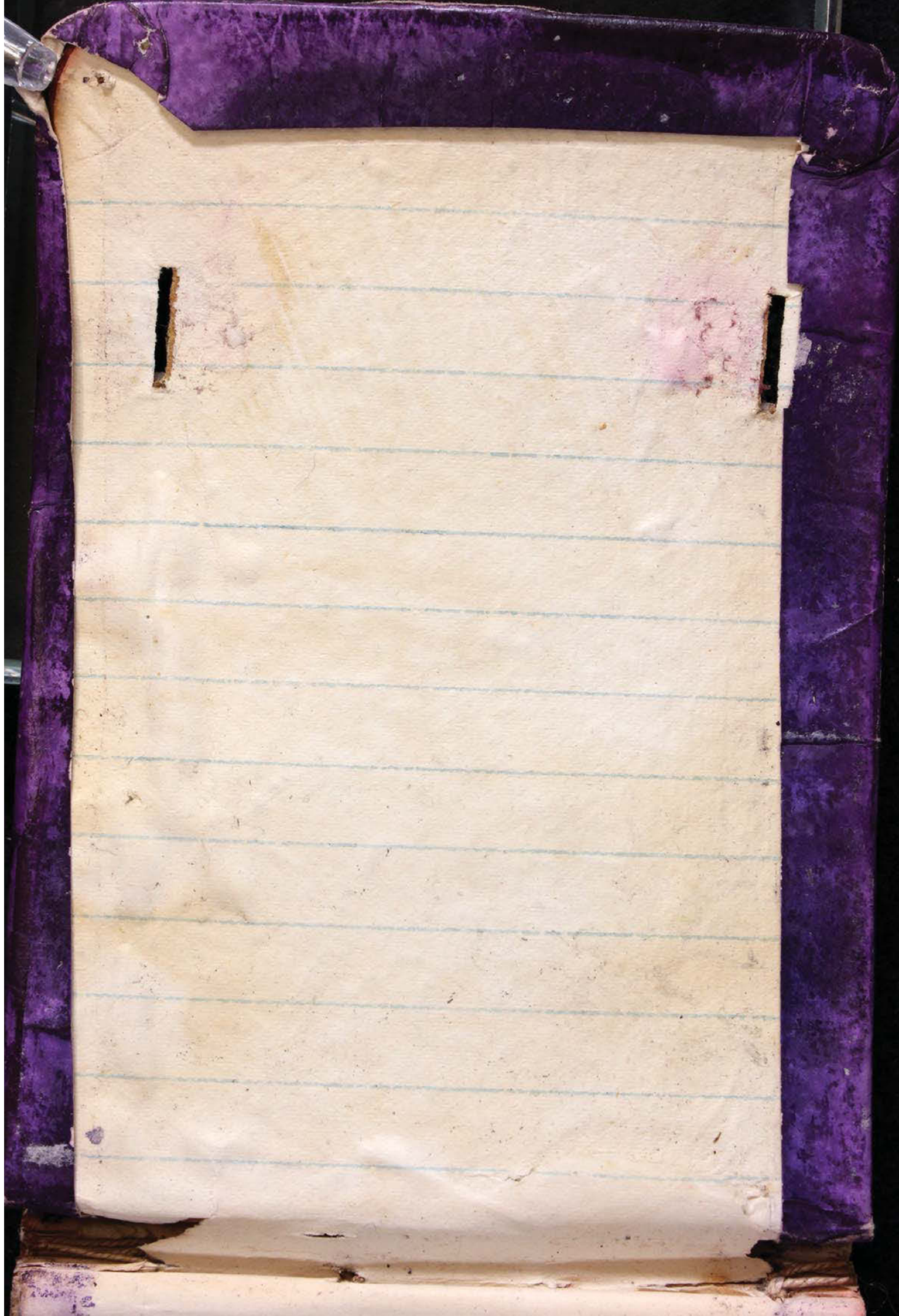
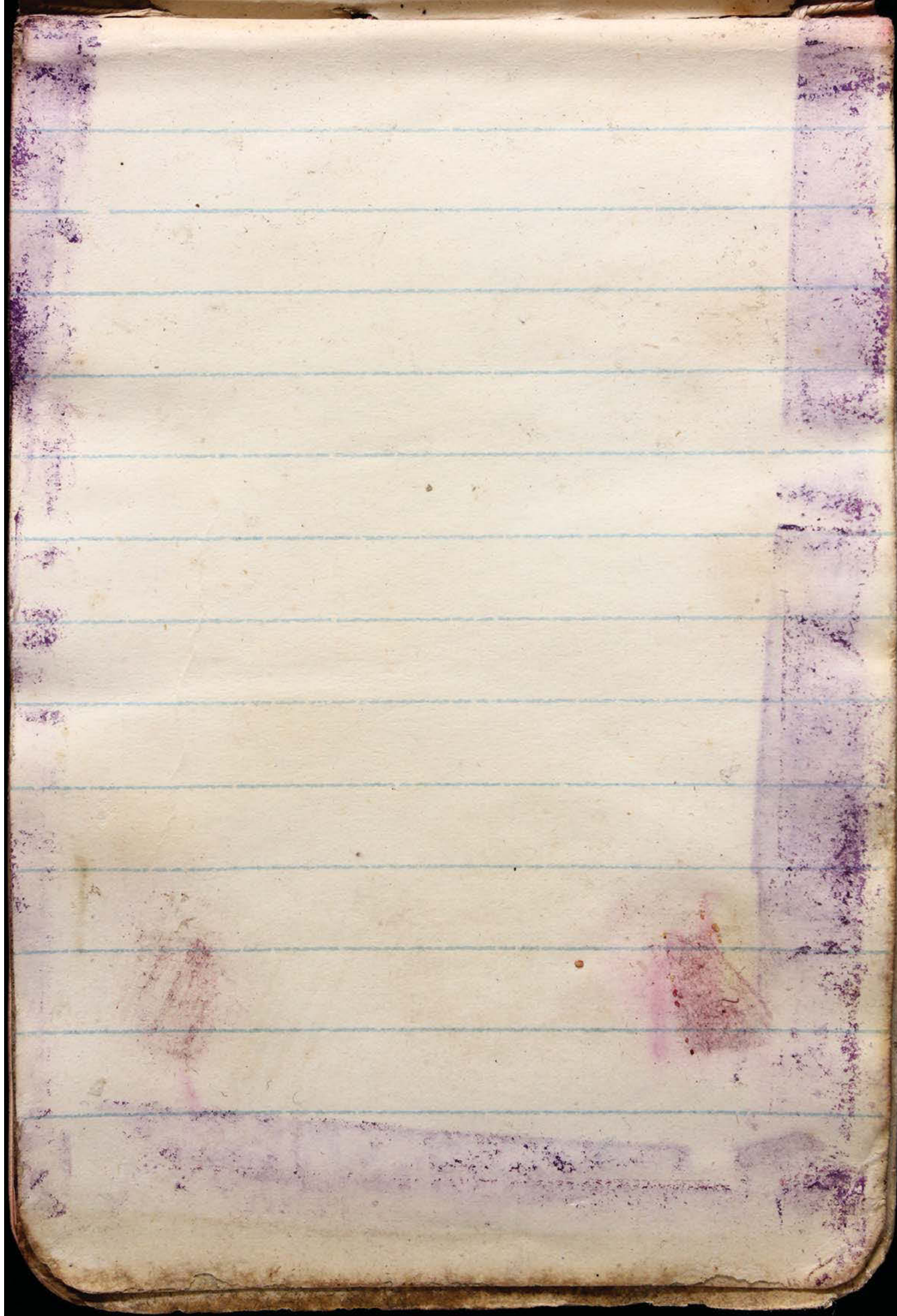








