoner. All other officers are strictly forbidden to pass out any prisoner's mail or deliver mail to prisoner. Write plainly with ink if possible and confine yourself to business or family matters. No objection will be made to the receipt of letters and packages under the rules here prescribed, but mail will be delivered only in accordance with these rules. Prisoners may receive general and local newspapers direct from the publishers, books of proper character, family photographs, tobacco and cigars in original packages, but not cigarettes. Wearing apparel and COOKED FOODS OF ALL KINDS NOT ALLOWED PRISONERS THRU THE MAIL. Candy, preserves, jellies and canned goods classed as cooked foods. All money sent to prisoners is deposited with the Warden to the credit of the prisoners, and should be sent by Money Order or Bank Draft. All letters and packages must be addressed to prisoner in care of BOX 235, McAlester, Oklahoma.

Prisoners will not be allowed to pay or sign up any money for lawyer fees or anything else without the permission of the Warden or Deputy Warden. All letters and packages sent to prisoners must have name and address of sender written plainly on upper left-hand corner of envelope. Bananas, talcum powder, chewing gum, tooth paste, raisins, sugar and English Walnuts not allowed to be received by prisoners thru mail. First-class prisoners will be allowed to write one letter per week, but will not be permitted to write to female friends or cousins.

LETTERS MUST BE SIGNED WITH FULL NAME

McAlester, Oklahoma, Jan. 3, 1929

My Dear Father, Mother and Sisters:-
I will answer your letters after so long a time. I received a letter from you and one from Beulah. Tonight also got Uncle Mewie's letter. I sure was glad to hear from you all.

I am well and getting along fine. I am back at work but am still in third class so I can't write any often. I will do all I can to get into first class and then I can write once a week.

Mamma you tell Beulah she can write to that party if she wants to. Mamma I guess I might as well wait until spring or summer now to tell you what to do as this kind of weather is too bad for you to do any running around in. So you just see those people I'd have already told you about and get them to recommend me if they will. Bee & Sheriff Sanford and Goldberry if you can Goldberry is the main one then you can see those two judges. And if you can see that I like and talk to him let me know what he says. I am sure they wouldn't do nothing with him if he will make an affidavit and tell the truth about that.

Now Mamma if you see Goldberry you get him to sign a separate recommendation. He will probably give you a letter of recommendation I sure hope he does.

I was sorry to hear about Uncle Bob. I guess he has the flu. There are a few cases of it here but no bad ones that I know of. Why didn't Mildred (over)

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McAlester, Oklahoma, Mar. 2, 1929

My Dear Father and Mother and Sister:
 I will answer all of your letters the best I can in this mail.
 I am well and getting along fine.
 I was sure sorry to hear of Beulah's condition. But I guess it can't be helped. I sure wish I could see her and talk with her.
 I received a long letter from Bertha and a long one from Ruby. I was sure glad to hear from them.
 I don't know much news to write. But I hope I can tell you I am in first class the next time I get to write. I am sure going to try to get in first class before long. I am doing every thing I can to make good and intend to make it good.
 Tell Mildred I would like to see her and tell her I have received all of her letters. Tell Ruby I sure wish I could come and visit her at her new home.
 I have got some things to explain to you when I get to see you again this summer. Write often and tell me all the news about Beulah.

As ever

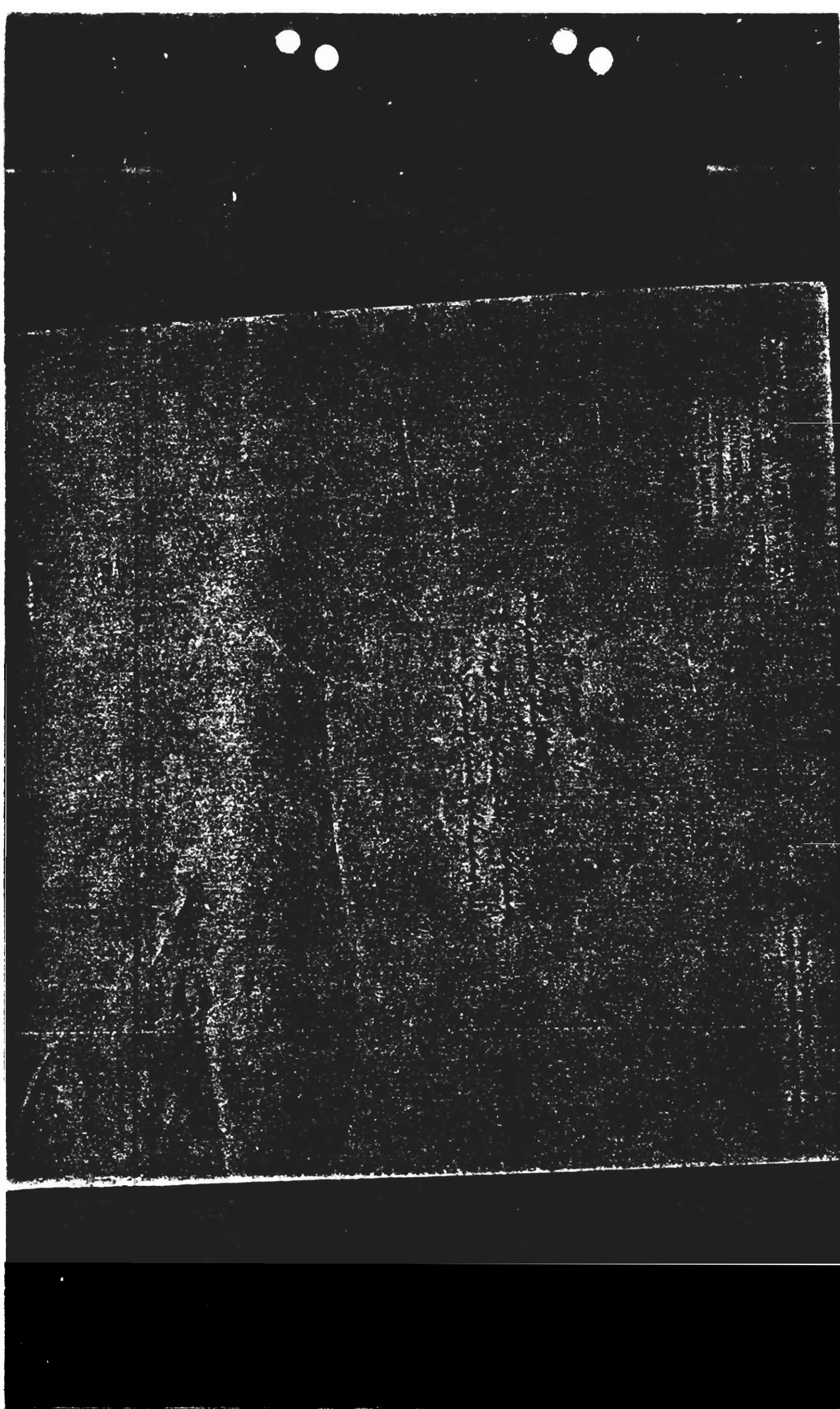
Johnny Davis. 12808

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Write to me. I got a letter from Bertha. I also got
the Xmas card which sent me. I am hope I can be
out next Xmas. And I believe I will if all those people
recommend me that have said they would. I will do
all I can to get my record cleared up and get into first
class then I will be in a better position to ask
for clemency. I am working in the shirt factory and
I am on a machine. I think I will like it. I will do
right as soon as I learn to sew the task. I will do
my work good and then I might get back on the
marking job. I don't know any more to write so I
guess I will stop till all the girls to write to
me. Tell Ruby she should write oftener as she
hardly ever writes. I will write more next time.

