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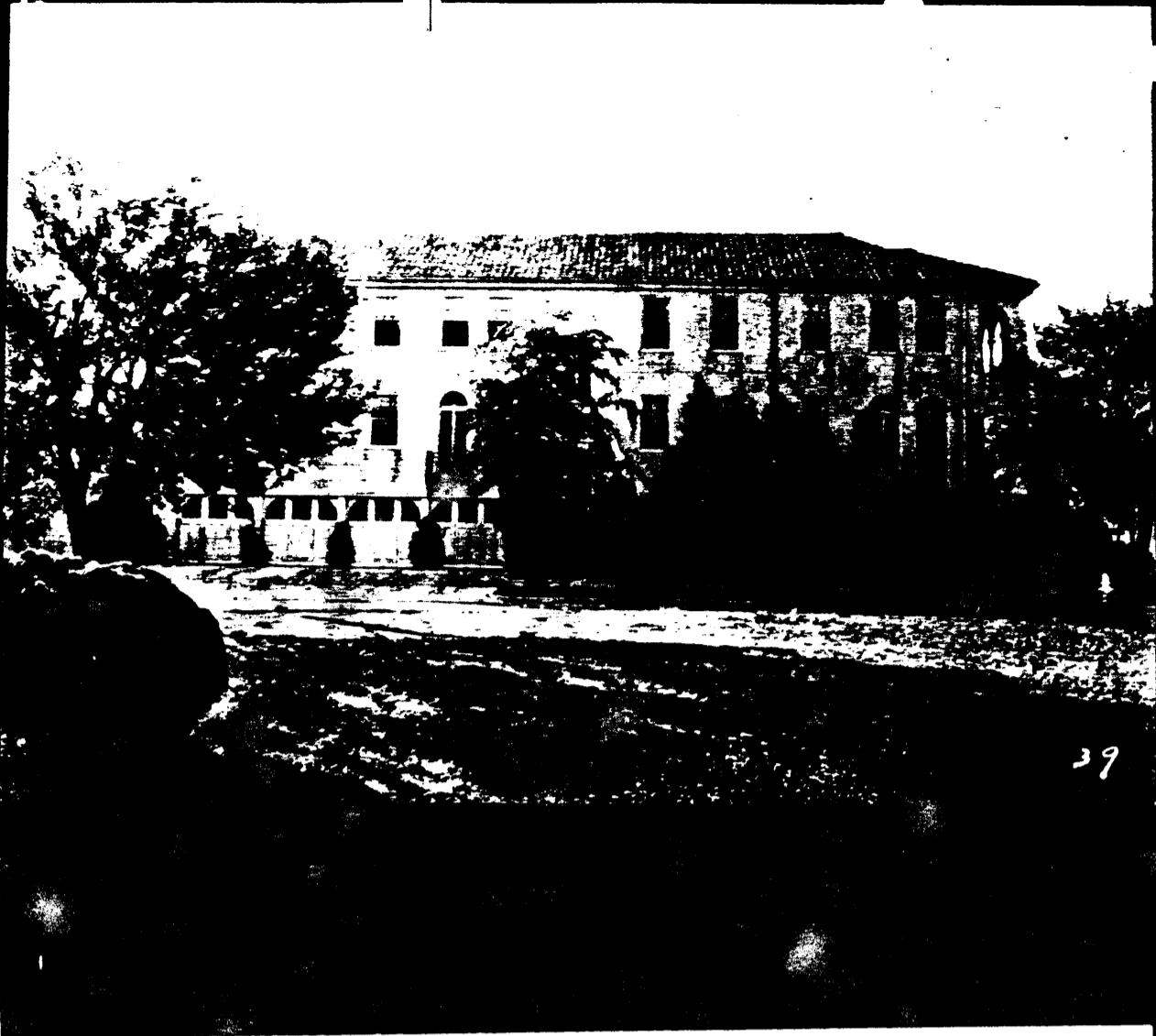


