Honorable J. Lee Rankin

When the results of our efforts to verify Mr. Veissman's employment in Dallas on November 14, 1963. as requested in your letter dated August 31, 1964, are received, you will be promptly advised concluding our inquiries into this particular matter.

Sincerely yours,

Enclosures (4) NOTE FOR SAC, DALLAS:

ABBABBINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY

11-22-63, DALLAS, TEXAS MISC. - INFO CONCERNING ·

> ReBurad dated 9-2-84, concerning a request to verify Bernard Weissman's employment at Carpet Engineers Inc., Dallas, Teras, on 11-14-63.

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NOTE: Commission by let 8-3-64, referred to testimony of Wirk Lane before Commission, in which he alleged there was meeting at Ruby's Carousel Club on 11-14-63, between Weissman, J. D. Tippit and Ruby. Weissman placed controversial full page ad in Dallas hewspaper prior to President Kennedy's visit. Tippit, was shot and killed by Osmald. We have investigated this allegation in the past and no proof of such meeting was developed. It appears Commission is taking overy precaution to preclude possible future criticism. Commission requost required displaying photographs of Weissman and Tippit to 8 individuals associated with the "" Carousel Club to insure neither were seen in the club.

NOTE CONTINUED PAGE THREE

With the transmission of the enclosed letterhead memoranda from Portland, we conclude our inquiries based on requests set out in the Commission letter dated 8-3-84. It is pointed out Crafard, although interviewed on numerous occasions, never previously furnished the above information. Crafard is an itinerant by nature and was employed by Ruby as a handy man. He is not considered reliable, is prone to exaggerate and there is some indication he has enjoyed the notority occasioned by his association with Ruby. During interview on 8-10-64 by Now York Agents Weissman stated he believed he was employed on the evening Lane alleged the controversial meeting took place. The Commission by letter 8-31-64, requested efforts be made to verify this employment and when the results are received, all inquiries in this particular phase will have been completed. This matter is being closely followed and the Commission will be promptly advised when the results are received.

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CRIMINAL SECTION

BAC, DALLAS_(100-10461)

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka.

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ReBuairtel to Dallas dated 9/1/64, enclosing a copy of President's Commission letter dated 8/29/64 requesting investigation to clarify possible discrepancies in information previously furnished by Mrs. VIRGINIA LOUISE DAVIS, 2225 By Way, Dallas, Texas, in connection with her testimony regarding records of the Sports Drome Rifle Range operated by her husband and her in Dallas, Texas.

There are enclosed herewith ten copies of a letterhead memorandum setting forth results of requested investigation.

There are also enclosed herewith to the Bureau for transmittal to the President's Commission the "sign-in" register of the Sports Drome Rifle Range maintained from 10/26/63 to 11/3/63, consisting of six pages of yellow 12" by 83" lined tablet paper and two sheets of 7" by 53" white memorandum size paper on memo paper of the "F.B. McINTIRE EQUIPMENT CO". The DAVISES desire that this exhibit be returned to them upon the

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In Reply, Please Refer to Pile No.

Dallas, Texas September 4, 1964

LEE HARVEY OSWALD

The President's Commission on the Assassination of President Kennedy by letter dated August 28, 1964, requested the recontact of Mrs. Virginia Louise Davis, 2225 By:Way, Dallas, Texas, who, with her husband, operates the Sports Drome Rifle Range in Dallas.

The Commission noted that Mrs. Davis was originally interviewed by Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation on December 1, 1963, at which time she apparently indicated that no written "register" was maintained at the rifle range during the period from September to November, 1963, when Oswald is alleged to have practiced at the rifle range.

The Commission further noted that in the course of her deposition to a member of the President's Commission on April 1, 1964, Mrs. Davis referred to a "journal", which she described as a daily record she kept of everything that happens at the range, which everyone had to sign when they first opened the range. She noted that the Federal Bureau of Investigation had picked up the sign-in slips and checked them out.

Attached hereto are the results of investigation conducted in an effort to clarify this matter.

Attachments

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DIRECTOR, FBI (105-82555)

DATE: 9/8/64

ATTENTION: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION,

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

BAC, DALLAS (100-10461)

SUBJECT:

LEE HARVEY OSWALD aka IS - R - C

Re Dallas letters to the Bureau 8/31/64, 9/2/64. and 9/4/64, enclosing major case prints of certain individuals for comparison with the unidentified latent fingerprints and latent palm prints on the four cartons (Exhibit C-40).

Enclosed are major case prints of Detective BOBBY GENE BROWN of the Dallas Police Department Crime Laboratory, whose prints were taken 9/8/64 by SA VINCENT E. DRAIN.

It is requested that the enclosed major case prints of Detective BOBBY GENE BROWN be compared with the unidentified palm prints found on the cartons which were near the sixth floor window of the Texas School Book Depository and on which the fingerprints and palm prints of LEE HARVEY OSWALD were located.

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The President's Commission

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Enclosed for your information are two copies each of two newspaper erticles. One article by Dorothy Kilcallen : appeared in the September 3, 1964, issue of the "New York Journal - American" and the other article by Paul Hathaway eppeared in the September 3, 1954, issue of the "New York Forld - Telegrem and the Sun."

Both erticles are primarily concerned with public essertions made by Mr. Mark Lane concerning his theories on the assessination of President John Fitzgerald Kannedy. Considerable information regarding Mr. Lane has been previously furnished to you.

No further action is being taken with regard to those exticles unless specifically advised to the contrary hy you.

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Inclosures (4)

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ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY 11-22-63, DALLAS, TEXAS NISC. - INFO CONCERNING

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Lane is the New York attorney who injected himself into the Oswald case through the "National Guardian" newspaper. Lane has been married often, has engaged in and is known to be associated with communist dominated organizations. He has been making speeches around the country and particularly in New York endeavoring to prove that Oswald was innocent. His material is based on malicious half truths and theories. The article by rilgallen relates to a thoroughly investigated allegation made by Lane in his testimony before the President's Commission that a meeting took place at Jack Ruby's Carousel Club on 11/14/63 between Bernard Weissman, officer J. D. Tippit and Ruby. Weissman placed the controversial full page ad in the Dallas newspaper prior to President Kennedy's visit. Tippit was shot and killed by Oswald. We have investigated this allegation in the past and no proof of such meeting was developed. The Kilgallen article rehashes this allegation and adds a new dimension in that a fourth individual allegedly attended this meeting at the Carousel Club who is identified by Kelgallen as a "rich oil man." The article by Hathaway briefly discusses Lane's continuing lectures on the assassination and their effect on the general public. Hathaway claims Lane speeks with logic and many people come away believing his theories. We have furnished the Commission numerous items relating to Lane's speeches, newspaper articles and the like. It is not felt eny additional investigation is warranted.

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TO BAC MIAMI (105-8342)

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LEE BARVEY OSWALD, IS - R - CUBA'.

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Oswald was on bus en route Mexico City on those dates. We are principally attempting to establish Odio's reputation for veracity and develop facts concerning her mental condition. She appears to be mental case. Deadline of this investigation was 9/11/64. Secret Service, Mismi, reported that according to informant, police in Puerto Rico made inquiries re Odio, purpose of which was not known. Odio came to U. S. 3/63 from Puerto Rico. San Juan advises that Puerto Rican police, San Juan, have no trace of Odio and asks for further specifics. They also suggest Mismi consider interviewing Odio's mother-in-law, Garcia. This is advisable.

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> Mr. J. Edgar Hoover Director Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Page 12 of Agent Callender's Report of December 24, 1963, provides a schedule of Continental Trailways buses from New Orleans to Houston as of September, 1963. Pages 10-11 of Agent Fults' Report of December 11, 1963, similarly provide what appears to be a schedule of all Greyhound buses from New Orleans to Houston as of September, 1963.

It would be helpful to the work of the Commission //if you could inform us whether pages 10-11 of Agent Fults' " Report do in fact provide a schedule of all Greyhound buses running from New Orleans to Houston. If not, could you furnish such a full schedule? Also, are Continental Trailways and Greyhound the only buslines which operated buses from New Orleans to Houston during September, 1963? If not, could you please furnish schedules for the additional lines?

Your continued cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

General Counsel

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- Mr. Belmont - Mr. Sullivan (Mr. Lenihan) - Mr. Rosen (Mr. Malley) Beptember 9, 198 By Courier Service l - Mr. Griffith - Mr. Frazier - Mr. Woodcock General Counsel The President's Commission 200 Maryland Avenue, N. E. Washington, D. C. Dear Mr. Rankin: Pursuant to a telephonic request by Miss Mary R. Rowcotsky of your staff on September 8, 1964, Commission?". exhibits designated as Cole Exhibits numbered 1 through 9 💢 🚉 were obtained and photographed. Enclosed herewith are three sets of photographs of the above-mentioned exhibits, together with the exhibits themselves, exclusive of Cole Exhibit number 1. BY COURIER SYC. Gincerely yours, D. Edgar Hoom-COMM - EBI RECENT / 1: - \$255 -480' Fuclosures (11) 1 - Dallas (100-10461) Enclosures (2) 19 SEP 11 1964 of the Commission exhibits mentioned herein, together with a listing of same. Cellober - 62-109060 DeLocat Evane Gale Holmes

Honorable J. Lee Rankin

NOTE: The telephonic request from the Commission was received by SA Roy H. Jevons and the exhibits were obtained by SA Cortlandt Cunningham on the same date. The Commission requested that Cole Exhibits numbered 2 through 9 be returned.