I will write about the first of the
month from now on between the first and the
fifth. I am as ever.

Valney Davis
12808.



\$279,541,000 Army Allotment Is Urged

House Report Questions Need of CWA and PWA Project Funds.

Washington, March 4.—(AP)—A \$279,541,000 war department appropriation bill Monday was reported in the house.

It would provide for maintenance of an army of 13,000 officers and 124,784 enlisted men during the fiscal year 1935.

As the outgrowth of a controversy over army airplane buying, it provided \$15,000 to fill the vacant post of assistant secretary for air.

Questions CWA Projects. The report, accompanying the bill, directly questioned whether the \$23,000,000 allotted for military purposes by the PWA and the \$22,000,000 from the CWA were expended on projects "most needed from a national defense standpoint."

Chairman Collins, Democrat, Mississippi, wrote that the committee "has not been unmindful of the recently alleged irregularities respecting airplane procurements actually made and projected, as well as other classes of procurement."

Referring to statements by Major General Benjamin D. Foulois, chief of the air corps, that Harry Woodring, assistant secretary of war, ordered changes in specifications for airplanes to be purchased, Collins wrote:

Planned to Wait Inquiry. "These matters are under investigation by the appropriate agencies of the government—legislative, executive and judicial."

"The committee's first impulse was to withhold the presentation of the accompanying bill until the investigation of army procurement matters by the local grand jury had been concluded. However, in view of the active and aggressive inquiry that has been launched by the (house) military affairs committee such a course would not now appear to be justified."

The bill carries \$22,591,000 for the air service in the coming fiscal year, in addition to the PWA allotment of \$7,500,000 for new aircraft.

Attack FWA Allotments. Attacking the allotments of the PWA and CWA for the army, the report said that because of the emergency legislation making them possible "much of the normal appropriations functions of congress was transferred to the executive branch of the government."

The bill, it added, was intended to reserve these powers to congress.

As reported, the measure is \$3,000,000 less than the budget estimates of \$282,632,000.

Of the total, however, \$11,545,000 is for nonmilitary activities. About \$12,473,000 is included in the Army pay.

GINSBERG SEEKS HABEAS CORPUS

Writs of habeas corpus have been issued for Abe Ginsberg, a man arrested in connection with the Bremer kidnapping.

Ginsberg, two of whose sons were arrested in connection with the kidnapping, is being held in the St. Louis penitentiary.

His sons, Harry and Charles, were released on bail after being held for several days.

MacArthur Urges Increasing Army Total to 165,000

Washington, March 4.—(AP)—An immediate increase of the regular army to 165,000 men and the national guard to 210,000 was recommended to congress Monday by General Douglas MacArthur, chief of staff.

The recommendation was overthrown, however, by the house appropriations committee. In reporting the army appropriation bill the committee provided for 130,750 officers and men and kept the national guard at around 190,000.

These forces, MacArthur contended, "are indeed too small to meet the first phases of any major emergency and to hold an enemy until the national guard could be hardened and trained for active combat service," he added.

Edina Will Restore Old Mill Pond

Edina's mill pond, once a beauty spot near the Minneapolis city limits, will be restored soon. The water level is to be raised and the shores landscaped in connection with the proposed Minnehaha creek restoration program.

Work on locks and a pumping system which will make it possible to fill the pond basin will be started this week. Workmen will move equipment and machinery to the pond Monday, and work probably will get under way Tuesday.

Gates or locks will be installed for control of flood waters down the creek, and an artesian well will be sunk and a pump installed to maintain the water level during the summer to the top of the old West Fiftieth street dam.

The 300-foot well will be sunk at the head of the pond on the old Millman property. A deed giving the village of Edina title to the flowage rights Saturday was signed by Bert Millman of Edina.

The proposed cascade will be located west of highway No. 4, near the bend in the creek. This will permit the water to flow under the highway bridge and, with the planting of trees and shrubbery and the general arrangements of rocks now planned, will give the village a small waterfall.

The project will cost approximately \$5,000. More than \$10,000 in state funds already have been spent in removing tree stumps and parts of the large mill pond.

Additional funds are to be obtained by a bond issue, while the cost of labor will be paid through public works.

The project is being supervised by the village engineer, J. J. O'Connell.

The village board of directors, which approved the project last week, will meet Monday to consider the bond issue.

Garbed for Tennis or Bicycle Riding



Jean Blankenhorn.

Here's what the feminine devotees of sports will wear this year for tennis and bicycling. Miss Blankenhorn is one of the 50 models who will parade in bathing and other costumes at the Northwest Automobile show, Home Beautiful exposition and Flower show to demonstrate the latest summer styles. The show will open at the municipal auditorium Saturday.

DEMOCRATS TO MEET. Flannery, S. D. March 7.—State Democratic leaders will address young Democrats at a meeting here Tuesday night.

CHILDREN should have Real Juices, not imitations of



V. F. W. POST WILL HOLD MEMORIAL

Annual memorial services for deceased members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and its auxiliary will be held at 8:15 p. m. Tuesday by the Minnesota Amputation post and its auxiliary in the G. A. R. hall of the courthouse. Among those to be honored will be Clayton A. Carmichael, after whom a post of the Purple Heart organization was named. Color bearers and speakers will take part in the memorial. John Obenauer, 4017 Sheridan, Grand Forks, is commander of the amputation post and Mrs. Laura Salmons, 2001 Forty-third avenue north, is head of the auxiliary.

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Other car. One of the men
back at her.
"Keep your damned mouth shut
or I'll let you have it, too," he said.
Mrs. Kidder ran a few steps to
the door of the inn.

