

in this place, but there has been discovered no  
 particle of evidence for the ascertainment of any  
<sup>ultra</sup> ~~extra~~ - human intelligence with the single  
 exception of the Book of the Law. The proof  
 is still in preparation, but I can say  
 sufficient to help any open minded man  
 of science to convince him of the essential  
 facts.

Such proofs are however altogether beyond  
 the scope of the understanding of the hard  
 man. It is in fact necessary to play on his  
 credulity, but this fact should put  
 us all the more on our human wits to put  
 forward anything to which the keenest criticism  
 can attach a just suspicion of fallacy.

It will be of the utmost  
 value to me as O.T.O. if you can  
 put into my hands a properly documented  
~~statement~~ of the succession  
 detailed in your letters, a succession  
 'worthy of respect & uninterrupted



in any such manner as might be held to imply, that is, had merely fallen by hazard from me chief to the next. Such proof must withstand the test of profane scholarship. altho it is not intended for demonstration to the uninitiate.

The point of all this is roughly speaking as follows:

It is T.W. first of all to est. the L. of H. & to this end I wish to obtain control of all existing movements. This is possible despite the natural jealousies & other inhibitions because there is no single person elsewhere in the world posing as a leader who is really sure of himself. They are all afraid of being found out, hence incidentally the universal fear of me as able & willing to expose falsehood wherever I find it.



This fear must be overcome by  
use of the Oedipus Complex of these  
unheroic persons. As soon as they <sup>see</sup>  
that it will be really much  
easier for them to kinkle under,  
w. they will readily do, as soon as  
convinced that the authority is  
genuine, it will be easy to collect  
the sheep into my fold & employ  
their united strength to accomp. the  
G.W.



~~Paul Case~~  
~~Plummer ?~~  
~~Spencer Lewis~~

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Dear Marion, 93

I thank you for your friendly letter. Philo. & lit. are interesting but their study must be suspended in the presence of crime. In some states of the union & those not the least worthy of respect, kidnapping is punishable w. death. There is no capital punishment in Italy & Mrs. B. may consider it the most fortunate day of her life when she is safely in jail in that country.

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P.S. - If you'd see Leah as she is in consequence of Alma's felony you would understand that no punishment could be severe enough for so ignoble a crime.

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Dear Family,

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You seem to have been misinformed  
 On certain pts. w. re to myself  
 but be assured that I never let  
 go. If I have the ~~state~~ <sup>of the case</sup> ~~facts~~ cor-  
 rectly y. are an accomplice  
 y are an acc. after the facts  
 in the kidnapping of H. W. I  
 strongly recommend you to consult  
 the nearest lawyer as to the  
 implication of this & for your  
 peculiar end let me ~~say~~ <sup>tell you</sup>  
~~that~~ I have the power to  
 punish & that I mean to  
 exercise it.



Blake

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There is no doubt about this proposition being a good one, for ordinary publishers would take it up at once if they were not afraid that it would hurt their other business. The existing business is quite big enough to form the nucleus of a new publishing house headquarters Paris principal business to issue very small, well produced editions of rare, old & curious works. We possess some thousands of Mss. dating from 1400 to 1600 some of which would be very valuable publications. They have been the property of the oldest existent of the Secret Societies of Europe.

See 28 White's G.

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Murray  
Cox's -

Orig. Inst.

1. all bks. Auntie hasn't got
2. Set of bks. sent to Traver
3. Ms. 777 - 1 copy of <sup>all</sup> Mag. diaries
- ~~4.~~
4. Isoetia - personal copies  
(Sant's Thumb)
5. Pay for what's been done -  
Jane.  
3 re-typed - revision  
1 held for N. H.  
1 used for Brod. etc.

Rituals

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Seqis

A. Star + star systems.

~~Order of Thelemites.~~

B. What books has he.

Mortadello - ~~brand~~ ala Samurum.

C.

D.

Concentrate on trans. of CXXX.

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## II Re conference

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various leaders of the matter is handled  
in accordance with the sense of T. I  
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riding their hobby horses I wish in the  
contingency that they may ride far afoot.  
This includes the people with whom I  
thoroughly disagree, there are other points  
of view besides my own. I can not exclude  
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not true to himself.

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You see I chose always to look at things in a very brutal way for these I am less likely to be deceived. The position is that the world is full of many robber chiefs I must show them that it is to their advantage to unite themselves under a strong head who will preserve to each one his privileges, protect him against his neighbors and enable him to sleep in security. Those who do not agree but prefer to remain isolated must feel themselves in danger of being attacked & exterminated by a combination. On the other hand, and this is my private justification, this voyage will tend to become more civilized as it increases in security & prosperity. Its members will be kept more closely by mutual advantage and become more loyal to the chief in perceiving that revolt offers no advantage but is dangerous. Such plans are of course familiar to you from history their breakdown has not been <sup>due to</sup> ~~due to~~ inherent weakness in the plan but in the fact

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that the underlings fell into the hands of self-seeking men. The question of success provoked the Emperor and they made very foolish blunders in policy in the illusion that their own sons should succeed them. I think that these considerations should be put before a few people of importance in such language as may be best suited to their understanding. Perhaps the enclosed manifesto may be of use as furnishing a basis. It may be necessary to employ a certain degree of mystery with regard to the authorship. I will rely entirely on you to manage this matter but I should like to know as fully and as promptly as possible exactly what you do and its results.