Book 21

Edgar Allaire
The Museum
Leeds

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Sep. 29. I left Leeds
by Midland Rail
at 8.50 & Warwick
travelled with me as
far as Barnsley,
changed carriages at
Derby and arrived at
St. Pancras at 2.35,
took 'Bus to South
Kensington Museum
& called on Woodward
(W. Smith) and on
crossing the Vestibule

I met Father & Mrs
Waite just going
out, they had been
there an hour looking
for me, I next exposed
4 plates on the cases
of birds, left at 5.30
& walked along Cromwell
Road to Mr Reid's house
at Bramham Gardens
had a wash, and
John came in, we
had dinner at 7.0

after which we went
to the French Exhibition
at Earl's Court & spent
the remainder of the
evening there, returned
to Bramham Gardens
& saw Mr & Mrs Reid.
developed the negatives
under great difficulty
having to bandage
up the Electric light
as best I could. I
changed the plates

50

under the bed-clothes
went to bed about
11.15 On my way to
London I saw a
Kestrel from the rail
at Mill Hill -

30. After breakfast John
✓ I left Bramham
Gardens & took train
at Gloucester Rd 8.15
for Farringdon St,
we went up High
Holborn & New Oxford

St to Museum & back again Called
at Negretti & Zambra's
to set my Aneroid
and in going along
Holborn I saw a
bird hanging in
a poulterer's Shop
which I got for 2/-
There are two in the
Leeds Museum one
labelled Montagu's
Harrier (incorrectly)

Marsh Harrier

and the other un-
-named, Returning
to Farrington St
I left John to go
to his work & took
rail to Gloster Rd
then walked to Mr
Reid's house, got
the camera & went
to the Natural Hist:
Museum again, took
12 photos including
some sterna, I

called on Woodward
who took me over
the Museum & in
the various workrooms
he introduced me
to Sharp, I had a
chat with him &
inspected some Shrikes
& Woodpeckers, Left
at 3.15, returned
to Bramham Gardens
had a cup of tea
went to Earls Court

Station & left at
4.15 for Victoria
here I left the
Metropolitan Railway
and journeyed to
South Norwood ar-
riving at 5.15
After tea Mr & Miss
Lye, Mr Tho & Miss
Wigglesworth came
on to Eldon Park
& we spent the evening
with music &c, I

Oct.

Skinned the Hawk?

Oct 1. After breakfast
I developed the
plates. Father & I
then had a walk
passing through
Elmer's End to
Beckenham where
we took train for
Penge changed to
L.B. & S.C. Ry & departed
at 12.40 for Norwood
Packed up my things

minus the photo
apparatus & after
dinner Father went
with me, we left
Norwood for London
Bridge at 2.40 On
arriving we took a
bus for Waterloo
Station where I
left my luggage,
& having considerable
time to spare we
walked over the

bridge & up the
Thames or rather
the Victoria Em-
-bankment, where
we took a Steamer
for Westminster
Bridge passing
Cleopatra's Needle
on our way. On
landing we returned
to Waterloo Station
by way of the Strand
Whitehall &c - I

Left Waterloo at
4.55 & arrived at
Southampton at
7.0, took a Cab for
Woodside, Westwood
Park, found several
visitors there in-
cluding F B Fract
my bedfellow with
whom I had a game
of chess & got well
beaten, he is Mr
Smith's Nephew and

will shortly leave
for Edinburgh, he
is in for the Medical
profession -

2. wrote some letters
* after breakfast
Feast * I had a
Stroll round the
town visiting the
docks &c, I bought
Buckheim's German
Reader Second-hand,
before breakfast

we had had a
Stroll away from
the town in the
direction of the
waterworks, After
dinner we went
down to the pier
and took a boat
out, we returned
in about $1\frac{1}{2}$ hours
Saw several Gulls
and either a Shag
or a Cormorant

it way flying and
I took it to be
the former, went
to Mr Smith's house
had tea & finished
up the Evening at
the Prince of Wales
Theatre, a London
Company in "East
Lynn". James sent
me the monthly
meteorological return
for Leeds.