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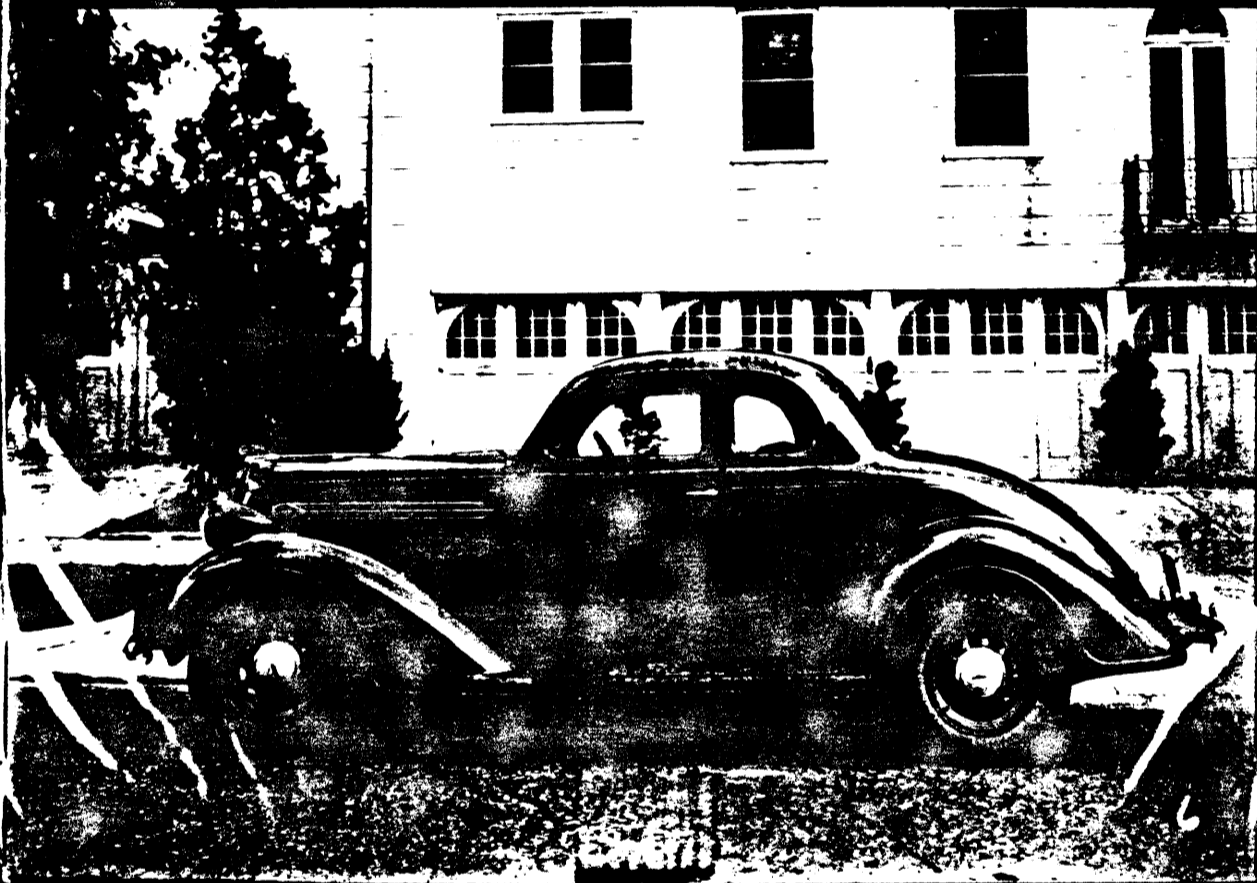




