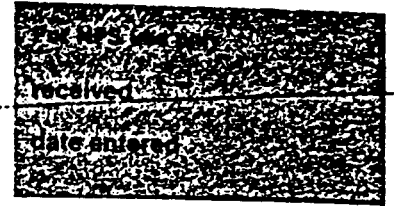


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Architectural Information

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Date of Construction: ca.1910

Stylistic Influence: Louisiana Raised Cottage

Original Use: Residence

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Geographical Information

UTM Reference: 15 638550/3678630

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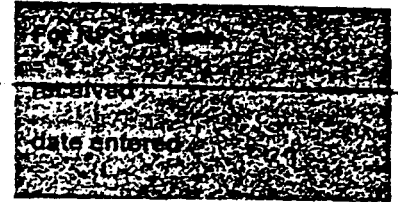
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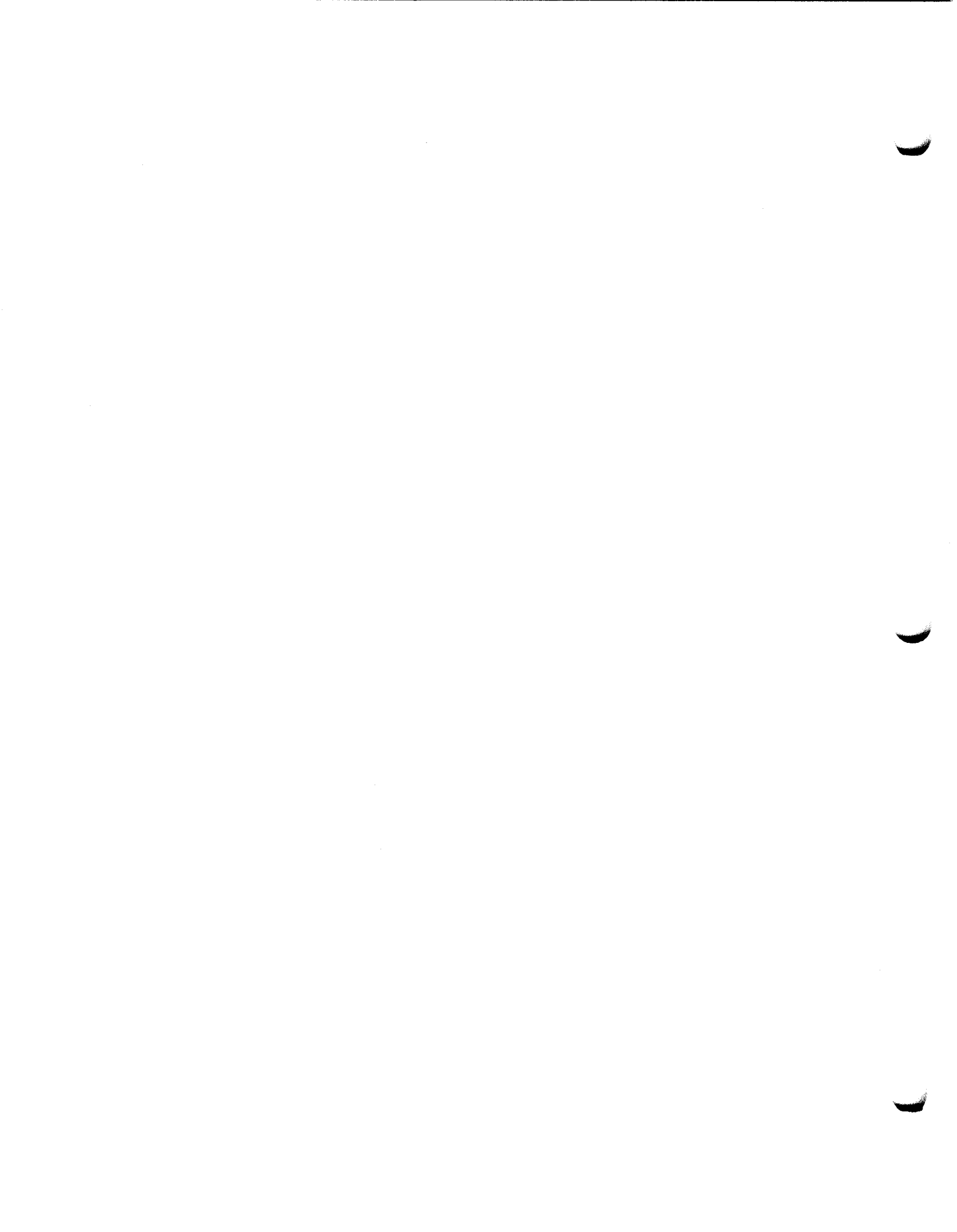
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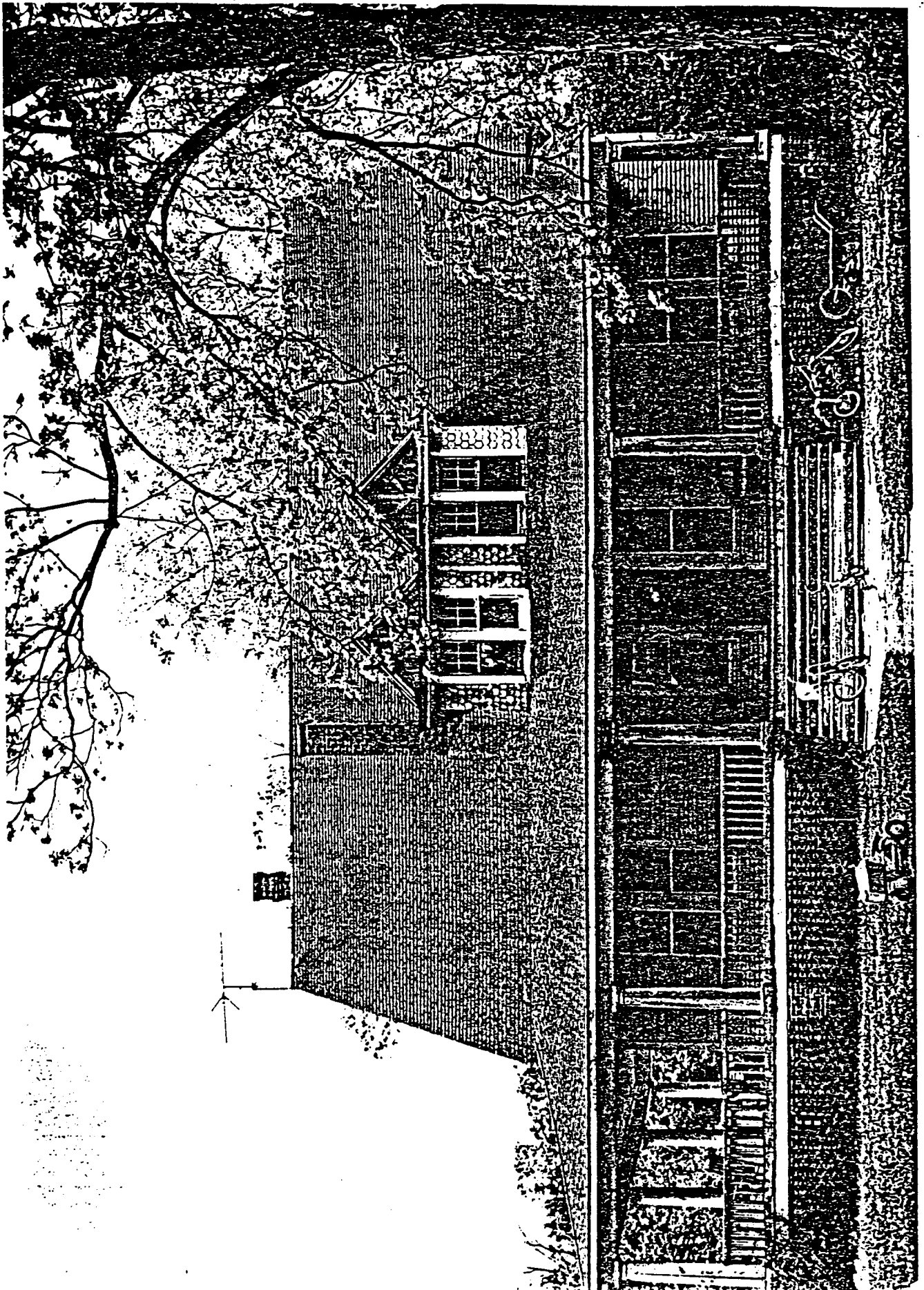
