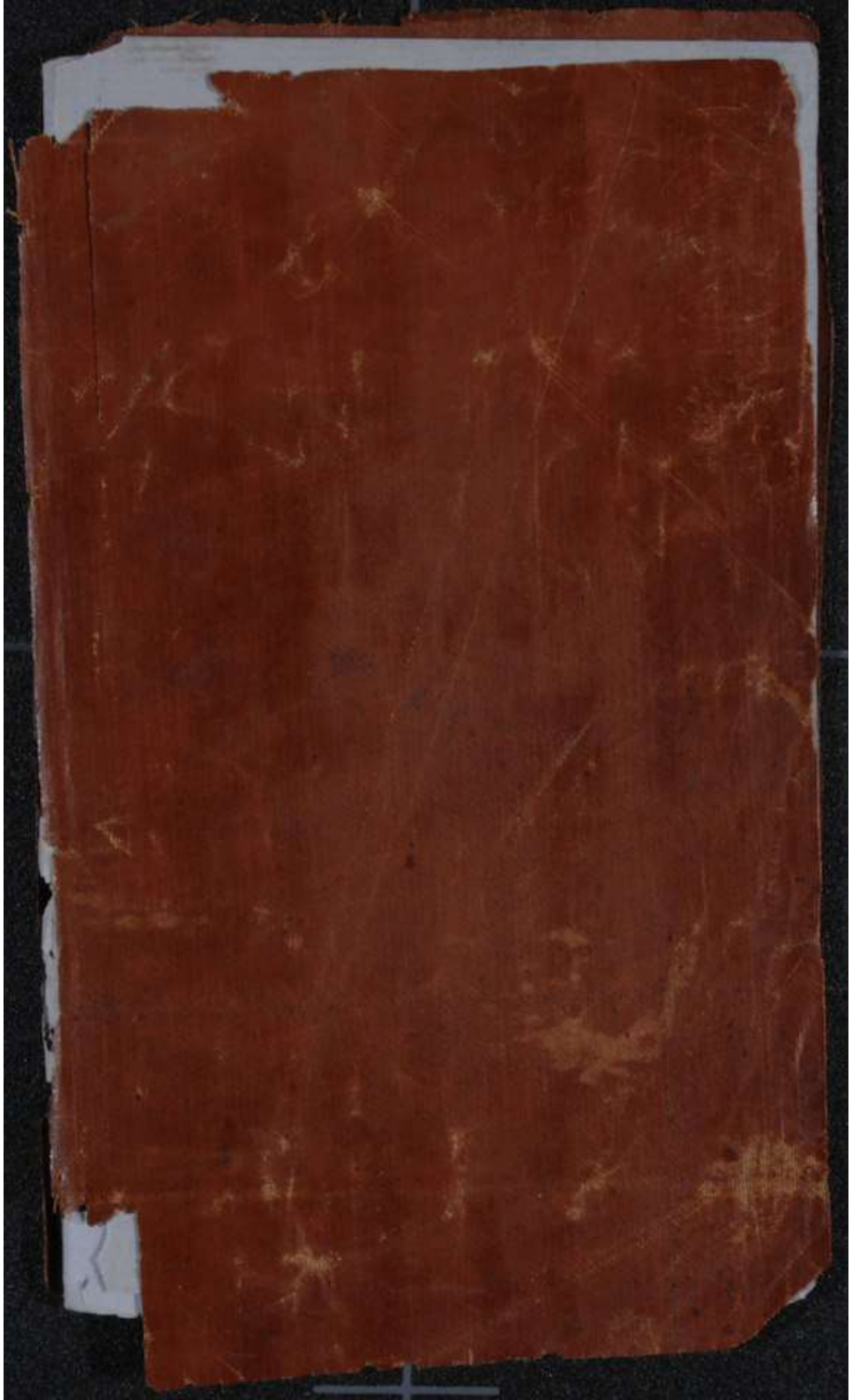


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January 1st 1869

First Day
Sun 1 Cold and windy all day. Went to the Corners. Shipmen and Henry were drawing coarse wood to the Falls today. Got a letter from Aunt Martha

Sat 2 Cold and stormy all day. Henry and I went to the Falls to get some evergreens and they got some. I was at home all day

Frances.