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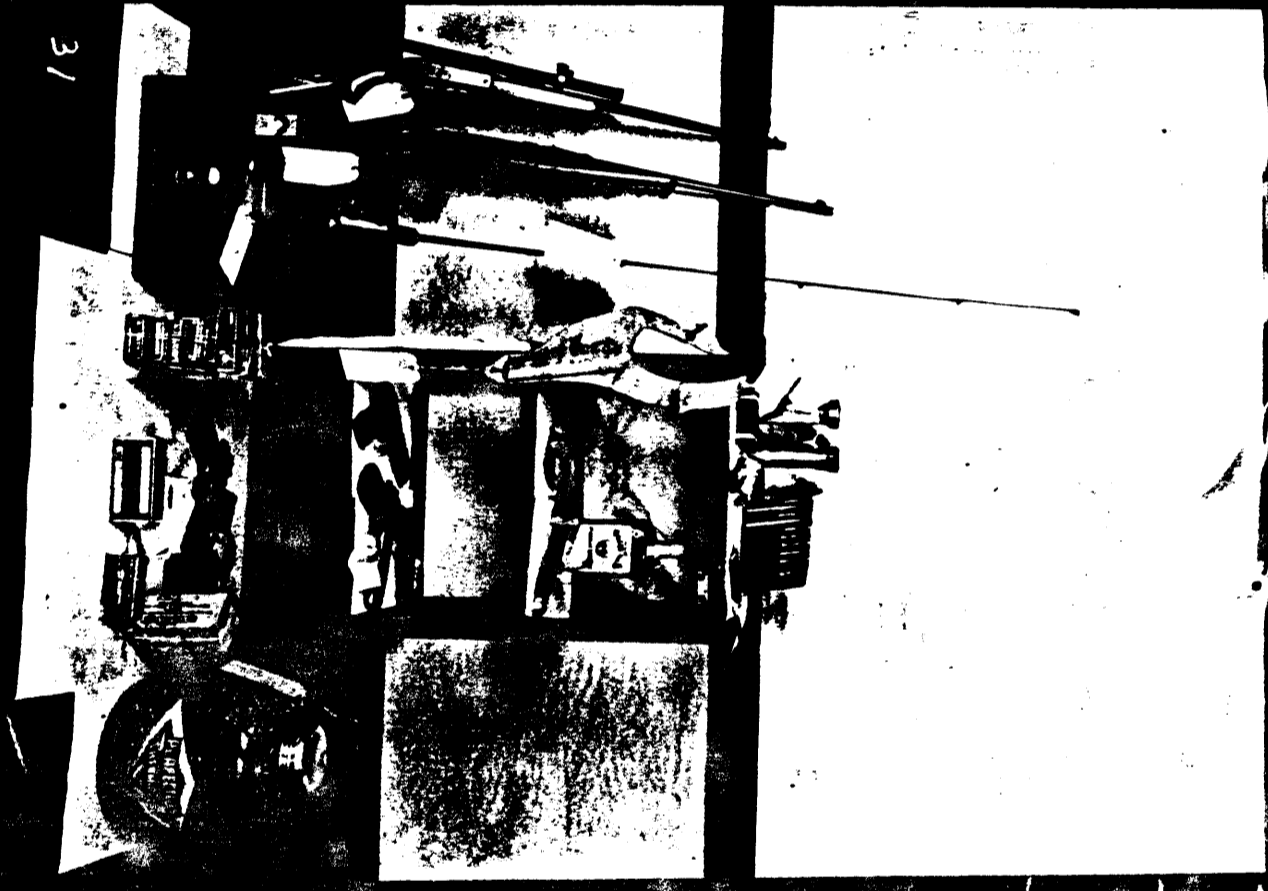


