

# FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

L.A. FILE NO. 9-438

THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT **LOS ANGELES, CALIF.**

OFFICE OF ORIGIN <b>LOS ANGELES, CALIF.</b>	DATE WHEN MADE <b>8/31/40</b>	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE <b>8/30/40</b>	REPORT MADE BY [REDACTED] <b>b7c</b>
TITLE <b>CLARENCE, - VICTIM</b> <b>b7c</b>		CHARACTER OF CASE <b>EXTORTION</b>	
SYNOPSIS OF FACTS <p>All logical leads have been run to their conclusion; therefore, this case is being closed.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">- C -</p>			
REFERENCES: Report of Special Agent [REDACTED], dated at San Francisco, Calif., 8/21/40. <b>b7c</b>			
DETAILS: <b>b7c</b> As noted in report of reference, [REDACTED] could not be located in San Francisco, Calif. All logical leads having been run to their conclusion, this case is being closed. Subject to be reopened upon receipt of further information concerning [REDACTED].			
<b>- CLOSED -</b>			
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[REDACTED]		9-6434-13	
[REDACTED]		SEP 5 1940	
[REDACTED]		[REDACTED]	

**FILE DESCRIPTION**

**SUBJECT** Clark Gable

**FILE NO.** 9-7006

190-36269-  
Enclosure

Federal Bureau of Investigation  
United States Department of Justice

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA  
December 3, 1942

Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Re: ~~TIMOTHY SULLIVAN~~  
CLARA GABLE; CAROL LOMBARD - Victims;  
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

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Dear Sirs:

I am transmitting herewith a letter addressed to  
CLARA GABLE, postmarked at Los Angeles, California, August 17,  
1942, which was turned over to this office by an official of  
the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studio.

The exact contents of this communication are be-  
ing set forth in the enclosure attached to this communication.  
It is requested that a handwriting examination be made of this  
communication in an effort to identify the writer and in order  
that samples of the handwriting may be placed in the Bureau's  
files in the event the writer is not identified.

Very truly yours,

*R. B. Hood*  
R. B. Hood  
Special Agent in Charge.

REB:MG  
7-237  
Enclosure.

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9-7006-1  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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*[Redacted]*

*[Redacted]*

*[Handwritten initials]*

ORIGINAL TO LABORATORY

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Los Angeles, Cal  
Aug. 18 - 1948

Mr. Clark Gable  
c/o N.Y.

Dear Sir:-

I am an exconvict who has for the past several years been  
trying to make a go of it on the "up and up" and so far an keep-  
ing my nose clean. I do not as a rule associate with other exconvicts  
although I do see them often on the street. But last night (Saturday  
Aug. 17th) while waiting for a car at 7th and Hill I was accosted by  
a man whom I remember as having been in Falcon when I was there.  
After a few moments of general conversation he made me the following  
proposition, which I turned flatly down and gave but little thought  
to it but after thinking it over there was something to it.

Here is his plan. He is to buy a car with a portable  
red spot-light and drive dress in a police uniform (my size and ap-  
pearance was why he said he wanted me to go in with him as he felt  
a convict would be an advantage, and because you and Miss Ann and  
some party whom you can recruit a deserted place pull you over to the  
side of the road and blow up the place. With being armed and  
you and your driver being thrown off guard by the uniforms, remove  
you all from the car or proceed on in yours which even appears the  
best - handcuff or tie you up and blind fold you with tape then drive  
for an hour or more to a prepared spot in a private house. Miss  
Annard is to be blow up to a hot to catch under which will be a  
time bomb. You will be shown the bomb and its workings explained to  
you. You are to be kept at the place until early in the morning when  
the bomb will be blow up for 12 hours. You are then to be blow up to  
raise 5 - 10 or 15 thousand dollars in which by the time the place  
and way of blow up will be arranged. The order being that if you are  
blow up of the place to blow up the place the blow up will  
fall to meet you and the bomb will go off. (He said he hoped you  
could fall then the best witness blow up Stanyak and Robert Taylor  
would be easier to deal with) but if you fulfill your part you  
will be blow up the place to blow up the place to blow up the place  
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That's the story Mr. Cable as it was told to me of course this is only a brief out line as he spent some 15 or 20 minutes explaining it all to me. It may only be a fanatics pipe dream but he seemed sincere and was well dressed and had money and said he had a car and would drive me home but I declined. I have been thinking about it ever since and have come to the conclusion it is my duty to write to you.