It is noted that several of the exhibits photographed consisted of multiple portions and in order to avoid confusion the three sets of photographs are being considered as three enclosures.

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Cole Exhibit No. 5

Cole Exhibit No. 6

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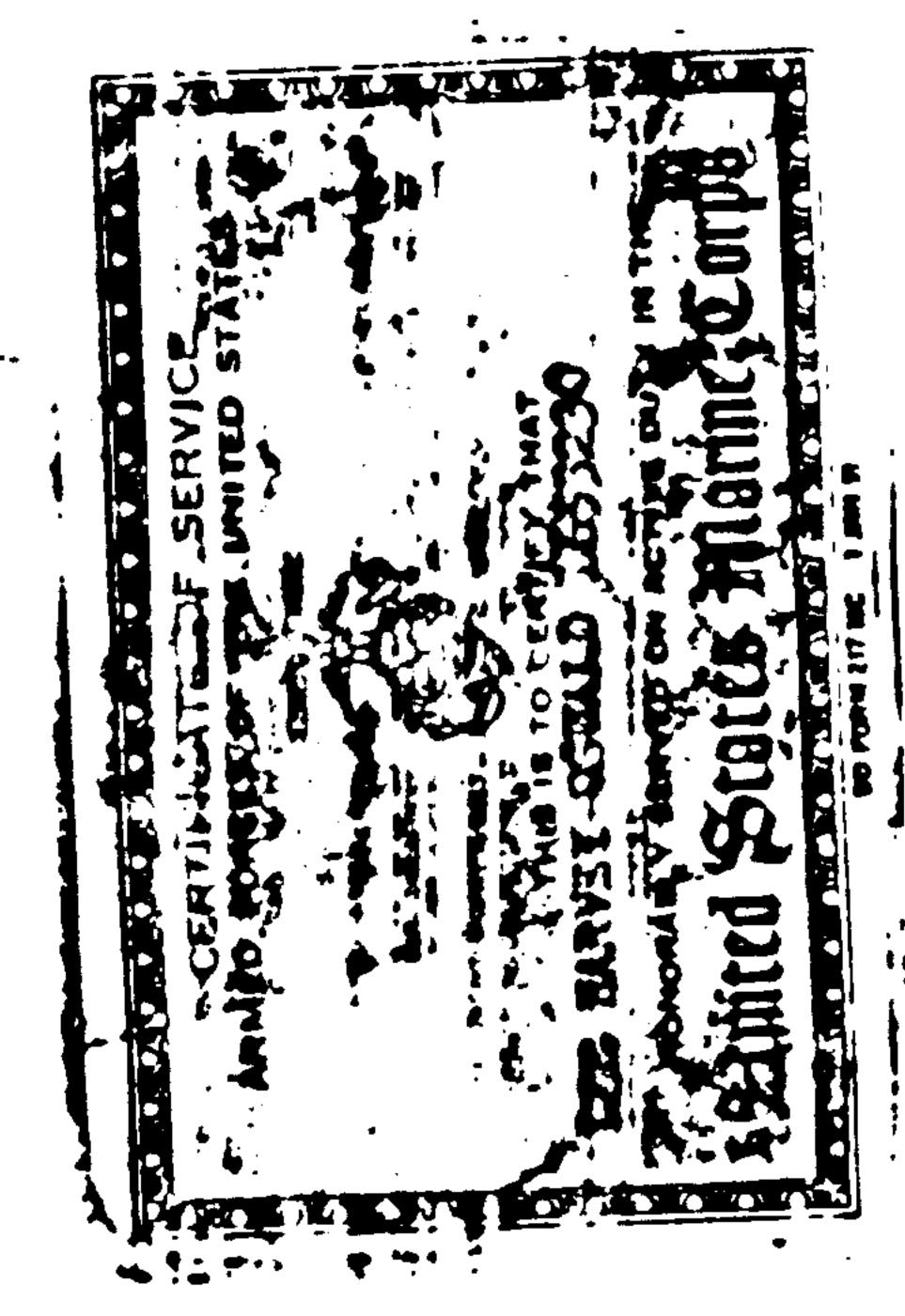