Name of the OTO:

It is difficult to get rid of these initials both for the reasons familiar to you and because in Equinox Vol III No I there are such important personifications of a new social order. However I must tell you that the Book of the Law has a habit of

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enforcing its injunctions; all work not  
in accordance with its secret design  
is checkmated. It seems then that we  
shall be safe to work by the light  
of this verse: -

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I am very glad of what you say about  
the translation. As you say Fichtelberg  
is the most important. One may go further  
& say the only important. But the intrinsic  
meaning of the book cannot be translated  
until the comment has been prepared and  
in spite of many efforts the true comment  
has not appeared at present.

### The Pansophic Lodges

Your plan is in all ways excellent.  
I would have you know that the Law  
of Helena provides for a distasteful  
of mankind on the sole basis of the  
individual will. He who refuses to accept  
this Law so far as he understands what  
he is doing is by that act a slave who -  
as the book says - shall serve. Such a  
one has no right beyond those of the

## Questionnaire

Name Permanent address

Age Present do

Condition

Where educated Distinctions

Occupation

Religious views

Purpose in life

Philosophical

Moral

Physical

Condition  
What illnesses?  
Attainments

Limitations

Preferred pleasures

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lower animals because he has not  
 dared to kill. It is a mockery of  
 language truly for such people  
 to pretend to kill as in any  
 democratic system.

Now then in these lodges we have  
 to our hand a <sup>number</sup> weapon of great  
 power. You say that you have  
 already something like a 1000  
 members but if they were a million  
 they would be no use if they are a  
 mob. They must be prepared to  
 accept discipline as in the army  
 and I must know the exact capacity  
 of each man. For this purpose it is necessary  
 to issue a questionnaire as enclosed. It must  
 be understood that each will be tested to  
 the full extent of his capacity and to  
 each must be promised the reward of  
 success which is not necessarily personal  
 advancement in the usual sense but the  
 initiation into secrets which will  
 enable him to do his will.

I wish here plainly to <sup>smell</sup> sweep away

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the coast of self-sacrifice; if I  
 jump into the sea to save a drowning  
 dog it is because my valuation is such  
 that my satisfaction is greater than if  
 I refrain. I am ~~surely~~ indulgent as  
 the barber who overcuts. In fact  
 more truly so because more intelligent - so  
 the thug who prides himself upon his  
 attainments is either deceiving himself or wishing to  
 deceive others, and all deception even the  
 most <sup>innocent</sup> is a work of time and a  
 source of confusion.

The difficulty which I have always  
 found most serious in training students  
 who appeal to me for assistance is their  
 lack of selfishness. They talk constantly  
 of attainment but they do not really wish to  
 get anywhere. Their interest in <sup>occult</sup> ~~occult~~-  
 science is in fact a flight from reality; of  
 such material nothing can be made save  
 beams of wood and drawers of water. It is  
 not only the law of T. but ordinary common  
 sense to assign each individual to his proper  
 place in the system. Those who will wither

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lead <sup>was</sup> they want be eliminated.

The Treasury

It appears to me that your library could be made a source of considerable wealth. There are probably many items which could be reproduced photographically or printed in limited editions at a high price. I am in touch with various people in America who can handle such business efficiently. You mention Duria as a suitable country for intervention. Are you in touch with any powerful people in that country? I wish to make a definite arrangement with the Govt. which will I think solve ~~one~~ of its most serious problems.

Do you possess a copy of my "Montadelli" if not I will send you one. ~~Are~~ Are you in touch with Reinhardt or some important producer. I feel sure it could be made a greater success than Salome or Summer and if this were achieved the <sup>Academy</sup> ~~reputation~~ would place us in a position of great power all over the world.

With regard to the A.A. I must explain



that the conditions are quite unique. There is no group thinking, the system is a chain system. There is no idea of property in the order so that the publications are given without question of copyright. It is therefore economically impractical to make any profit out of them. Also the system takes no account of persons; the greatest adept - many years that's precisely the same routine as the beginner. It is not attainment which constitutes advancement in the A.A. but the passing of a series of ordeals without the knowledge of the aspirant. It may well be that a man with very great knowledge & power and even of advanced spiritual capacity should fail miserably where the simple hearted ignorant passes scathless.

Occurrently Evidence

I have dealt very fully with this matter in my last letter. Thank you for the trouble you are taking

I have no suitable lectures at the present but shall perhaps be moved to write

to verify spelling of asse

something of the sort. I do not think by the way that you need seek for a good value of that word is used in the ordinary sense. Man requires in return when ~~they~~<sup>he</sup> hold things of real importance to say: it is only necessary to penetrate some fiery soul with the idea that the world can not be saved by the adoption of the S. of T. and "Do what thou wilt" will reach thro' the world more tremendously & widely than ever did "Allah's ~~will~~ abt'ain".

With regard to the venerable Frs of whom you write it is not necessary that they attend a conference for I can visit them in my travels & consult them personally. I assume that they have been notified of my appointment and I hope to receive expressions of their approval and to benefit by their benediction.