I hope Mr. Cable you will understand that I am trying to do the honest thing in this and my only reason for writing you is I believe the party really means to try the stunt and I am trying to be a law abiding citizen myself.

If there is any way I can be of more help I can be reached at my room at [REDACTED] St., eve. I work from 7:30 until 5 pm. but am home by a few minutes after 6 ever night.

Very truly yours,

[REDACTED]

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December 13, 1940

AIR MAIL

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&  
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9-7000-1  
Special Agent in Charge  
Los Angeles, California

Re: Unknown Subject; Clark Gable;  
Carol Lombard - Victims;  
Kidnaping (████████████████████).  
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Dear Sir:

There is transmitted herewith the laboratory report covering the examination of specimens submitted by your office in connection with the above-entitled matter and transmitted by your communication dated December 3, 1940.

Very truly yours,

J. E. Hoover

John Edgar Hoover  
Director

COMMUNICATIONS SECTION  
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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

*[Handwritten signatures and initials, including "96" and "pk"]*



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The handwriting and handprinting appearing on Q1 through Q3 were searched in the anonymous letter file but no identification was effected.

Q1 through Q3 were processed for latent fingerprints but none of value was developed.

The original evidence is being retained in the files of the Laboratory. Photographic copies are being transmitted to your office herewith.

2 - Bureau  
2 - Los Angeles  
1 - Laboratory

Los Angeles 202  
Aug. 18-1940Mr. Clark Gable  
to M.G.M.

Dear Sir:

I am an exponent who has in the past several years been trying to make a go of it on the up and up side as far as keeping my nose clean. It's not as a rule done with other exponents although I do see them often on the street. But last night (Saturday Aug 11th) while waiting for my car at 9th and Hill I was accosted by a man whom I remember as having been in prison when I was there. After a few moments of general conversation he put me the following proposition which I turned flatly down. I gave out little thought to it but after thinking it over three months something to it.

Here is his plan. He is to equip a car with a portable red spot-light and seven men in a police uniform (my size and appearance was why he wanted me to go in with him or he felt I could double as an officer) and follow you and Miss Pauline from some party where you can reach a deserted place just off our to the curb. He'll get into the car and I'll get into the car with some other men. They'll be armed.

also you and your cell being  
down off guard. The uniforms  
remove you all from the car or  
people on in yours which ever  
appears the best. hand cuff on  
the you up and blind fold you  
with tape then drive for an  
hour or more to a prepared  
spot in a private house. This  
house is to be chained to  
the bed on each side which  
will be a time bomb you  
will be shown the bomb and  
the workings explained to you  
you are to be kept at the place  
until early in the morning when  
the bomb will be set for 12 noon  
you are then to be instructed to

raise 5-10 or 15 thousand dollars  
in cash by ten a.m. and  
a place and way of contact  
will be arranged. the orders  
being that if you are followed  
do not make any effort to contact  
the kidnapper will find  
you and the bomb will  
go off. He said he hoped you  
would find them the next victims  
John through and Robert Taylor  
and in contact with  
the kidnapper. The man  
said that the kidnapper  
will be in contact with  
the kidnapper.

you is I believe the party  
really means to try the  
street and I am trying  
to be a law abiding citizen  
myself.

If there is any way  
I can be of more help

I can be reached at my room

at 1537 W 9<sup>th</sup> St any

time. I work from 7<sup>am</sup>

until 5 pm. but am home

by a few minutes after 6

am night.