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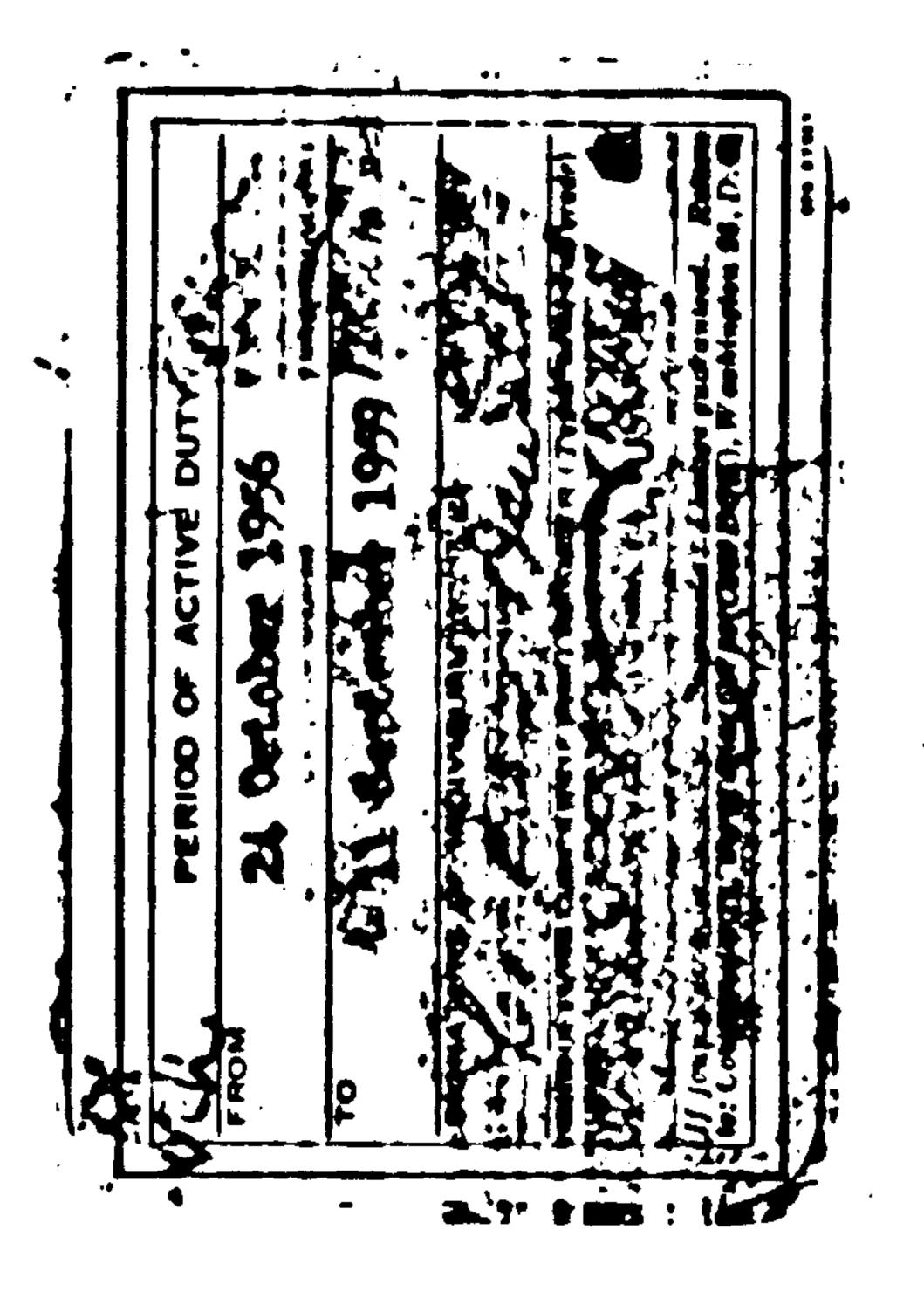
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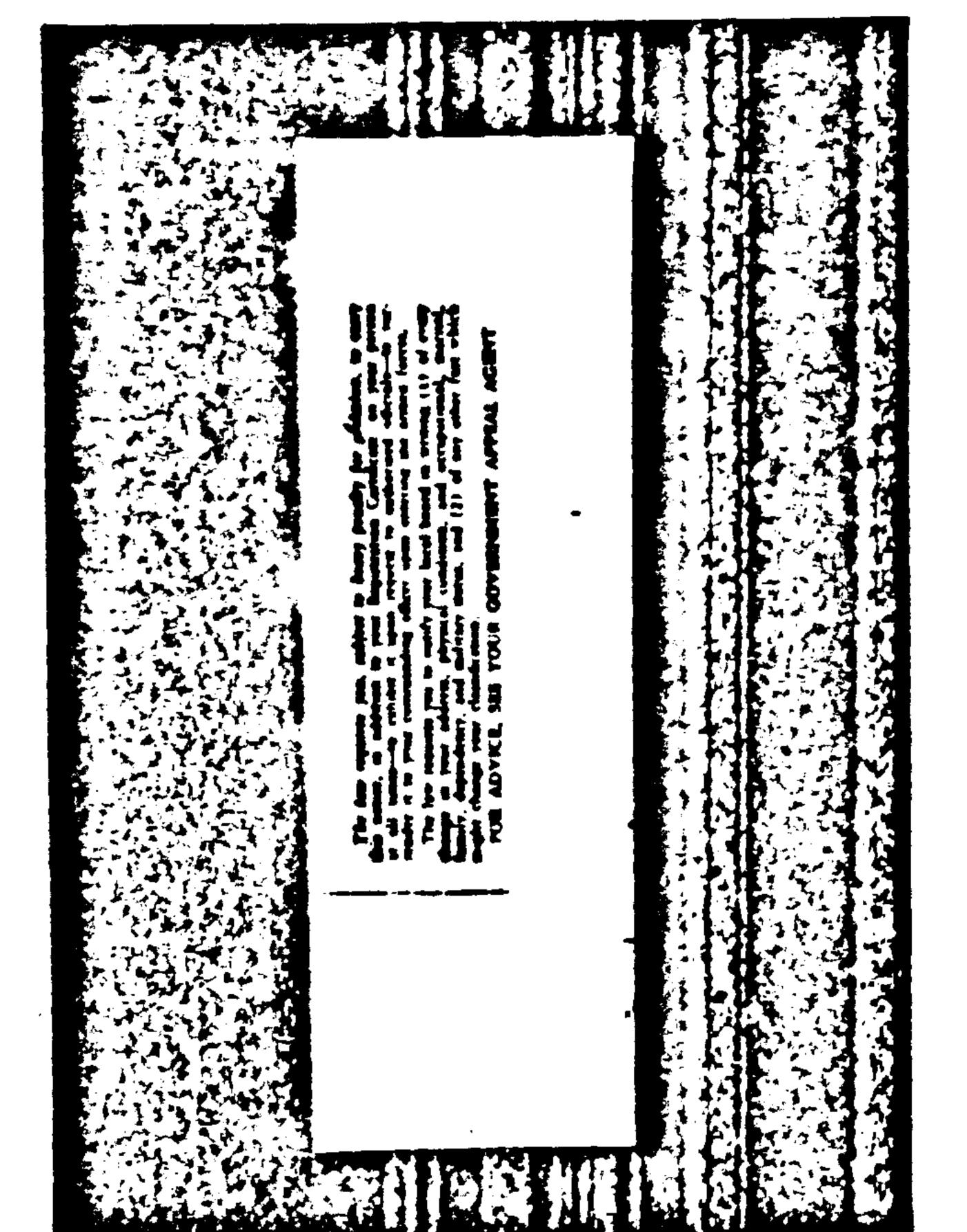
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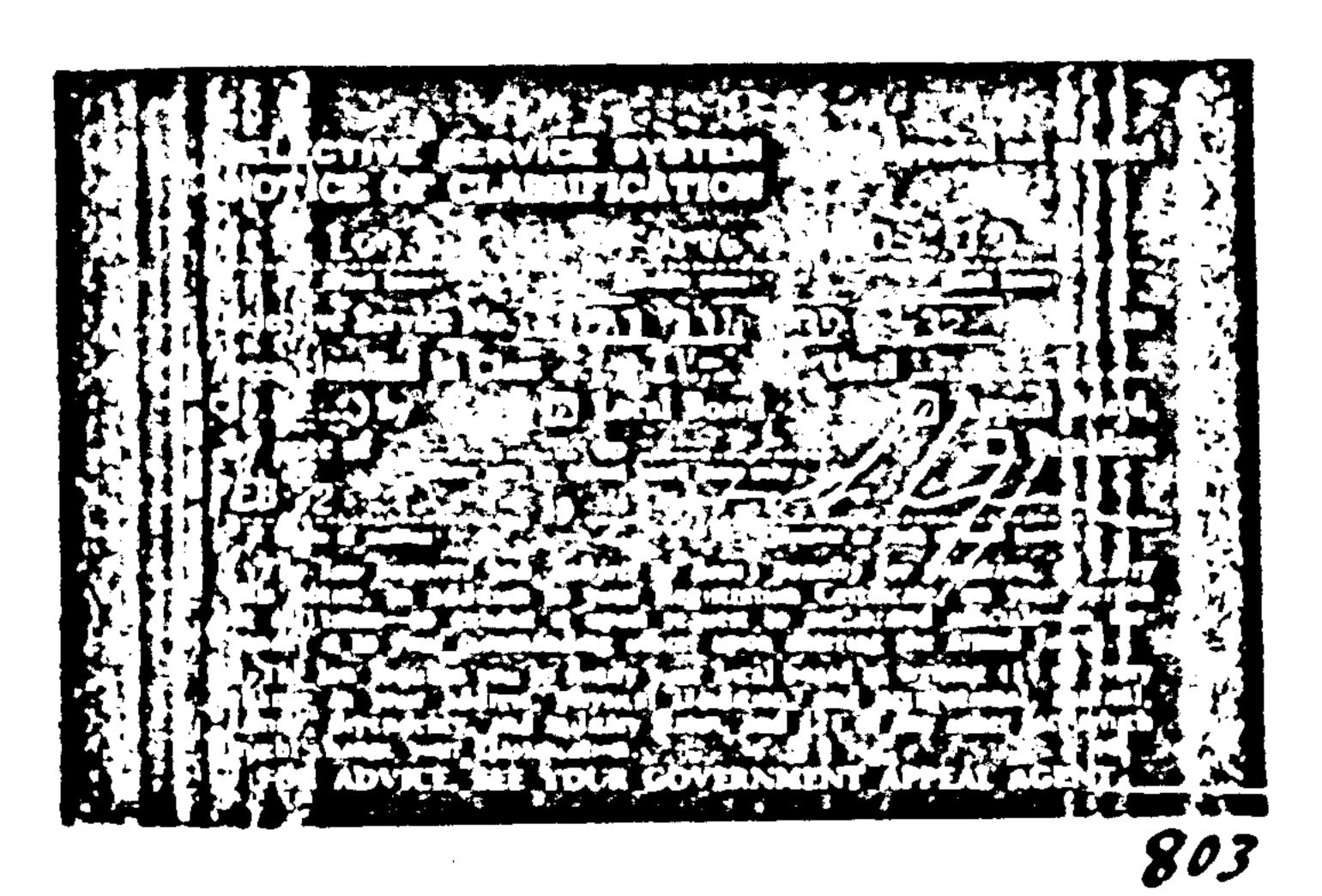