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Sat	3	Cloudy but warm all day was at meeting the Keegan preached Henry and pa went down to preformance to Hicks Theatre
Mon	4	Showering all day and night was at school Aunt Matilda came down from Uncle Hughes Evening school to night A load of wild ox came down from the hills to our evening school
Tues	5	Warm and showering Shipmans and Jones are going to draw two of the stacks they from the Hotel
Wed	6	Beautiful morning pa at home all day Aunt Matilda Aunt Katy Mrs Boyd Mrs Hughes at the Keegans Aunt Matilda & Katy left for home
Thurs	7	Beautiful morning Henry went to Evening school
Fri	8	Beautiful morning two years old Shipmans finished drawing the hay from the stacks Henry went to Evening school

ed and Margaret went up to Billies today. Aunt Martha Milburn is here. [illegible] one thus a jolly time

Sat 9 Rainy all day sitting around the house all day.

Frances Ks

Sun 10 Beautiful day Rev H McDowell from Hiawatha preached

Mon 11 All day quilting [illegible] the corners and got [illegible] for the church Smoothed in the afternoon

Tues 12 Pa came home for us up there Rode [illegible] Tuesday and in the most Beautiful sort of afternoon Aunt Martha is still here

Wed 13 School meeting Thay put in 8 days Edwards [illegible] Shipmans went to Mitchell and bought home plates Rudy and I prepared for Bookkeeping.

Thu 14 Later all day at work Henry and Pa left at work Shipmans and Edwards left all day

Fri 15 all day Henry and Shyerman drawing wood from the thes place James Code and two of his sisters is here stayed all night

Sat 16 Went home this morning Beautiful day Uncle Joseph Edmunds died this morning at nine Oclock Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord

Sun 17 staid all day Shyerman went down to preaching School House Where Mr Saunders preached

Mon 18 Uncle Joes Funeral at 1 oclock Went to School this afternoon Mr Coleman preached Ria was sick with a cold

Tues 19 Started for Uncle Joes this morning Stopped at Killiebrews for dinner and after dinner went in Bonnie went in their at 3 oclock

Wed 20 Sewed today. This afternoon went down to Mr Johnstons and got tea came home to Uncle Joes and stayed there all night

Thur 21 Sunday today did not enjoy myself Miles's and so played upon the melodeon and got beaten

Fri 22 Came home & spent at Billies & worked came down to Mr Coles and got our dinner and came home in the afternoon

Sat 23 ~~Sat~~ Cloudy and rainy all day playing around Henry and Ria were to the world shopping

Sun 24 Stormy all day went to church Mr Coleman preached

Mon 25 Clear but cold went to school and commenced Bookkeeping today

Tues 26 Shipman was drawing wood for the Church Lewis at School

			Sat	30	Storming this morning
	Wed	27	Went to the tarmeadow	30	all day Sitting around
			Swamp after grain	..	the house doing nothing
			Sawmer Hiram	..	of any consequence
			Hiram and Sel Edmun	..	
			got quite a lot of it	..	
	Thurs	28	Went to School	..	
			nice day Stayaman	Sun	31 Storms Mrs Coleman
			and Mary Went to		passed away at very
			Merrialville		well (Peggy)
				..	
	Fri	29	Storming all day		
			went to School morning		
			and a day Book Mary		
			from Dr Bostwick		

February 1869

Mon 1 Big day Suck did not go to school

Geo Reeds wedding Shipmans and pa went to the Star place and drew some a sawlog and [illegible]

Tues 2 Went to school Nice day Shipmans most all at school in the forenoon went to No Corners in the morning

Wed 3 Storm all day. Shipmans went to school in the forenoon but not much in the afternoon fastened the door on the meister and all went away and staid

Thurs 4 Stormy all day no school around home doing nothing Ezra Robinson Mashore for school but did no use tended Simeon Henry and Simeon Shipman

Fri 5 Study this morning went to the corners with Shipmans

Sat 6 Storm all the afternoon

Sun 7

Quarterly Meeting here
today
I don't know whether
it stormed or not
Edward took it did

Mon 8

Storm still today
Cen meeting tonight
pretty fair turn out
about 2 57 there
Realized about $86.00
Mr Haddens sick here
Stay all night

Tues 9

Storm went to Schl
Shipmen went upto
the Station with my
dishes Charlie Brown
and Dennie Reeves
went with him

Wed 10

Storm at school

Thur 11

Stormy Shipmen
and Boys went out to
Mr Reynolds

Fri 12

Stormy.

