

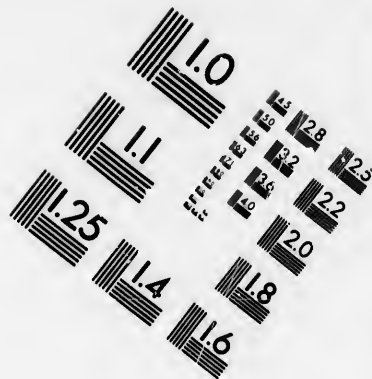
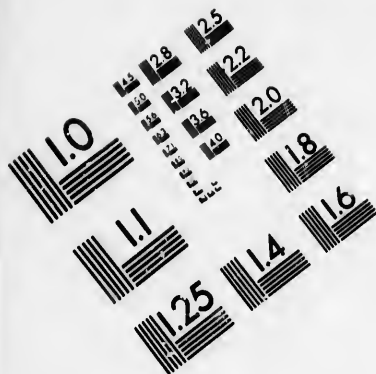
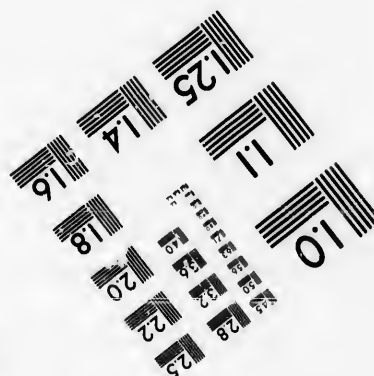
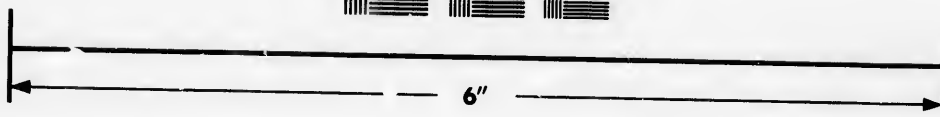
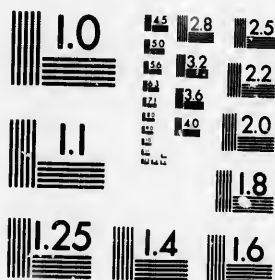


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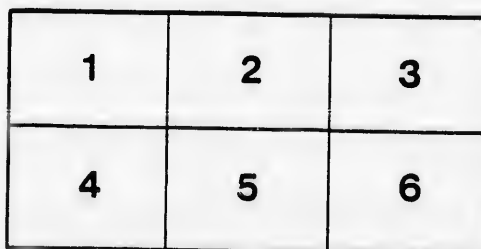
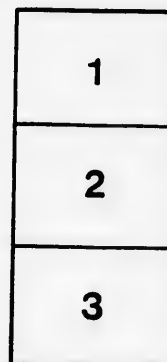
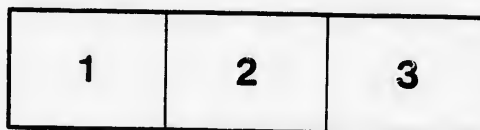
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Count Von Guggenheim, who made them twisted	Francis M. Ball
Maj. Duncombe, with memories of last night	Leander de Cordova
Robert Walton, Mrs. Smith's brother	Charles Haydon
Harvey, a servant in the home of John Smith	Thomas M. Jarvis
Mrs. John Smith, who loves her husband no matter where he lives	Adeline Mann
Mrs. Billetdoux, Mrs. Smith's Aunt	Julie Morton
Miss Smith, a lady in waiting	Nellie Lindroth
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PROGRAMME.

SYNOPSIS.

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ACT I.—Morning. ACT II.—Afternoon. ACT III.—Evening.

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Business Manager.....Lorn L. Haight
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