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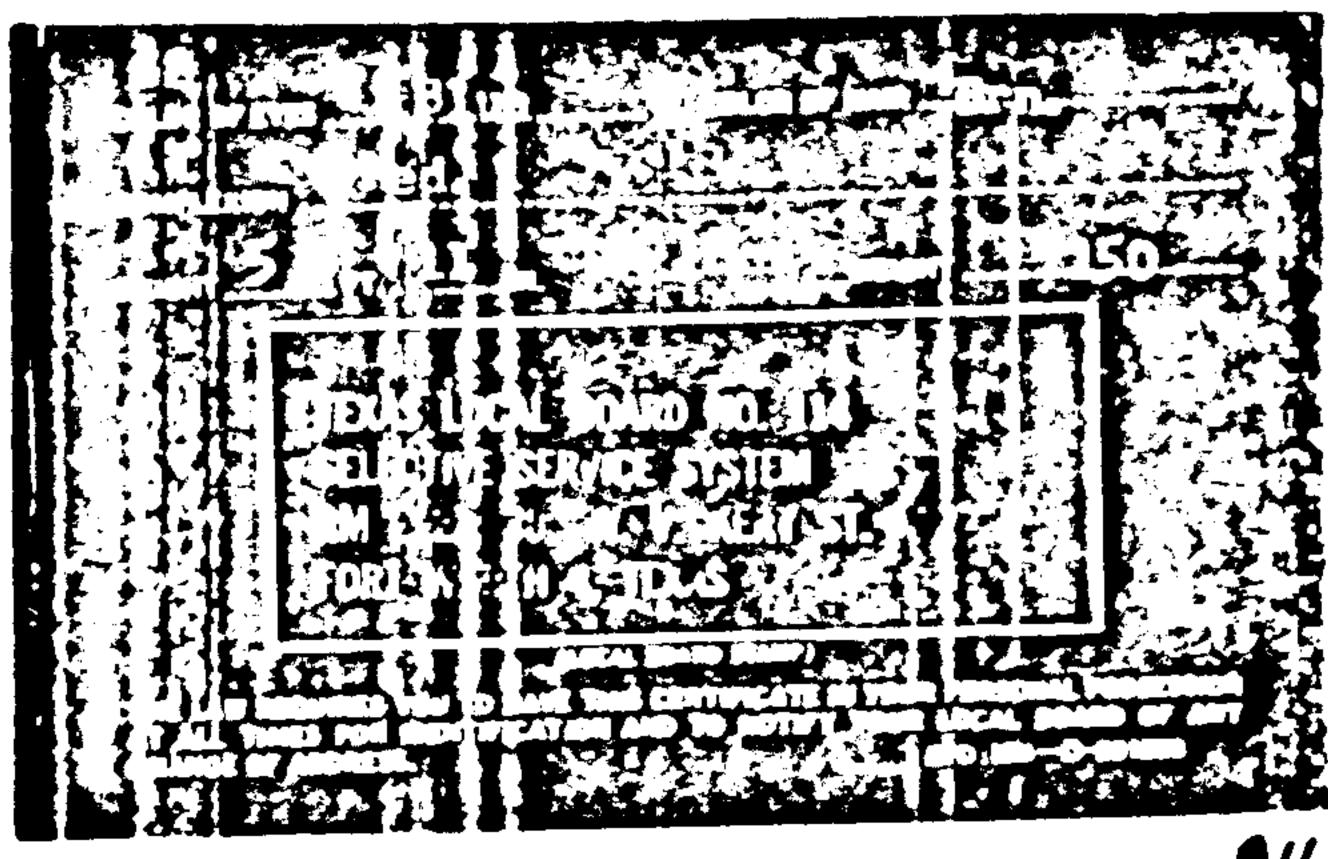
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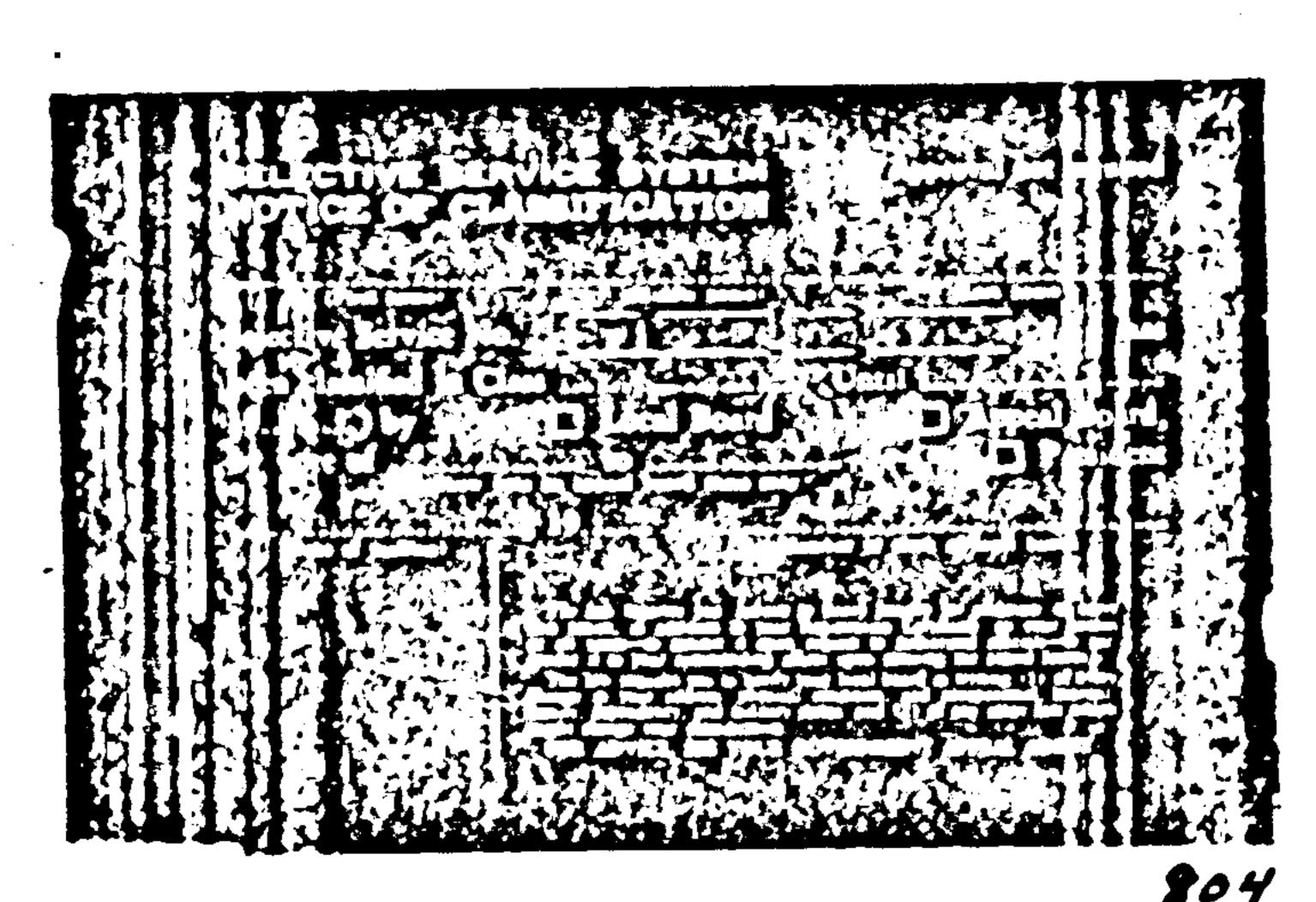
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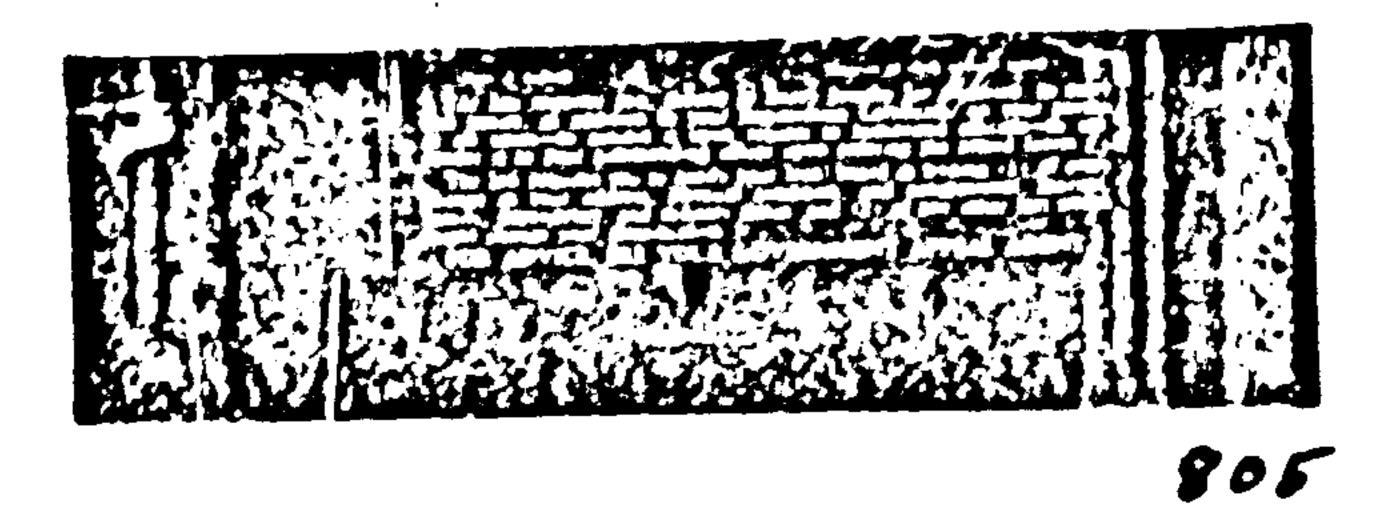
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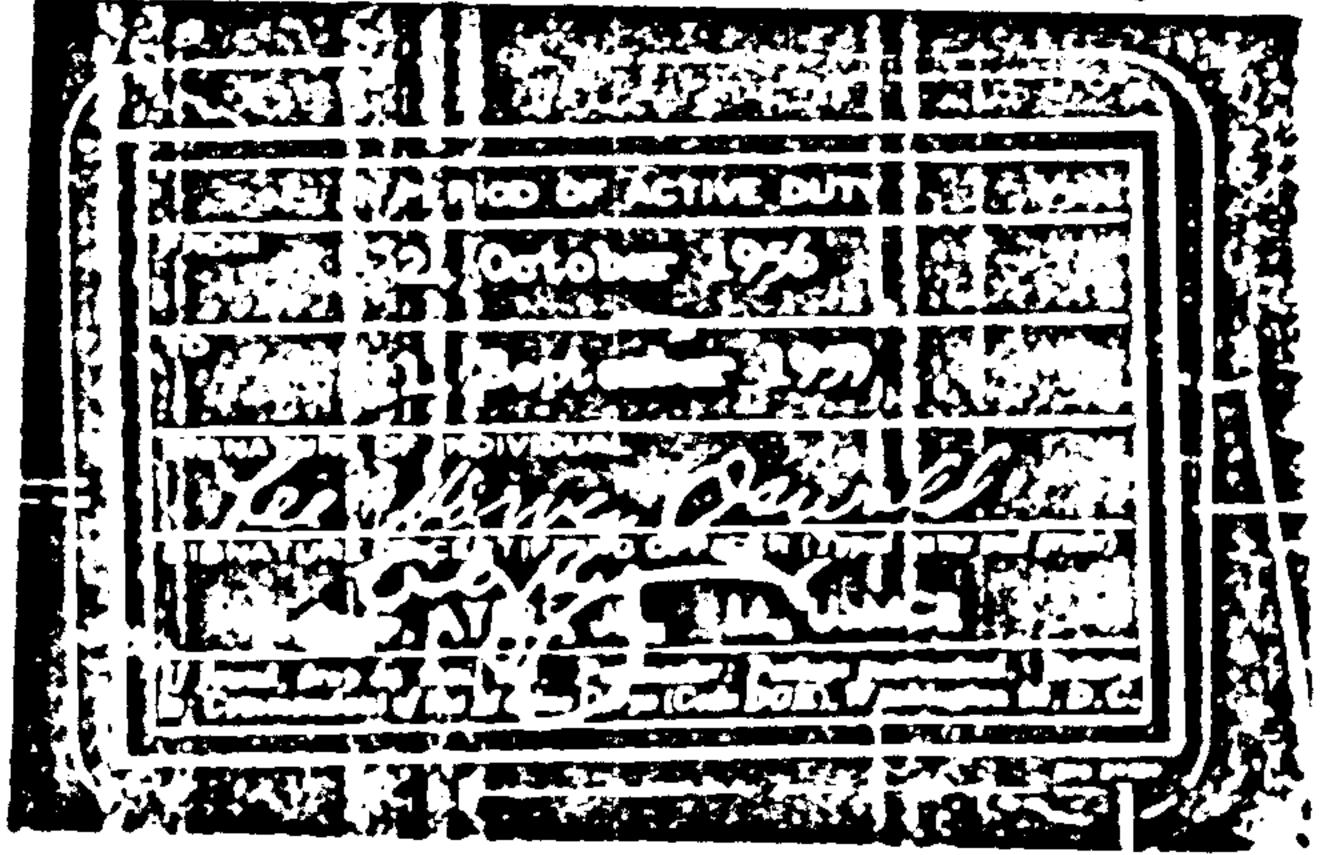