Sat 13 Stormy Cutting Pine logs

Tue 16 Stormy

John and Priscilla came down this evening

W 17 Stormy

Sun 14 Stormy in the after

Th 18 Storing at School only 5 there

Mon 15 Stormy

Fred 19 Storm in the morning went to school the master [illegible] to leaving the school in [illegible]

Sat 20 Storm Mr Hutton came here to see if he could get some timber for a barn and we made no arrangement for to get some forty logs

Sun 21 Storm in the afternoon [illegible] preached here today Mr Haden came here and thought it was his way to Calgary Ship man went and took him his way

Mon 22 Storm it still stays morning Brotherton is still here [illegible] expect to go to the woods to getting out timber for Mr Hutton

Tues 23

Wed 24

March 1866

Thurs 24

Sat 25

Sun 26

Mon 27

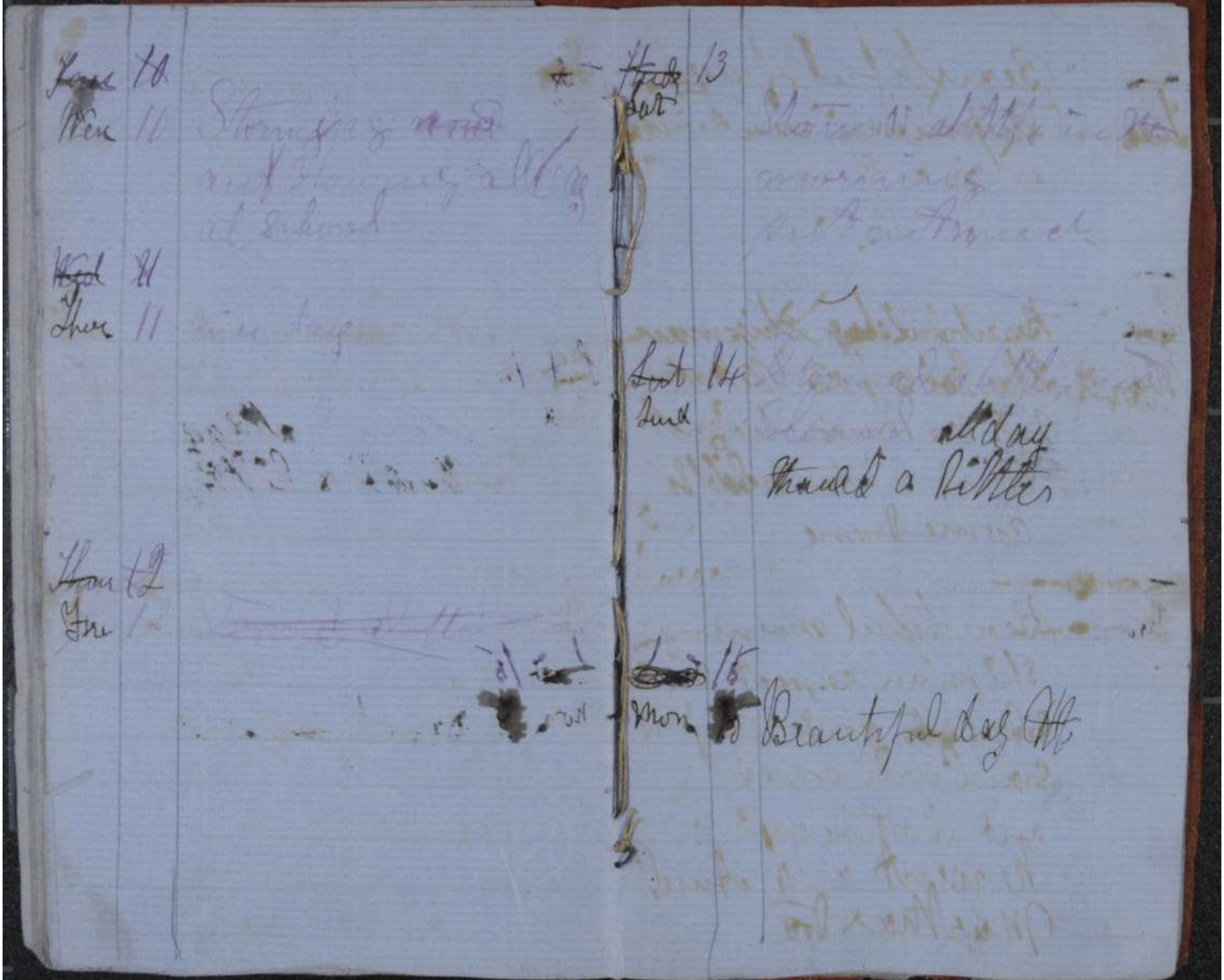
Tues 28

Wed 29

Thurs 30

Fri 31

Wed 4 Cold. Kent and [illegible] 7 Mr Keagan is here
Lok Mary over to Gone off day Mr Keagan
Geo. McGuffey this morn preached here in
Come home and eat the Methodist Church today
to the Stroud Stroud [illegible] his text
Thurs 5 Stroud & [illegible] Mon 8 Stroud went in the
Henry and Chapel [illegible] morning and returned
were drawing hay Keagan and I went to
from the other place Rockville and I
Shyamore a Fri 6 Dressing hay finished [illegible] 9 Shyamore a town
in the forenoon Beautiful day all
went up to Wm Hall day went to Stroud
to pay him for shoeing Ed and Shyamore went
Mr & Keagan there to the Stalls to day
Hoeing in the Peas Kept out to the Cultivator
at the Corn & Potatoes



Mon 16 Beautiful day
Tues. Shipman in Arick

Wed 17 Beautiful day Shipman
Started to go to Nebraska
but the train did not
come and so he did not
come home

Thur 18 Beautiful morning
Shipman expects to go
Nebraska to go to night
train will come today
and if not he will go
he went and Aunt
Martha's too

Thur 19 Beautiful Day
Went to church
Went to the corner
Last night
Did not receive letter
Stormed a little this morning
and cleared off and this
afternoon beautiful
Margaret went up to
See Mother