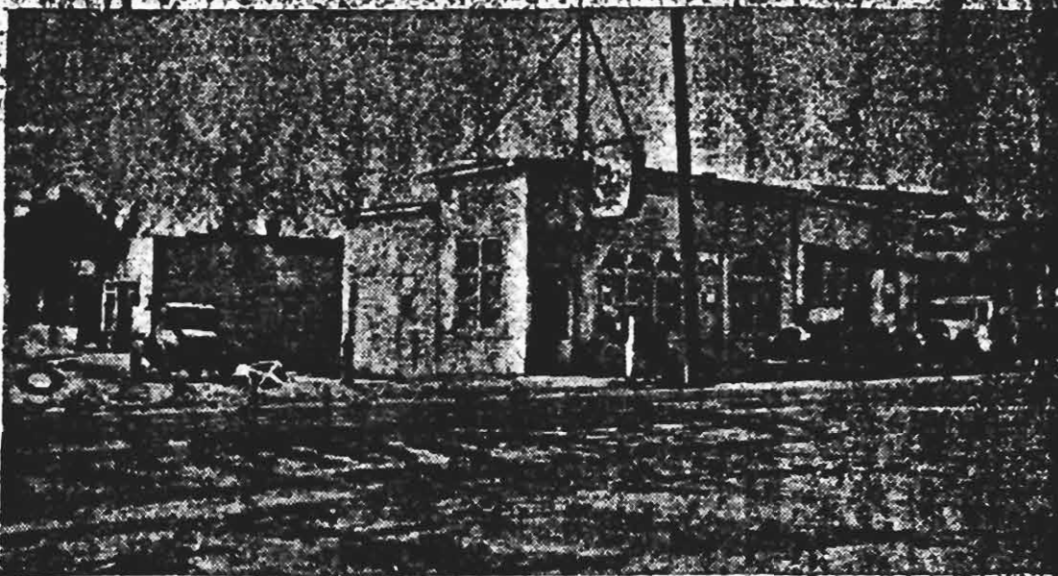
"My God, they shot him," she
cried.
At the inn were the proprietor,
Wesley Smith, Carl Mohline, who
lives at Brookside avenue and Ex-
celsior boulevard, and Robert Ny-
lander, 4301 Excelsior avenue, St.
Louis Park.

They ran to the door and saw Mr.
Kidder lying in the road. The car
drove off, but in reverse, back-
ed up slowly along Brookside ave-
nue to Lowell avenue. There it
swung around and raked westward
on Lowell. It was believed the kill-
ers returned to Excelsior boulevard
and possibly drove back to Minne-
apolis.

The men in the inn picked up Mr.
Kidder and carried him into the
place, where he died. Mr. Smith
called police and sheriff's deputies.
Inside the store, Mr. Smith asked
the victim who shot him, but Mr.
Kidder only groaned. He died a
moment later.

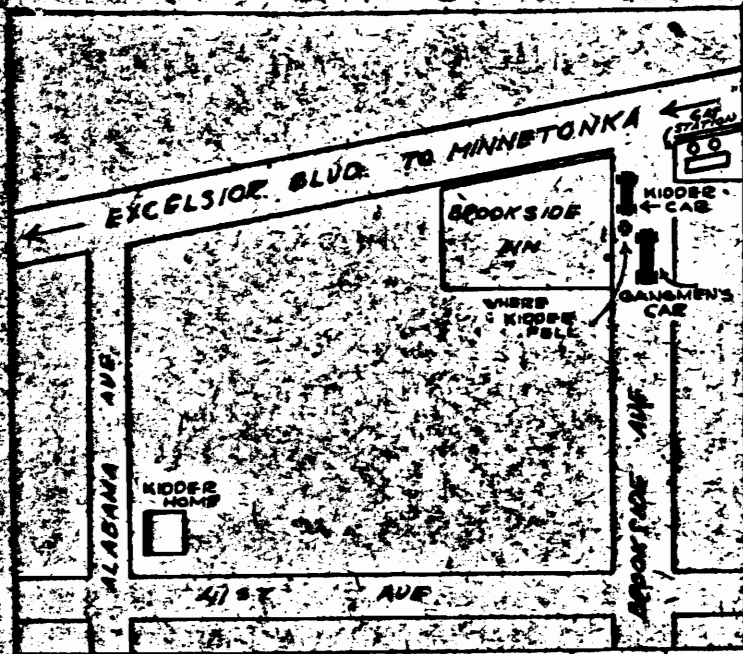
Mohline and Nylander heard the
shots and dashed out of the build-
ing just as the gunmen's car was
backing away. It backed all the
way to Forty-first avenue and then
turned toward Minneapolis.

Mr. Kidder was employed by the



A few steps from the door of the Brookside Inn, Excelsior bou-
levard and Brookside avenue, Theodore Kidder, 35-year-old St. Louis
Park paint salesman, was slain Sunday night. The scene of the shoot-
ing, with a cross marking the spot where he was shot, is at the top.
At the right below, are Wesley Smith, proprietor of the inn, Carl Moh-
line and Robert Nylander, employees, who carried Mr. Kidder into the
store. At the left is a map of the area. Fearful of the men following
him, Mr. Kidder drove around the block just before he was shot.

WHERE GUN VICTIM FELL



National Lead Co., 108 Fairfield ave-
nue, west, St. Paul. He also sold
ammunition as a side line.

Neither his wife, nor his brother,
Dean Kidder of St. Paul, could
find a motive for the shooting. Aside
from his sales of paint and ammuni-
tion he had no other interests and
figured in no events of public inter-
est. Friends and associates at the
paint firm said his record was "ex-
cellent."

Jack Thomas, 4019 Brookside ave-
nue, said he was in bed when he
heard a car pass and another stop.
He got up and looked out, and
saw the big car under the arc
light at the corner. After a few sec-
onds it moved on. Then he heard
the shots, and he lay back up
and went to sleep.

FIREMEN CAN'T GET WATER TO FIRE, SO GET FIRE TO WATER

Mohammed's mountain-mov-
ing difficulties, as recorded in
the Koran, had nothing on Min-
neapolis firemen Sunday who
were forced to trundle a fire
nearly half a mile in search for
water.

Answering an alarm at Elm
street and Twenty-fifth avenue
southeast, Battalion Chief Wil-
liam F. Huttner found hose con-
nections would not reach three
blocks box cars Commandeer-
ing an engine, he ordered the three
blocks hauled to water and
the fire extinguished.

REVEAL MORGAN AIR STOCK SALE

Washington, March 3.—(AP)—Evi-
dence that J. P. Morgan, head of
the banking house bearing his
name, sold a block of 4,500 shares
of United Aircraft stock within two
weeks before government cancella-
tion of the air mail contracts, was
presented Monday to the senate
banking committee.

Figures showing a tenfold in-
crease in the short interest in air
transport stocks during January
were presented to the senate com-
mittee by Richard Whitney, presi-
dent of the New York stock ex-
change. The committee side-tracked
the stock market control bill to in-
vestigate whether an official "leak"
brought on the heavy short selling
in aviation stocks just before the
cancellation of the air mail con-
tracts.

