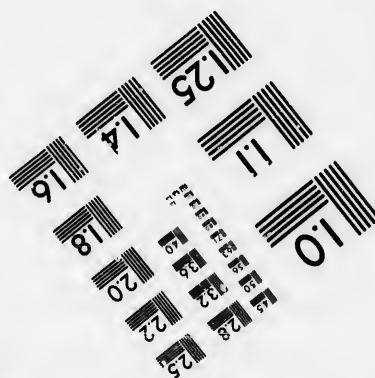
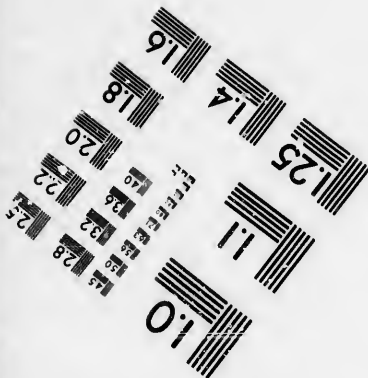
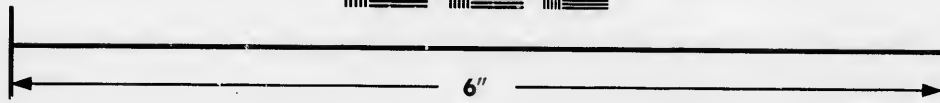
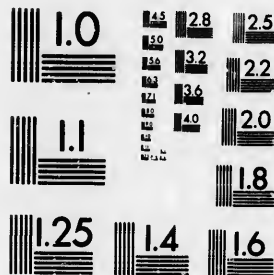


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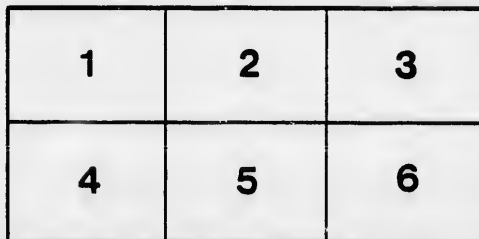
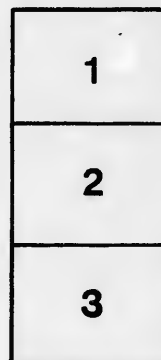
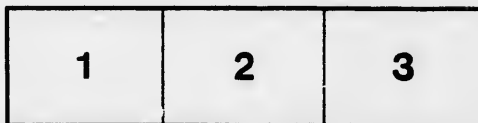
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ACT II—Faust is introduced into Marguerite's garden by Mephisto, who leaves a casket of jewels before her spinning wheel. Marguerite shows the jewels to Martha. Mephisto slyly plans with Martha that Faust and Marguerite shall meet again.

ACT III—Faust meets Marguerite's brother, Valentine, and, tempted by Mephisto, kills him in a duel; Mephisto is again triumphant. Marguerite's story for the present ends where it began, at the Cathedral where the "Judgment Chant" is being sung for the souls of the dead.

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