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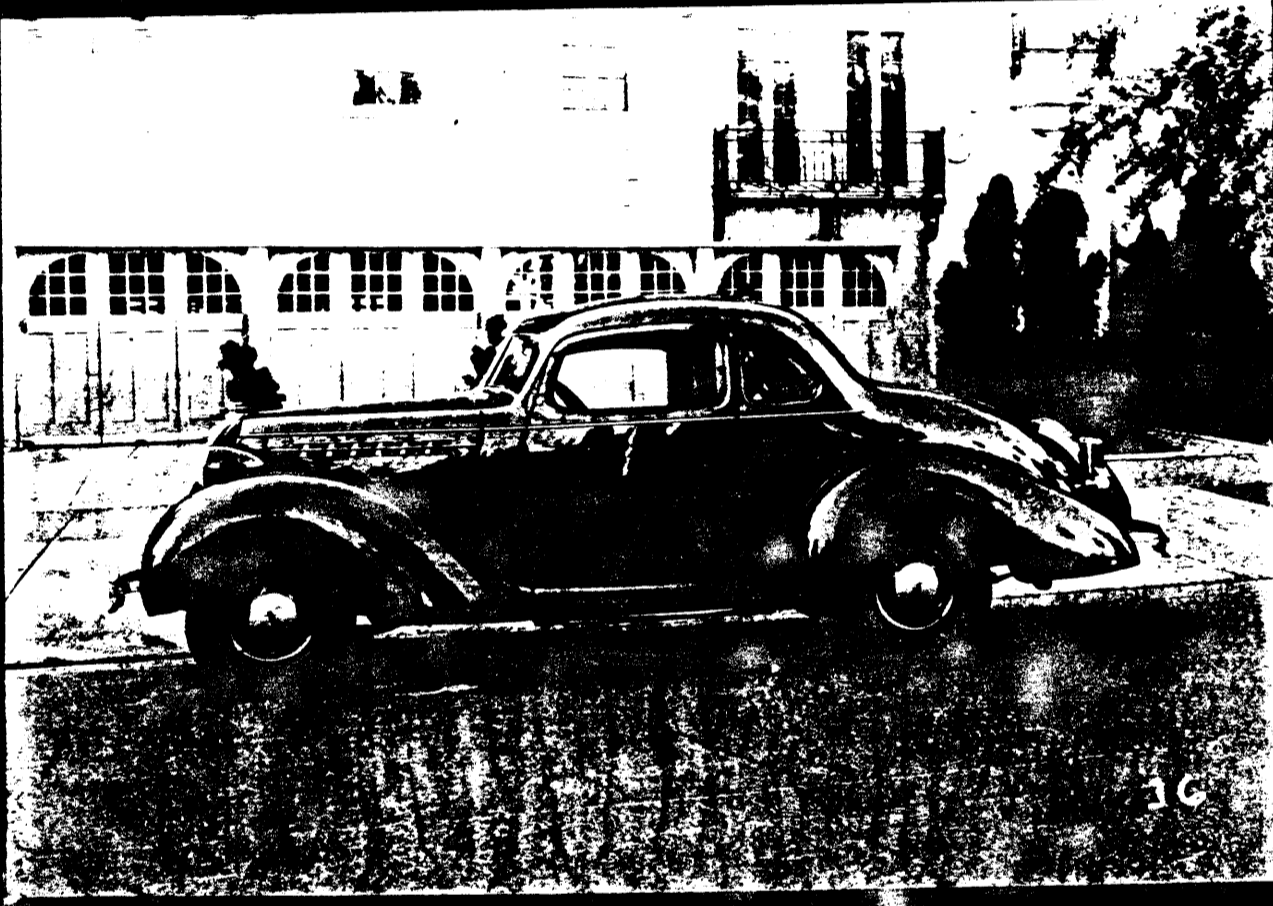