Whitney gave the committee sta-
tistics showing the total short in-
terest in seven of the big compan-
ies increased from a little over
4,000 shares at the end of Decem-
ber to 44,000 at the end of January.

H. G. WHITE RITES WILL BE TUESDAY

Winona, Minn., March 3.—Funeral
services for H. G. White, publisher
of the Winona Republican-Herald,
will be conducted at the First Con-
gregational church here at 3 p. m.
Tuesday.

Mr. White, in the newspaper pub-
lishing business since 1903, died at
his home Saturday evening after an
illness lasting back to early fall.

The Rev. William S. Whitsett, pas-
tor of the First Congregational
church, will officiate at the ser-



Wesley Smith



Carl Mohline



Robert Nylander

The funeral will be held at the
same church, but the
proceedings cannot be co-

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...of Hennepin...
...sent to the Ramsey county...
...late Monday...
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...young man ...
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...disclosed ...
...had been fired from a 32 ...
...presumably an ...
...The deputies and ...
...and Andrew ...
...of St. Louis Park police ...
...the neighborhood but ...
...find no trace of the killer's ...
...Killer was born in Council ...
...Iowa, but spent most of his ...
...in St. Paul. For many years ...
...with his mother and step- ...
...Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. ...
...1921 Ferens avenue, ...
...St. Paul. He was married to Mrs. ...
...for eight years ago. They took ...
...residence in St. Louis Park sev- ...
...months ago.

RECALL FIRST IRONCLAD BATTLE

The battle between the Monitor and the Merrimack March 8, 1862, will be recalled when members of the John Ericsson league of Minneapolis have their annual banquet in the Curtis hotel at 8:30 p. m. Friday. Speakers will include John A. Pearson, assistant Ramsey county attorney, and Dr. Conrad Peterson, vice-president of Gustavus Adolphus college, who is secretary of the Swedish-American Historical society. The East Side legion auxiliary glee club of St. Paul which won first prize at the American Legion convention a year ago will sing. G. A. Youngquist is president of the league and E. V. Willard, secretary.

KILLS FAMILY AND SELF.
Laurens, S. C., March 3.—(AP)—J. L. Rush, 30, killed his wife and three daughters Monday and then burned their home down around his own body.

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...the driver fled. A num- ...
...of stolen articles were found ...
...the car police reported.

HOLDUP SUSPECT TO GO ON TRIAL

J. J. Hickey of Mayotte, Lake Minnetonka, was in court Monday in the district court of Judge E. A. Montgomery on a charge of robbing a National Tea Co. store at 1735 Chicago avenue of \$48 January 27. The manager, Gilbert Fisher, and his wife were held up by a gunman. Mrs. Fisher ran out the rear door and caught the escape number of the robber's car. Hickey formerly was caddy master at an exclusive golf club in Minneapolis.

ANDRESEN CLUB FORMED

Owatonna, Minn., March 3.—Organizations of an "Andresen-for-Congress" club and circulation of petitions urging the former Red Wing congressman to become a candidate for the first district Republican nomination were begun here Monday.

MILWAUKEE STRIKE AVERTED BY BOARD

Milwaukee, March 3.—(AP)—Intercession by the national labor board averted a strike Monday of Milwaukee's street car, bus and power plant workers. Disputed issues will be aired at a Washington hearing March 13.

...the church ...
...Tuesday.

Temporary pallbearers will be: A. Steffen, E. B. Hicks, Fred Heston, J. C. Neville, Emil Leicht, H. P. McConnon, C. D. Tarsa, W. L. Miller, E. J. Lehman, E. E. Crawford and A. E. Spuhler. All of Winona. M. J. Boyle, Mason City, Iowa; Fred Schlipf, publisher of the St. Cloud Times-Journal Press; L. A. Whitcomb, publisher Albert Lee Tribune, E. E. Rasmussen, publisher Austin Herald, and E. A. Mitchell, publisher Bemidji Pioneer. Active pallbearers will be department heads of the Republican: Herald L. S. Bellville, H. G. Hymel, J. F. Elder, E. T. Edwards, George Leach and O. A. Olson.

Haskell Liquor Counts Dismissed

Eight indictments charging prohibition law violations by Benny Haskell were dismissed Monday in St. Paul in an order by Federal Judge Gunnar H. Nordbye. Haskell was indicted by a federal grand jury last week of income tax evasions totaling more than \$100,000. This indictment was not affected by Judge Nordbye's order, which also dismissed liquor indictments against 10 other Minneapolis men and a Minneapolis woman. Named in various of the indictments against Haskell were Ray Stanchfield, Harry Brownstein, Stephen Hurley, Arthur J. Newman, Cecil Tackaberry and Mitchell Zuckman. The other indictments dismissed were against Sidney J. Jensen, Pearl Mason, E. J. Gow, W. E. Hess and Ray Zuelke, all of Min-

FLIERS BELIEVE KILLED IN CRASH

Roanoke, Va., March 3.—(AP)—Army fliers believe a plane crashed into the Potomac River last night when it dived into the river from the Washington Navy Yard. The plane was believed to be a biplane owned by W. E. Davis, a naval aviator and instructor at the Naval Air Station at Annapolis.



COFFEE HEART?

Does your heart pound and "act up"? Better face the truth. See your doctor. But don't rebel when he says, "No coffee!" He means, "No caffeine!" You can still enjoy marvelous coffee. Just switch to Kellogg's Kaffee-Hag Coffee... 97% caffeine-free... famed for its delicious, mellow taste. Kellogg's new million-dollar process extracts bitter caffeine... leaves all the natural flavor intact... actually reveals a new richness and smoothness! Try a three weeks' test so you can fully judge its benefits. Your doctor will approve. And remember... you will be enjoying a superb blend of Brazilian and Colombian coffees... all the finer in flavor because 97% of the caffeine is gone. Ground or in the Bean... Roasted by Kellogg in Battle Creek. Vacuum packed. Satisfaction guaranteed, or money back. Buy it from your grocer, or for generous sample send 15c and coupon. Only one sample to a family.

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sts in Murder

Streets Add Driving Hazards, Slow Loop Traffic

An early morning coating of snow that followed Sunday afternoon's drizzling rain transformed Minneapolis streets into sliding rinks Monday morning as motor traffic was started to the loop. Along every artery to the loop automobiles crept slowly. There were minor traffic jams at every semaphore. Minneapolis got 16 of an inch of snow in the last 24 hours. A drop in temperature during the night after midnight promised "much colder" weather Monday night and today. The wind blew in a glass display window at a King's Court cafe, 221 South 14th street. There were 47 accidents over the week-end, resulting in 57 injuries and one

gh Court Upholds Milk Price Fixing

Washington, March 5.—(P)—The supreme court today upheld the right of a state to fix a minimum price for milk. It sustained the New Jersey control law under which minimum price was set at 9 cents a quart in an effort to promote the return of prosperity. Justice J. Roberts delivered the opinion. Administration leaders reacted to the decision with jubilation and their encouragement by prompt action of the high court upholding the Minnesota milk control act. The milk dealer was 5 to 4.