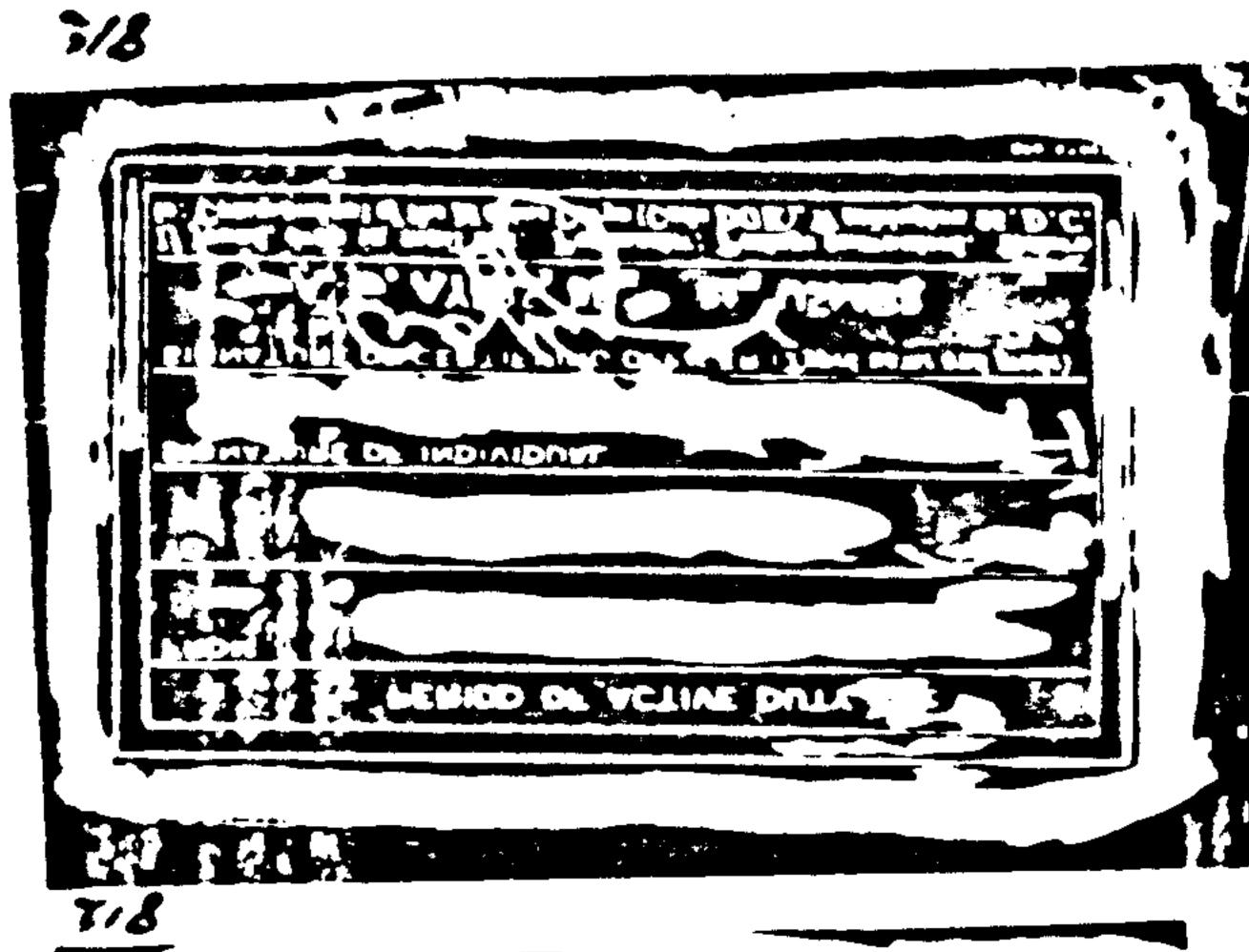




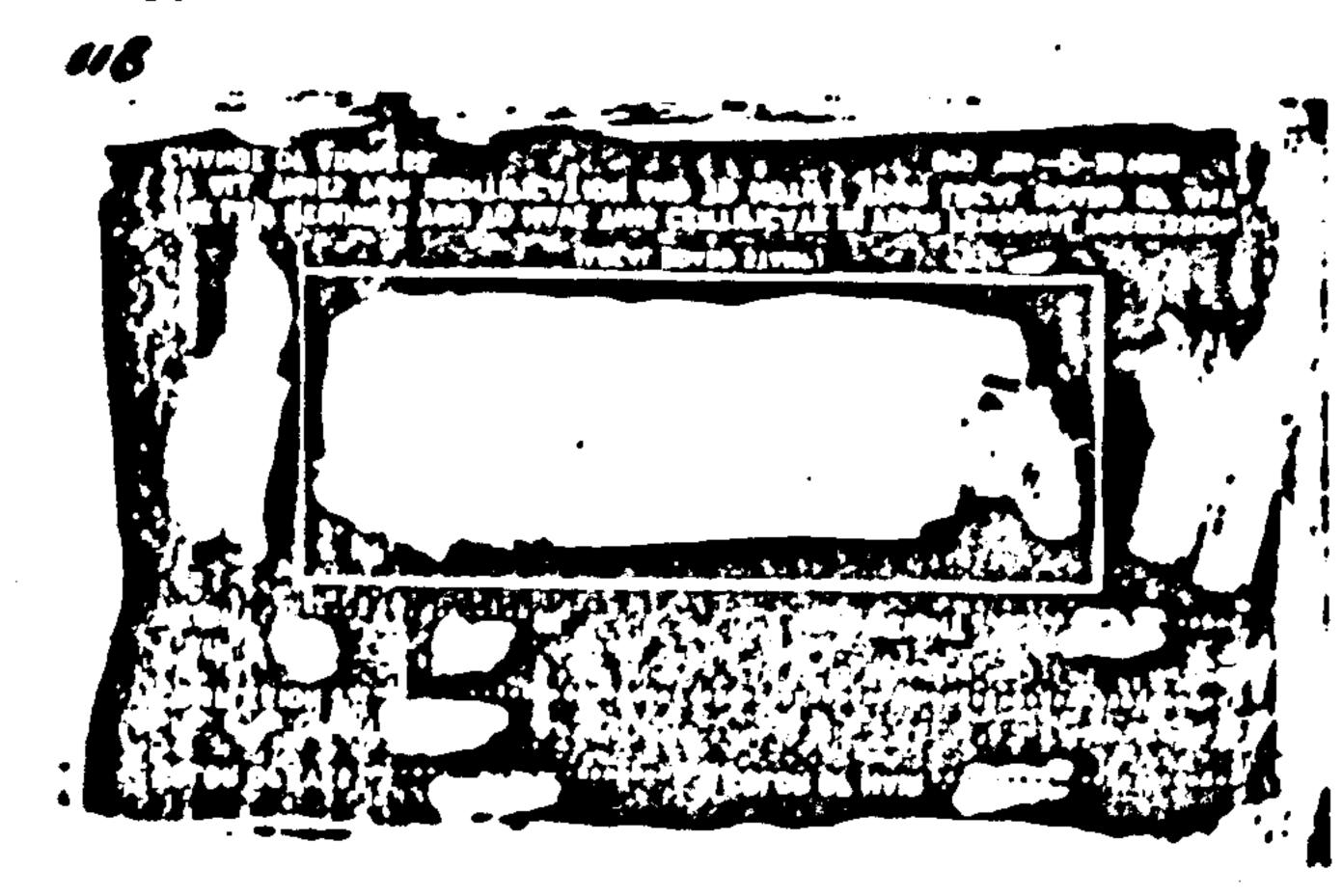
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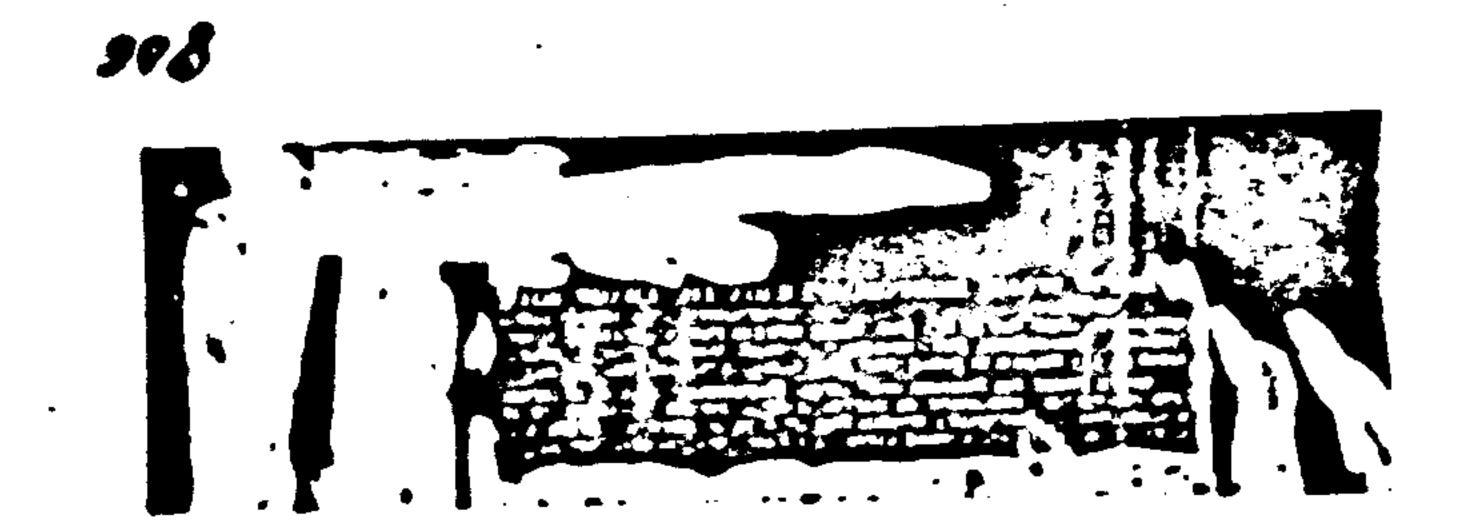
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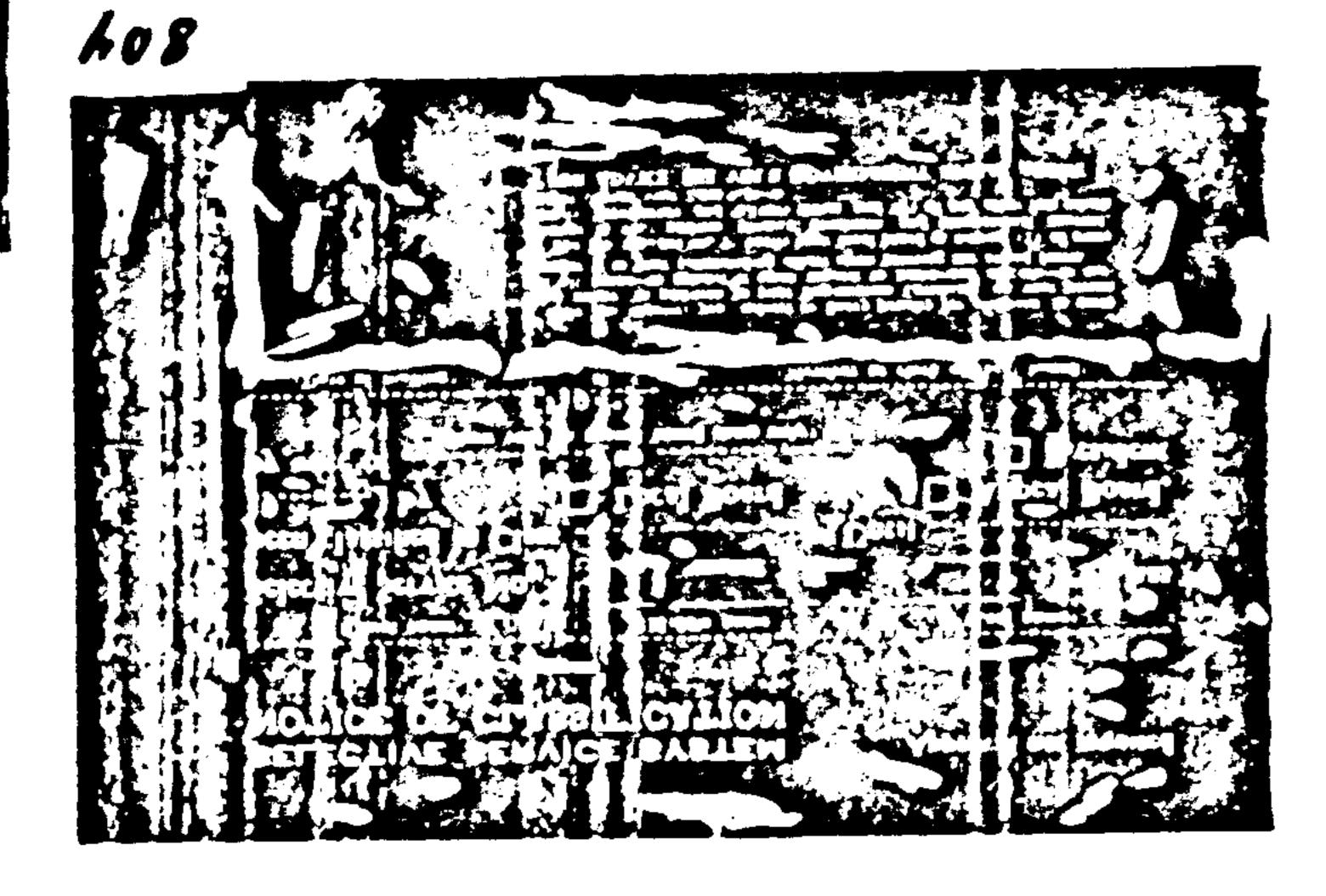