I do not at all know what has happened in the last few years with regard to the Grand Masterships especially in France Spain Italy Sweden & Turkey. Please get in touch with these men if you are not already so; we must create an



important international economic interests will  
 work harmoniously in all countries and those  
 which we can obtain important ends. The  
 time is ripe for movements of <sup>planned</sup> world-wide  
 importance and our action in our part would  
 be definitely unwise because if we do not  
 assume control of affairs others of ignorant  
 or malignant or both will certainly do so.

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short-nailed man for  
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under to unite all important movements under one head.

There is one important - if important - consideration in this matter. For the purpose of unity it is necessary that the chief should be able to handle the forces of free woman, that the dry bones may live, and the appointment of a woman would be a formal impediment.

a rich man  
|  
sti

a rich man [ma = 41 = ~~Di~~]  
= Christian

There is some sort of  
The famous Abstract & True  
story of inspired writings or traditional documents  
removed + burnt by the Daughters of the Founders.  
People of the world to

mistake simply must not be made. It is yr  
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Mrs. L. belongs, I believe, to a group called  
The Church of the Veritans, presumably a branch

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a rich man = Christian

[ma = 41 = ~~21~~]

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of the famous Black & Tan. There is some sort of story of inspired writings or traditional documents removed + burnt by the Daughter of the Founder. Despite the word Virginians I should investigate the

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[To C. Stamford Jones. In hand of Leah] Achad

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+ [85,000?]

My beloved son,  
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As you failed to recognize Abeignus beneath the obvious blind Belmont I sup. I had better tell you frankly that despite very marked superficial differences the Royal Art may not be so far from the Regal Art. + If you consult the Sabal. Dict. compiled by that sublime Brotherhood which disguises itself under the name Telephone Co. you will penetrate the great mystery of the King's Daughter. The above is my final comment on the Bride's Reception. Further note on the Sabalah.

Thy sire

P.S. This matter of Aunt Jen. is of vital importance + must be handled v. diplomatically. The whole course of the affair has been so highly mag. as y. will see when you read my record that a

single moment for we do not know from 1 hour to the next when a crisis of some sort may occur

People the world. V. P. ...

Essex Street, London, E.C. 1  
Tel. 27 110

My Beloved son,  
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+ [£5.5.05 9 1]

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~~As you failed to recognize Oberignus beneath the obvious blind Belmont track. I had better tell you frankly that despite very marked paper-  
pencil differences the Royal Art-  
may not be so far from the  
Royal Art & I for you cannot the  
Royal Art. But I am troubled by that  
sublime Brotherhood which  
his Guineas will under the name  
Telephone Co. you will penetrate  
the great system where is my mind  
Royal Art. The Bride & Reception.  
I understand on the 2nd of Feb.~~

Thy sire

P.S. This matter of Aunt Jean is of vital importance & must be handled diplomatically. The whole course of the affair has been so highly hazy. So I will see when you read this please do not

Despite the word... Veritas... I shall investigate the



[m2 = 41 = ~~Di~~]

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The famous ~~Black & White~~  
story of inspired writings or traditional documents  
removed, + burnt by the Daughters of the Founders.  
The ~~Daughters of the Founders~~

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40 that completes the circle.  
I believe to a plan called  
critans, manually a hand

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next when a writer of some sort may occur

[To C. Stamford 9/25/1905. In his  
leak] . Acha

My beloved son,  
9.3  
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I sup. I had bet  
~~that~~ despite  
pical differences  
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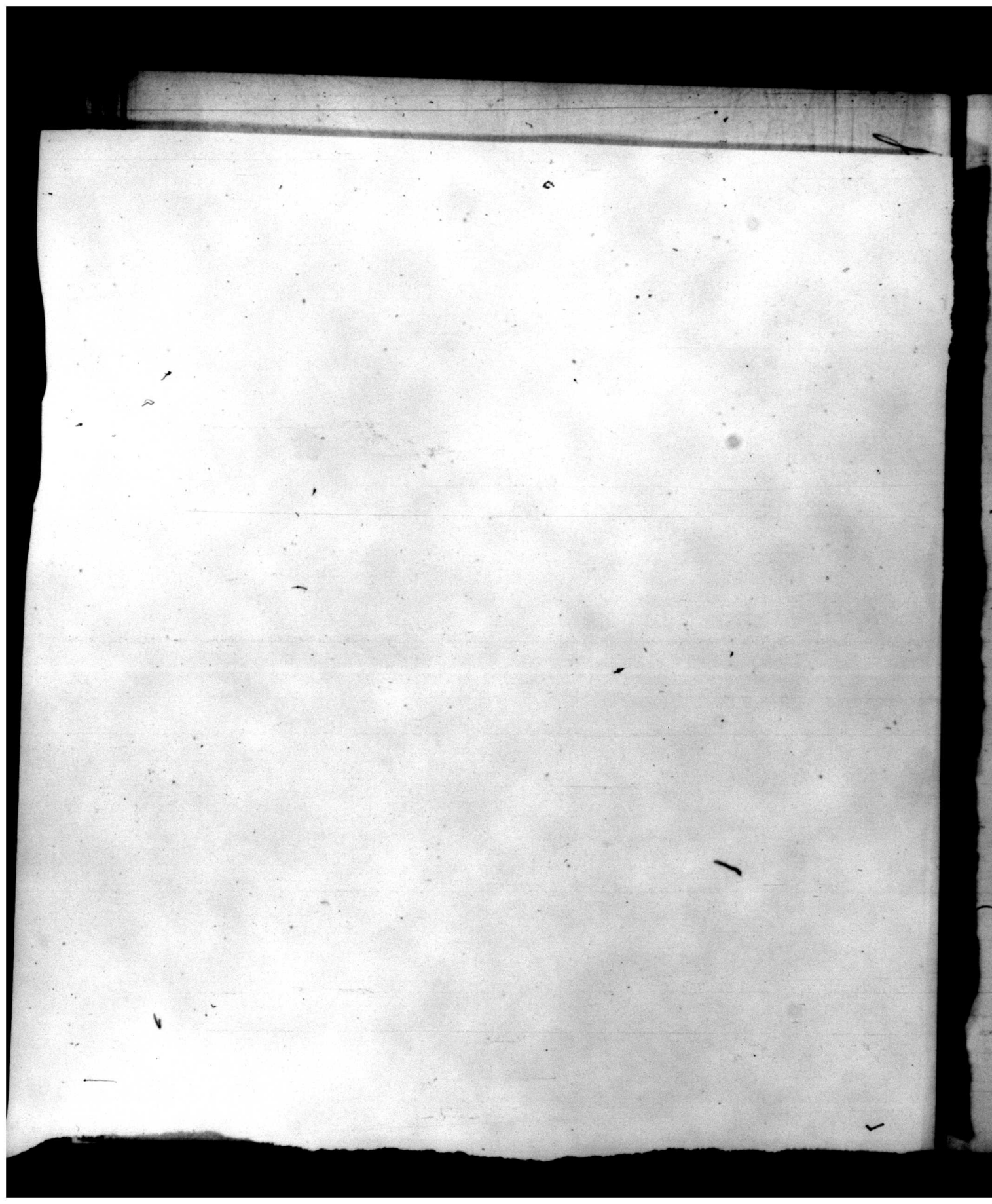
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(in hand of death)