WA Worker Hurt by Hit-Run Auto

San Hardney, 1323 Second street, a CWA worker, was critically injured early Monday when struck by a hit-run driver near Washington and Third avenues south. He was taken to Swedish hospital with skull fracture, broken legs and other possible internal injuries. He was found unconscious in the street shortly after 3 a. m. Police said Hardney had been dragged at least 50 feet before the car threw him to one side and sped on. They could find no witnesses.

ULL MUST QUIT GREECE TOMORROW

March 5.—(P)—The minister of the interior announced today that Samuel Inoull, former Chicago utilities manager, must leave Greece Tuesday.

The President said these exceptions are not to be made. The law must move firmly and promptly to prevent further strikes.

For the future, he said, the methods and details of reorganization may and will change from year to year but the reorganization must be permanent for all the rest of our lives in that never again will we permit the social conditions which allowed the vast sections of our population to exist in an un-American way, which allowed a maldistribution of wealth and power.

So far, he said, "we have been tolerant of certain misunderstandings even when they resulted in evasions of the spirit if not the letter of the law," but "we have arrived at the time for taking stock for correcting manifest errors, for rooting out demonstrated evils."

Amused at Alarms. He described himself "a little amused and perhaps at times a little saddened" by writers and speakers who proclaim the administration has committed the country to Communism or Fascism and dictatorship.

"One thing is very certain," he declared, "We are not going back either to the old conditions or to the old methods."

The President said that NRA and the entire new deal are fundamentally democratic, conceived for the greatest good of the greatest number, adding:

"The real truth of the matter is that for a number of years in our country the machinery of democracy had failed to function. The operations of government had fallen into the hands of special groups. Some of them vociferously lead by people who undertook to obtain special advantages for special classes."

Mr. Roosevelt said the great majority of complaints assembled by NRA was not directed against the act or the codes "but at errors and omissions in what has been done under codes."

Banks Pledge Credit.

In conclusion, the President told of a telegram from Francis M. Law, president of the American Bankers' association, which said the national banking structure was "sound and liquid." There is a definite call, said the message, "for a most sympathetic attitude toward legitimate credit."

Thereupon, Mr. Roosevelt departed from his prepared text to say:

"If the banks come along, my friends, we'll have the three great elements in American life working together, industry, agriculture and banks, and then we can't stop."

The President was vigorously applauded at this point, as he had been repeatedly.

Because the number of industrialists attending was so huge that two overflow halls had been pressed in to service, the chief executive accompanied by Hugh S. Johnson went from constitution hall to the other gathering to speak a word directly to those who had heard his address only through amplifiers.

PLANS SHAPED

Preparations were in full swing Monday for the northwest new work relief plan, which is to replace the CWA program in growth areas of Minnesota and five other states on March 15. The new plans were being shaped rapidly at conferences of relief, growth and re-employment officials of the several states.

Details of the Minnesota program, which affects some 40 counties, were being shaped at a St. Paul meeting arranged by Morris G. Lambie, state coordinator of relief and employment. The morning was devoted to arranging for local organizations which will provide jobs in place of the CWA employment that will end next week. All CWA workers are to be demobilized by May 1, in accordance with orders by Harry L. Hopkins, federal relief administrator.

At the Minnesota conference, it was predicted that everything will be in shape to provide jobs for needy persons by the time the CWA pay checks are cut off. Similar progress was being made at other state conferences, it was reported Monday noon.

T. J. Edmonds of Des Moines, regional representative of the federal emergency relief administration, presided as spokesman for Mr. Hopkins, federal administrator. Meeting with him were Governors Olson of Minnesota and Berry of South Dakota; Judge A. M. Christianson, North Dakota relief administrator; J. H. Dance, Wisconsin drought relief director; J. G. Stutz, Kansas relief director; I. T. Tyler, Iowa relief director, and Randall Biart, Nebraska relief director.

BRAND WHITLOCK HAS OPERATION

Cannes, France, March 5.—(P)—Brand Whitlock, former United States ambassador to Belgium, underwent an operation for relief of a bladder ailment Monday.

Princess Wins \$125,000 Rasputin Movie Verdict

London, March 5.—(P)—The jury in the libel suit of Princess Irena Youssouloff Monday awarded her 25,000 pounds — \$125,000 — against Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, Ltd., makers of the film "Rasputin and the Empress."

The award was made after a dramatic trial in which Prince Youssouloff testified he was one of the group who killed the mad monk of Russia, the slaying pictured in the film.

Claim Character Fictional. Princess Irena testified the character Natasha, in the picture, was a libel of herself. The defense contended the character Natasha was purely fictional.

In the course of the trial Princess Irena said she intended to sue every individual theater which had shown the picture, widely used through-

out the United States as well as England.

The jury's verdict came after only a short deliberation. Previously on the day the high-powered lawyers engaged, the litigants made their final arguments.

Never Met Rasputin. Sir William Jowett, for the defense, said there was no basis in the film which made the picture "and, added to that, we all know she never met Rasputin."

Sir Patrick Hastings, for the plaintiff, pointed out that the picture advertised the film as "the true story" that Prince Youssouloff was known to the world as the assassin of Rasputin and that both he and Princess Irena were fully identified as characters in the movie, which she charged linked her improperly with the "mad monk."

When they next noticed the car, Mr. Kidder was parked on Excelsior boulevard in front of his home at a block west. Mrs. Duxbury looked through the rear window and saw the strange car following.

Not wishing to alarm her daughter, who recently had been released from a hospital, Mrs. Duxbury said nothing at first. But as they neared their house, Mr. Kidder saw the car.

"That car is following me," said "I'm going to drive around the block."

Victim Accused. Mr. Kidder turned his car west on Lowell avenue, proceeded a block to Brookside avenue and then turned again to Excelsior boulevard. He drove up alongside Brookside Inn, a cafe and confectionery shop at that intersection. The pursuing car followed and stopped behind his own. It was shortly before 11 p. m.

Mr. Kidder got out of the car, walked behind it, and said something to the occupants of the other machine. There was a reply. What was said was not heard by Mrs. Kidder or Mrs. Duxbury. The women also got out of the car.

Then a weapon was poked through one of the opened windows of the car with the California license plates. Three shots were fired in rapid succession. Two struck Mr. Kidder in the abdomen.

Mrs. Duxbury and Mrs. Kidder screamed. "Oh, what have you done?" Mrs. Duxbury shouted at the occupants.