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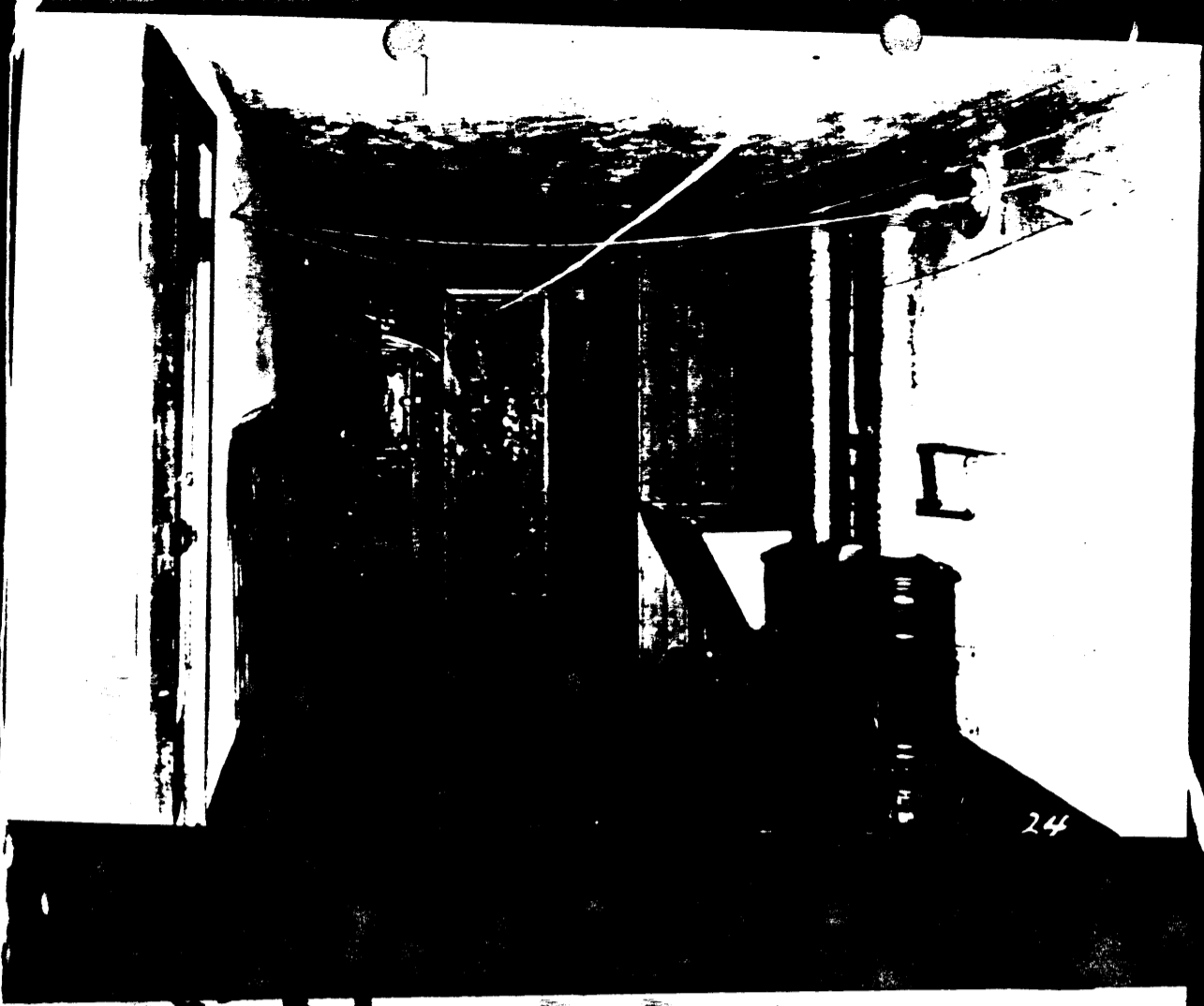