Very truly yours

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money and said. A had a  
and would direct me  
but I advised I  
been thinking about  
ever since and have  
to the conclusion it  
my duty to write to

I hope Mr. Gable  
understands this

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with only enough time for you to rush to help. I hope you will be given the being as you will not see the officers until the procedure has had time to get in the clear.

That the story was given as it was told to me of course this is only a brief outline as he spent some 30 or 40 minutes explaining it all to me. It may only be a fantastic pipe dream. But he seemed sincere.

PLEASE PRINT NAME AND ADDRESS  
ON THE FRONT OF THE ENVELOPE

Mr. Clark. 9400

10202 WASHINGTON BLVD

SILVER CITY  
DALLAS



# FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORT MADE AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

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REPORT MADE AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA	DATE WHEN MADE 1-15-41	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 9/8, 9, 10/29/40	REPORT MADE BY [REDACTED] 37C DP
TITLE SUBJECTS: CLARK GABLE; CAROL LOMBARD - Victims. [REDACTED] 37C			CHARACTER OF CASE KIDNAPING

### SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

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Letter dated August 13, 1940 addressed to Mr. CLARK GABLE, c/o M. G. M. Studios, 10202 Washington Boulevard, Culver City, Calif., signed by [REDACTED] Los Angeles, stating that he was accosted by an unidentified man in Los Angeles, August 17, 1940, who presented a plan for the kidnaping and holding of CLARK GABLE and CAROL LOMBARD for ransom. Investigation disclosed [REDACTED] no longer living at [REDACTED] Los Angeles. Present whereabouts unknown. Instant letter forwarded to Bureau Laboratory, Washington. Original, Credit, Post Office records checked with negative results.

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contained information relative to a plan for the kidnaping and holding of CLARK GABLE and CAROL LOMBARD for ransom. [redacted] stated that the letter in question had been handled by no one at the studio other than himself and [redacted], an employee in the Script Department of the same studios.

The letter in question was enclosed and is quoted

as follows:

b7c [redacted]  
Los Angeles Cal  
Aug. 18 - 1935

MR. CLARK GABLE  
c/o M.C.A.

Dear Sir:-

I am an ex-convict who has for the past several years been trying to make a go of it on the "big end up" and so far am keeping my nose clean. I do not go to work with other ex-convicts although I do see them often on the street. But last night (Saturday Aug. 17th) while waiting for a car at the Hill, I was approached by a man whom I remember as being a former inmate of the same prison. After a few words of conversation he made me the following proposition, which I turned flatly down and which I thought to be just after thinking it over over to be something to do.

He is to supply a car with a motor and wheels and a man dressed as a police officer. The man was why he said he was a police officer and I could handle the car. He said he had a car and I could handle it. He said he had a car and I could handle it. He said he had a car and I could handle it.

prepared spot in a private house. MISS LANSBARD is to be chained to a bed or couch under which will be a time bomb. You will be shown the bomb and its workings explained to you. You are to be kept at the place until early in the morning when the bomb will be set for 12 noon. You are then to be instructed to raise 5 - 10 or 15 thousand dollars in cash by ten a.m. and a place and way of contact will be arranged, the orders being that if you are followed or make any effort to contact the law the kidnapper will fail to meet you and the bomb will go off. (He said he hopped you would fail than the next victims BARBARA SPANWYK and ROBERT TAYLOR would be easier to deal with) but if you fulfill your part you will be taken close to the spot where MISS LANSBARD is with only enough time left for you to rush to her with the keys you will be given this being so you will not call the officers until the kidnapper has had time to get in the clear.

starts the story MR. DABLE as it was told to me of course this is only a brief out line as he spent some 15 or 20 minutes explaining it all to me. It may only be a fanatics pipe dream but he seemed sincere and was well dressed and had money and said he had a car and would drive me home but I declined. I have been thinking about it ever since and have come to the conclusion it is my duty to write to you.

I hope MR. DABLE you will understand that I am trying to do the honest thing in this and my only reason for writing you is I believe the party really means to try the deed and I am trying to be a law abiding citizen.

I am sorry to say but I can't do more help I can be checked at the time of the...  
 I want from 1:30 to 2:30...  
 minutes from 1:30 to 2:30.