CAR CRASHES INTO HOUSE IN DULUTH

Duluth, Minn., March 5.—When the brakes failed on a steep street, Frank Wagner of Superior drove his car into a house. The machine and house were damaged, but the four occupants of the automobile escaped with bruises.

we are certainly not in the
back either.
"Laughing Allegra is dead.
The name of Annie Allegra Long-
yellow, youngest daughter of the
poet is familiar to millions of
children whose mothers have
read to them the lines from
"The Children's Hour."

"From my study I see in the
lamplight
Descending the broad hall
stair
Grave Alice, and laughing AL-
legra.
And Edith with golden hair."

Time passes quickly. Allegra
was 79 years old when she died.
She married, and, fortunately,
leaves five daughters and a num-
ber of grandchildren. Among
the descendants of those five
daughters genius should develop,
according to Galton's studies of
heredity, proving that genius is
inherited through the female
line. If a man who thinks he has
genius wants to pass the genius
along, let him pray for daughters.

Harley Edwards has learned
about the next world, via the
electric chair in Indiana. A war
veteran, with an excellent record,
Edwards had killed his wife, and
the state had arranged to kill
him, when Edwards, with pieces
of glass taken from his spec-
tacles, slashed the big blood ves-
sels in both his wrists and al-
most bled to death. Justice must
not be cheated, so, although he
begged to die in peace, saying,
"I can't stand the thought of the
electric chair," Edwards was
forced to undergo a blood trans-
fusion. A fellow convict supplied
one pint of blood. A prison offi-
cial said, "We'll get him in the
electric chair if we have to carry
him there." It was unnecessary.
Edwards walked with the strength
of blood from the other convict.

Norton Goes on Trial in Slaying of Wife

Harvey R. Norton, former police-
man, went on trial Monday in the
district court of Judge Levi M.
Hall on a charge of slaying his
estranged wife, Mrs. Rena Norton.
The victim was shot at her apart-
ment, 3540 Emerson avenue south,
February 28. Leo J. Gleason and
Howard van Lear, assistant county
attorneys, will prosecute the case.
Harold Bellew is attorney for Nor-
ton. The state plans to call 20 wit-
nesses. Monday's sessions was to be
occupied with selection of a jury.

The first jurors selected for the
trial just before court recessed at
noon was Clarence E. Turner, 2935
Columbus avenue, a landscape gar-
dener.

Thanks to The Tribune

Thomas Letcher, 3948 Cedar
avenue, recovered his lost
water spaniel through an ad
in The Tribune. He was so
happy over the recovery of
his valuable dog that he
wrote The Tribune a nice let-
ter of appreciation.

Tribune Went Ad Pay

publicity. Blaine Judge Hall
said that there is nothing in the
law requiring a grand jury to
make a final report, although such
reports are helpful to the jury and
conditions to warrant public criti-
cism.
Gottfried T. Lindner, former al-
derman, was named as foreman of
the new grand jury.

14 COUNCILMEN BACK RUM PLEA

Fourteen aldermen, a majority of
the council, signed two round-robins
Monday, one aimed at issuance of
liquor licenses outside of existing
patrol limits and the other pledging
the signers to vote for "on sale"
licenses to the Minneapolis and
Athletic clubs and the Elks and
Eagles.

The first round-robin calls upon
Russell S. Ackerman, superintendent
of licenses, weights and meas-
ures, to accept applications from
persons within the Cullen ordi-
nance area for both "on" and "off"
sale, whereas the "off sale" license
quota has been exhausted.

With this in mind aldermen be-
gan circulating the new document,
declaring that the clubs named
should not in any event be denied
the privilege of handling liquor for
their memberships. Those
launching the second round-robin
believed they could obtain the nec-
essary 14 names.

The aldermen then would proceed
to act on basis of provisions of the
so-called St. Paul bill, requiring
action to grant licenses by March
11. The council meets Friday,
March 9.

90 PERISH WHEN STEAMER SINKS

Shanghai, March 5.—(P)—Ninety
women and men were drowned
Sunday when the steamer Szechu
struck a rock and sank midway be-
tween Hongkong and Canton.

Mrs. Roosevelt Starts Journey to Study Porto Rico Conditions

Aboard Train With Mrs. Roose-
velt, March 5.—(P)—Mrs. Franklin
D. Roosevelt sped southward Mon-
day, headed for the first over-the-
ocean flight ever taken by a presi-
dent's wife. On the first day of
her second year as first lady she's
bound for Porto Rico and its pov-
erty problems.

"First hand information" is her
aim. After visiting Porto Rico, she
also will pay a call on the Virgin
Islands before returning to the
White House.

She is accompanied by Miss Lor-
ena Hickok, now with the federal
relief administration, sent to report
on island conditions.

Mrs. Roosevelt had planned to
leave Washington by plane but fog
prompted her to start by train.

Long after midnight she changed
into traveling tops from the blue
brocade inaugural ball gown she
had worn at Sunday night's cele-

bration.
The train left Washington at 11
p.m. for New York. Mrs. Roose-
velt will arrive in New York Mon-
day morning. She will stay at the
Hotel Hamilton. She will leave for
Porto Rico Tuesday morning.
Mrs. Roosevelt will be accompanied
by Miss Hickok, who is now with
the federal relief administration, and
by a party of experts. They will
make a survey to see if conditions
can be im-
proved there.

Store Owner Fires at Fleeing Burglars

The burglar alarm rang early
Monday and Albert N. Swanson,
1921 East Lake



Albert N. Swanson.
street leaped
out of bed,
grabbed his
shotgun, went
to a rear up-
stairs window in
his bare feet
and fired down
into the dark-
ness. He saw
two shadowy
figures running
from the rear
window of his
meat market.
He found they
had removed an
iron window grating and partially
opened the window. Their tamper-
ing set off the burglar alarm. Mr.
Swanson told police he thought he
hit one of the burglars. He saw
a man stagger after he fired.

90 Drunks Say 'Morning, Judge'

The largest Monday morning line-
up of drunks since liquor was legal-
ized in Minneapolis faced municipal
court Monday. There were 90 per-
sons arraigned for drinking enough
to be a menace to the public peace.
This closely approached the annual
New Year's total.

Defense R Wynkoop

Woman Physician Injured in Fall After Collapse in County Jail

Chicago, March 5.—(P)—The de-
fense rested Monday in the trial
of Dr. Alice Lindsey Wynkoop on
charges of having murdered her
daughter-in-law, Rheta. The rest
followed brief appearance of the
defendant and her attorney, Dr.
Wynkoop, at the witness stand.
Defense Attorney W. W. ...
succeeded in obtaining the intro-
duction in the record of the infor-
mation assigning Dr. Wynkoop to the
custody of the sheriff. The defense
contends that the defendant was il-
legally questioned at the police sta-
tion after the second inquest.

