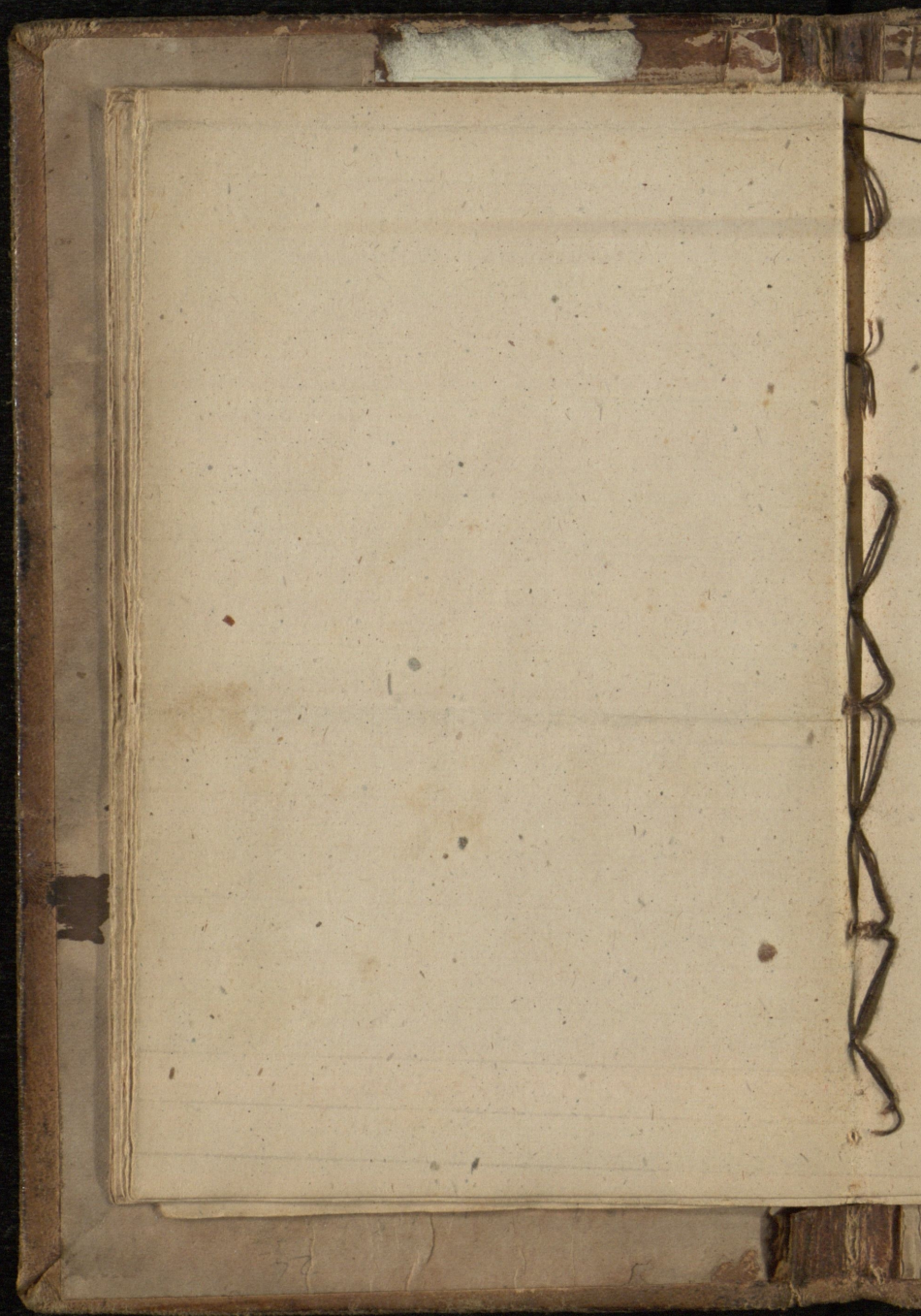