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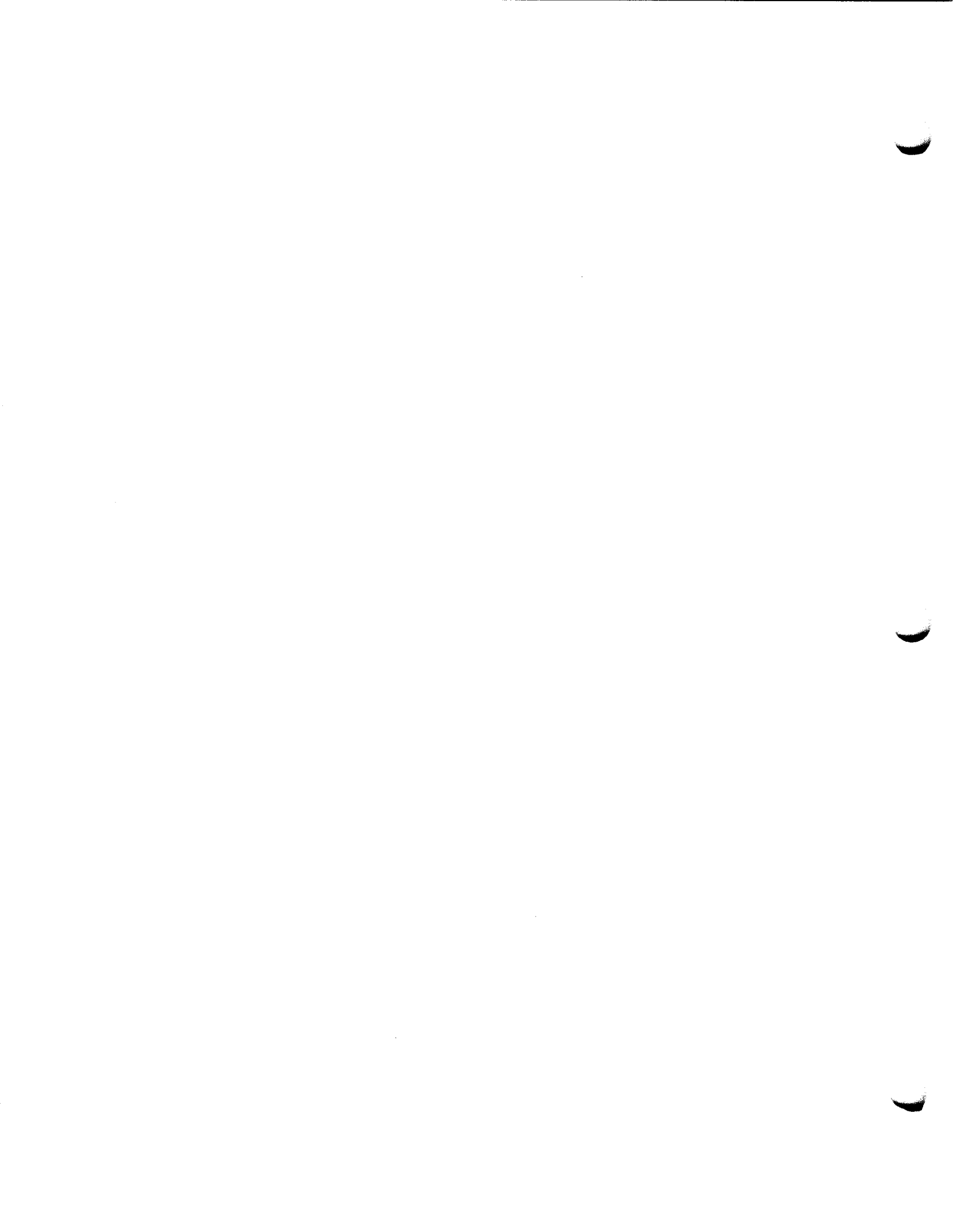
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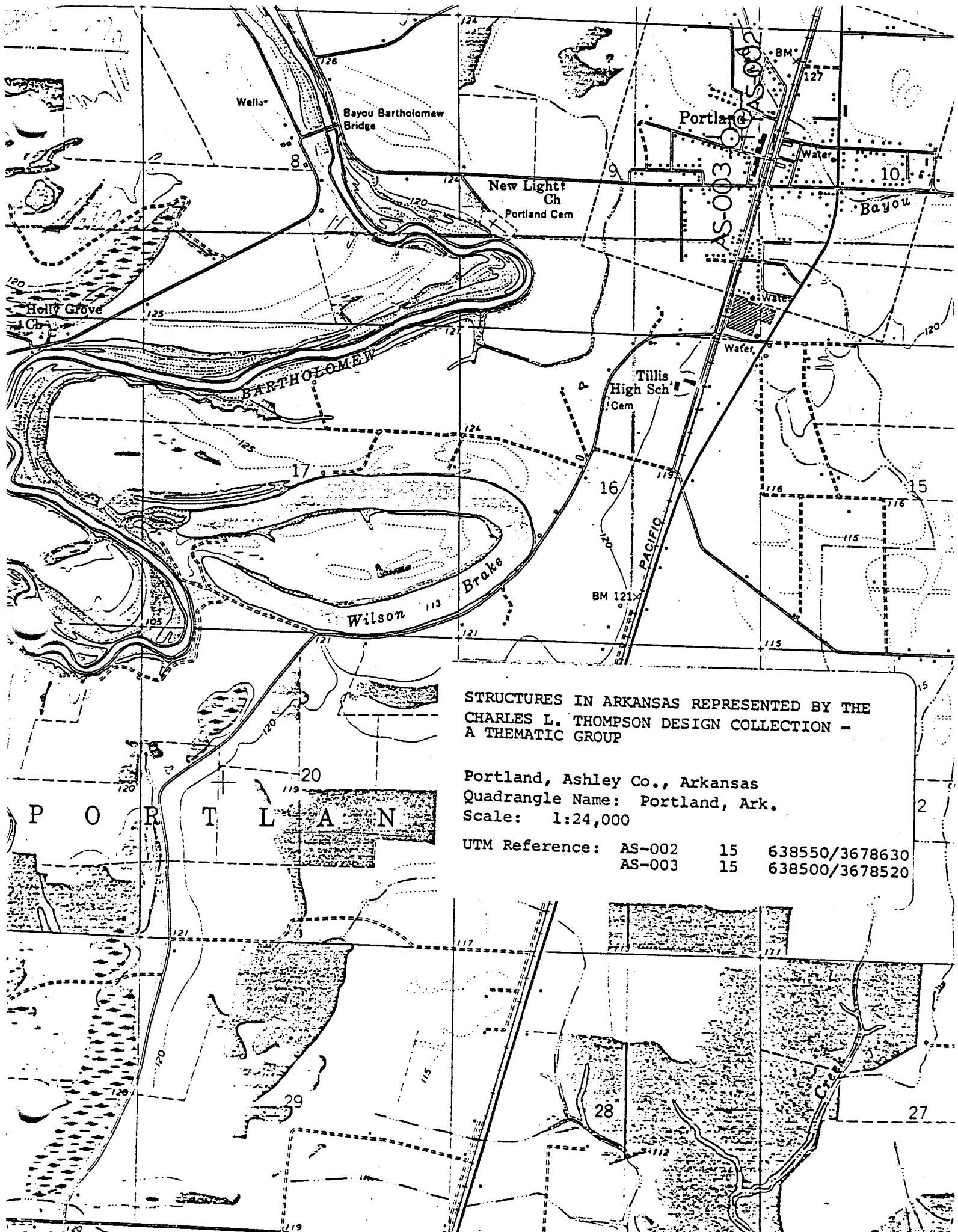
