

# Know your Rights!

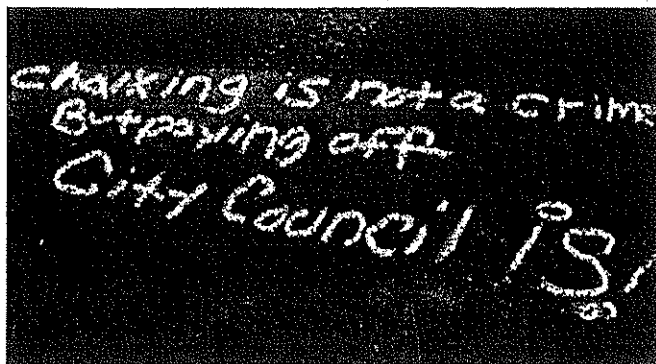
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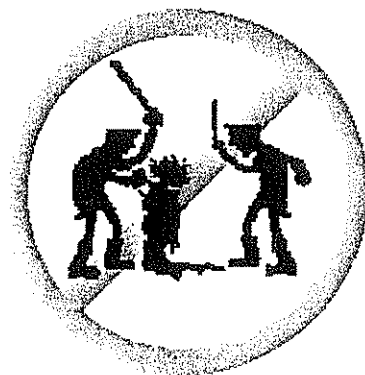
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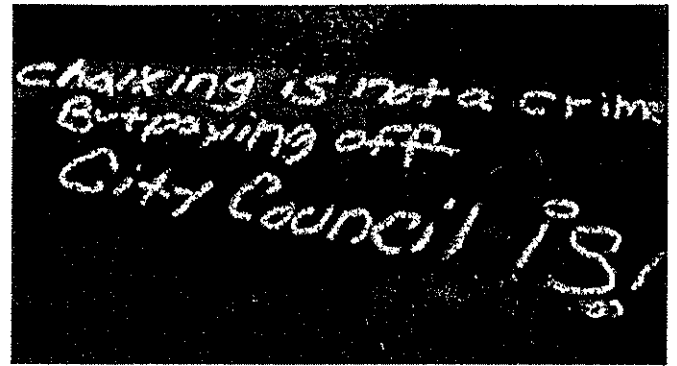
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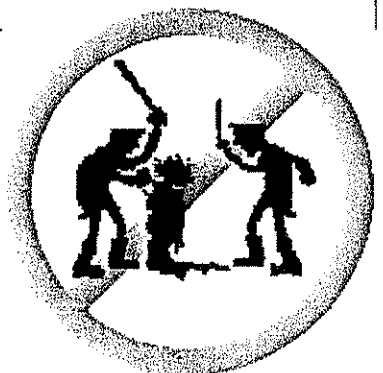