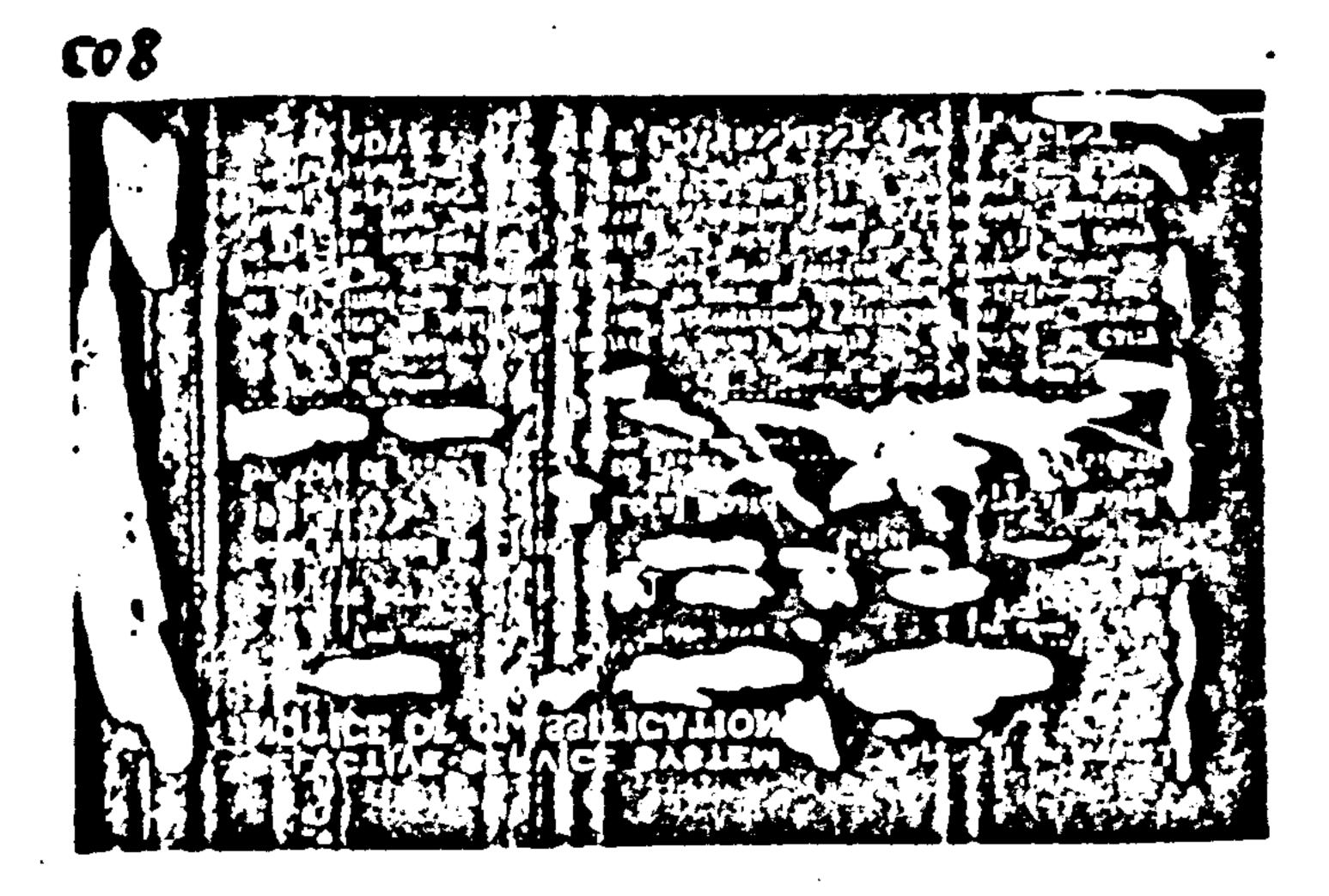


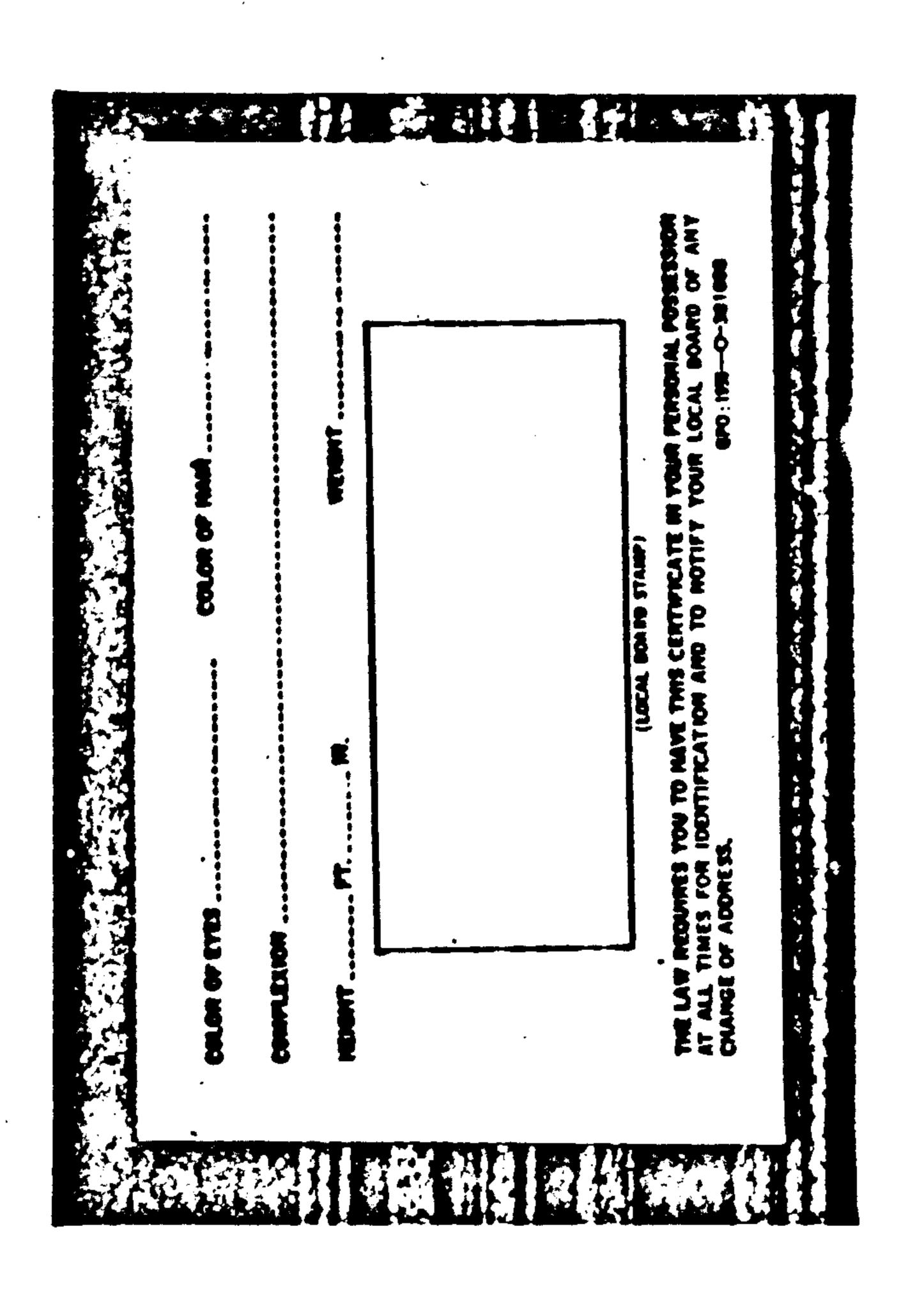




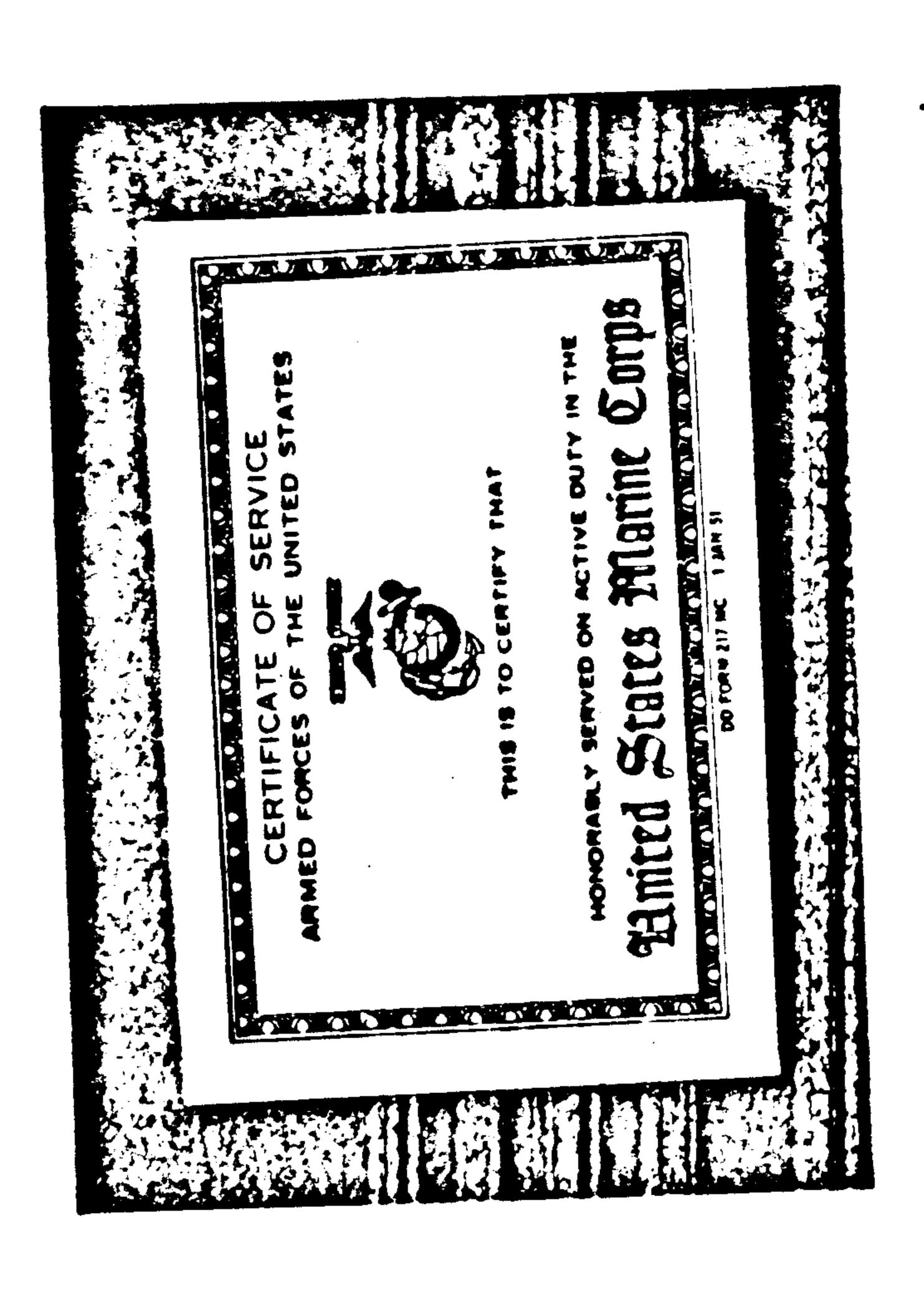