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It was pointed out that the letter was postmarked Los Angeles, California, August 19, 1940, at 11:00 a.m. It is believed that this letter was received at the M.B.S. Studios on August 20, 1940.

On December 13, 1940, the Los Angeles Field Division was in receipt of a communication from the Bureau Laboratory, Washington, D. C. setting out the results of the documentary examination relative to the instant letter. The results of this examination as taken from the Bureau Laboratory Report are as follows:

**Specimens:**

- 7-7000-1 Q1. Envelope addressed to MR. CLARE GABLE, postmarked "Los Angeles, California, August 19, 1940, 11 A.M."
- Q2. First sheet of accompanying letter, message beginning "I am an exconvict who..."
- Q3. Second sheet of letter, message beginning "with only enough time left..."

**Result of examination:**

Specimen Q1 is a white linen finish envelope bearing the printed return address on the back flap "Los Angeles, California" in blue ink. The envelope measures 7.53 to 7.55 by 4.93 to 4.95 by .0043", weighs 3.76 grams and has an opacity of .88. The envelope is addressed in a mixture of upper and lower case handwriting in blue-black ink.

Specimen Q2 is a piece of white bond paper similar to wrapping paper, is cut unevenly along the opposite edges. Q2 measures 18.04 by approximately 7.4 by .0025", weighs 1.93 grams and has an opacity of .72. The message appearing on this specimen is written with a medium lead pencil in script.

Specimen Q3 is similar to specimen Q2 and measures 18.04 by approximately 7.4 by .0030" and weighs 1.93 grams.

The handwriting and handprinting on all specimens examined in the document laboratory was identified as follows:

"Q1 through Q3 were processed for latent fingerprints but none of value was developed.

"The original evidence is being retained in the files of the laboratory. Photographic copies are being transmitted to your office herewith."

The letter question gave the return address of [redacted] Los Angeles, California. In an effort to locate [redacted] the writer of instant letter, for additional information concerning the plans for kidnaping and holding of victims for ransom, Agent contacted [redacted] proprietor of the boarding house, [redacted] Los Angeles. She advised that a man who gave his name as [redacted] came to live at her boarding house on June 14, 1940. At that time he advised [redacted] that he was working in Los Angeles as an automobile mechanic but did not state the name of the firm with which he was connected.

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[redacted] stated that she had very little contact with [redacted] during the time he lived at her boarding house and she knew nothing concerning him, his business affairs or other activities. She went on to say that [redacted] was at all times quiet and well behaved, that she had never at any time had any trouble or difficulty with him until September 4, 1940 on which day she discovered that he had removed all his belongings from his room and apparently left the boarding house without paying the sum of \$12.00, which he owed her for lodging.

[redacted] stated that during the time [redacted] was residing at her boarding house she noticed no firearms in his room or any other items of value. It was her opinion that [redacted] did not use any weapons.

[redacted] was not able to furnish any additional information concerning him other than to state that [redacted] was married and was at [redacted] with his wife.

[redacted] submitted the following description

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Name:	[REDACTED]
Age:	45 years
Height:	6 ft.
Weight:	150 lbs.
Build:	Slender
Hair:	Medium Brown, receding hair line.
Eyes:	Grey
Complexion:	Medium
Occupation:	Mechanic
Sex:	Male
Nationality:	American
Marital Status:	Married

[REDACTED] was not able to offer any information as to [REDACTED] present whereabouts.

At the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office, [REDACTED] Clerk in the Identification Bureau, advised that the files maintained by that office contained no information concerning [REDACTED].

At the Los Angeles Police Department, [REDACTED] Identification Officer, advised that he was not able to locate any information in his files relative to [REDACTED].

At the Retail Merchants Credit Association, 417 South Hill, Los Angeles, [REDACTED] Clerk advised that the files maintained in that office contained no information regarding [REDACTED].