3. Made up & sent
off the Meteorological
return to Somerset
House. After break-
-fast Frost. I went
down to Southampton
West Station and
then to the boats
we pulled across
Southampton Water
and landed on the
other side, Saw
hundreds of Lapwings

feeding on the
Strand and a
large flock of
Curlews passed
overhead, the tide
wind being against
we had a very
stiff pull back
Found Bucephala
larvae, got back
for dinner at
2.0 After which
Father & Mr Waite

arrived from S
Norwood. Feast &
myself spent the
evening in looking
round the town.

4. Got up at 5.0 &
at 6.30 Mr Smith
Mrs Vause & Self
went to the Station
with Feast to see
him off to Edinburgh
to commence his
career. Saw a

Song Thrush on the
lawn with a
perfectly white cap
they tell me that
there is a blackbird
about similarly
marked, - After
breakfast I took
Father to see the
Lions of the tower
and returned to
dinner, we all
went down to the

Western Shore and
back to tea at 7.0
Answered a letter
which I received
from Rose.

5 Received cheque
from B. Association
Local Committee
for drawing Maps
& also Y.N.U. Subⁿ
from Bothamby -
we all went to
the Parish Church

in the morning.

After dinner Father
and Self walked
on to Shirley and
back by the Common
found 2 L rubi
larvae, Came in
and after tea
made some sketches
of birds at South
Kensington from
Pall Mall Budget
6. Left Southampton

West Station with
Father for Lyndhurst
Rd, bought Guide
to & Map of the New
Forest, From the
Station we walked
through the forest
to Lyndhurst, here
I got 2 larvae one
of the Pale Tussock
Moth and the other
a Fritillary? we
continued our

walk to Brockenhurst
and saw 2 Jays
on our way. The
Railway runs thro'
the middle of the
forest, Brockenhurst
being the middle
here we took train
to Southampton &
arrived in the late
afternoon, had some
lunch & father took
some photos, Spent

the Evening after
tea in Card playing
7. The 3 waites left
Southampton by
boat at 8.30 for
Ryde, calling at
Cowes on the way
Saw Heron and
counted the wing
strokes of *Larus*
ridibundus 160
per minute. At
Cow Ryde I left

"Our people" and
walked South
along the coast to
Benbridge 6 miles
Saw a flock of
long-tailed Tits
+ Shot 2 but could
only find one.
they were in some
fir trees on the
top of the cliff. I
was ferried across
the water at this

place and had an
hour to wait for
the next train, I
went on to the
beach & tried to
get a Gull but
the birds kept
out of range, left
Blumbridge by train
at 1.13 and when
I arrived at Sand-
-own I went down
to the beach & saw

Shanklin. It
occurred to me
that I might get
on there as the
train did not
sawdown until
2.30. On enquiry
I found Shanklin
was only 2 miles
away and I had
35 minutes to do
it in, so off I
started for Shanklin.

along the top of
the cliff, After I
had got some way
I was told that
although Shanklin
was only 2 miles
from Sandown
Shanklin Station
was $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles away
so I had to run
for the train and
arrived with 3
minutes to spare

Left Shanklin at
2.23 and arrived
at Newport at
3.2 Made my
way to the Railway
Hotel and had
some refreshment.
and walked round
the town inspecting
the Church etc.
Left Newport at
4.12 and arrived
at Cowes at 4.30

I knew that the
boat left Ryde
at 5.0 and I
learned that it
touched Cowes
at 5.45 So I had
a look round
Cowes, The boat
came up to time
but there was no
one there that I
knew so I supposed
that Father + Mr

had left by the
boat 2 hours
previously, such
I afterwards learned
was the case and
they had never
left Ryde until
they reembarked
at Ryde. After
a pleasant trip
we arrived at our
destination at 7.30
and I arrived at

Westwood after a
2 Miles walk.

8. Left Woodside with
the rest at 10.0 +
drove to Netley
crossing the Itchen
by the floating
bridge which took
6 Carriages across
at once, it is a
large raft which
has an engine
on board, this

drives a large
drum which
receives and pays
off a wire rope
stretched across
the river. We
proceeded with
our drive and
disembarked at
Netley Abbey - a
beautiful place.
after inspecting
the place we

again took to our
carriage which
landed us at
the Ketley Hospital
Exclusively for
Soldiers & capable
of accommodating
1600 Men, there
are 3 corridors one
above the other
extending the whole
length of the
building, over

a $\frac{1}{4}$ of a mile
Saw the Museum
Chiefly supported
by the Soldiers
who take all sort
of things from
a Tiger to a
War Club. - We
returned to our
quarters and at
4.57 I left this
beautiful place
for Waterloo.

and arrived at
7.40, went to
York Road & got
a Bus for London
Bridge, departed
by train at 8.25
and landed at
Norwood Junction
at 8.44.

9. Skinned the
Lit - Left Norwood
at 9.14 with the
Camera & arrived

at London Bridge
Station at 9.45
I then went to
the S.E.R. but
finding there
was not a train
for Eufield until
11.15 took a Bus
to Moorgate Street
left by G.N.R. at
10.11 for Eufield
and after changing
arrived at 11.5.

L (at Finsbury Park)
Called upon Miss
Hartley & then went
on to Chase Farm
Schools, went over
to Miss Beale's
quarters & after
an introduction
to the Master and
Matron - (Mr & Mrs
Livock) had dinner
Miss Beale & self
then had a walk

by the New River
and through
the town, returned
at 4:00, & put in
some plates which
I exposed on a
group but after-
wards found that
they were all fogged
we had tea and
finished up the
evening with music
10. Inspected the little

Industrial Museum
which is being
formed at the
~~Museum~~ Schools
and after breakfast
had a walk with
Mrs Beale to Clay
Still and back.