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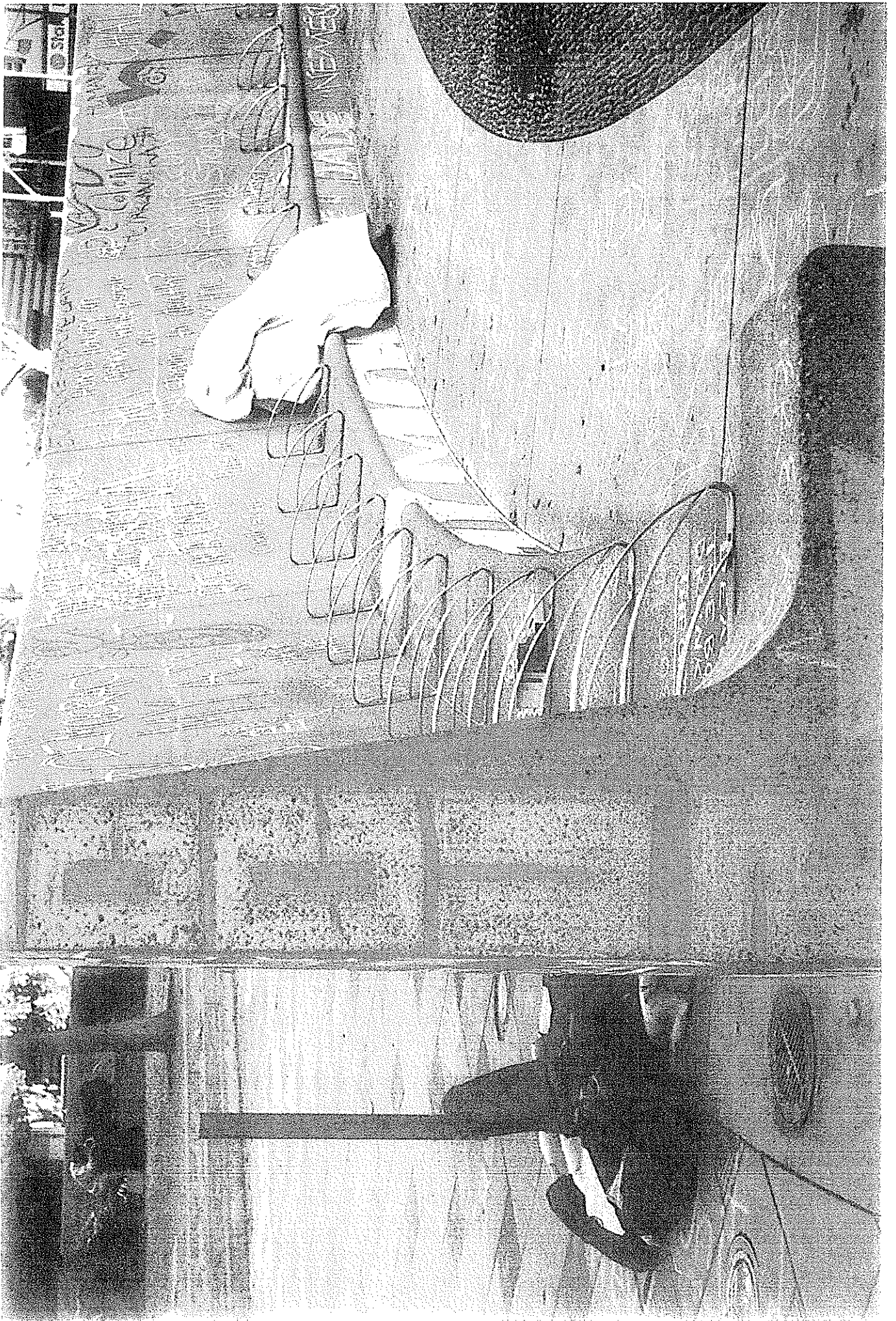
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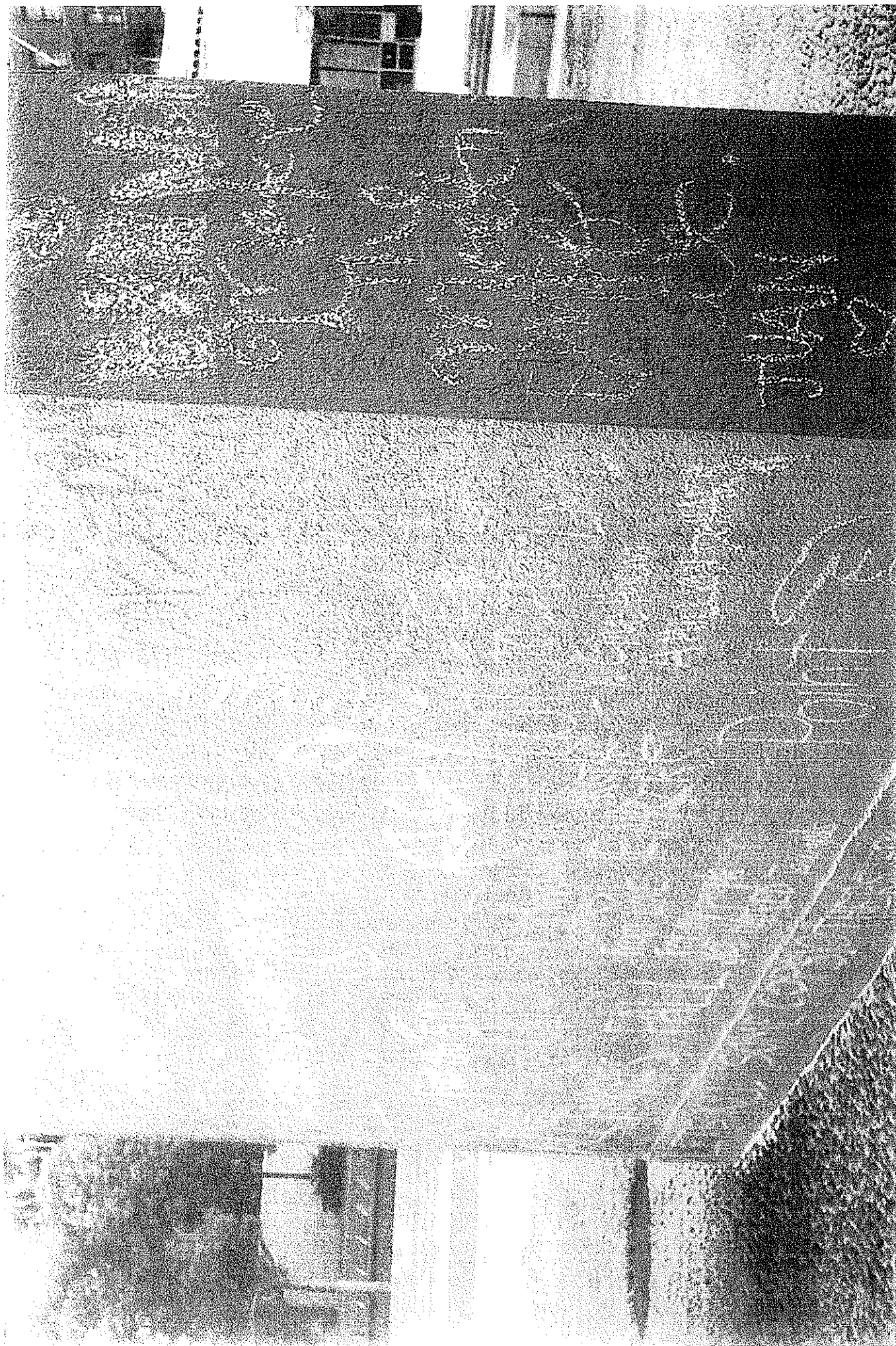
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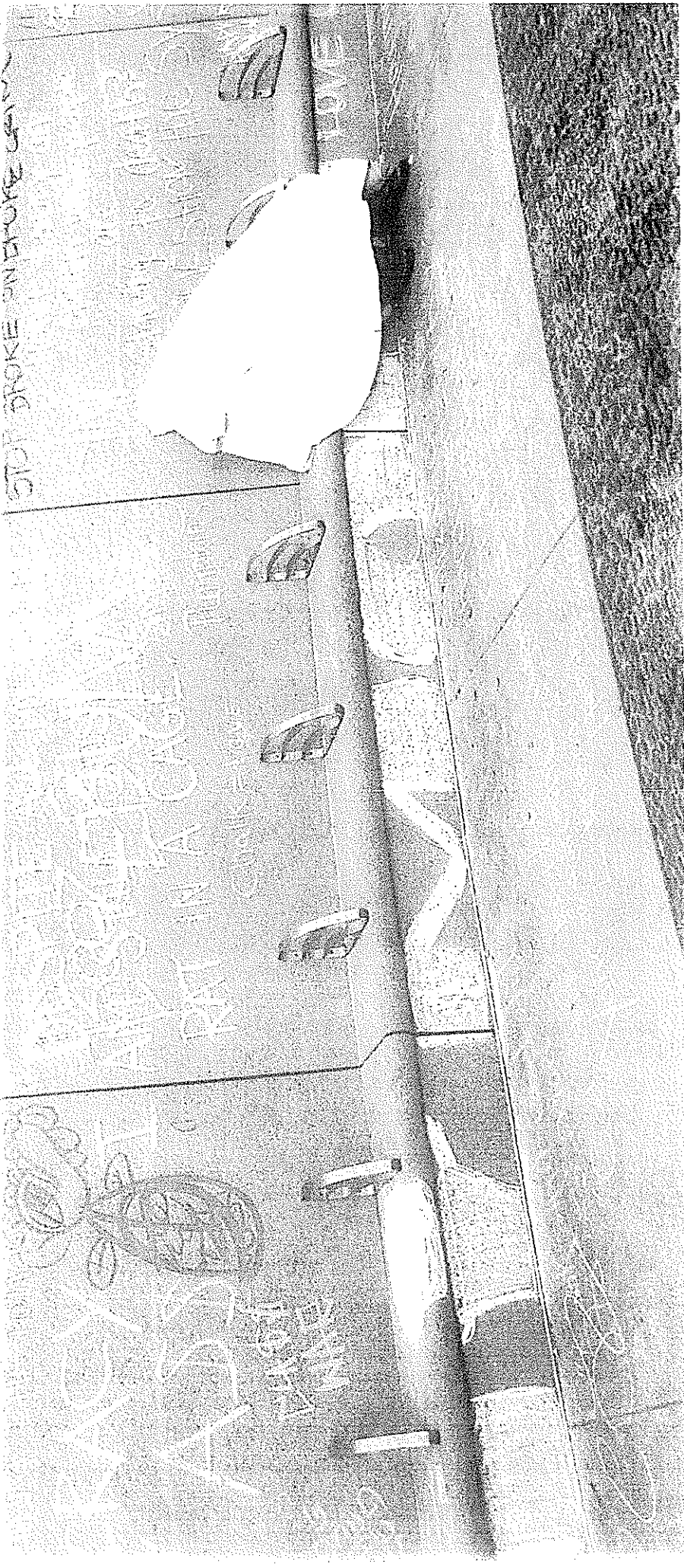
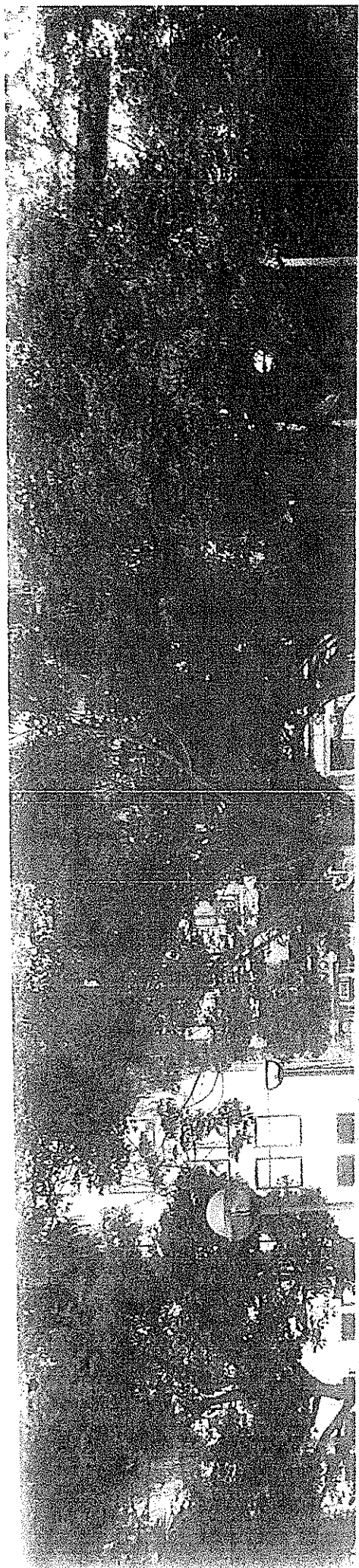
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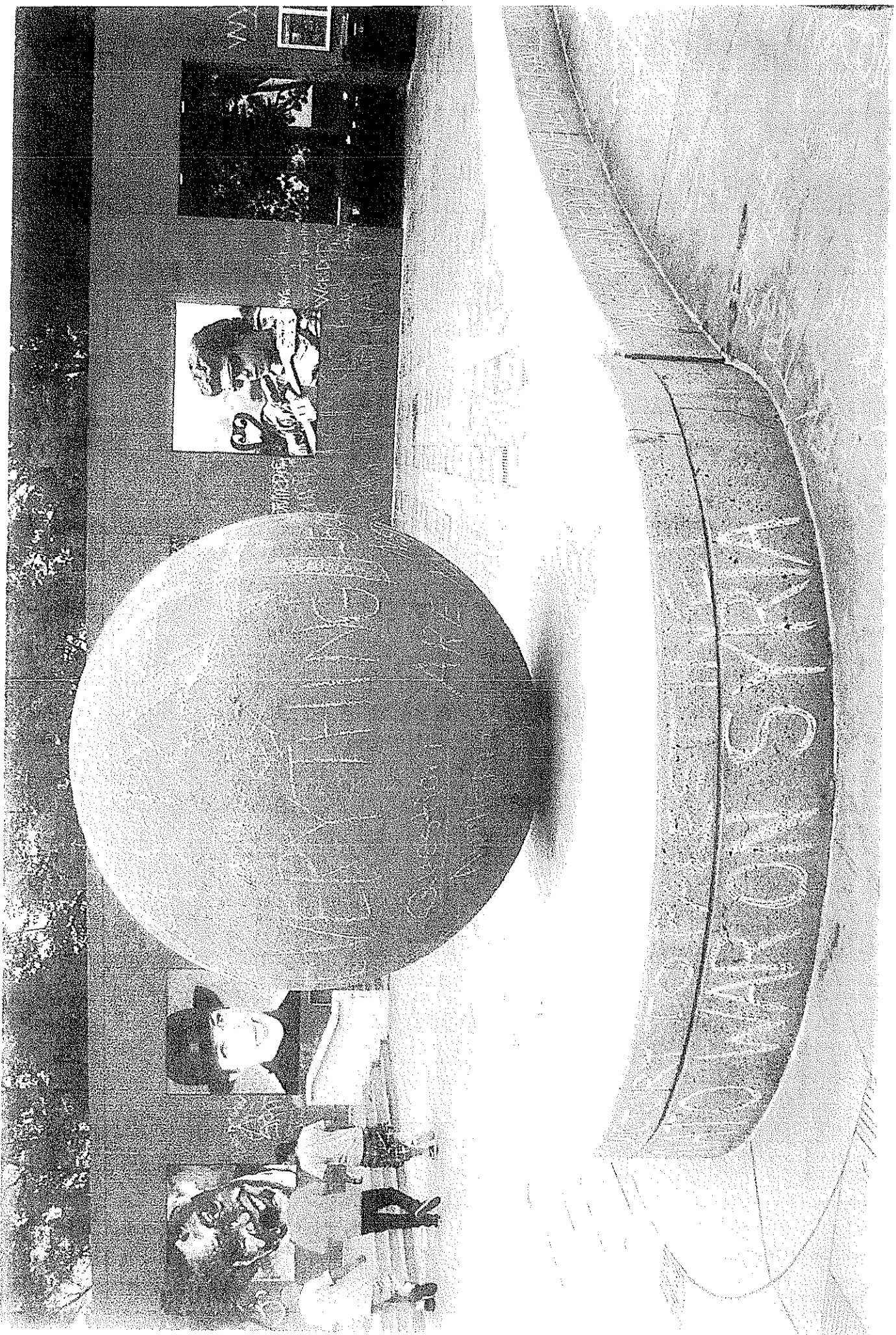