Sun 21 Monday blowed from N
north today went to church
came home.
Jennie Sutton to here
this afternoon

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Mon Monday
Pleasant day
went to school

Mon 23 Henry a little sick
Tues 23 morning killed a pig
in the forenoon and Henry &
Pa and Mr & Rose went to the Falls
in the afternoon Pa and
Margaret went to Almonte
Tues 24 Went to the corner
Wednesday Pleasant day
went to school today
~~plagued with the~~
Sick in the afternoon with the
headache

Tuesday 25 Beautiful morning
Pa gone to the Corners
Built a fire in the church for
a funeral of Ritchie Rathwell
~~Warm~~

Fridays 26 Warm day ~~raining~~
Cleaned the church today
It rained almost all the P.M
Henry and Pa took the Buckets
and Barrel over to the Sher
p Sugar bush today

Wed. 27
Sat Went to the sugarbush and
Scalded out the buckets
and Tapped two trees
the sap did not run
Tapped one at home sap ran
a little

Sun 28 Beautiful day went to Sun Church. Peter Marchant Died this morning at 6 oclock It is thawing fast roads are bad a team can scarcely get along at all. S Rose B.F.

Mon 29 Cloudy this morning and raining a little

Tues 30 Spend all day Peter Marchands funeral today Mr Coleman preached

Feb 31

Wed Received the title [illegible] Mr Ingraham Died

April

Wed 1 Went to School only a few there

Thur 2 At School

Fri Only 3 there Myrtle Russell Martha Frances Phillips

~~Fri~~ Sat 3 Went over to the Sugar bush and Spouted the buckets and Tapped 8 trees Came home and Tapped Rain in the afternoon

~~Sat~~ Sun 4 Sunday is a day of Sacred Rest Cloudy overcast stormy a little not much thing

Sun Mon 5 Boiling Sap here at home Henry went down to Putmans after a load of Pails for Boiling Sap

6 Henry took the Buck up to the Today Came home and gathered the pails of Sap at the other house

7 Went to the other place and tapped the back row drew the buckets on the

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14 Over to the sugar house today and sugared off 78 weight of sugar which makes an about 195