At 9.27 I left for
Knigs X where I
changed from the
G.N.R to underground
Railway and left

at 10.17 for So:
Kensington Station
I however got off
at Gloucester Road
and went to the
Nat Hist Museum
I exposed 10 plates
and stayed in
the building until
3.0, When I
called at the
Museum a week
ago I learned

that Waterhouse
the keeper of the
insect department
was away on
vacation, I found
him in this time
and on telling
him that Addyman
has asked me to
call on him he
took me round
the Department
and showed me

The caterpillar
preserving appar-
atus which did
not materially
differ from mine.
I went over those
portions ~~which~~ of
the Museum ~~&~~
which I had not
previously seen
excepting the min-
eral rooms wh.
would have taken

no longer ^{time} than
I could well spare.
I returned to
Gloster Road and
booked to Victoria
changed stations
and got on to
Norwood having
to change again
en route at Syd-
-enham I eventually
arrived at Mr.
Wigglesworth's house

at 4:50 I wrote
to Alf Cooke for
specimens of
color printing for
the Infield School's
Museum & also
to Rose at Scarbro'

11. Left Norwood at
8.43 am for
London Bridge &
on arriving I
walked over the
Bridge and on

to the Monument
at 9.15, Called
on W Carr & on
W Beale, but they
had not got down
to business, I left
a note for Beale
to say I would
call again at 3.0
walked on to Ab-
-church Lane and
saw young Blad-
paid 9c for my

Cards 1/6 and
then went on to
the Mansion House
got a bus for
Regents' Park and
arrived at the
Zoo at 11.0 bought
a guide, left at
1.0 and took a
bus to Portland
Road the Metro-
politan railway
landed me at

the Monument
Station at 1:30
Saw Wall Beale
he was engaged
for the rest of
the day, he asked
me to go over to
see his people at
Foughboro' Called
at Monument
House again and
found that W
Carr has only

just left, Next
I went into
Cheapside & bought
some presents &
then to Ludgate
Hill Station, took
train to Houghboro'
and arrived at
3.0. Mrs Beale
was the only one
I found in Mr
Beale was away
and Jack & his.

wife had gone
off for the day.
I had tea with
Mrs Beale & set
off at 5.45. to
walk to South
Norwood. passing
through Stern's
Hill,ulse Hill
& Beulah Hill
I arrived at my
destination at
7.30 -

12. Left Norwood
at 8.0 am & went
by train to London
Bridge Station
walked over the
Bridge, Ludgate
Hill and on to
Charing X Station.
Met W. S. Woodward
here and at 10.15
we took train to
Box Hill, walked
on to Dorking &

through Cold
Starbourn on to
Leith Hill, had
some refreshment
and walked back
to Dorking by another
route, we next
walked on to Box
Hill so called
on account of the
number of large
box trees there
A series of Yew

trees mark the
route of the old
Canterbury Pilgrims
walked back into
Dorking again &
had tea at the
Red Lion, we left
Box Hill Station
at 7.38 and chang-
ing at Croydon
I landed at
Norwood Junction
I saw nothing very

special in the
Bird line, large
flocks of *Aeredula*
roosa: Woodward
told me that the
Curator of the
Cardiff Museum
was vacant &
was advertised in
"Nature"

13 Had a general
walk around
Norwood, in the

Morning * took
train at 1-43
for London Bridge
arriving at 2-12.
walked over the
bridge to Moorgate
St & took Midland
Rail to Kentish
Town & got the
connection there
with the 3-0
train from St
Pancras. Reached

Sheffield at 6.45
15 minutes late
owing to the fog
Got out of the
train and asked
if we should have
the usual fine
minutes. "Yes"

I had just got
into the refreshment
room when away
went the train
with my luggage

Got the railway
Officials to telegraph
the Articles to
Leeds. I got a
slow train and
found the luggage
awaiting me in
Leeds, the only
loss I sustained
was 2 hours in
point of time &
some annoyance -
this concluded my

holidays for 1890

14. Was busy to day
in getting testimonials
wrote Clarke, Scharff
Woodward Denny
and called on Derry
Jolliffe, Zeale, Miall,
(saw Hoyle at College)
15 Developed photos
taken in London -
Called on Roebuck
Richard (Town Hall)
Reynolds and wrote

to Clarke, Tristram
Newton, Green, & Saw
Knubley who called
made some lantern
slides at night.

16 wrote to Knubley
& Hobkirk re testimonials
from Y. U. U., Received
several and also some
refusals.

17 More testimonials
arrived took them
to Towell & Sorey to

print, Saw Atkinson
for one, Met Major
Green + his daughters
from Scarbro'

18 Received some more
testimonials I have
them from

* Miall

* Clarke

* Denny

* Y. N. U.

Leale

Scharff

Tristram

* Atkinson

Reynolds

I was restricted to

5 and used those

* Spent all morning
in correcting proofs

to did not get
home until 3 (Sat).

packed up application

* testimonials one

to each member of
the Cardiff Corporation

and 2 to Secretary

Postage

40 to Council

5.0

2 to Secretary

2½

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Took them down to
the G.P.O. at 7.0
letter from Bradford
Nat Club to which
I replied to say
that I should be
there at 4.26.

Commenced to write
list of Vertebrates
of Walton + district
(West Anist).