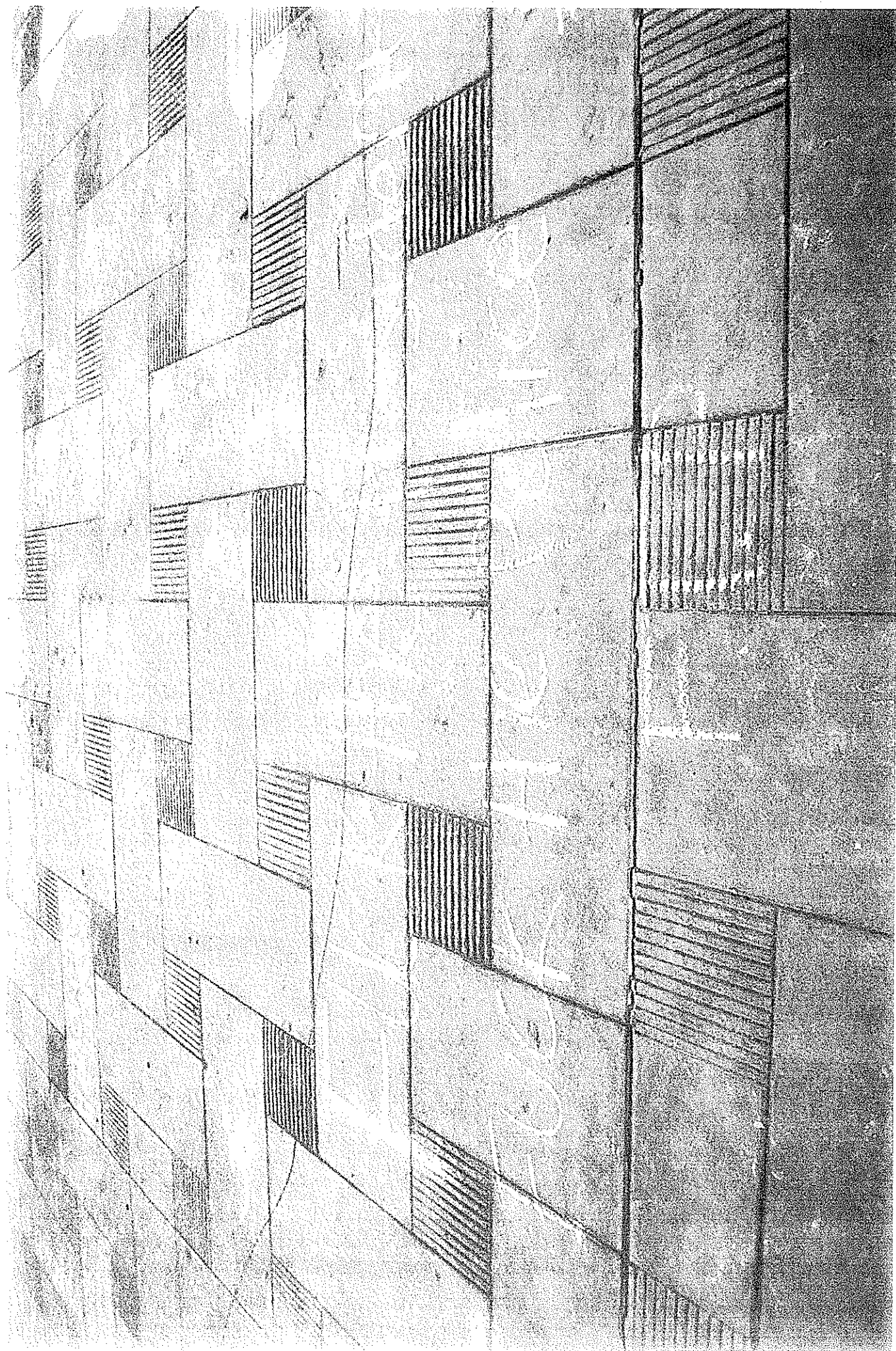




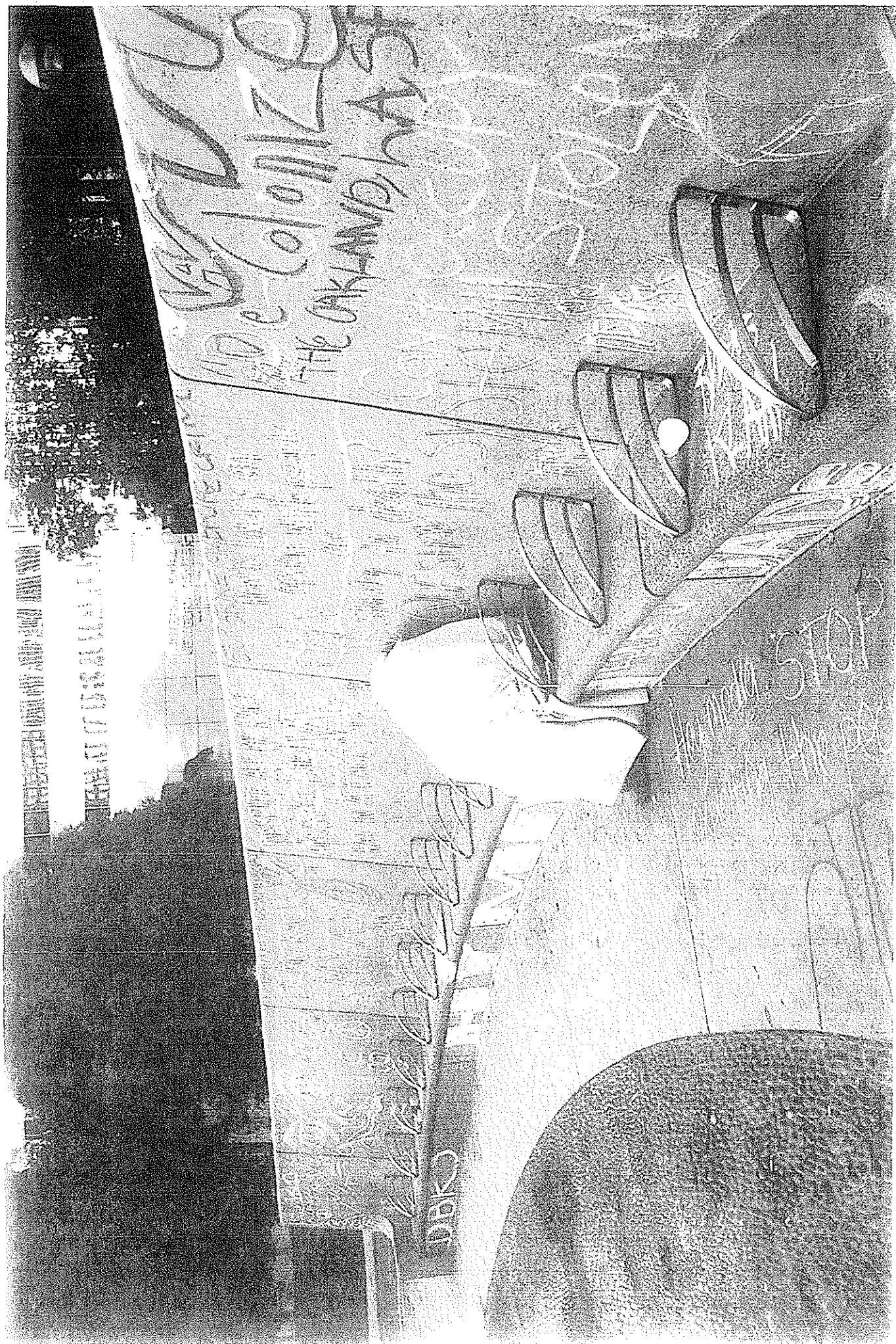


















Welcome to

# PALM SPRINGS QUALITY

for the Safety of Everyone

NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES



NO DRINKING

ALL GUNS MUST BE UNLOADED



NO EXCESSIVE SOUND

NO CAMPING / BUNTING



NO TRESPASSING IN RESTROOMS

NO BICYCLES



NO SHOPPING CARTS

NO STANDING



NO BLOCKING PASSAGEWAY

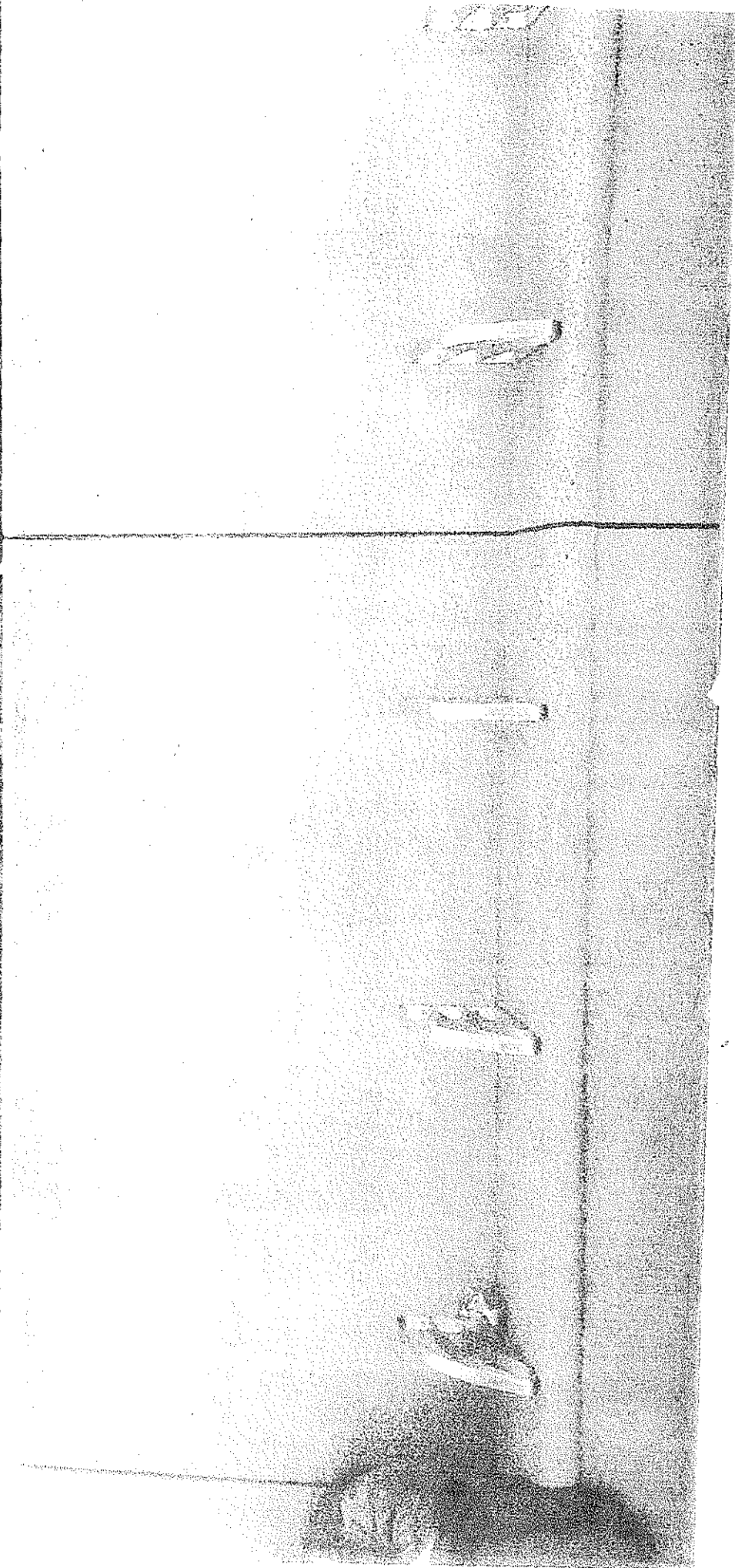
NO OPEN FIRES



NO SOLICITATION / VENDING

• ALL DEPECATION MUST BE REMOVED BY OWNER  
PARK HOURS: 5:00 AM - 10:30 PM - NO LOITERING  
FOR EMERGENCIES: LAPD / LAFD 911

OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY (PPS) 713-378-4570





# PERSHING SQUARE

DAILY HOURS OF OPERATION

5:a.m. - 10:30p.m.

## NO

No person shall enter, remain, stay or loiter in any park between the hours of 10:30p.m. and 5:00a.m. of the following day.

L.A.M.C. sec. 63.44 B.14(a)

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ZONA ANTICORRUPCIÓN

## ATENCION

Cualquier persona detectada en esta zona por la venta de heroína, cocaína, metanfetamina o P.C.P. estará expuesta a un año adicional de prisión si es declarada culpable.