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O.V.

Dear Mrs. L.

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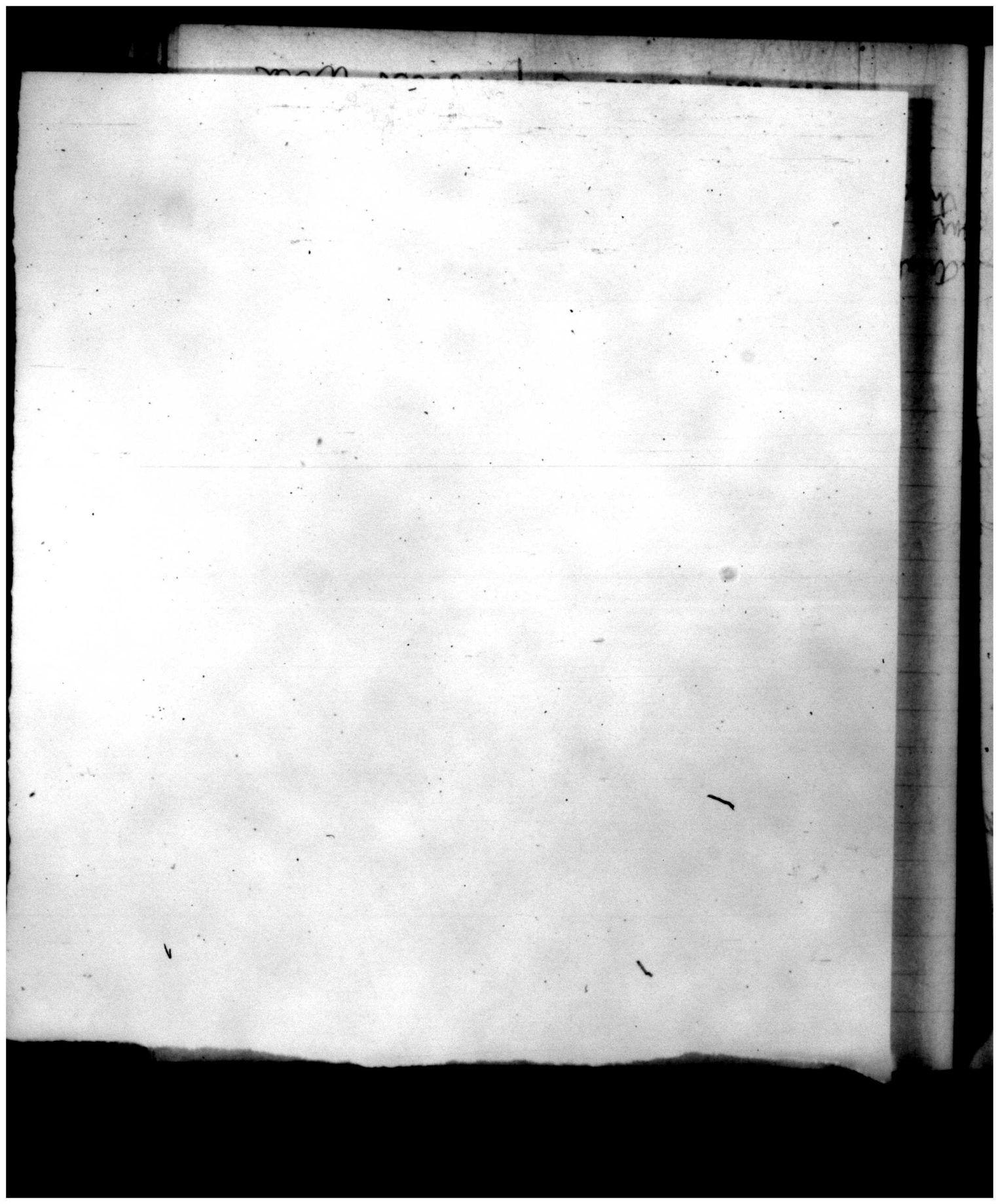
This is to intro. Frater A. my son in  
the spirit who has known me & worked  
w. me for many years. I think you  
will find the information he can  
give you very useful in helping  
AA. to a happy solution of her  
problems.