19 Sunday. Went down
to the Museum and

took weather James
being away. in
afternoon Wragby
& Geneva came &
Stayed the evening
20 Saw Birch at
noon & at 4.5 took
train to Bradford
arrived 4.26 and
went to Y M C A
where I left my
things, then to
Art Gallery & Museum?

had tea and at
7.30 returned to
Y M C.A and gave
lecture to Bradford
Nat Club on the
Woodpeckers, left
at 9.50 & got off
at Kirkstall wrote
J A Reid about a
lens which I had
left there while
in London.

21 Attended lecture

at Phil Hale first
of Societies for
the Season, Sir
J. Woulton on
"Modern Pottery"
I worked the
Lantern.

22 letter from J. A
Reid saying the
lens was alright
wrote and asked
him to send it
to me. Sir J. W.

Doulton gave me
a vase of typical
Doulton, spent the
evening on the
birds of the West
Ainsty

23. Received a paper
of Cardiff from
Jolliffe containing
report of meeting
of Museum + Art
Committee from
which it appears

That they are
willing to take
the Curator back
again, they had
had some quarrel
with him, I took
"Nicholas Nicholby"
to Dodgson & he
said it was an
original copy &
if it had been
a clean one (which
it is not) it would

have been worth
30/- I then took
it to Dowett and
Dorsey to build.

24 Saw Roebuck
who asked me if
I would consent
to be a Secretary
(not assistant.)
of the Y.N.U. and
take charge of the
Excursions, I said
I would consider

the matter, he
lent me maps
to of the Ainsty
letter from Denny
asking me to give
one of my Museum
lectures before the
Sheffield Naturalists
Club early next
month for their
opening lecture.
I gave him choice
of the 2 Woodpeckers

or "Mammals",
Called on Mr
Aldred at night
re Harold who
had fallen from
his bicycle and
had been insensible
for 2 days - found
he was better &
conscious.

25 letter from Fortune
asking me for some
parasites of Birds

At night went with
Major & the Misses Green
to the Leeds Exhibition
26 Went to Museum
in the morning &
in Afternoon painted
Magpie & nest and
Commenced Thrush
& nest for Mr Smith
& Mrs Vause, At night
Mr Mrs Brown family
came to tea & spent
the evening-

27th Letter from Fortune
asking me to go
& have some shooting
on the 31st, Letter
from Denny giving
me Nov 14. Accepted
date wrote Harrison
Wilstrop & asked him
if Friday or Sat
31 + Nov 1 would
suit him for me to
visit Wilstrop,
wrote Randall Hatfield

the Birds &c of
Thorp Arch, At
night found Miss
Blanchard & some
friends of hers at
our house they were
going to the Theatre
I went down to the
L.N.C. & heard Hewetson
on Birds Eggs. At
noon Backhouse
called & I dined
with him at the

Queens, he asked me
to take over to his
house on Friday the
Birds in down.

28 Received lens from
J. Reid. Telegram from
Denny asking me to
change my date to
11 or 12 Nov^r. bought
German - Eng. dictionary
Received letter from
Fortune asking me
to postpone my

visit for a week
Letter from Mr
Harrison saying
it would be con-
venient to him
for me to go to
Wilstrop on Friday
wrote Fortune and
told him that I
could not postpone
Looking round the
Market Chappel Bird
Stuffer of Kirkstall

Road made himself
known to me & he
went with me to
the Museum I lent
him Brown's Taxidermy
29 I went to Chappels
house at noon and
bought an insect
Cabinet for 7/6 and
Gold: Winged & Great
Spot: Woodpeckers &c
for 1/6. Mounted the
latter from Wetherby.

30. Saw Roebuck who
gave me programmes
of Y.N.U. to complete
my series, Received
letter from a Banker
in Cardiff who whom
father had communicated
to say that, W. Storr
had been reinstated
Curator,

✱ In the evening
Walker called to see
me by arrangement

and I helped him
with some drawings -
31 left Leeds at 12.8
taking with me the
Camera of Fortune &
Downy Bird & for
Backhouse these I
put out at Harrogate
and went forward to
Hammerton, & walked
to Wilsbrop, took the
gun to the wood, &
on entering I saw

What I thought to
be a small Magpie
I soon saw what it
was & shot it, a
Lt Spotted Woodpecker
♂. I found the
men ferreting & after
watching them a
short while I trotted
off again, & shot a
Squirrel running up
a tree. A little further
& I got a Creeper.

I shot a Redwing +
then came in to tea
After which I in-
terrogated Mr. Harrison
re the Vertebrates of
Wilstrop.

Now I After breakfast
I went to the wood
+ shot a Fieldfare
on the way, I walked
through to the further
side and shot another
Squirrel, I had just

got my cartridge in
I had not moved
when I dropped a
second Mr. Harrison
has all shot he comes
across he says they
eat the young shoots
about, 20 yards, when
I heard chip chip chip.
and another Sciurus
bounded up a tree
and fell at my shot.
I came in with

a large flock of
long-tailed Tits and
Shot 2 One of which
I lost. I next went
back to dinner +
then wrote up the
remaining Birds +
the Reptiles + Fishes -

Took the gun out
again, I first got
up to the Barn Owl's
nest in the Shed,
There were 3 young

ones in, nicely
feathered. They did
not attempt to
bite although I took
them all out of the
nest & put them in
my lap, they flew
back to the nest,
this is the second
brood, this season
there were 5 eggs
& Mr. H. thinks that
2 Birds must have

got off. in fact
these 3 were just
about ready, these
birds are held al-
-most sacred at
Wilshrop. I shot a
Redwing & then went
to the river side
saw several Coots
but not withoutⁱⁿ shot
It was getting dark
when I saw a Crow
flying towards me

It neered away about
200 yards off, & then
settled on an oak
tree about 200 yards
I crept about $\frac{1}{2}$
the distance under
cover of the Willows
before I was seen
& then got along
until there was
no more shelter I
then judged that I
was 60 yards away

Had I left my
shelter the bird
would have gone
So I put in a
No 5 into Choke bore
& dropped him with
a broken wing. I
paced the distance
& found it exactly
61 yards a long
shot to procure a
Crow, My next shot
was at a Water Vole

Swimming, but after
the splash of the shot
I saw nothing but
my top was floating
on the water, In
going home, I killed
a Thrush in mistake
for a "Telfer" I
have seen 2 Sparrow-
-Hawks, about 12 Stock
Doves, Ring Doves
innumerable to see
"Register" inspected

Some of Mr. Harrison's
skins.