At the United States Post Office, located at 1517 South Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, [REDACTED] Assistant Supervisor, of that office advised that that post office handled all mail for the area from which the address [REDACTED] is located. He made a check of the files maintained at that office for information concerning [REDACTED] and advised that his files contained [REDACTED].

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**FILE DESCRIPTION**

**SUBJECT** Clark Gable

**FILE NO.** 95-2996

195 46269-  
enclosure

Federal Bureau of Investigation  
United States Department of Justice  
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA  
May 12, 1939

Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

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Re: [REDACTED]  
MR. GABLE - Victim;  
Nuisance Communication.

Dear Sir:

*b7c* Chief of Police [REDACTED] of the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studio, furnished the instant communication to me on May 11, 1939 it having been received at the Fan Mail Department of the Studio on that date.

The letter in question is postmarked at Columbus, Ohio, May 5, 1939, addressed to "Mr. GABLE, M. G. M., Hollywood, Calif." and the plain white card enclosed in this envelope reads as follows:

"May 1939  
Columbus  
Ohio.

"Dear Mr. Gable

Just who do you think you are that you can hook me and keep my human respect and marry another womgn.

Prophecy or no — anyone that is small enough to live with another wife when he is hooked, I don't wish to ever see.  
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I demand my freedom and I'll get it or I'll know the reason why.

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95-2996-1  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
MAY 16 1939  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

[REDACTED]

It is requested that photographic copies be made of this communication and envelope and furnished the Cincinnati and Los Angeles offices and that handwriting be compared with the anonymous

Upp and Specimens Retained in Laboratory  
5-12-39

See 31-51441

*Clark Gable*

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Director

Re: [REDACTED]

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May 12, 1939

writings presently unidentified in the Bureau's handwriting file. In view of the fact that no violation of the extortion statute exists there appears to be no need for a fingerprint examination or paper analysis.

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As a matter of cooperation with officials of the M.G.M. Studio, it is requested that the Cincinnati office interview [REDACTED] Columbus, Ohio, after a copy of the communication is furnished by the Bureau, and impress upon her the seriousness of writing letters of this nature and endeavor to have her desist from this practice.

Very truly yours,



R. B. HOOD,  
Special Agent in Charge.

RBH:MO  
Encl.  
cc: Cincinnati

Air Mail

GEM:EG

May 23, 1939

95-2996 -1

AIR MAIL

Special Agent in Charge  
Los Angeles, California

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Re:

Mr. Gable - Victim;  
Nuisance Communication.

Dear Sir:

There is transmitted herewith the laboratory report covering the examination of specimens submitted by your office in connection with the above entitled matter and received in the Bureau May 16, 1939.

Very truly yours,

95-2996-2  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
MAY 23 1939  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

John Edgar Hoover,  
Director.

Enclosure:

cc - Cincinnati

COMMUNICATIONS SECTION  
MAILED  
MAY 23 1939  
P. M.  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

# 28457

GFM:EG

Laboratory Report

Case: **57C** [redacted] **May 23, 1939** Number: **95-2996-1**

**Mr. Gable - Victim;**  
Specimens: **Nuisance Communication.**

- Q1. Envelope postmarked "Columbus, Ohio, May 8, 1939, 1, 7:30 P. M."  
Q2. Accompanying note beginning "Just who do you think\*\*".

Examination requested by: **Los Angeles**

Date received: **5/16/39**

Examination requested: **Document**

Result of examination: Examination by: [redacted] **57C**

The handwriting appearing on the questioned specimens, Q1 and Q2, was searched through the Bureau's file of anonymous communications but no identification could be effected. A photographic copy has been added to this file.

Photographic copies of specimens Q1 and Q2 are being forwarded herewith to the Los Angeles and Cincinnati field divisions.

THE ORIGINAL EVIDENCE IS BEING RETAINED IN THE LABORATORY FOR USE IN ANY SUBSEQUENT EXAMINATIONS WHICH MAY BE DESIRED. SHOULD YOUR OFFICE DESIRE THIS ORIGINAL EVIDENCE FOR USE IN ANY SUBSEQUENT PROCEEDINGS WHICH MAY DEVELOP THE BUREAU SHOULD BE NOTIFIED IN AMPLE TIME TO PERMIT TRANSMITTAL.