But I feel quite sure of this:  
that you will find many subjects  
of common interest & sincere  
sympathy

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to reply by aet. of post & let me know cost. So that I  
can send you a postal order by boat leaving Tunis leaving  
Barron - mail note asking them to forward cable etc. direct here.

separate as if single  
model simply be good

### Curazzi

I left w. with you some 2 yrs.  
ago. a wax model of an idol  
of w. you promised to let me have  
proof in a few days. I have  
not yet rec'd it - will you  
please let me have 1 here at  
once.

Review

I want a couple of the  
Bronze walls. stiles patterned  
bright green - The the 3 examples  
you supplied 2 yrs. ago the triple  
flame at the top had been  
squeezed together to form a single pt.

To reply by airtel. I post a letter to you. So that I  
can send you a postal order by hand leaving Tunis early  
Person - mail - note asking them to 122  
forward cable etc. direct here.

separate as a single  
model kindly be good

Emergis

I left with 1 one 2 yrs  
ago a model of 1 one ideal  
part in a few days. I have  
not yet received it - will you  
please let me know I hope it  
comes

I want a couple of the  
Benny walls. Sticks followed  
right green - One the 3 examples  
supplied 2 yrs ago the triple  
I have at the top has been  
replaced together to form a single pt.

Process

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Banks -

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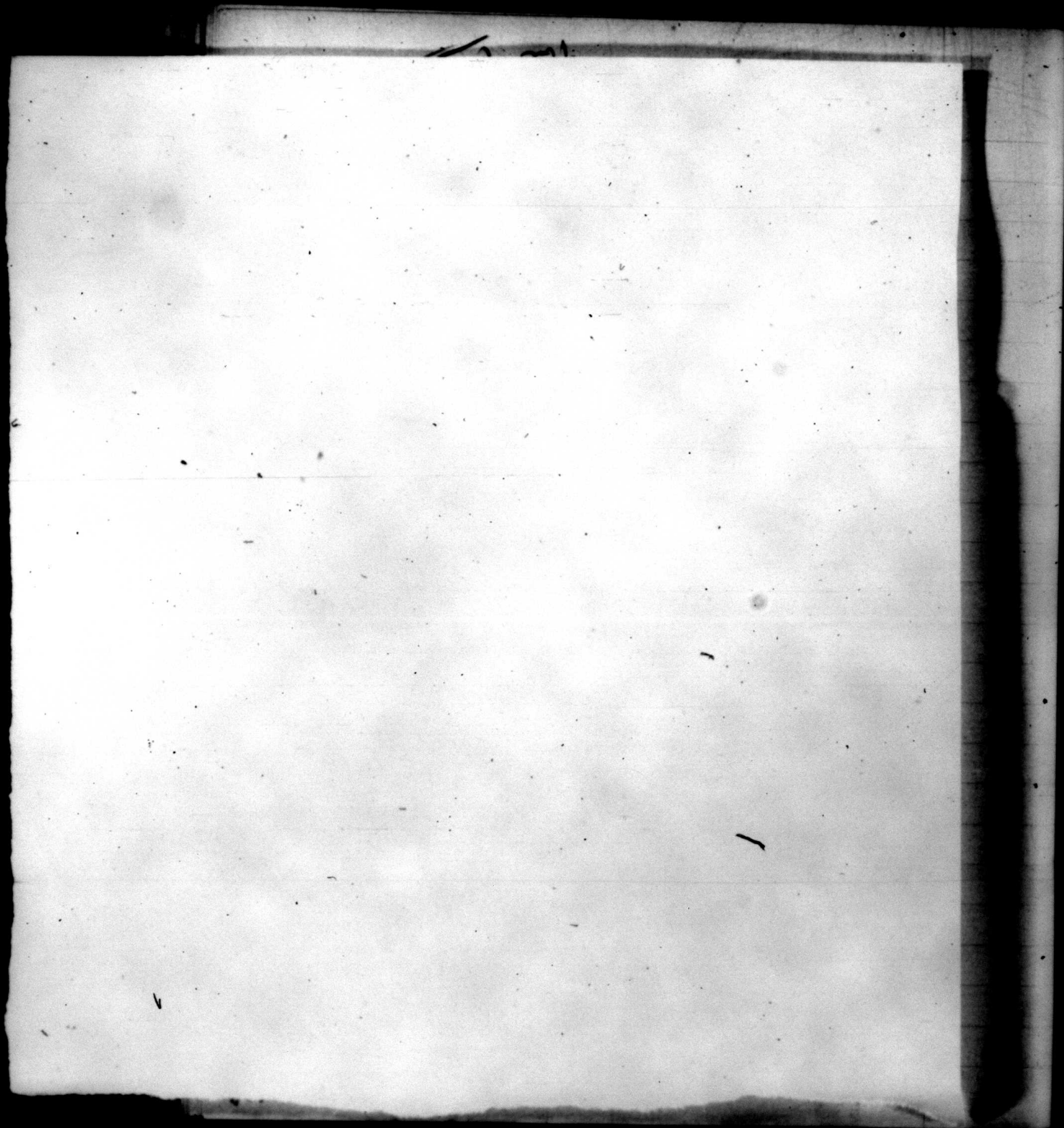
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appropriate for a single  
model I can do by the 9th of June