LA 11-1-83 11:00 AM







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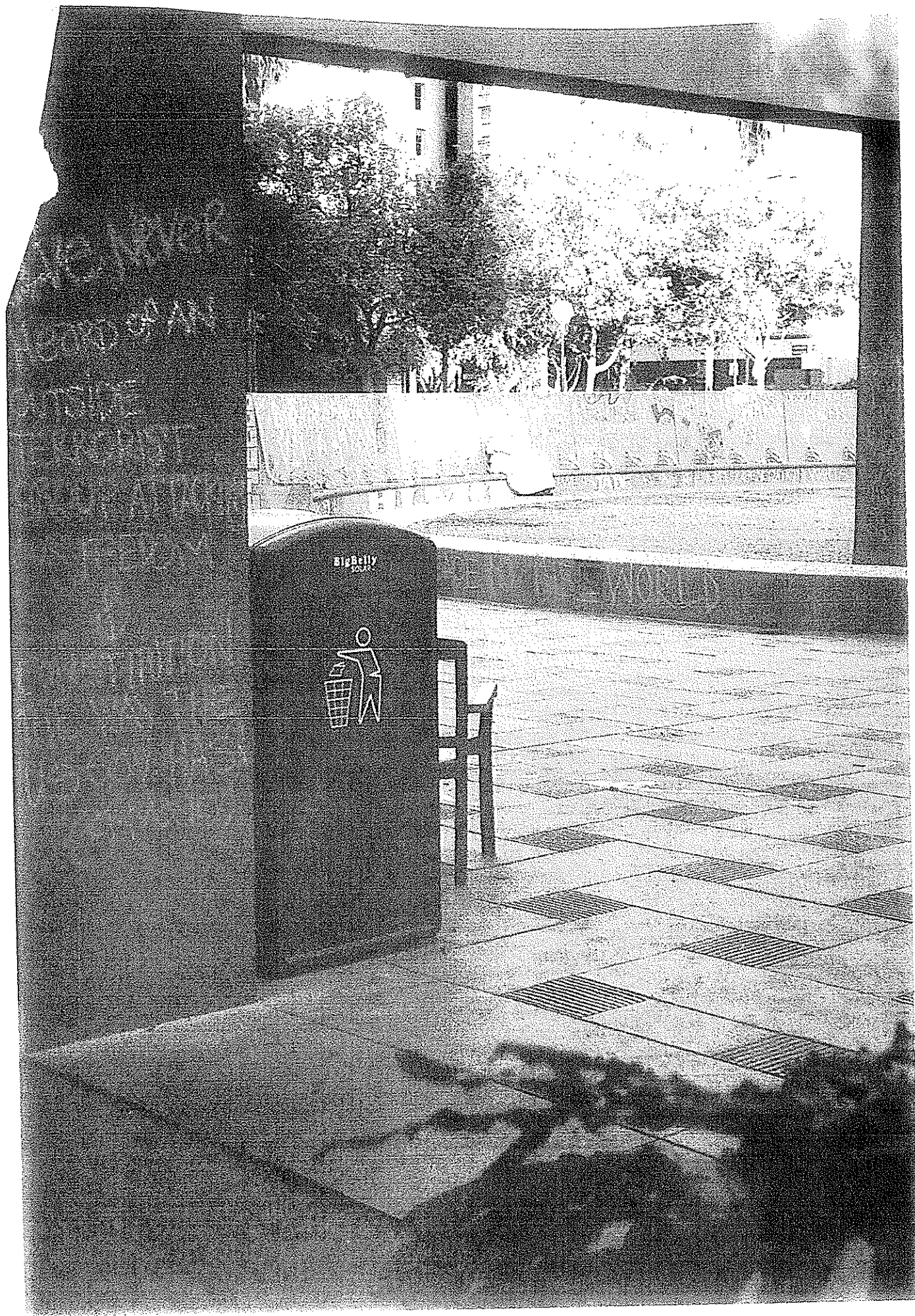
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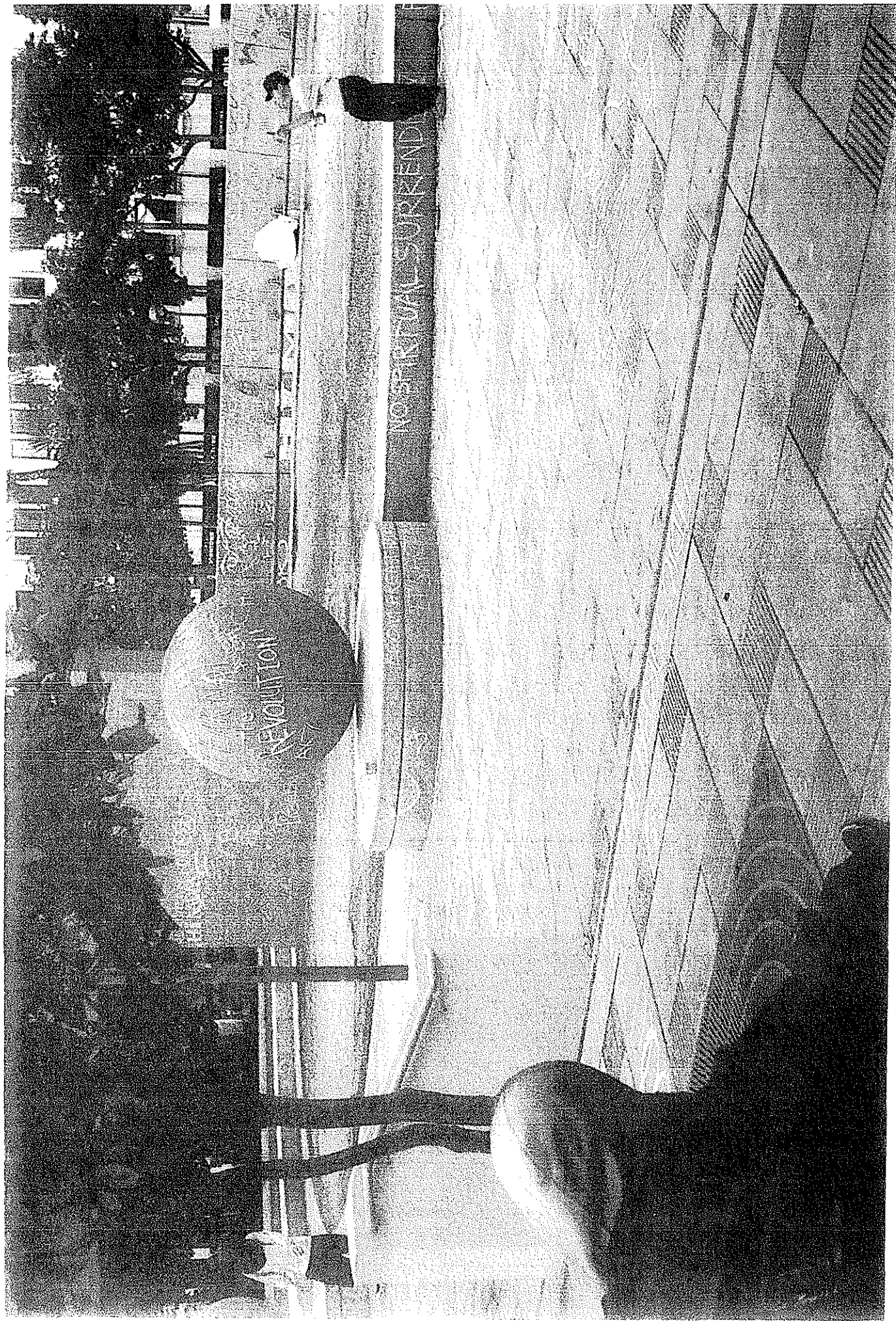
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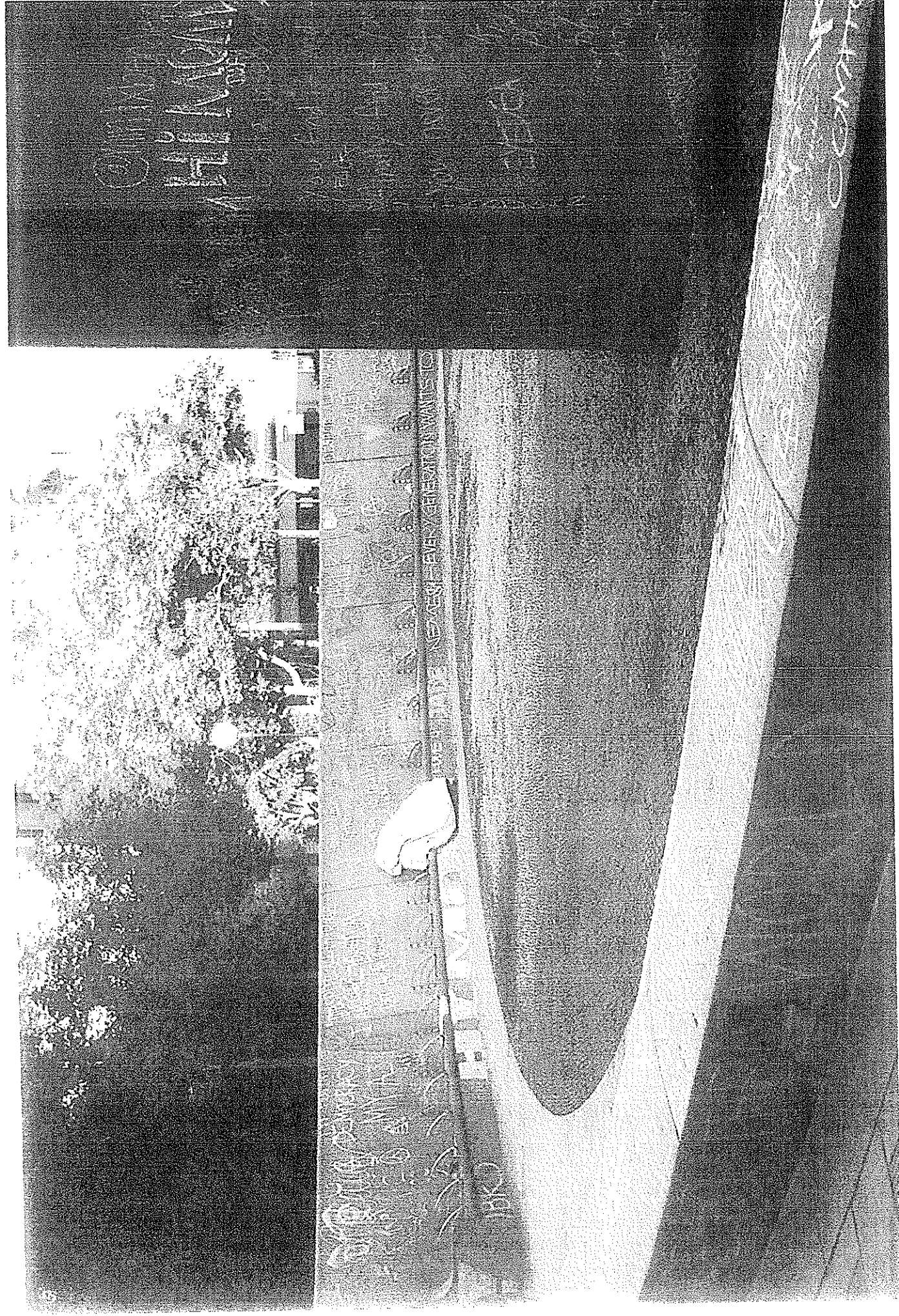
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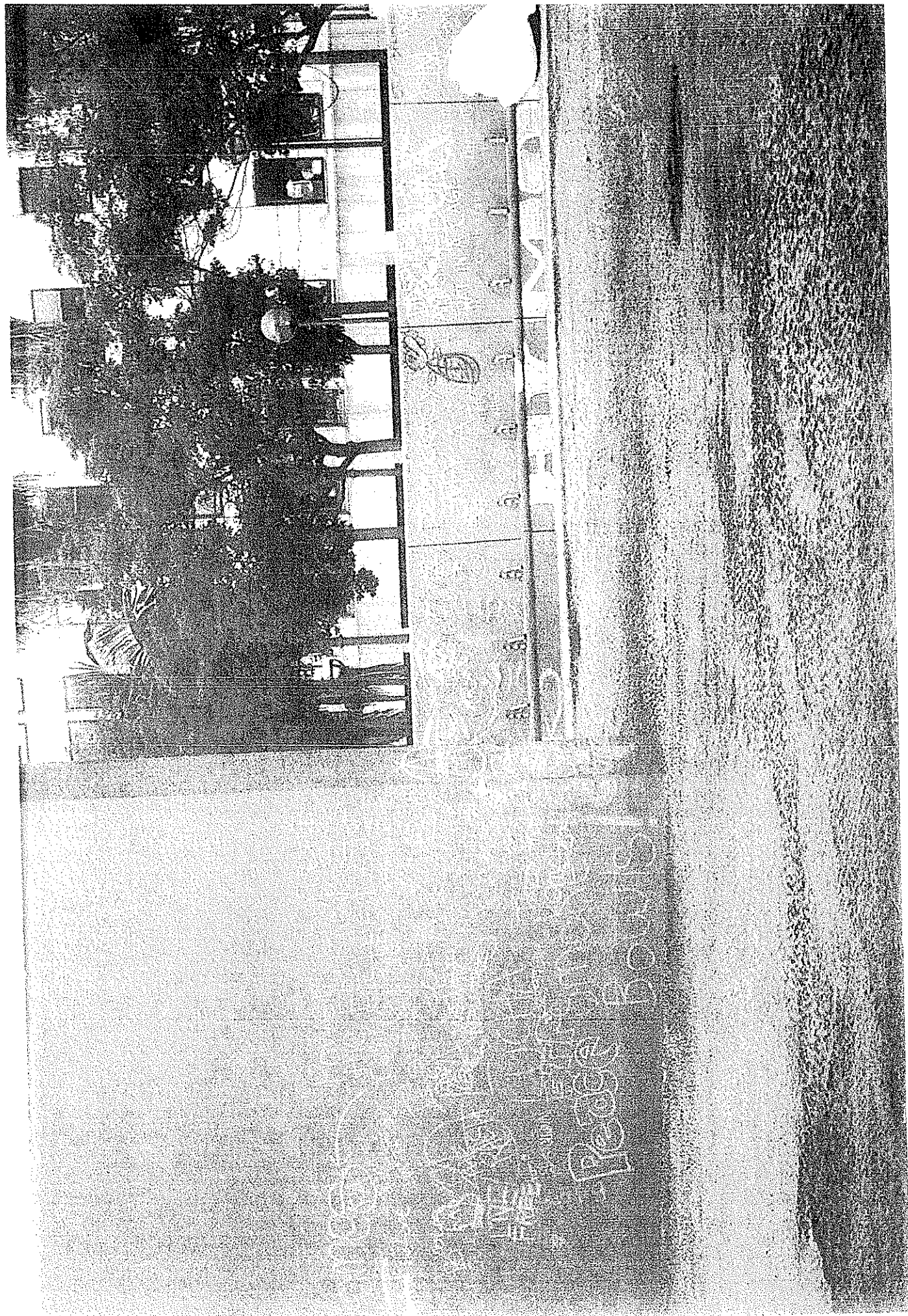
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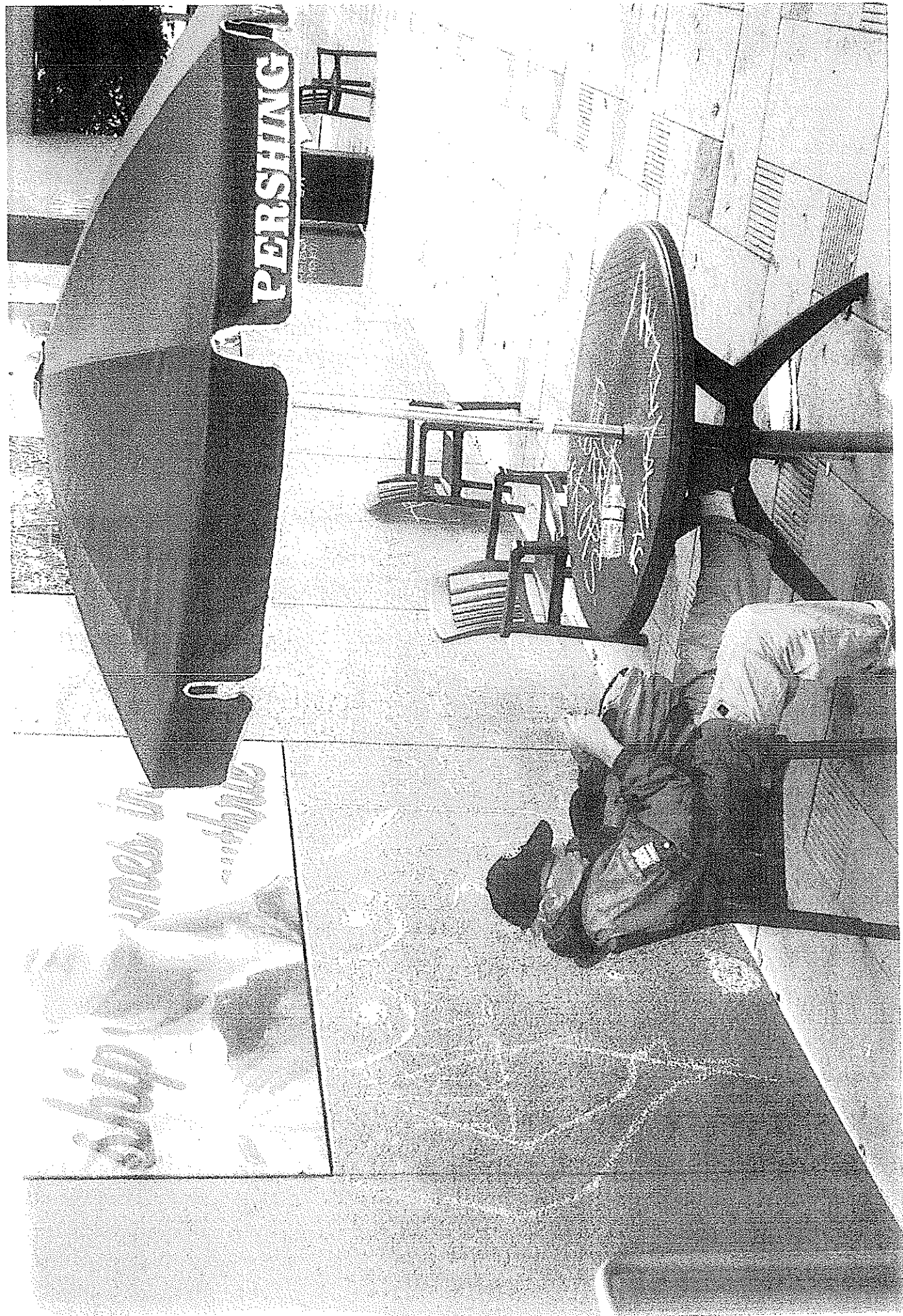