1-Laboratory  
2-Los Angeles  
1-Bureau  
1-Cincinnati

*GFM*  
95-2996-2

# FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Form No. 1

THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

FILE NO.

9-264

REPORT MADE AT <b>CINCINNATI, OHIO</b>	DATE WHEN MADE <b>7-8-39</b>	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE <b>6/29, 30/39</b>	REPORT MADE BY [REDACTED] <b>b7C</b> <b>MGR</b>
TITLE <b>CLARK GABLE - Victim</b>			CHARACTER OF CASE <b>EXTORTION</b>

**SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:**

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Two individuals by name of [REDACTED] listed in current Columbus, Ohio, City directory, however, only one could be located. This individual denied having written nuisance letter to victim. Specimens of handwriting obtained and no similarity noted.

R.U.C.

**REFERENCE:**

Letter from the Los Angeles Field Office dated May 12, 1939.

**DETAILS:**

AT COLUMBUS, OHIO

An examination of the current city directory of the City of Columbus, disclosed the name of two [REDACTED], one of these individuals being listed as a salesman at the [REDACTED] Department Store and also listed as residing at [REDACTED], the other [REDACTED] was listed as being a student and residing at [REDACTED]

In verification of the listings noted in the City Directory, the writer conferred with [REDACTED], Inquiry Section, Columbus Post Office. [REDACTED] personally examined the Postal Directory and advised that the [REDACTED] who formerly lived at [REDACTED], had moved to [REDACTED] was unable to locate any information concerning the [REDACTED] who was listed as living on [REDACTED]. He searched the list of forwarding addresses but stated that no record could be found of this individual.

APPROVED AND FORWARDED: *[Signature]* SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE

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COPIES OF THIS REPORT

- 3 Bureau
- 2 Los Angeles
- 2 Cincinnati

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Re: [REDACTED]  
CLARK GABLE - Victim

[REDACTED], reported that she and her husband have resided at that address for the past four years and that at no time has any individual by the name of [REDACTED] ever occupied a room at their residence. She further related that such an individual is unknown to her.

The writer contacted the residents living on both sides of [REDACTED] but was unable to develop any information concerning the identity of a [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Employment Manager, [REDACTED] Department Store, advised that he had no employee under his supervision by the name of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] personally checked the employment records of the Company and informed that he has had no one by the name of [REDACTED] in his employment during the past three years.

[REDACTED] advised that her maiden name was [REDACTED] and that prior to her marriage, which occurred one year ago she resided with her folks at [REDACTED] while she was attending Central High School. [REDACTED] was questioned concerning her marital status and reported that she was single prior to her marriage to [REDACTED] about one year ago. [REDACTED] was also questioned as to whether or not she was responsible for writing a nuisance letter to the victim sometime during the month of May, 1939, and she emphatically denied having anything to do with this letter or knowing anything about same.