Remains



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The enclosed manifesto has been worded so as to meet the situation caused by the glamour w. has been cast by the Masters around the personality of the author. This has been necessary in order to prevent any premature manifestation of their plans or any assumption of authority on his part before they had completed his initiation.

It is important to observe that his interest in Occult Science did not begin until after the death of H. P. B. He always held her in absolute reverence as a genuine messenger for the Masters of the world. He has nothing to do with any of her successors on the express grounds that they were entirely faithless to the essence of her teaching. His views on the subject have been partially published in an edition of The Voice of the Silence supplement to Vol. III no. I of Eqv. Detroit 1919.



He wrote his notes <sup>v. much</sup> on H.P.B.'s  
own principle. A <sup>careful</sup> <sup>personal</sup>  
study <sup>of</sup> <sup>the</sup> <sup>matter</sup> <sup>should</sup> <sup>satisfy</sup> <sup>you</sup> <sup>of</sup> <sup>his</sup> <sup>full</sup>  
right to judge the matter.

His fundamental position is  
this: That whereas such works  
as Isis Unveiled & The Secret  
Doctrine might conceivably have  
been compiled by Scholarship,  
The V. of the Silence offers irrefragable  
evidence of intimate, initiated  
knowledge impossible to express  
in the language of reason,  
& also of the sublime inspiration  
unmistakable in character.

The time has now arrived  
when it is no longer possible  
for those who sent forth H.P.B.  
to allow her message to fade out  
in theoretical ~~studies~~ studies or  
even in personal attainments. These