2 Sunday. Saw a Hooded
Crow, After breakfast
Mr. Harrison sent me
to Walton in a trap
I halted at Blanshard
& found Miss B. in
Stayed dinner & there
called on Wallis &
went forward to
Thorpe Arch, and
called at the Hall,

Saw Mr & Randall
Hatfield got some
information about
the birds fish from
the latter and with
him had a stroll
thro' the wood, he
shot *Corvus cornix*
yesterday. Went back
to Walton & after tea
Miss B & self went
to church.

3. Had a stroll from

6 to Breakfast and
left by 8.40 train
for Leeds - Nicholson
of Pudsey told me
he had a Cuckoo
alive he had had
it since June. At
night. L N Club, I
gave them an
evening on Sternum.
Mr Paul called to
day.

4. wrote Mr Chaloner

re Birds to of
Newton Kyme -
wrote Backhouse re
Birds in down to at
night I did some
Y.N.U. work for Annual
Meeting

5 Received Official
letter from Cardiff
saying that the old
Curator's resignation
had been withdrawn
& asking me to accept

£2.2.0 as an honorarium
I being one of the
4 Selected Candidates
I paid Jowett & Son's
£2.1.0 & enclosed
it to Cardiff saying I
would accept the £2.2.0
but drew attention to
the printing &c. wrote
an article on Sterna
for Walker. L.N. Club
Backhouse acknowledge
receipt of Birds &

Returned me a small
Lark which I had
sent for identification
and gave me a
specimen of *A. arborea*.
At night I worked
out Bibliography
of Anisby Birds to
from Naturalist to
Mr Chaloner called
at Museum and
dictated a few
Notes on birds -

6 Received a ♂
Sparrowhawk from
Huesbro' anonymously
wrote Mr Paul re same.
At night I painted &
repaired the cabinet.

7 wrote Mr Challoner &
Emmet re Birds of
Newton & Boston, looked
out some of "Zoologist"
reference. At night I
polished fronts of the
drawers & gave the

Cabinet another coat
of Aspinall's enamel
I Bought ~~blank~~ Mercury
Supplements to fill up
blank records of the
L H Club since May.

Roebuck called and
introduced me to
Rosenstock, we arranged
to have a stroll to-
morrow (Sunday) Afternoon.

Gunnell called by
arrangement & we

went down to the house
"Burley Wood" to see
the furniture &c to be
sold by Auction next
week I marked a gun
& Carriage bag.

I wrote some of Ainsty
Birds in Morning

At 1.30 I met Roebuck
& Rosenstock at the 3
Horse Shoes & took them
round by Meamwood
& Adael.

10. Letter from Backhouse
I replied & told him
I would take £3.3.0
+ $2/3^{10}$ Market price
of *Limicola ptyrhynga*.
for the Downy Birds.

I wrote to W C Scott
New Zealand, re his
seeds Bird lists and
other things. Wrote to
W^m Smith, Southampton
& told her I would
send the 2 drawings

Song Thrush + nest
and Maggie + nest
for herself Mr Vause.
At noon I went to
College of Music +
tried over some pieces
with W.H.W.W. Husband
asked me if I would
go to an at home he
was giving on Thursday
+ show a few things
Mr Waite brought
he a decrepid Clock

from her sister
Mrs Robinson, I got
a pendulum clock
+ Spent the evening
in fitting the clock
together, cleaning it,
//. Went at 1.15 to
Wombwell's Menagerie
+ was joined by
Roebuck, Saw the
performance + did
not leave until 4.15
Sent the drawings

to Mr Smith Southampton
Ordered Guard Book
for Y N U Excursion
programmes for Self
from N E Corquodales
12 Mr Chaloner sent
me a list of the
Birds observed in his
district. At 1.25 I left
Leeds, Midland & was
met at Sheffield by
Denny who took me
to his laboratory

where Bradshaw
Assistant in the
Corporation Museum,
met me, Denny went
on to the College
& Bradshaw took me
to the Museum, &
spent all the afternoon
there, when Denny
called & took me
to his rooms to tea.
At which Sorber
joined us. We

all went on to
Montgomery Hall
where I gave them
the life of Mammals
Sorby presiding -
re-introduced to
Ed Birks we all
went on to his
house to supper &
had music etc. by
Miss Kate Birks, a
Cab took us back
to Denny's rooms

Where I stayed overnight.
13. Left by Cab, +
took 9.4 train to
Leeds. Backhouse
lent me £3.13.0
for the "Birds in Down
Fortune asked me
to go to Harrogate
on Friday, did not
accept the invitation.
Birch lent me his
Microscope Branson
some popular Slides

At 8.0 I went to
Husband's "At home"
Exhibited drawings of
Covidae Anatidae +
Picidae + Microscope.
About 30 present.

Ordered: Zoological
Handbook by Sealewska
from Dodgson.

14 Jowett & Sorrow sent
me Nicholas Nicholby
Borned - 3/6. At noon
I tried over some Violins

pieces with W.H.W.W.
at the College of
Music. Mrs Waite
bought me a Cartridge
bag + 32 Cartridges
at Firth's Sale for 4/3
15. Sent MS. of first
part of Anisty Verto'
to Clarke. At 4.19
I met Miss Blaushard
from Walton.
16 Shot a fine Magpie
in the Ash tree in

Our garden took
Miss B to Headingley
Church in the morning.
Lambert from H'gate
called yesterday &
asked me for the date
of a paper which he
said I had promised
to Fortune I gave him
March 17th 1891.