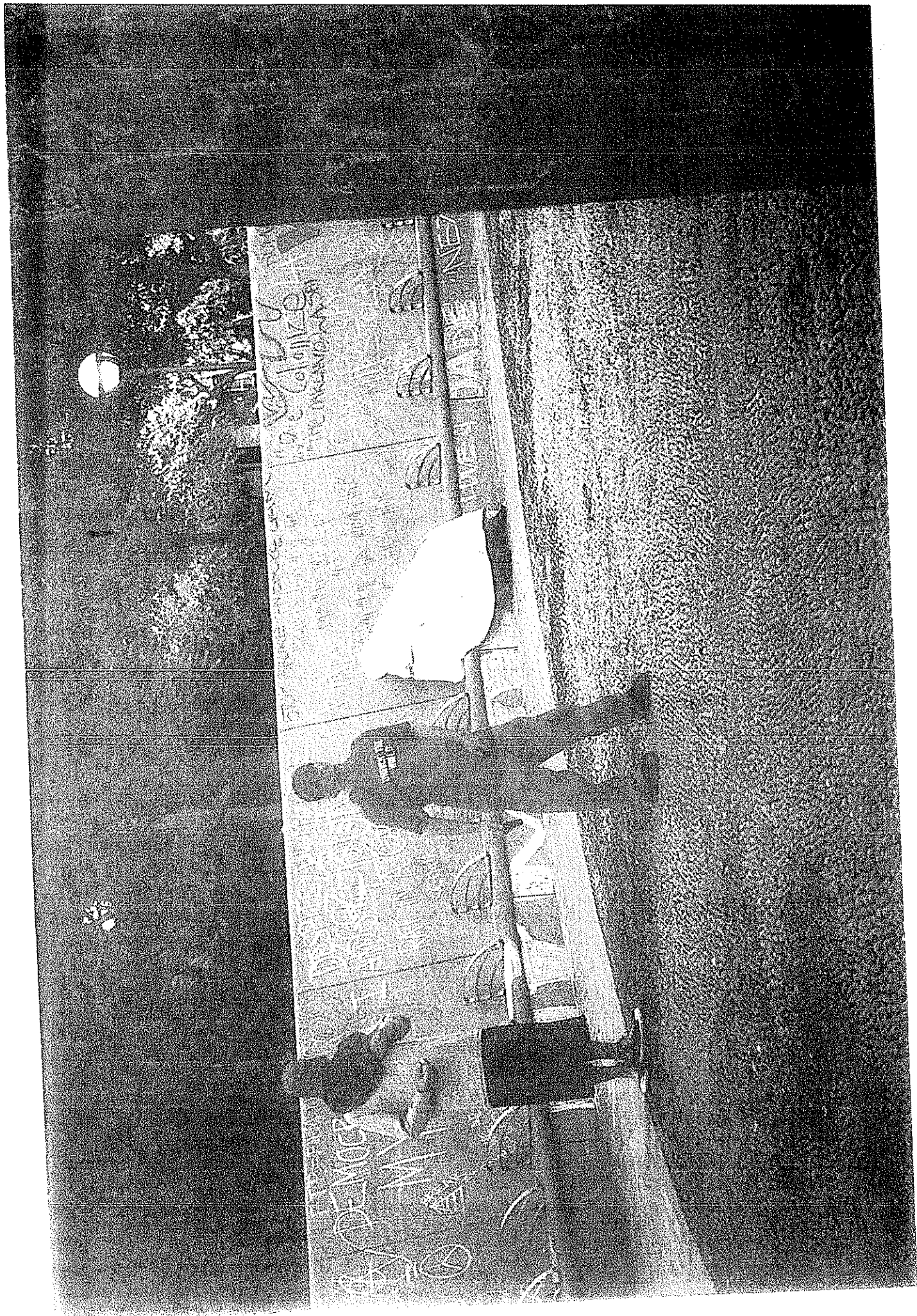




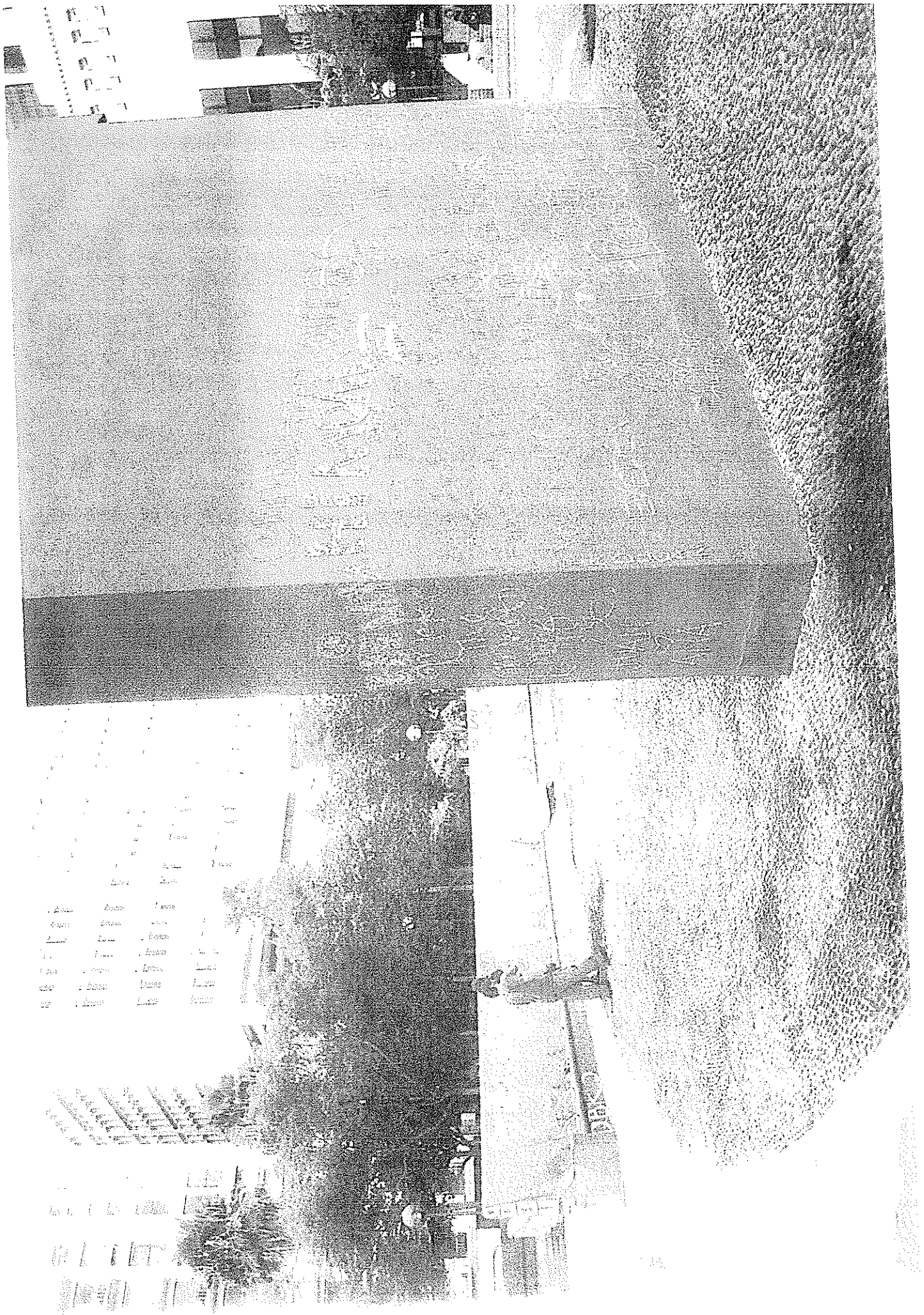












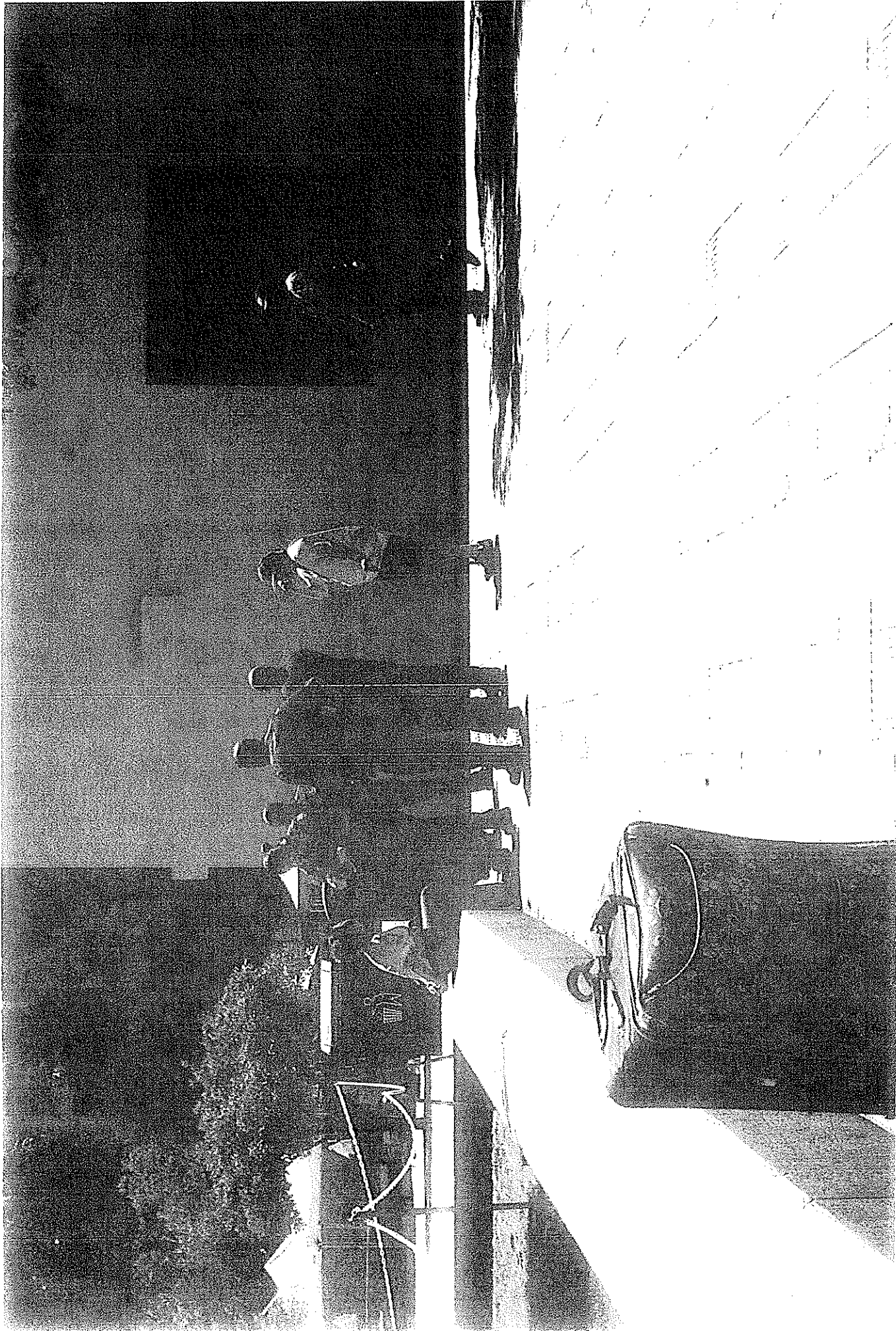


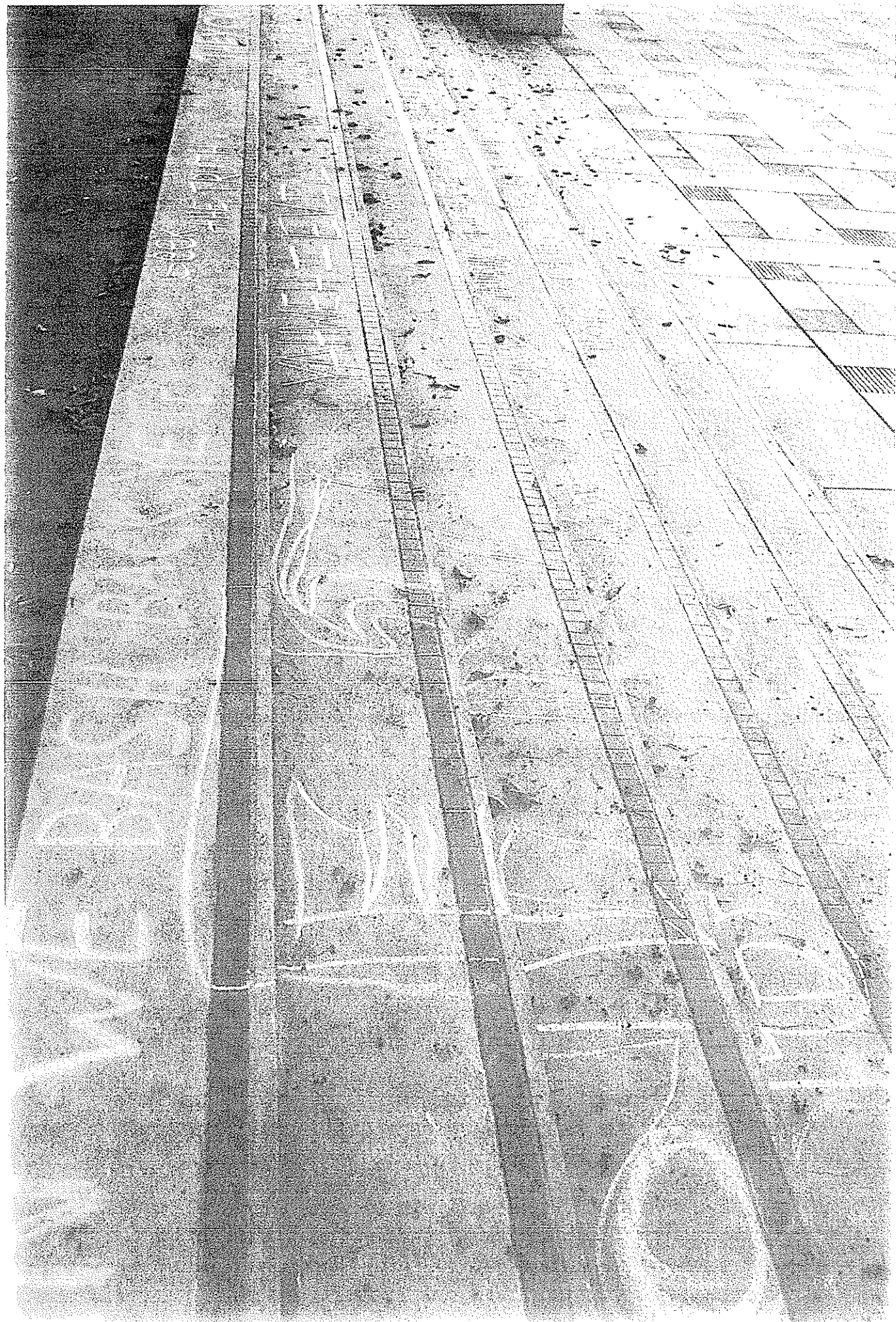
DRUG FREE ZONE

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Any person arrested  