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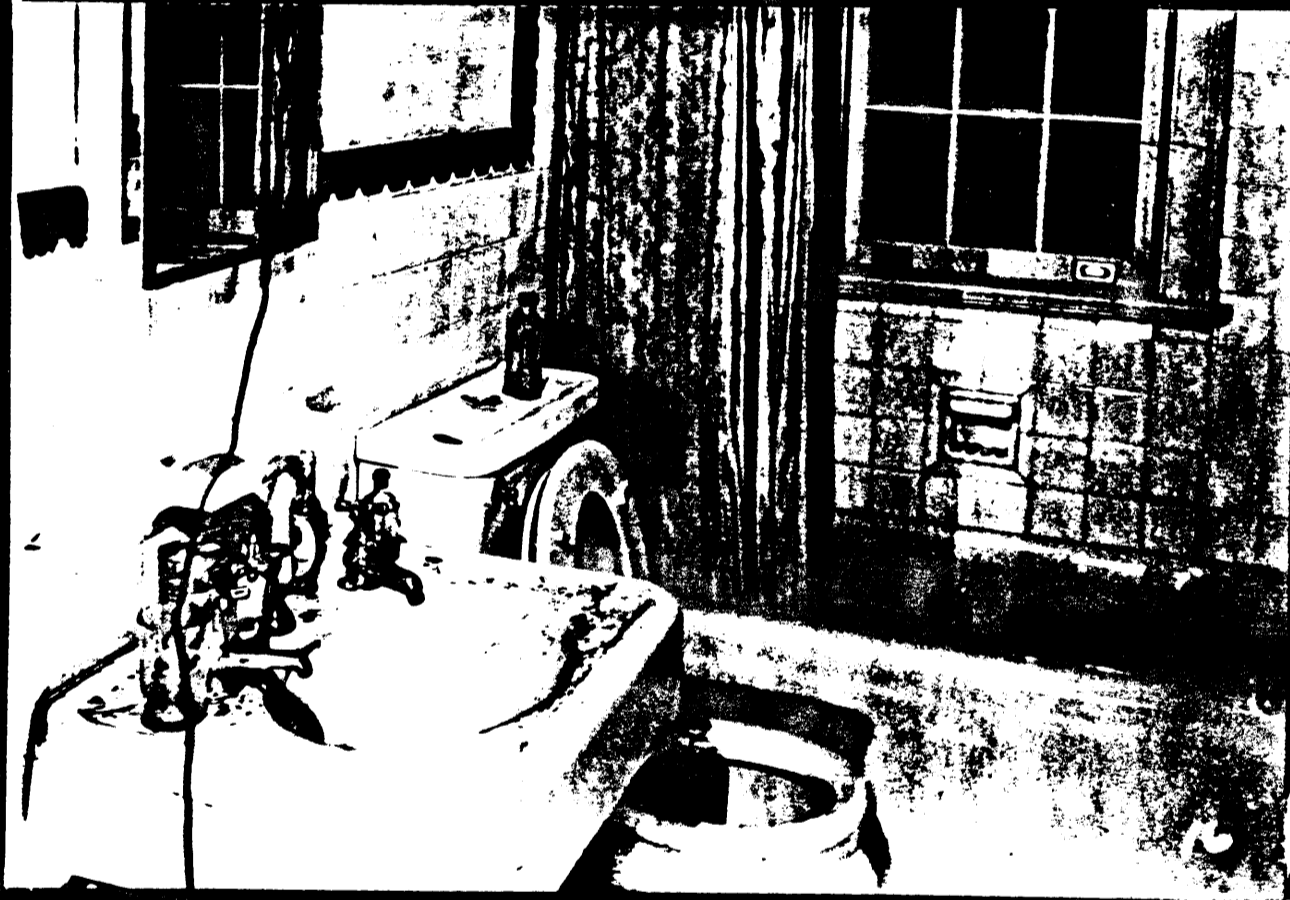
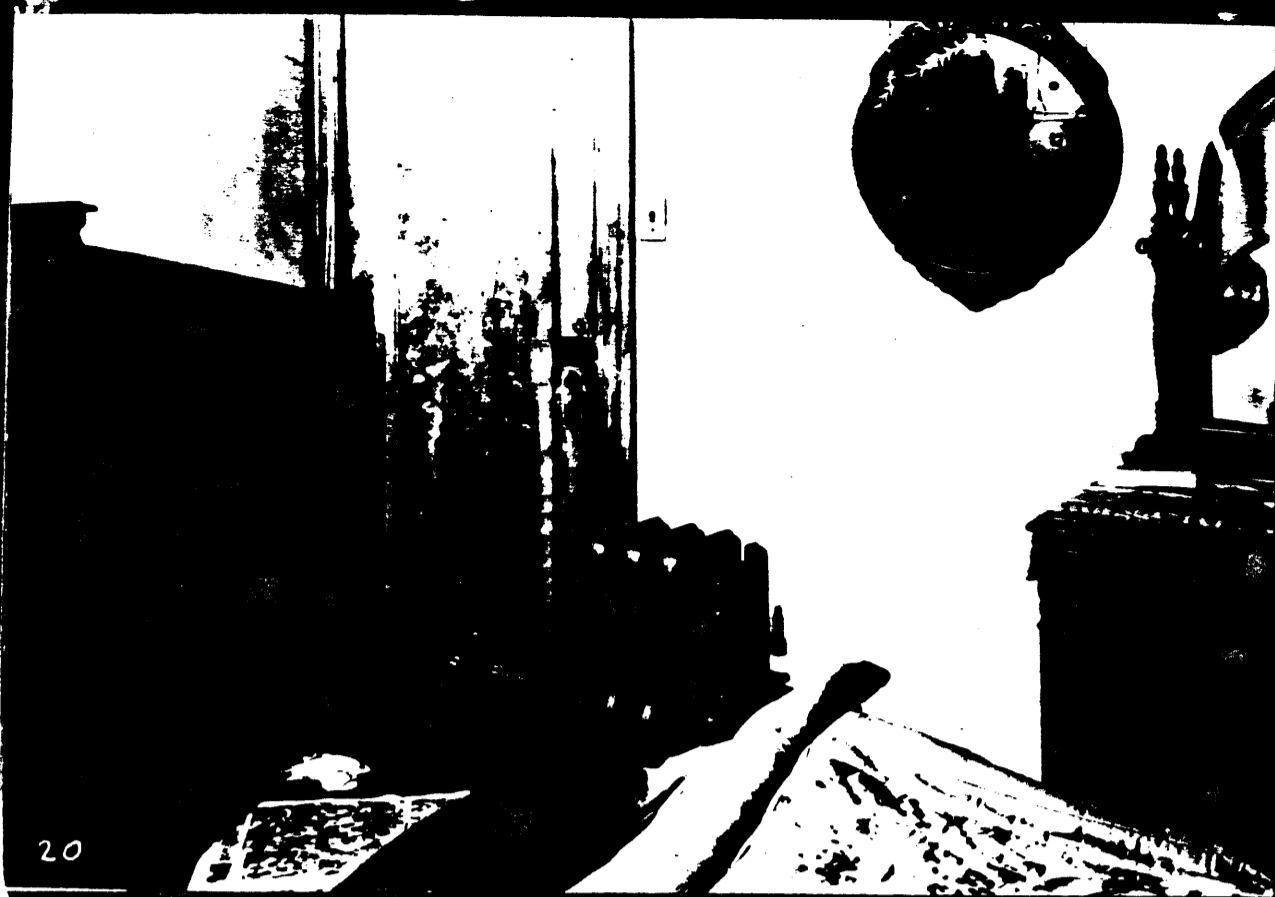