Injured in Fall

Pale, haggard and weak, Dr.
Wynkoop looked to be in the worst
condition of any time since her ar-
rest. She had fainted twice before
being brought in her wheel chair
to the courtroom.

The most serious collapse oc-
curred at 4 a. m. today. Attempting
to reach the bathroom of the jail
infirmary, she fell to the floor,
striking the left side of her head
and her left arm on the
concrete. She was badly lacerated.

Questioned About Check

During her brief appearance at
the stand, Prosecutor Dougherty
questioned her on two subjects—
\$167 check Rheta received from her
father, and a rather hysterical let-
ter found in Dr. Wynkoop's office.

Dr. Wynkoop said that after the
young couple returned from their
honeymoon, Rheta wrote her let-
ter to send her the balance due
her from a concert tour.

This came in the form of a check.
Dr. Wynkoop said, and she cashed
it and gave the girl the money.

The prosecutor showed the
check for \$167, bearing her indorse-
ment, but she said she could not
remember the amount, but that
probably was it.

Letter Introduced

The letter which is a hysterical
tone described great love for some-
one and a longing to see that per-
son again was attributed to Dr.
Wynkoop by written by her to
Earle after having met him secretly
by a distance from the house on the
eve of the tragedy.

Dr. Wynkoop said she had seen
the newspaper and had written
that letter.

Q. Did you tell police that you
wrote that letter and that you
said because it was hysterical?

A. No, sir, I didn't.

FISHERMEN RESCUE

Astrakhan, U.S.S.R., March 5.—(P)—
Astronomers and ice-breakers have
rescued all but 84 of 100 fishermen
carried out into the Caspian sea on
breaking ice floes, reports were
announced Monday.

LOVE'S LOTTERY, A GRIPPING NEW R

WEATHER

U. S. Weather Bureau Forecast.
Fair and much colder tonight
and Tuesday.
Additional weather forecast on
page 7.

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MYSTERY TRAILS

Today

Mr. Brisbane in this column
is writing as an individual
and the views he expresses do
not necessarily represent the
editorial viewpoint of the
Minneapolis Tribune.

Money, Tariffs, Big Power.
Not on Old Basis.
Allegra Laughs No More.
No. Die Our Way.

By Arthur Brisbane

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THE United States does not
expect any dictatorship, or
intend to permit any revo-
lution. No need of killing many
people haphazardly, since any-
thing can be done if citizens will
vote intelligently.

But we do find our old system
of getting things done by a con-
gress out of date, inefficient.

President Roosevelt, having
asked congress to give him full
control of money, now finds it
necessary to ask for control of
tariffs, and authority to negoti-
ate trade agreements with foreign
nations.

"The United States must be
ready at all times to strike quick-
ly in the fast-moving battle for
international commerce. The ac-
tion of congress is too slow."

President Roosevelt would
rather not hold such power or
carry such heavy responsibility,
but sees no other way.

Complete control of industry,
under NRA, complete control of
national finances, unlimited au-
thority to issue government obli-
gations, plus control of tariffs.
There is not much left for con-
gress to do except twiddle its
thumbs and say "Amen."

Part of the trouble has been
our complicated method of doing
business with political parties
fighting each other, each trying
to gain credit, paying sometimes
little attention to the welfare of
the nation.

While we are at it, let's

F. R. Tells NRA

STICK TO LEGAL EVIDENCE, NEW JURY IS TOLD

Judge Hall Warns Against
Indicting From Ill Will or
Desire for Publicity.

Grand jurors should not be actu-
ated by ulterior political motives,
ill will or a desire for "sheer pub-
licity" in indicting individuals or
"the entire community," Judge Levi
M. Hall told the new district grand
jury Monday. Charges should be
based on legal evidence, Judge Hall
said.

These admonitions came on the
heels of the report of the last grand
jury which attacked the police de-
partment and declared that organ-
ized crime in Minneapolis was not
being suppressed, but admitted it
could not find enough substantial
evidence to indict.

Judge Hall also informed the new
grand jury that it is not essential
to investigate city and county insti-
tutions. He added that while the
grand jury has a right to investi-
gate, the institutions had been
thoroughly investigated by the last
two grand juries and further inves-
tigation is unnecessary unless there
is extraordinary cause.

The jurors were advised that they
must not be influenced by the press,
any rumor and must remember that
they cannot be removed by the nation.

Foshay and Henley Are Review by U. S. Sup

Rubinoff Sued by Former Wife



David Rubinoff, who was
sued by his former wife,
is one of the defendants in
the case of Foshay and Henley.
He is shown here with his
former wife, who is now
Mrs. Rubinoff.

Fail in Last Stand in Fight to Escape 15-Year Terms for Fraud

Washington, March 7.—Wilbur
B. Foshay and Henry H. Henley
of Minneapolis, convicted of vio-
lating the federal laws in a finan-
tic swindle of the public through
the sale of securities, were refused
a review Monday by the supreme
court.

FAIL LAST FIGHT TO AVOID PRISON

The appeal of Wilbur B. Foshay
and H. H. Henley in the United
States supreme court was the last
stand in their fight to escape 15-
year prison terms for using the
mails to defraud in connection with
the promotion of the F. B. Henley
public utility underwriting. They
were convicted in 1919 after a
trial in the federal court. In
November the United States circuit
court of appeals directed that they
serve the sentence, following which
they asked the supreme court for
a review. The charges grew out of
the work of the Foshay-Henley
firm.

Eastern Towns Are Menaced by Flood

By Associated Press.
The threat of a great flood
is now threatening the
eastern towns of the
United States.

is Tribune



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GANG'S KILLING

to Cut Hours

Used e Court

Roosevelt s' About NRA

March 2.—(P)—Some
 cases from President
 fires Monday to NRA

"I want for me to point out that the difficult and broken into which the world has got itself. Cast it in the general attitude for himself: The 'blackness'." "I know as much then now and because our history will call that as 1929 to 1929 one of the 'blackness' that even American people."

Force of the matter
- number of years
into the machinery
did not fail to turn.

Industrial recovery
with the greatest
greatest number

of social evolution
and we are passing,
the American is doing
worse. We are passing
a system crisis, and
that "well, old man"
of history.

CONCLUSION

URGES MORE REDUCTION ON CODE CHIEFS

Says Errors Must Be Corrected and Small Business Man Given Protection

Text of President Roosevelt's address to the assembly of NEA code authorities appeared on page 4.

Washington, March 8.—(P)—President Roosevelt asked American industry today for "immediate co-operation to secure increase in wages and shortening of hours."

"It is the immediate task of industry to re-employ more people at purchasing wages and to do it now," he declared.

Speaking to the several thousand members of NRA's trade associations assembled in Constitution Hall for a three-day review of the industrial control program, he warned that "the government cannot forever continue to absorb the wastes of unemployment."