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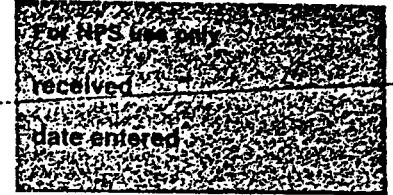
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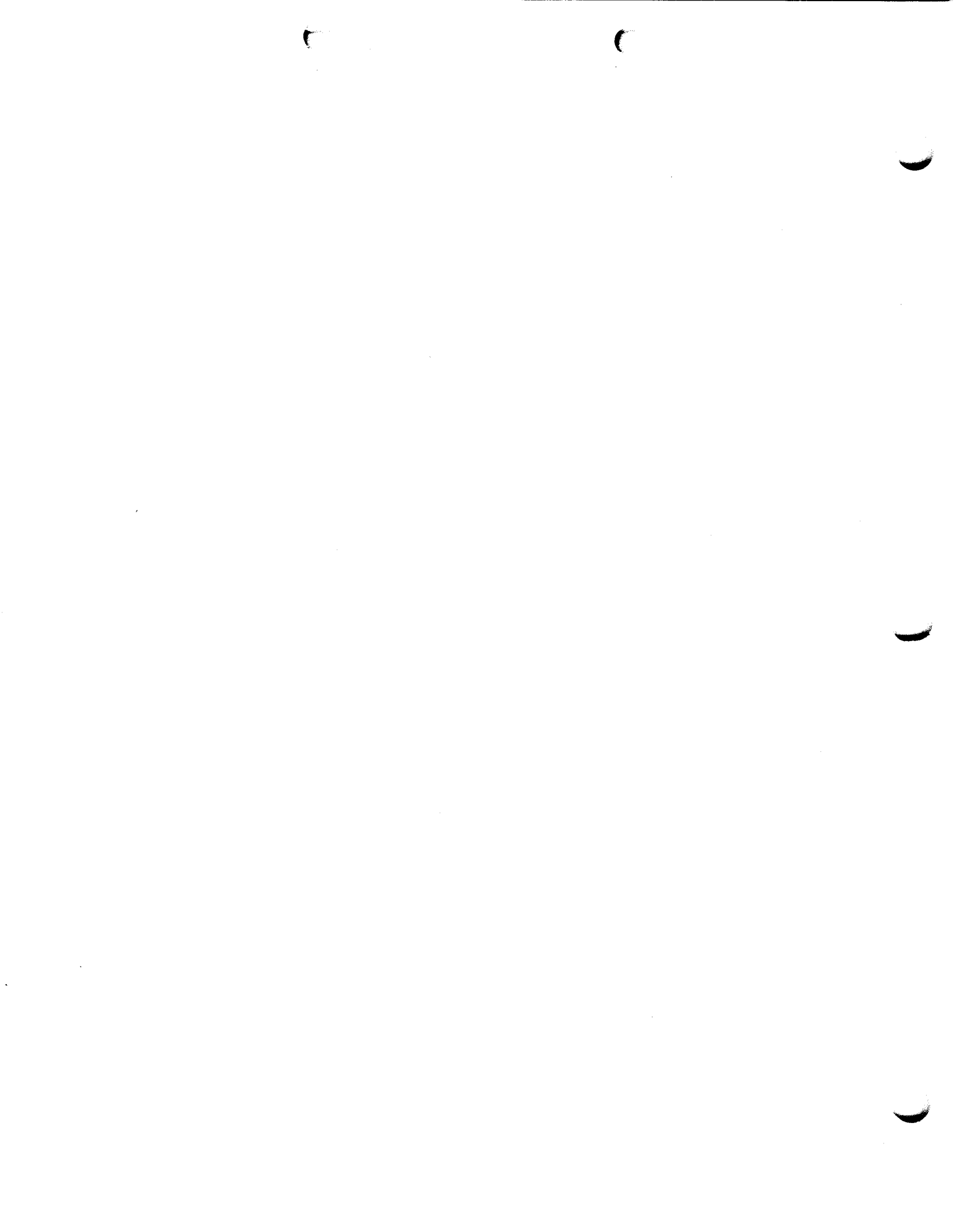
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