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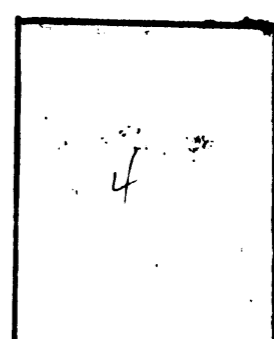
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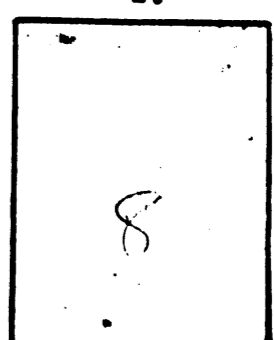
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**WILKIN BRYAN**  
 Age: 30  
 Height: 5' 0"  
 Weight: 125  
 Build: Slender  
 Hair: Light Chestnut  
 Eyes: Blue  
 Complexion: Fair

**FRED BARKER**  
 Age: 33  
 Height: 5' 4"  
 Weight: 150  
 Build: Slender  
 Hair: Sandy  
 Eyes: Blue  
 Complexion: Medium Fair

**ALVIN KARPIS**  
 Age: 33  
 Height: 5' 9"  
 Weight: 130  
 Build: Slender  
 Hair: Brown  
 Eyes: Blue  
 Complexion: Fair

**ARTHUR R. BARKER**  
 Age: 34  
 Height: 5' 5"  
 Weight: 115  
 Build: Short  
 Hair: Black  
 Eyes: Brown  
 Complexion: Medium

**HARRY CAMPBELL**  
 Age: 33  
 Height: 5' 5"  
 Weight: 140  
 Build: Medium  
 Hair: Brown  
 Eyes: Blue  
 Complexion: Ruddy



**JOSEPH P. MORAN**  
 Age: 38 (1934)  
 Height: 5' 10"  
 Weight: 155  
 Build: Medium  
 Hair: Chestnut Sandy  
 Eyes: Yellow Dark Slate  
 Complexion: Light

**WILLIAM WEAVER**  
 Age: 33 (1932)  
 Height: 5' 9 1/8"  
 Weight: 162  
 Build: Medium  
 Hair: Black  
 Eyes: Blue  
 Complexion: Medium

**C. J. Fitzgerald**  
 Age: 42 (1919)  
 Height: 5' 11"  
 Weight: 177  
 Build: Slender  
 Hair: Dark Brown  
 Eyes: Light Brown  
 Complexion: Medium Dark

**Myrtle Eaton**  
 Age: 29 (1930)  
 Height: 5' 4 7/8"  
 Weight: 126  
 Build: Medium  
 Hair: Black  
 Eyes: Grey  
 Complexion: Medium

**HARRY SAWYER**  
 Age: 30 (1920)  
 Height: 5' 10"  
 Weight: 190  
 Build: Heavy  
 Hair: Dark Brown  
 Eyes: Light Brown  
 Complexion: Dark

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