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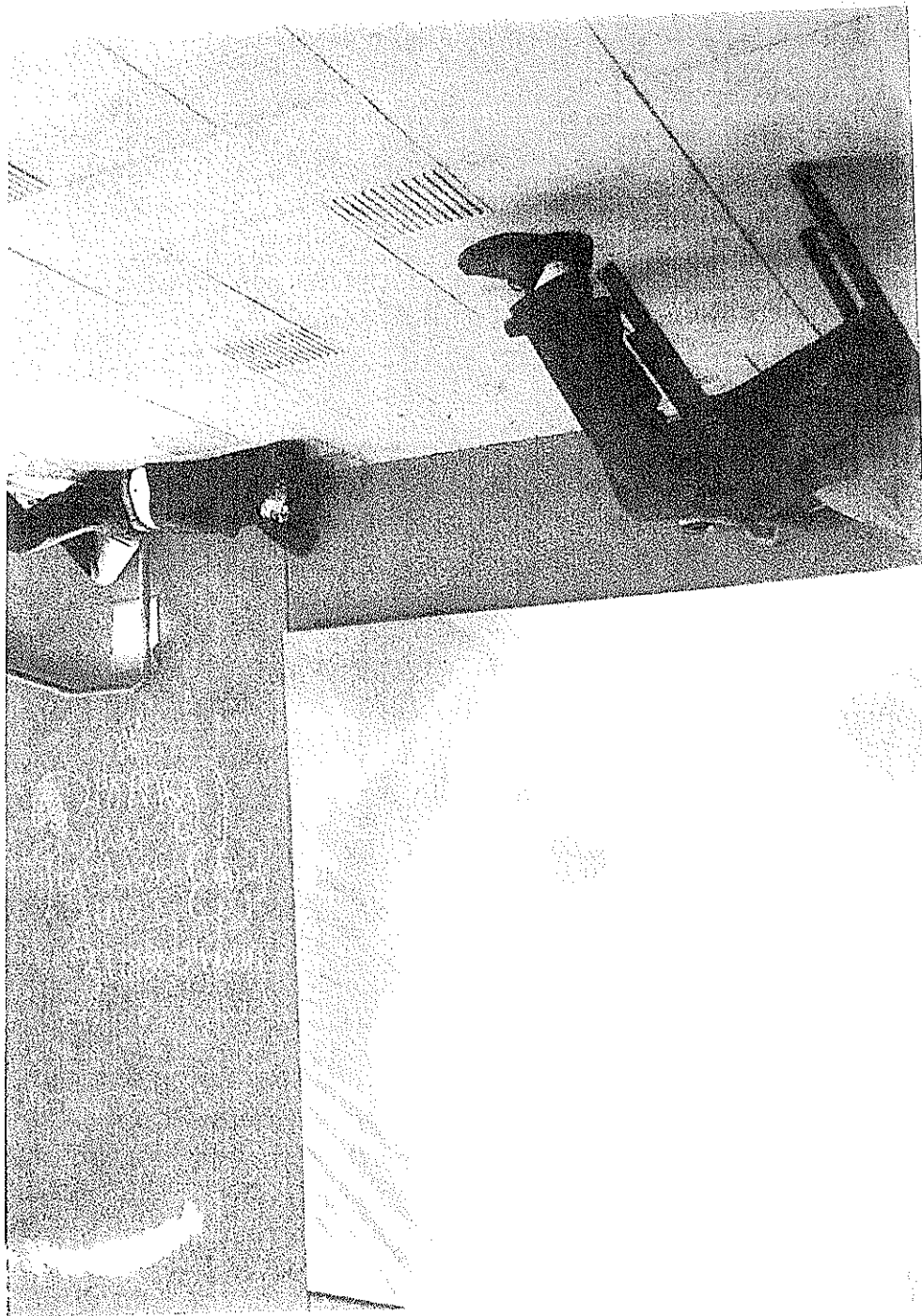
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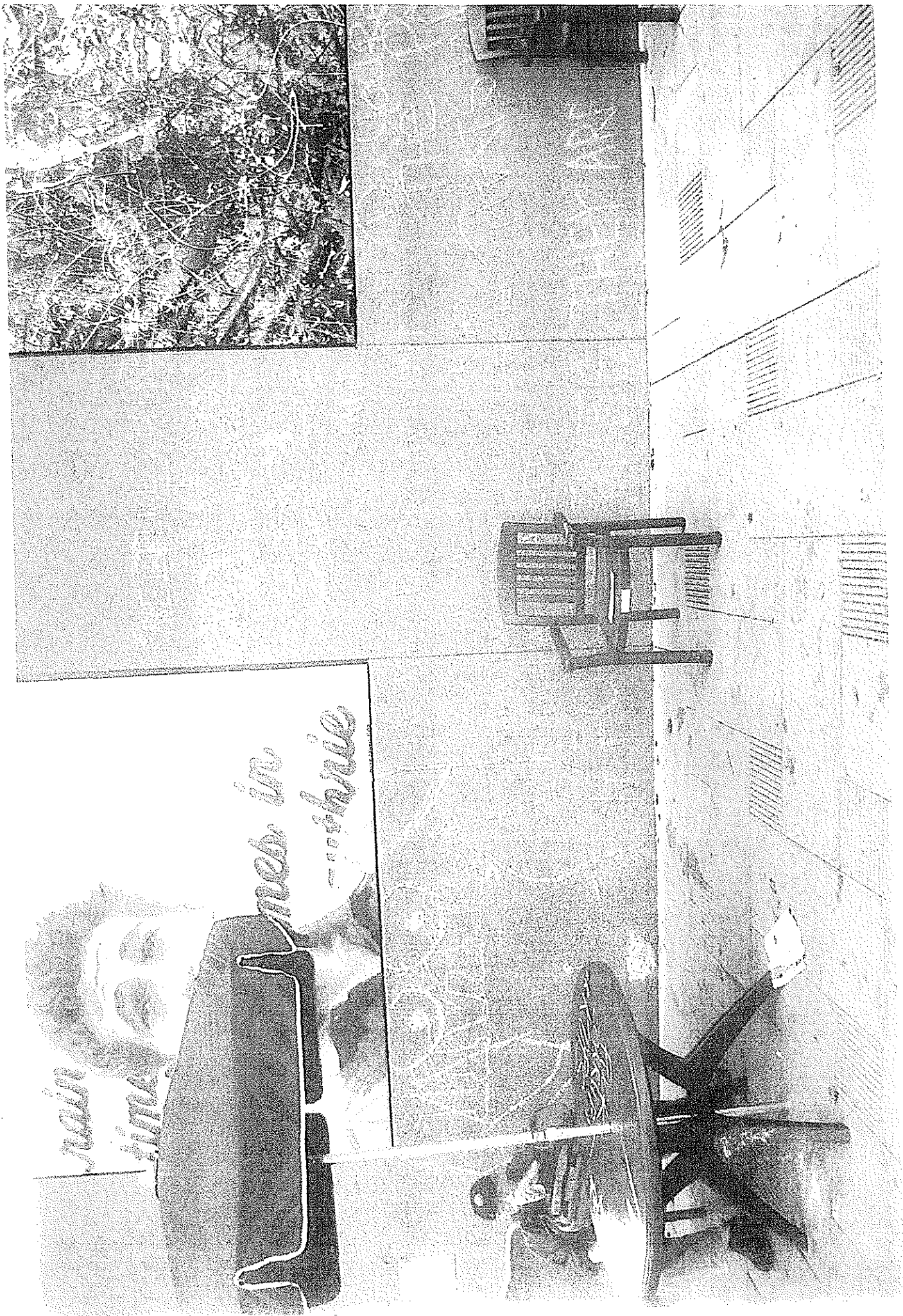
