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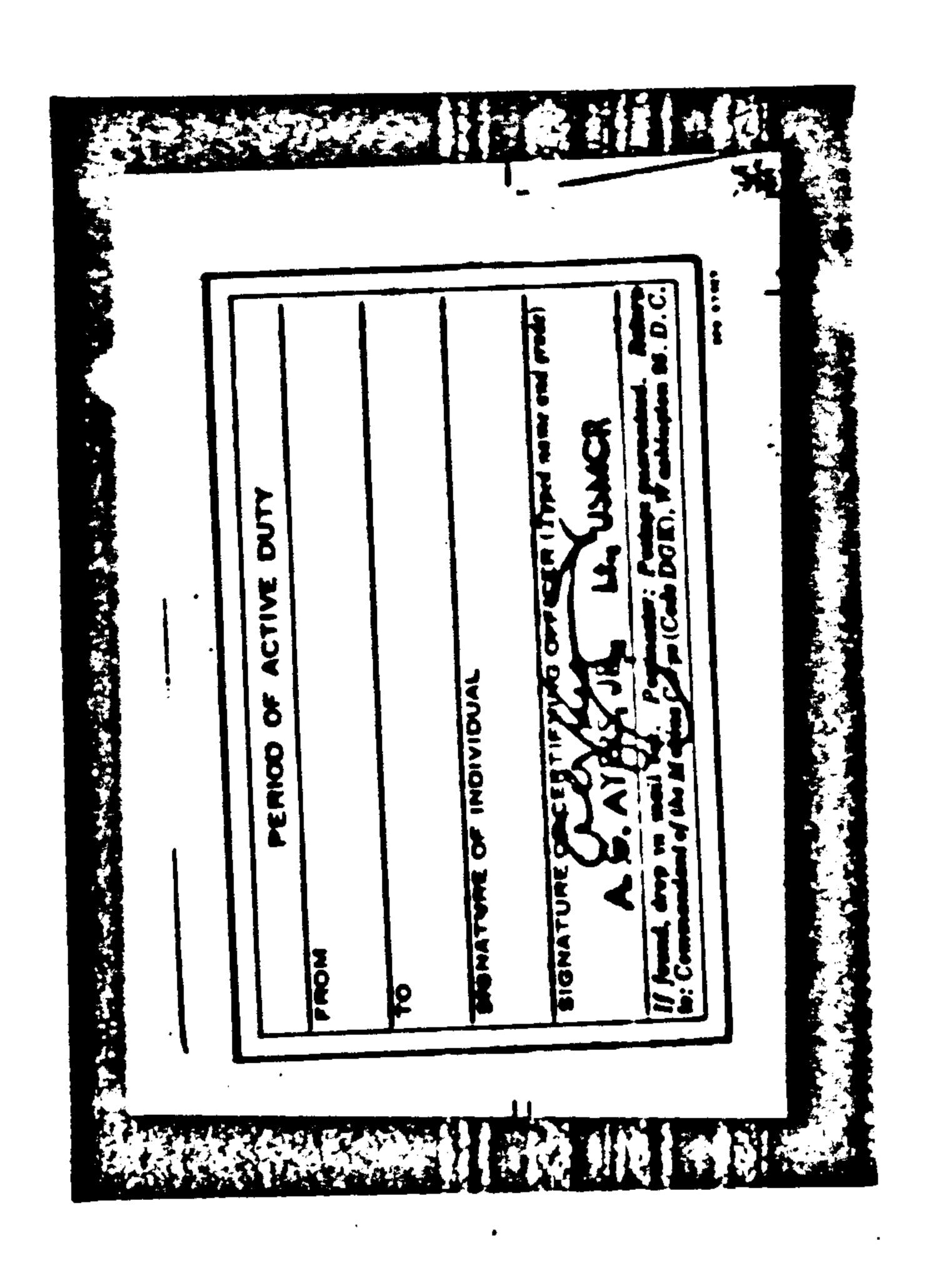