17. At night I ~~stayed~~
~~down~~ stayed in town
went over the voting.

Paper of the Y.N.U.
with Roebuck & then
to L.N. Club, Walker
on Simulium -

18 Left Leeds at 11-0
with Roebuck & V for
Halifax, to the H.P. & L. Soc.
Museum & arranged for
the Annual Meeting
Y.N.U. had dinner
at the White Swan &
went back, General
Committee at 4-0 fol-

-following Sections I retired
from Sec of Vert Section
we elected Backhouse to
the Chair & Fortune Nelson
as Secretaries, At 5.0
had tea at White Swan
when Cash asked R Self
to stay over night, we
agreed by Davis after-
wards took me in tow.

7.0 General Meeting

Our Presidents address.
~~At~~ I was elected joint

See with Knubley +
Roebuck. Afterwards
went on to Cheyenne
19 Got up at 5:30 +
knocked up Percy.
Left with him by the
9 25 train. At noon
I showed him + a
Y.M. Member Thackrah
how to Skin a bird
operating on the Magpie
At night I went
with Major + the

Misses Green to
Hamilton's panorama
20. At noon I took
off the loose crown
of a tooth but
could not stop
the bleeding. Saw
Birch & at 7:15
attended Council
meeting of L. A. C.
reappointed on the
Council after, wh
went to Coliseum

Met Father & Miss
Blanchard coming
from Hamilton &
walked home with
them, I calling on
Dr Smith who put
me some matico leaf
into the gum which
eventually stopped
the bleeding -

At. In the evening
W.H.W. came up
and we had music
[13]

22 Received Guard
Book from M^cC^o.
Saw Rose off from
Kirkstall for Keighley
at 2.47. very wet day.

23 Did not go out to
day. pasted 7 N. u
Circulars into Guard
Book & finished writing
the report of the
Annual Meeting.

24 Received letter
from Rose, Keighley

to which I replied
Spent noon with
Roebuck

25 Took 2 negatives of
Gunnell to test a $\frac{1}{4}$
plate camera which
he thought of buying
Mounted slide of
Bats' intermembral patagium

26 wrote Featherstone
Hewetson re L N @

Conversation: take
to Phillips & give him

hairs of Slides I
shall exhibit on Dec 3
viz interfemoral patagium
of Vesperugo pipistrellus
& web from foot of
Alca Torda which
latter I mounted to
day. Letter from Rose
I replied & said that
if fine I would walk
to Keighley on Saturday
At night I called
on Bennett & spent

The Evening with him
27. Received Cheque
from Cardiff £2. 2. 0
Called on Newellson at
noon re LNC Cover-
Letter from Keighley
wrote labels for about
1/3 of Scott's Birds Miss
Blaushard left to day
28 wrote labels for
another 1/3 of Scott's
Birds wrote to Keighley
29 left Leeds at 11.35.

to walk to Keighley.
Snow had fallen on
the 27th succeeded by
frost yesterday to day
which made the ground
very slippery. I had had
some nails put into
my boots, passed
through Rodley at
12.55 and Calverley
at 1.15. After going
some distance I
enquired the way

to Idle instead of
looking at the map
and was put on
to the wrong road,
I eventually found
myself after a stiff
pull. at Eccleshill
2 miles out of my
way at 1.50 I made
on to Shipley which
I reached at 2.30 -
and at 3.20 I
landed at Bingley.

here I had some
refreshment & left
at 3.45, entered
Keighley about
4.40 and landed
at my destination -
Cliff St. about 5.0
After tea at Mrs
Smith's she invited
me ^{to} stay overnight
so I went down to
the Post Office and
sent off a telegram

30. Had a walk
before dinner to
Keighley Tarn -
where people were
skating in large
numbers. After
dinner we went
to a Sacred Concert
at the theatre given
by "the Swiss Choir."
Rose & self left
Keighley at 8.22.
and arrived at

Kirkstall at 9.12
walked up to
North Lane.

Dec. 1, Fastened on some
of the labels. Gurnell
gave me some photos
of Runic crosses to
Exhibit at the Congress:
2 Randall Hatfield sent
me a Ring dove, at
night I worked the
lantern at Philosophical
Lecture Freshfield on

"The Caucasus!" Sent
down "Scott's" Birds to
the Hall by Broadhead

3. Conversation of
Leeds Nat Club I took
Rose, Selter, from Sheffield

4 Spent noon with
Roebuck to arrange
the Y. N. U. room &c.

5. At noon I wrote
out many Y. N. U.
"Advises" with W. D. R.
wrote to Bradshaw

Sheffield & Clarke
re my letter of
15th Nov^r. Mr^s Miss
Hatfield & Randall
Called at Museum
& I showed them round
I skinned the C.
palumbus & found
an immense mass
of quite fresh food
in the crop, the
weather had been
very severe ~~up the~~

up to the time of
its decease & it was
feeding when shot
perhaps the first
Square meal it had
had for 3 days. The
contents were as follows

30 Acorns.

151 Haws. (the

fruit of White thorn)

and 16 grains of Barley.

~~There were also 151 Haws.~~

All these were contained

in the crop the Acorns
had evidently been the
first taken then the
corn & lastly the Haws
several of which were
in the gullet. I found
the *T cristatus* and *T*
T tenuatus which I have
had since April, dead
this morning.

6 Drew some Conic
Cards for Xmas -
7. Went with Rose

To Lawnswood in
the afternoon,
8 letter from B'ford
Nat Club asking
me for particulars
of the Museum they
propose to visit it
next Sat afternoon.
bought a Pickled dog
fish in the Market
to try my hand on.
Spent noon with Birch
re L & C q's and at

night attended the
Annual meeting.