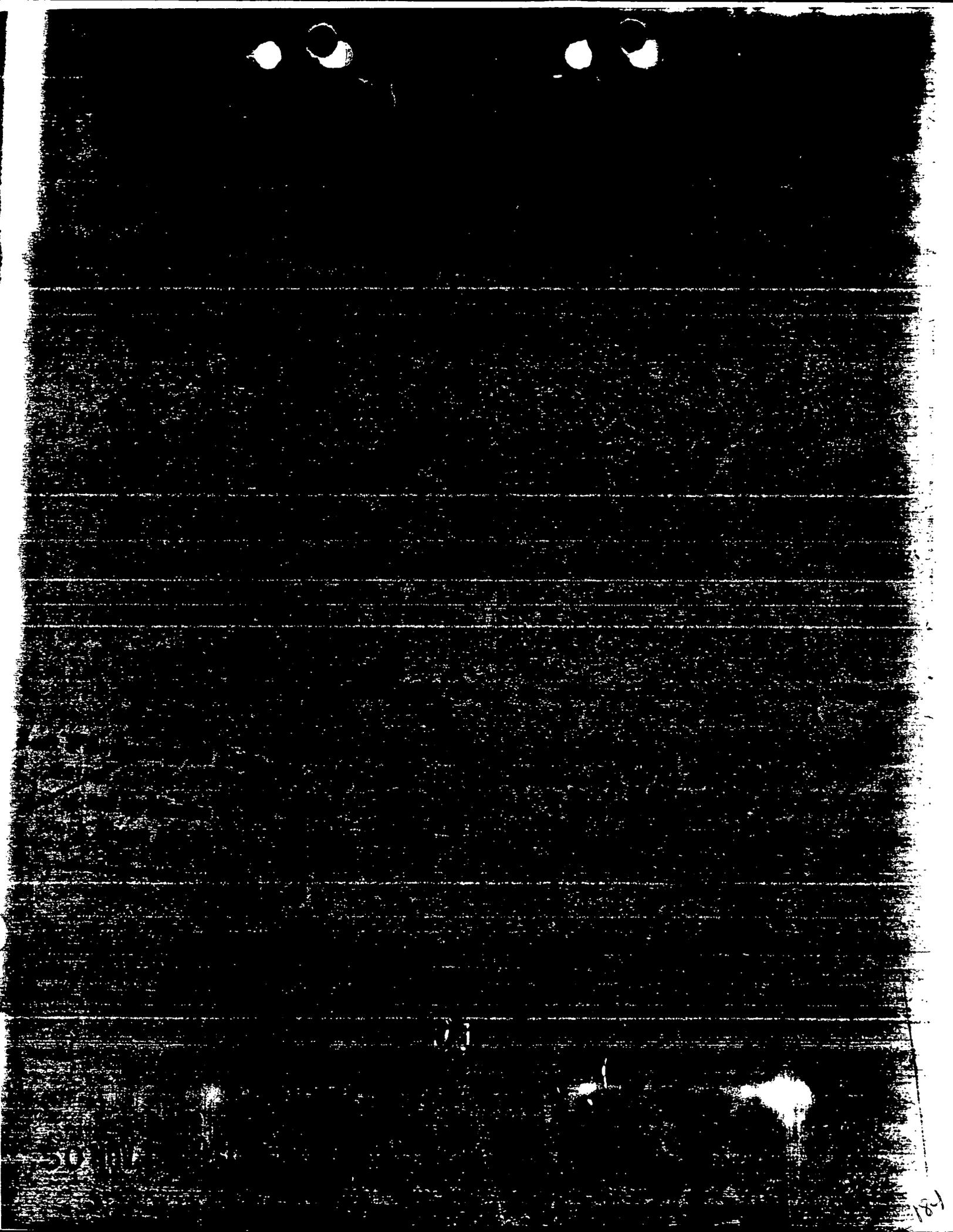
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Specimens of [REDACTED] handwriting were obtained by the writer and a casual inspection of same disclosed no similarities with the letter sent to victim.

Inasmuch as it does not appear that there is a violation within the jurisdiction of the Bureau, no further investigation is being conducted by the Cincinnati Field Office and the handwriting specimens obtained from [REDACTED] are being forwarded to the Los Angeles Field Office.

ENCLOSURE: TO LOS ANGELES FIELD OFFICE.  
One page of handwriting specimens of [REDACTED]

REFERRED UPON COMPLETION TO OFFICE  
OF ORIGIN.



Federal Bureau of Investigation, U.S. Dept. of Justice - 95-2996-1 Q 1



Mr. Gable  
777. E. 777.  
Hollywood Calif.

May 1959

Columbus  
Ohio

Dear Mr. Gable

Just who do you  
think you are that  
you can hook me  
and keep my human  
respect and marry  
another woman?

Prophesy says - anyone  
that is so full enough  
to live with another  
wife when he is hooked,  
I don't wish to ever  
see.

I demand my  
freedom and I'll  
get it or I'll know  
the reason why

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