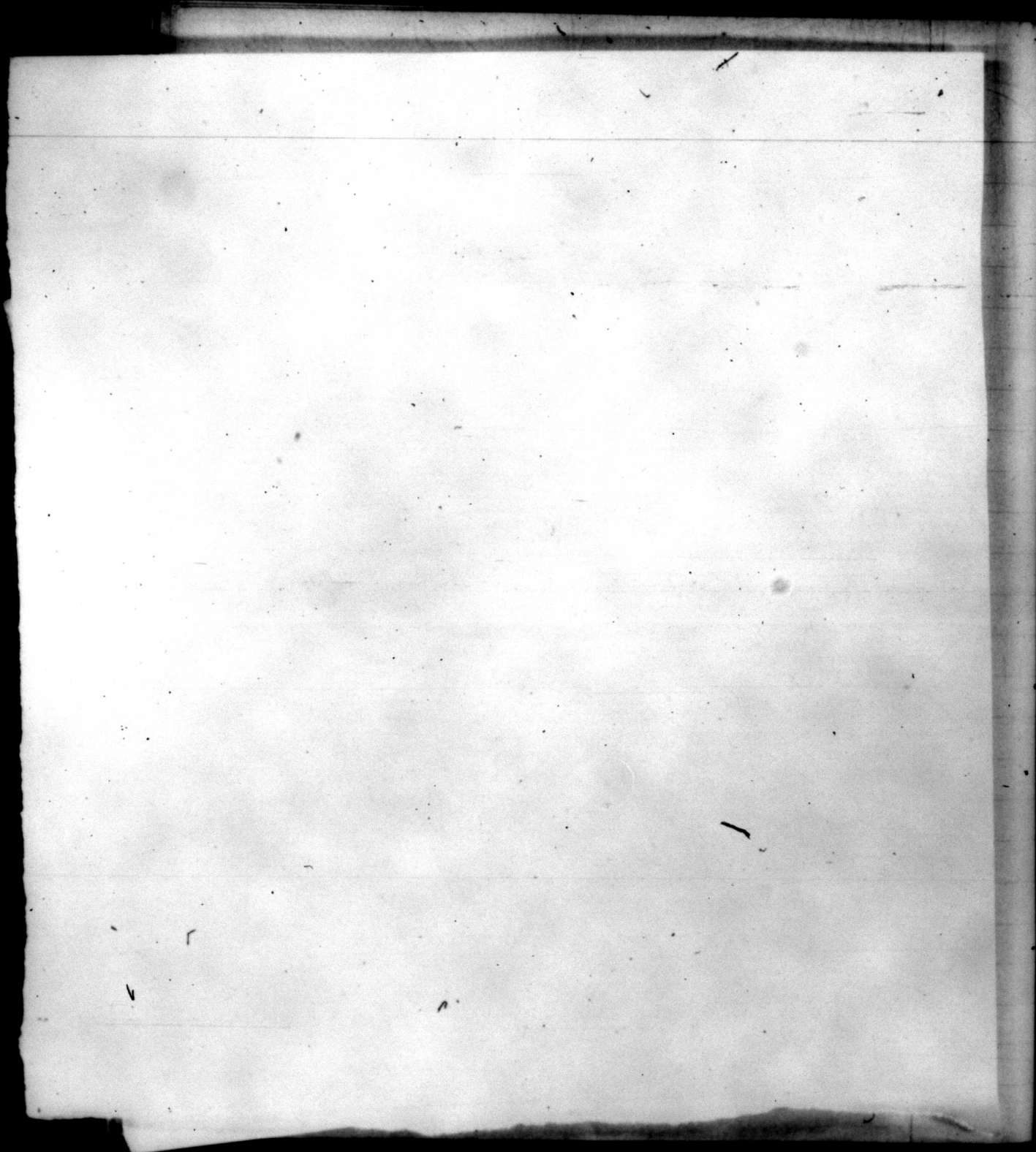


organized

~~following~~ is no body of Adepts and only me in Europe, w. can offer convincing scientific proof of its hierarchical succession in the past 4 centuries, & that body has chosen the author of the Manifesto for its head. In his letter of acceptance he states his views as follows:

Quote.

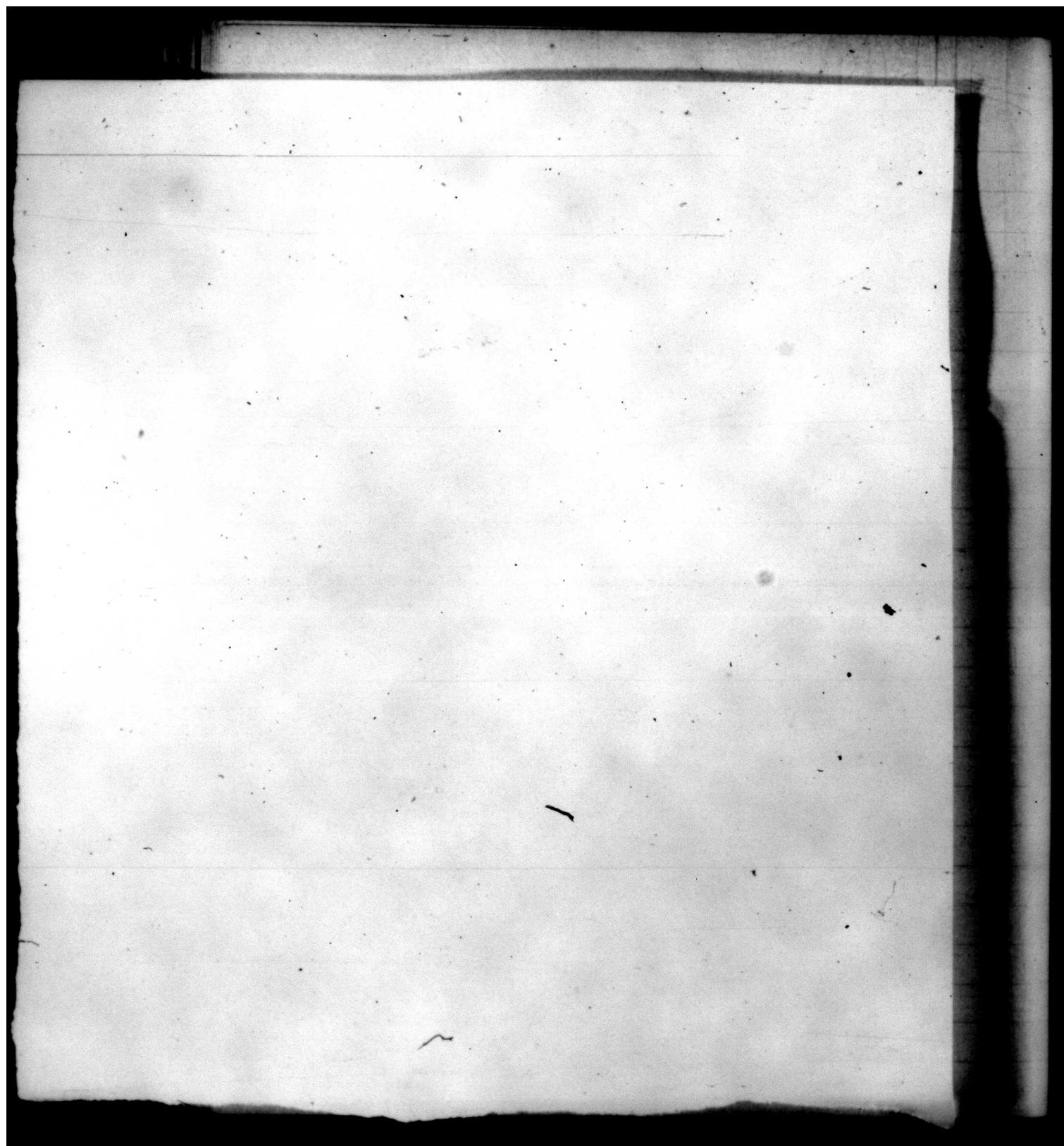
We put it to you that the author of the Manifesto is the legitimate successor of H.P.B. The fact that he has never com-  
promised himself w. any branch of the T.S. is highly significant. You will notice that your own movement has been v. accurately timed to meet his manifestation but it is never any use ~~to~~ in any movement to attempt to go back to primitive conditions for however pure & sublime may have