Spent noon with Roe-
-back at the Hall &
finished the New York

At night I made a
lengthy abstract of
my lecture for the
Sheffield Nat Club.

10. Went to the Cattle
Show at noon & at
night drew Gurnell's
ruling Machine for

a zincograph

11. Sent off Abstract to
Sheffield & Saw Mr
Littlewood, Surgeon
with respect to cutting
Rosa's tonsils, wrote
to her. Got Estimate
for Zincograph from
my Drawing. At 2.30
Roebuck & Self went
to see Wombwell's a
more imposing than
the one we visited

a short time ago - 11
Nov^r we left at 5.30
having stayed to see
the animals fed, a
tiger was let out &
taken round on an
Elephants' back bought
"Scrub Kindnberg" in
the Market for 4^d
Letter from Bradford
Nat Club the proposed
visit postponed,
12. Saw Gurnell & took

my drawing to Mr
C & Co to be micrographed
the

Manager of Wombwell's
to whom I had been
chatting yesterday
called by my invitation
& I took him round
the Museum, he gave
me a complimentary
ticket

13 Took Rose in the
morning to Littlewood

who cut both her
tongues & also the
uvula, went home
to dinner and then
down again. A lecture
in the Library by Canon
Hicks on Greek Inscriptions
in the Museum. Took
the Naturalist to Mc
C & Co to be bound.
Caldeman subpoenaed
me to attend, the
Court re Irvine's

Case v. S. N. W. Ry. Co.

Commencing Wednesday,
gave him particulars
of my connection
with the Violet from
Holyhead to Dublin
on Aug 18.th 1889 at
2.0 am -

14. In the morning I
walked through Adel
on to Eccup and the
Alewodley Road. Saw
Marsh Tit at Stairfoot

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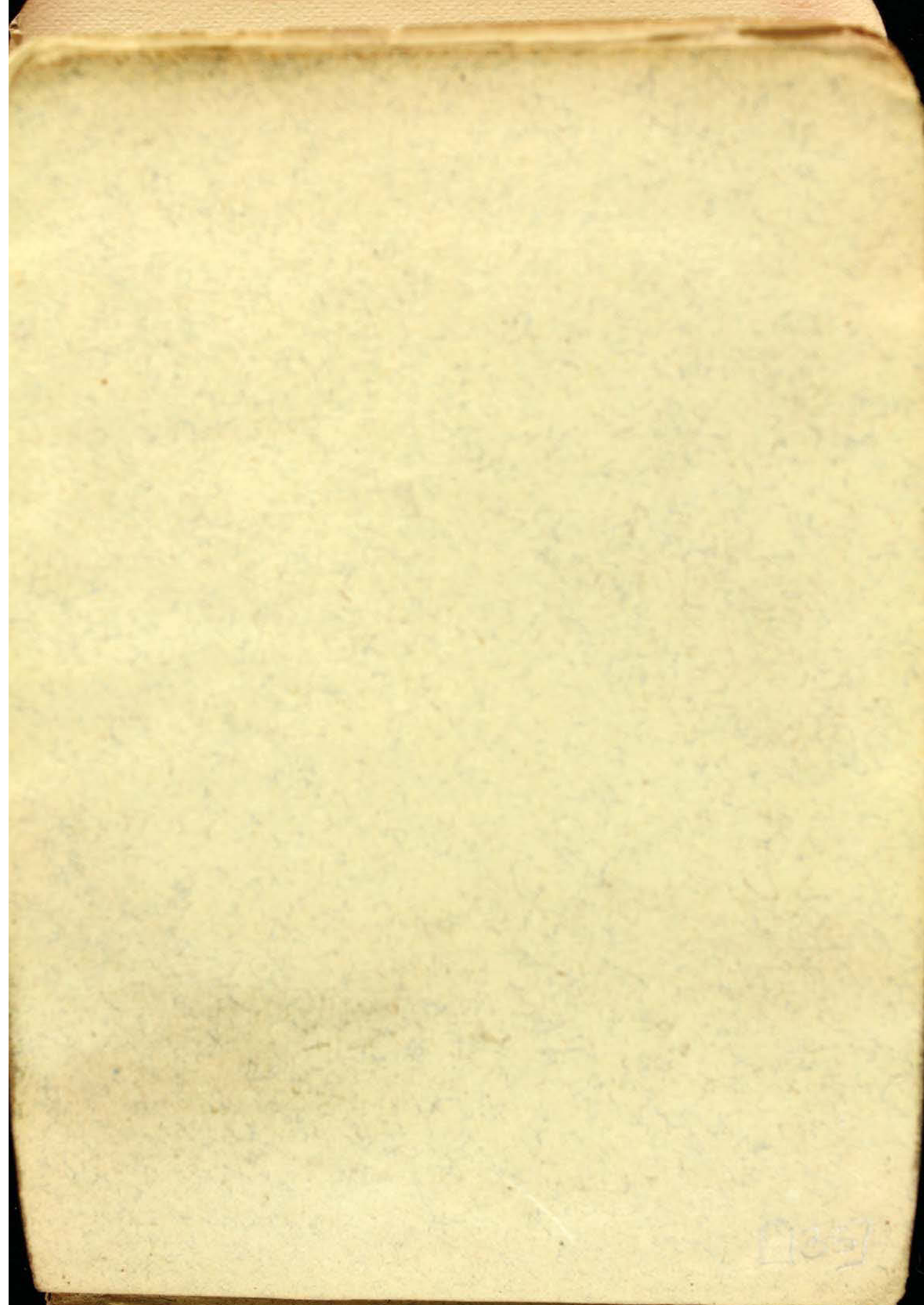
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