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Mr. Belmont PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION ON THE ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY 200 Maryland Ave. N.E. Washington, D.C. 20002 BARL WARREN. Chermon Telephone 343-1400 RICHARD B. RUSSELL JOHN SHERMAN COOPER Mr. Trotter. HALE BOGGS GERALD R. FORD JOHN J. McCLOY ALLEN W. DULLES Miss Gandy. Mr. J. Edgar Hoover Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation Department of Justice Washington, D. C. Dear Mr. Hoover: 1. Could you please confirm whether the clip found in the Mannlicher-Carcano rifle, serial number C2766, was empty at the time it was found, and whether Klein's Sporting Goods destroyed the original mail order and envelope used to purchase this rifle after those records were microfilmed. 2. Could you please explain the basis upon which you were able to conclude that the line "NEW ORLEANS, IA." on the vaccination certificate, Commission Exhibit 813, was made with the rubber stamp in Oswald's rubber stamping kit, Commission Exhibit 115. Sincerely, Lee Rankin General Counsel

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RADIOGRAM

URGENT

If regular radio contact missed, send by urgent plain text teletype at once.

1 - I. W. Conrad (W. D. Griffith)
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TO BACE, DALLAS (100-10461) CHICAGO? l - W. C. Bullivan (R. E. Lenihan) l - Mr. Belmont

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (105-82555)

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Mr. Rosen

- Mr. Rogge

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA., IS - E - CUBA. ATTENTION:

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COMMISSION BY LETTER SEPTEMBER SEVEN, LAST, MADE THREE
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obtain FBI basis for concluding that rubber stamp used on Oswald's vaccination certificate was made by the rubber stamp in Oswald's possessions. The Laboratory Division is handling this matter. Based on information available to the Bureau, the clip in the assassination rifle was empty although one cartridge was in the rifle chamber. Further Oswald's original order and envelope were apparently destroyed by Kleins after they were microfilmed. This matter is being coordinated with the Laboratory Division and when the results of investigation are received, the Commission will be appropriately notified.

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On 9/9/64, through e teliphenic inquiry at the Jan Bus Thus tre, 351 East 74th St., Mr., by St HCKALL L. YOUNG, It was Fin deti-mined that subject will continue his lecture series there on "ho Killed Kennedy?" milliti; throw; 7 9/2:/54.

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Mrs. OSWALD had telephonically contacted the Fort Worth Resident Agency at 8:40 a.m., 9/9/64, at which time she mentioned her suspicions concerning JERRY MURAD, and she again telephonically contacted the Fort Worth Resident Agency at 9:45 a.m., 9/9/64, after she had talked with SAC SHANKLIN, again mentioning her suspicions concerning JERRY MURAD.

The above is being furnished the Bureau for its information, and no action is contemplated UACB.

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FBI NEW YORK

830 PM URGENT 9-9-64 JLW

TO DIRECTOR 7 44-24016

FROM NEW-YORK 44-974&3XXXX JP

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PHOTGRAPHS PREVIOUSLY FURNISHED THE PRESIDENTS COMMISSION WHICH WERE SUBSEQUENTLY GIVEN BY THE COMMISSION TO OUTSIDE MEDIA AND UPI HAD TO CONTACT ALL THESE MEDIA TO INSURE THAT THE PHOTOGRAPHS WOULD NOT BE USED WITHOUT PERMISSION AND PROPER CREDIT TO UPI.

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TREMAINE THEN REQUESTED AGENT TO SIGN THE FOLLOWING STIPULATION

BEFORE HE WOULD FURNISH THE PHOTOGRAPH "PURSUANT TO OUR CONVERSATION

TODAY, THE ATTACHED UPI PICTURE OF LEE HARVEY OSVALD WALKING FROM THE

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AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR PUBLICATION IN THE WARREN COMMISSION-S REPORT

WITH THE PROTECTIONS STIPULATED IN OUR CONVERSATION. THAT IS, NEITHER

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SINCERELY,

FRANK TREMAINE"

THE PHIOGRAPH WAS NOT FURNISHED BY TREMAINE SINCE AGENT DID NOT SIGN THE STIPULATION.

IT IS SUGGESTED THAT THE BUREAU CONTACT PRESIDENTS
COMMISSION REGARDING THE DESIRES OF THE COMMISSION ON THE ABOVE
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MAIL COPY BEING DESIGNATED TO DALLAS FOR INFO.

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September 10, 1964

BY COURIER SERVICE

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Honorable J. Lee Rankin General Counsel The President's Commission 200 Maryland Avenue, N. E. Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rankin:

There are enclosed two copies each of memoranda dated August 25 and August 28, 1964, dealing with the claims of Ernesto Lima Juares.

memoranda was designated Exhibit D-231, two copies of which were furnished to you as an enclosure to the report in the Lee Harvey Oswald case of Special Agent Robert E. Shortelle dated July 28, 1964, at New Haven, Connecticut. Our letters dated July 1 and July 16, 1964, set forth further information concerning the statements of Mr. Lina Juarez. In view of the results of our reinterrogation of Mr. Lina Juarez on August 26, 1964, no further action is contemplated in connection with this phase of our investigation.

Upon detachment from the classified enclosures, this letter may be regarded as unclassified. 15-825 - 4809

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The enclosures are letterheads from Legat, Mexico City, which have been approved for dissemination by Messrs. Belmont and Malley. The Lima Juarez aspect dealt with his claims to have seen a man he thought was Oswald at the Del Comercio Hotel in Mexico City in September - October, 1963. He said this person associated with a group of four Cubans who were registered at the hotel and that two of the Cubans were depicted in a group photograph taken at the time by a street photographer. His claims have been thoroughly discredited. There was only one Cuban at the hotel at the time. He has been interviewed by New Haven and denies any knowledge of Oswald. The group photograph was located and Idma now admits he was mistaken in that only the Cuban interviewed by New Haven was in the picture. On 8/26/64 he recanted and told Legat that he is now quite certain he has never seen Oswald. Classified "Confidential" as Legat has so classified letterheads to protect our operations in Mexico.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation
Department of Justice
Washington, D. C. 20530

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Your letter of July 1, 1964, indicated that steps to locate and interview Francisco, forales were being undertaken. In order fully to investigate the allegation of Ernesto Lima Juarez that Lee Harvey Oswald was seen in the company of Cubans at the Hotel del Comercio in Mexico City, it would be desirable for the Commission to be able to cite a report of an interview with Morales. Your efforts toward this end would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

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BY COURIER BERVICE

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Honorable J. Lee Rankin General Counsel The President's Commission 200 Maryland Avenue, M. E. Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rankin:

Besterence is made to your letter dated

September 8, 1964, concerning interview of Francisco

Morales relative to the claims of Ernesto Lina

Juares.

opies each of a report in the Lee Harvey Oswald case of Special Agent John M. Kemmy dated August 24, 1964, at San Antonio, Texas, and a memorandum of evaluation of same date relating to the sources concealed in the report. Special Agent Kemmy's report deals in part with interview of Francisco Morales by a confidential source abroad on June 28, 1964.

As you were advised in our letter dated September 10, 1964, we do not contemplate any further action in connection with this phase of our investigation in view of the results of our reinterrogation of and Mr. Lima Juarez on August 26, 1964.

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NOTE:

Commission 9/8/64 letter asked if steps could be taken to locate and interview Francisco Morales who was named by Lima Juarez, a Mexican, as a person who may have observed Oswald while at the Del Comercio Hotel to have been in the company of two Cubans. Lima's claims have been thoroughly investigated and discredited and on 8/26/64 he recanted and said that he was quite certain he had never seen Oswald. The enclosure shows that Morales was interviewed on 6/28/64 and denied ever seeing Oswald.

Classified "Confidential" as enclosure so classified to protect our operations in Mexico. Messrs. Belmont and Malley have been approved dissemination of enclosures.

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