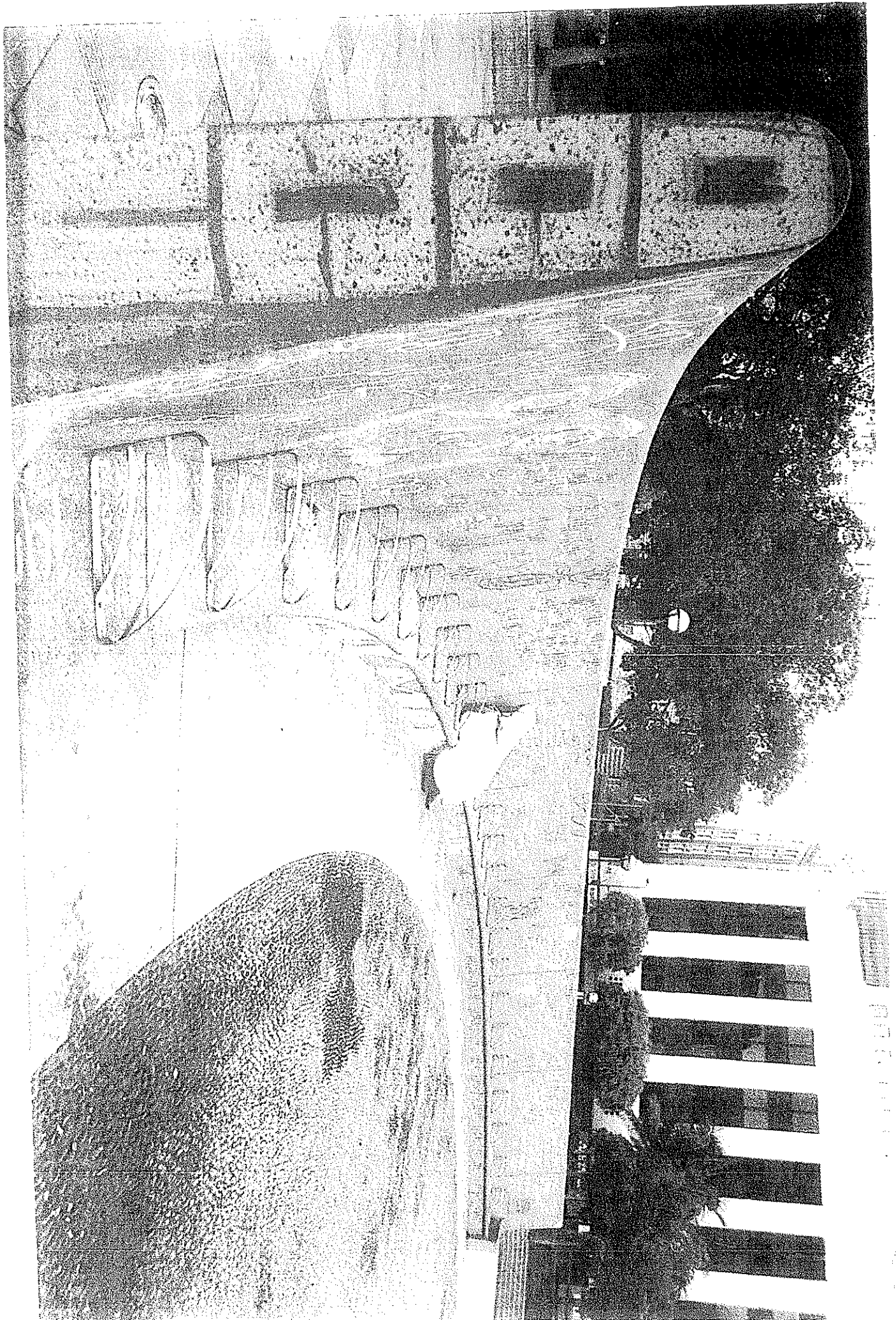




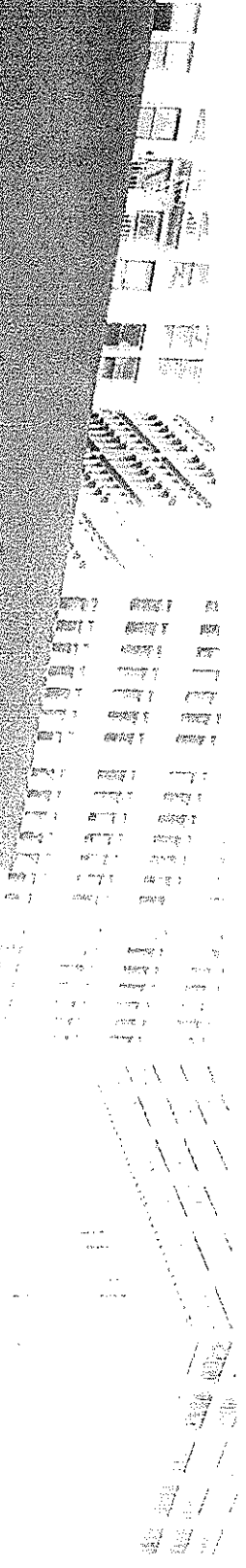








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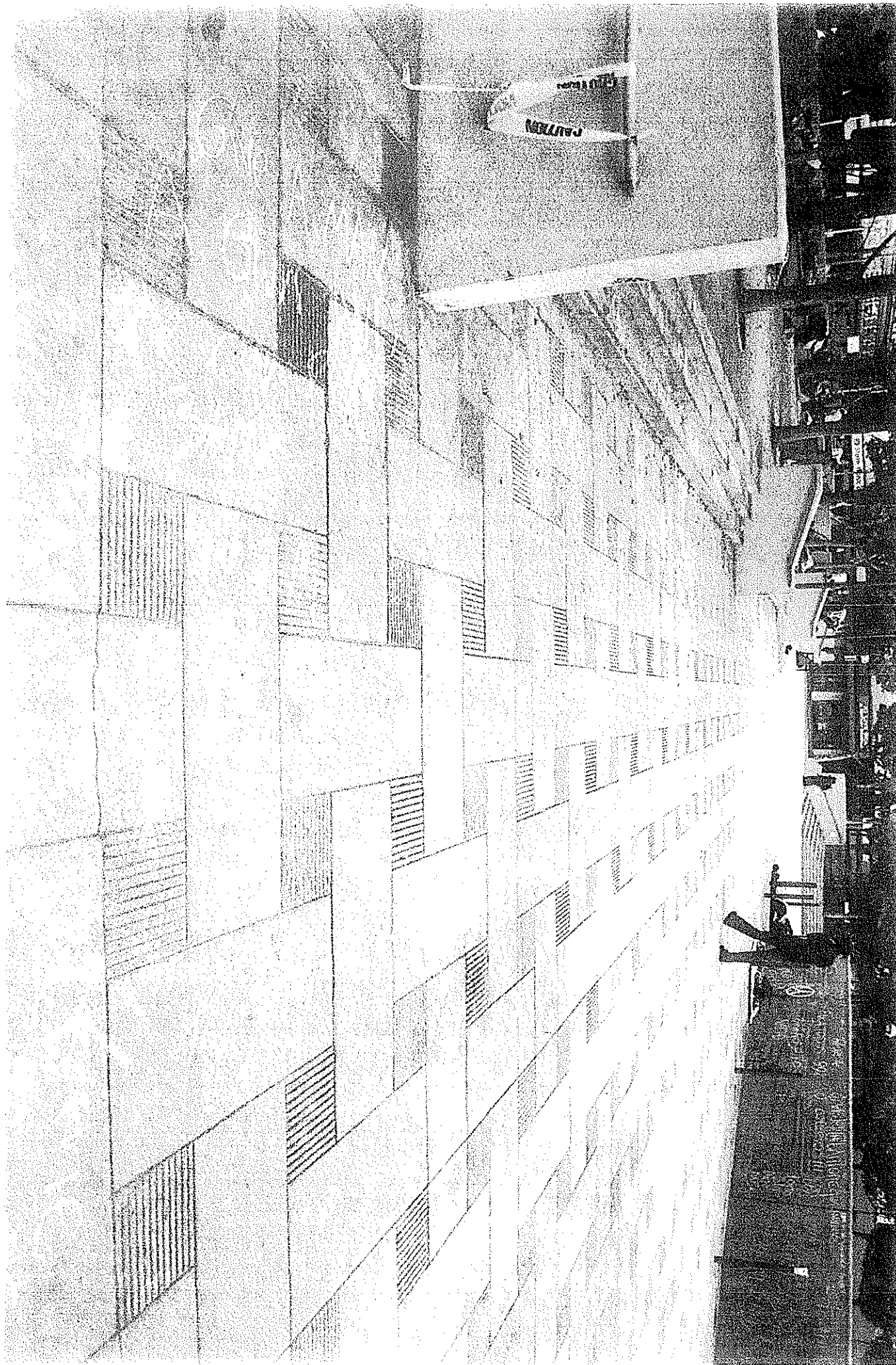