Amer. E. Staples

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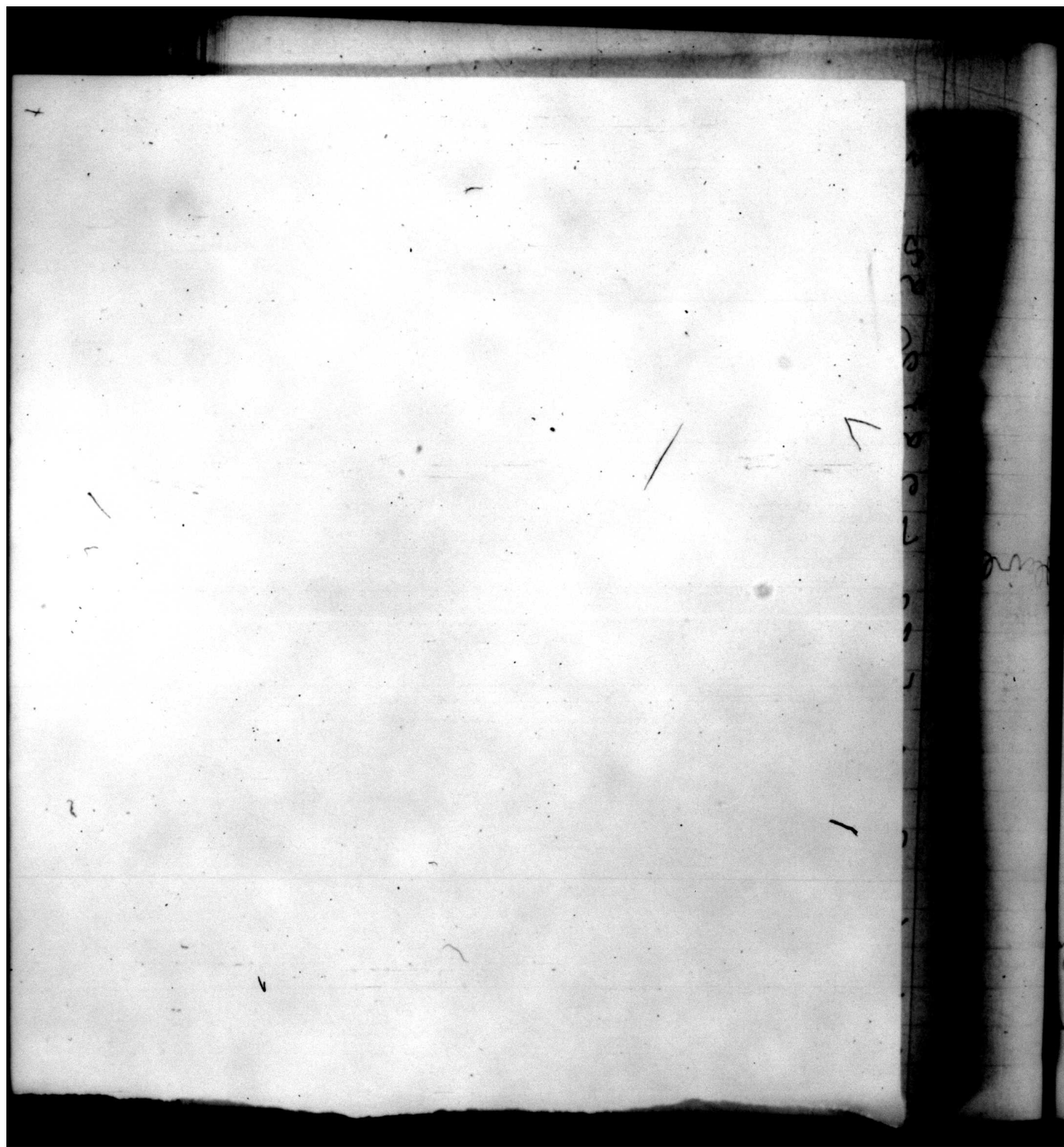
been the orig. impulse, the conditions are no longer the same. The play has been thoroughly leavened by the mission of H.A.B. But from that work there has sprung no fruitful plant. It was never the intention of the Masters that Theosophy as such shld. conquer the world, for the time had not yet come for the proclamation of the Law of the New Aeon. The more carefully you consider this matter the more clearly will the plan of the Masters become apparent to you.



## Conference

Explanation called at this particular  
 moment & <sup>highlighting</sup> authority of  
 people who call it.  
 Note of historical importance of  
 it. — Any self-respecting Mov. has  
 got to be represented

(end of the letter to Trinker)



10 of cups is not Perfected Success <sup>1. 188</sup>  
is the Lord of ~~the~~ too much success.  
All these are had being perfected from unlearned

Feb. 5 - 9 of Pentacles 9 15

mq

or ♀

curious sky - slate gray  
muddy - traces of light  
vase with double diamond  
no definite color in sky.

Can't get through - it seems too  
long

Bluish purple cloud

Rainbow effect - very close a  
real rainbow - red between  
purple - green line at bottom  
movement in it - slightly  
changing color.

Suck money.

Road money. An English  
sovereign. It belongs to an  
old miser - a rich man  
hoarding wealth - from  
investments - property  
left him. x Breweries and  
✓ from mq (continued 14/7/88)

to  
card  
contains  
the  
card