He called for greater protection of small business, turning the Federal authority "the keeper of the small industrial brood." He said the anti-trust laws "have been made their major purpose is to prevent competition and monopoly."

SLAYING VICTIM



Theodert Klöter



**POLICE KNOW
OF NO MOTIVE
FOR MURDER**

St. Louis Park Salesman Shot Down by Hoodlums as Wife Watches

Clues Are Vague—Shooting Follows Slight Altercation on Street

Turned over the lack of motive in the slaying of Theodore Kibbe, 15-year-old of Lake Park, police spokesman, police had deputy sheriff Monday had only a vague idea guide them in the search for the gunmen who shot him down at the celebrity boulevard and Broadway avenue Sunday night.

They knew only the make of the automobile, and that it bore the resemblance of a California model. There was no description of the occupants obtained.

344 Madison Avenue
presence of his wife and her mother,
Mr. Mrs. Ethel Dumbare. They all
swore no motive for the murder
other than the fact that Mr. Kline
had a slight stammer and was
guilty of a few great and little
crimes.

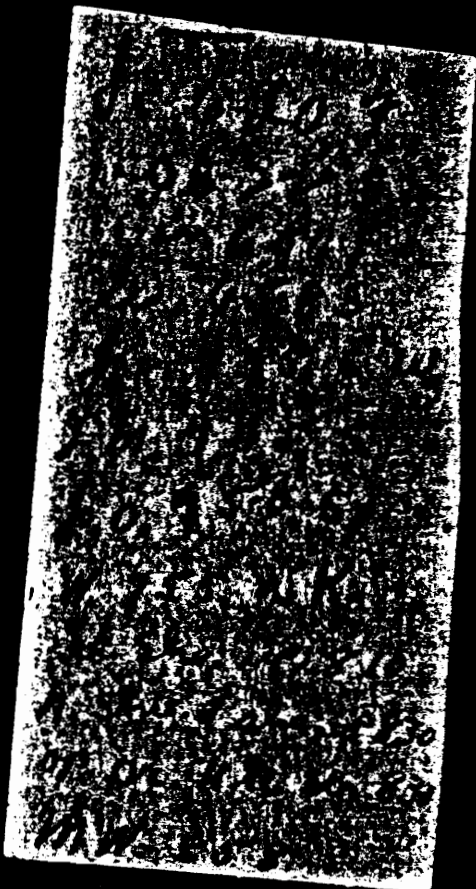
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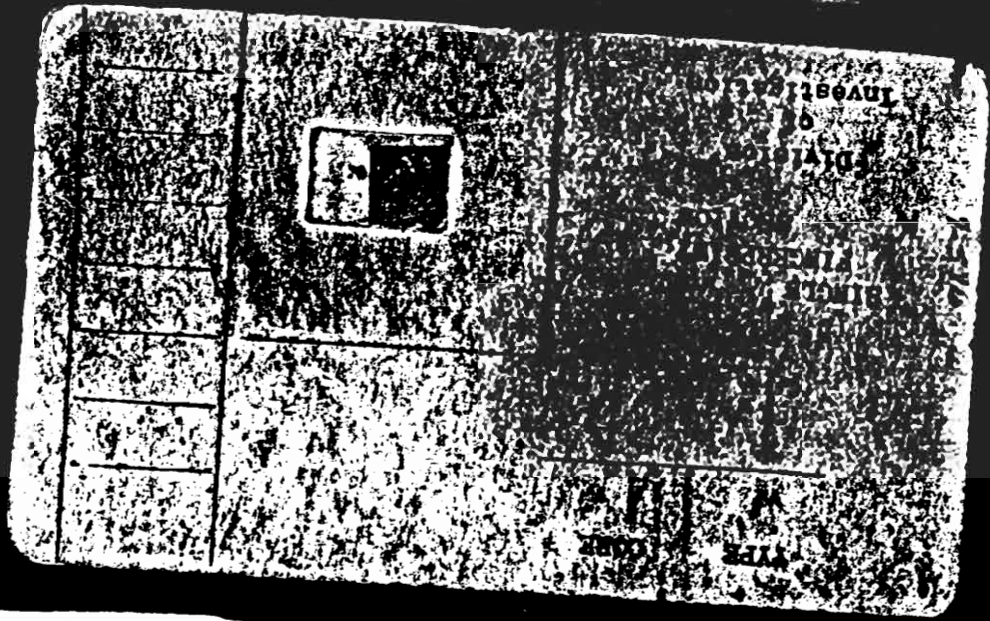
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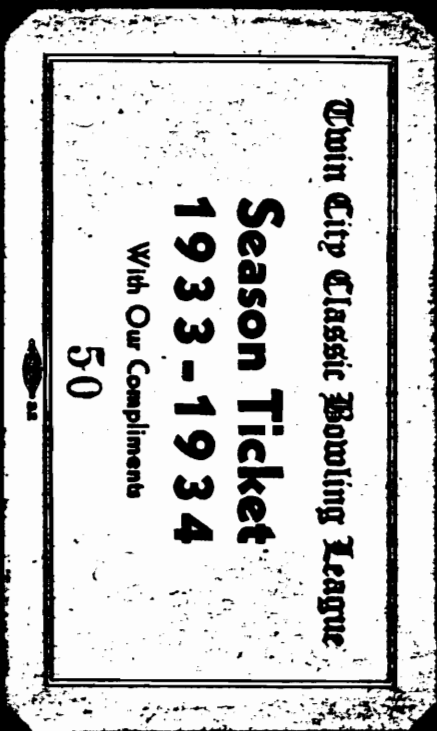
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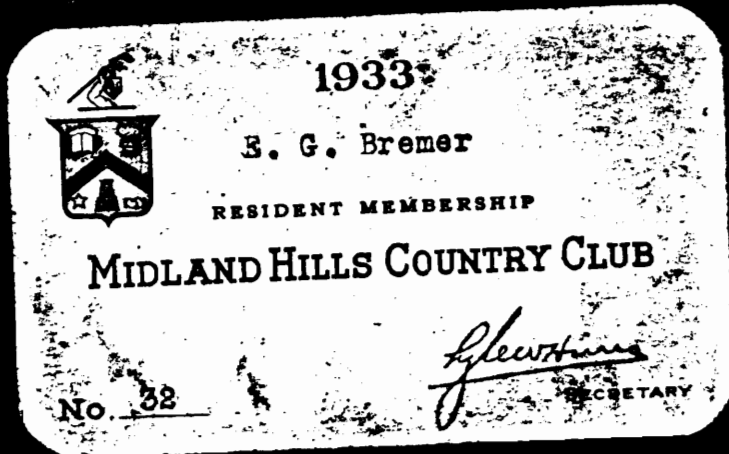

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