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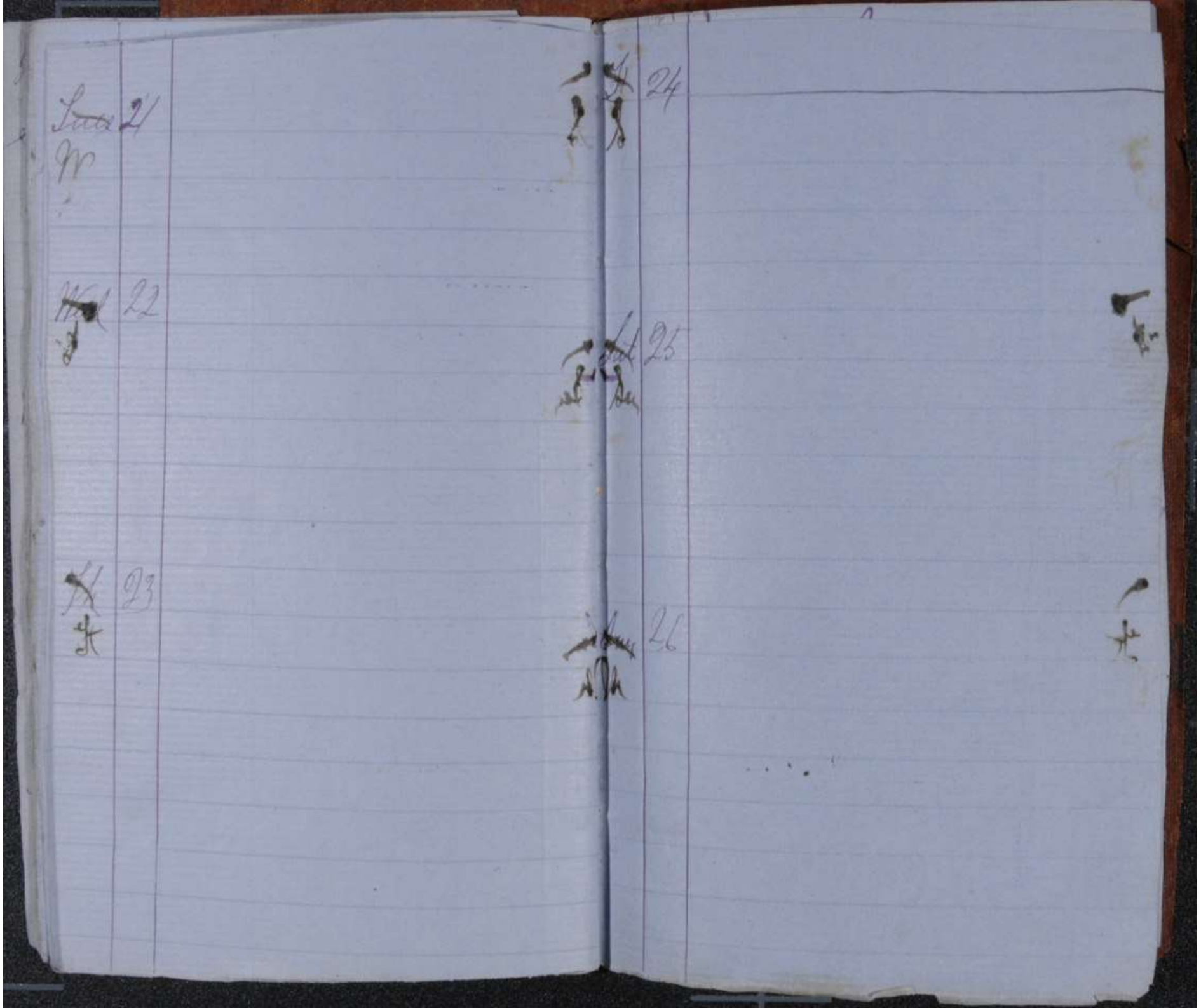
16 Over to the sugar House
to day Boiling Sap
Boiled in 5 ½ Buckets
2 day
Cut my Sap with my
Satisfie

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Sat 27

Sun 28 Henry killed a [illegible] in a trap this morning Horses gave out [illegible]

Mon 29 Training Our gate sold by Mr [illegible] are leading from the road to the barn

May Sat

Sun

Sun

Mon

Sat 27 Work at the Same Water Ditch

May 28 Cold and windy and cloudy our Corn Hoeing was slowing Received a letter from Mr [illegible] to me Horses Instead Finished the Ditch

May