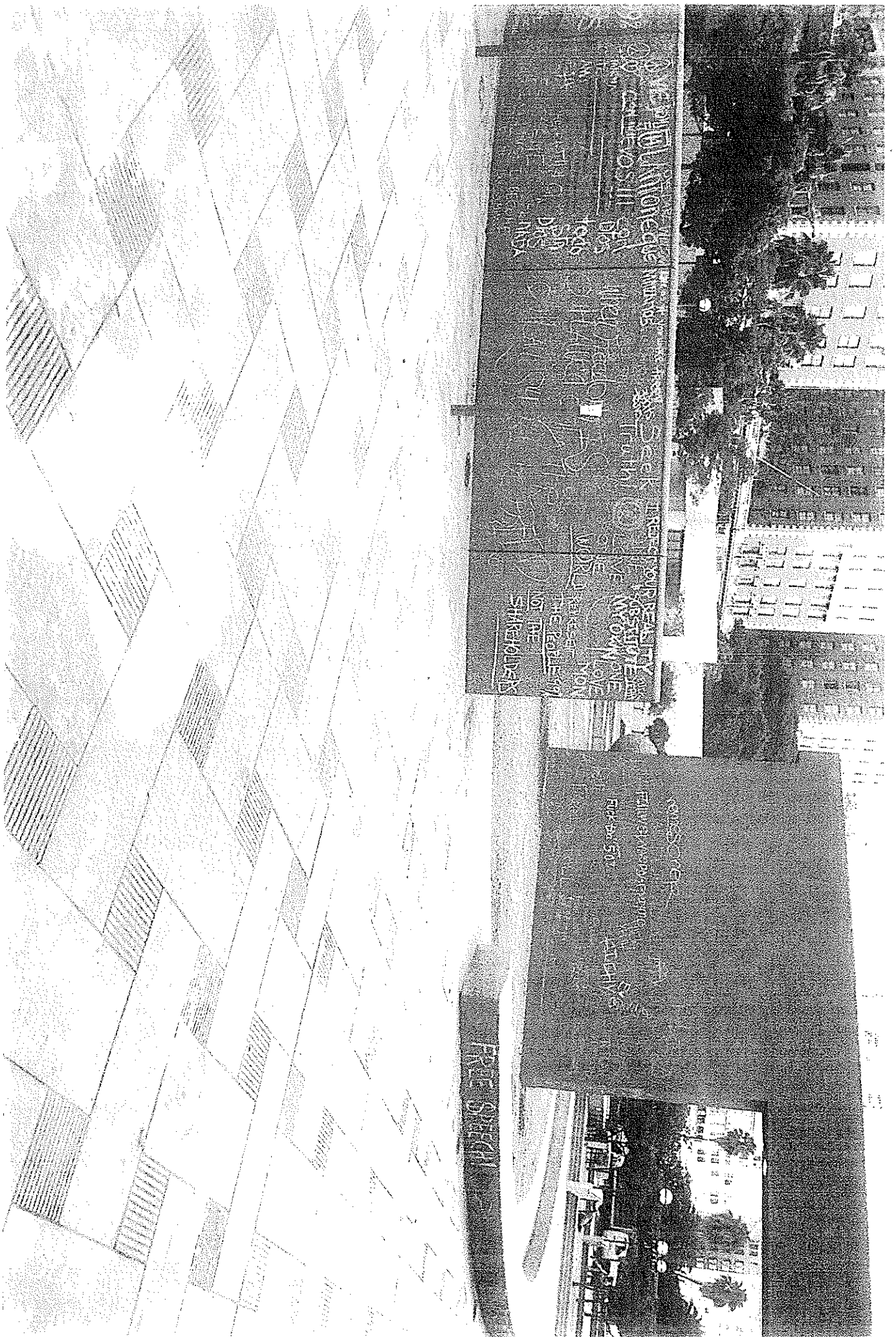


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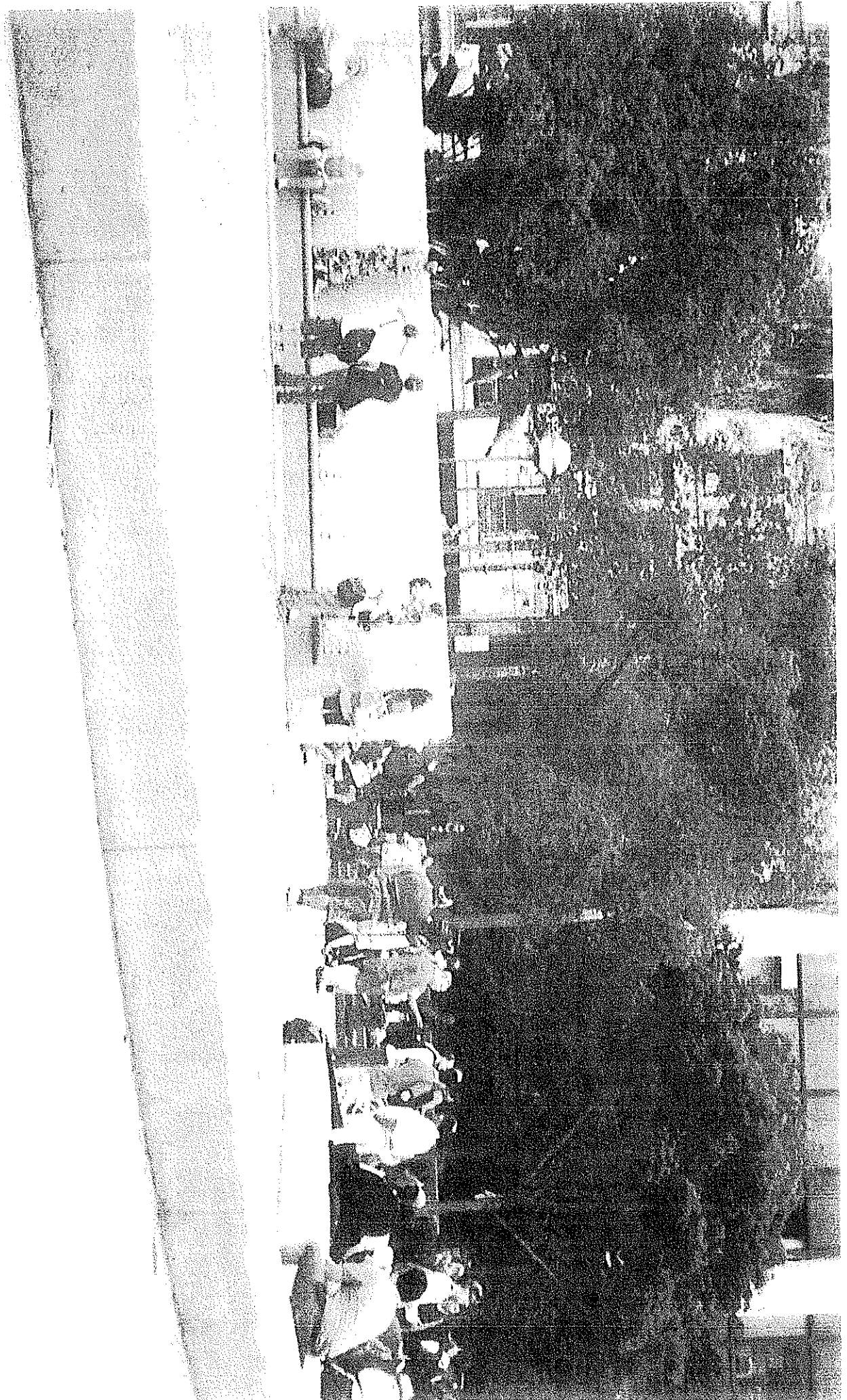






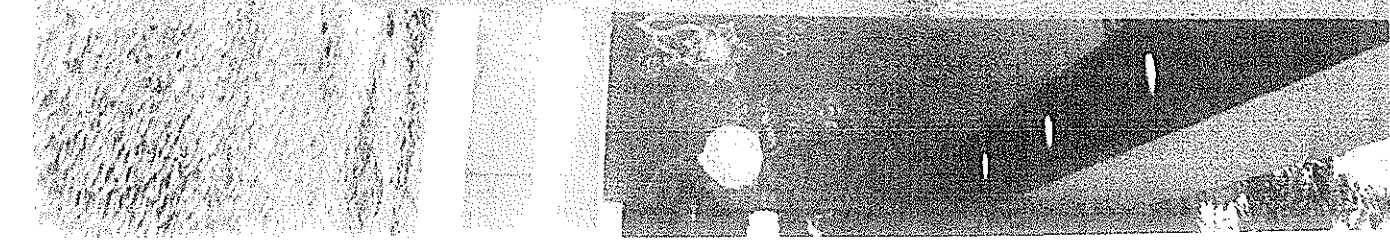






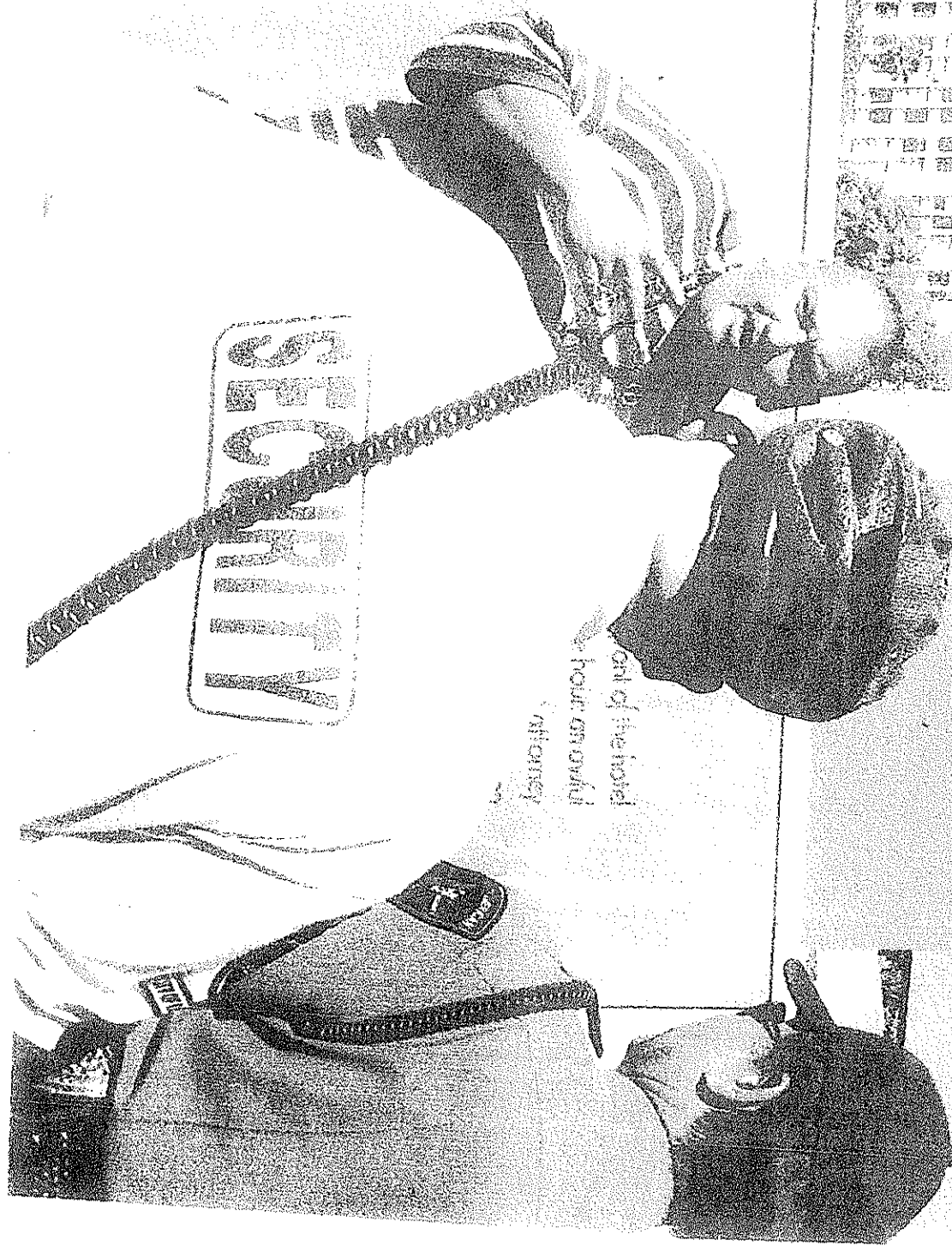
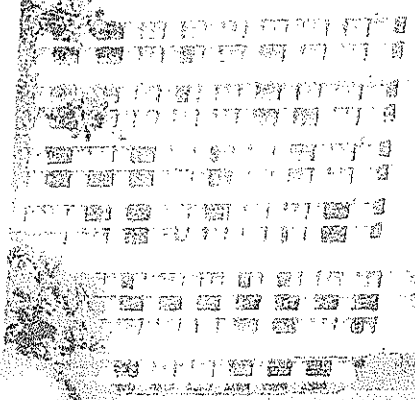
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