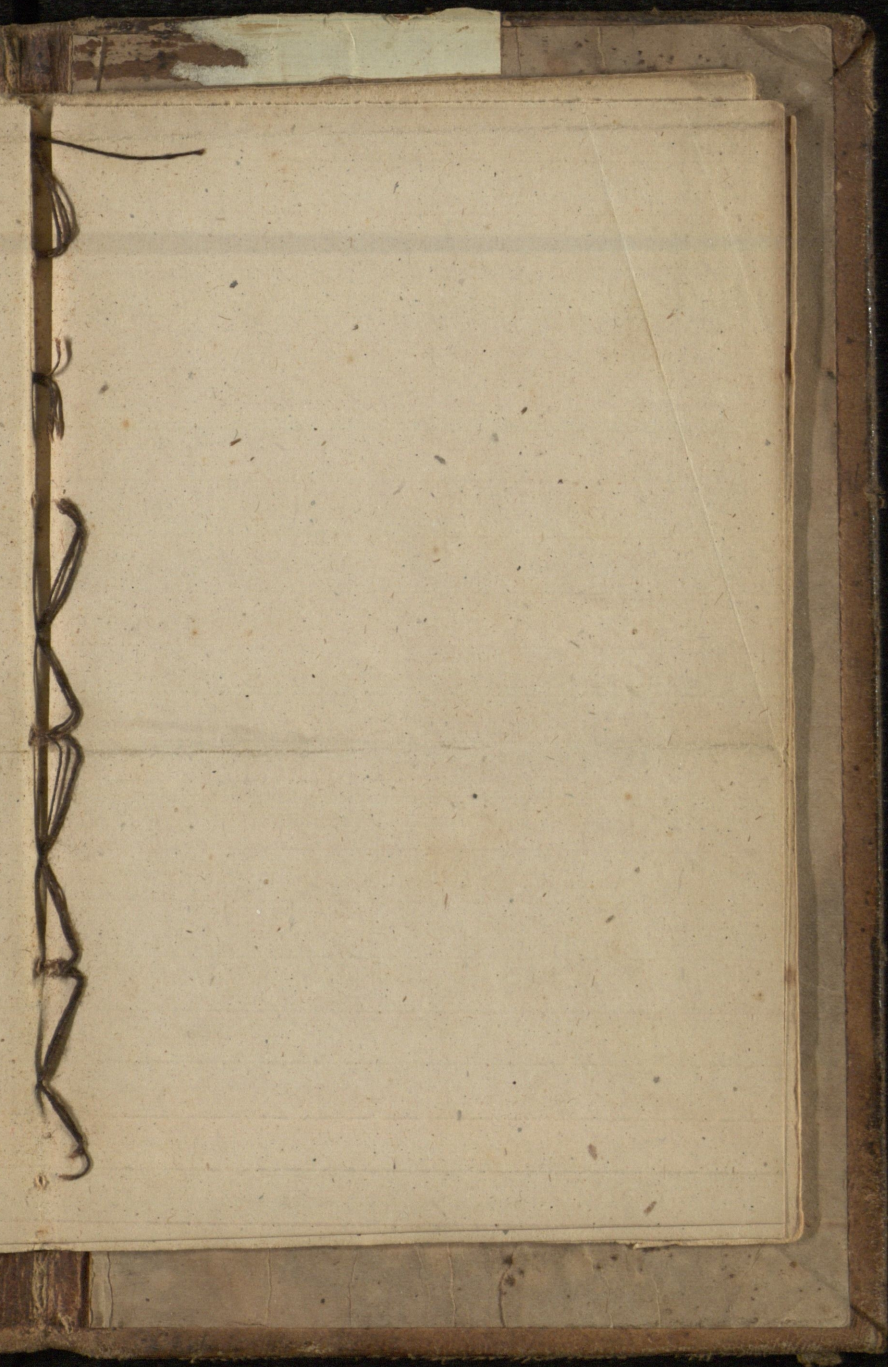
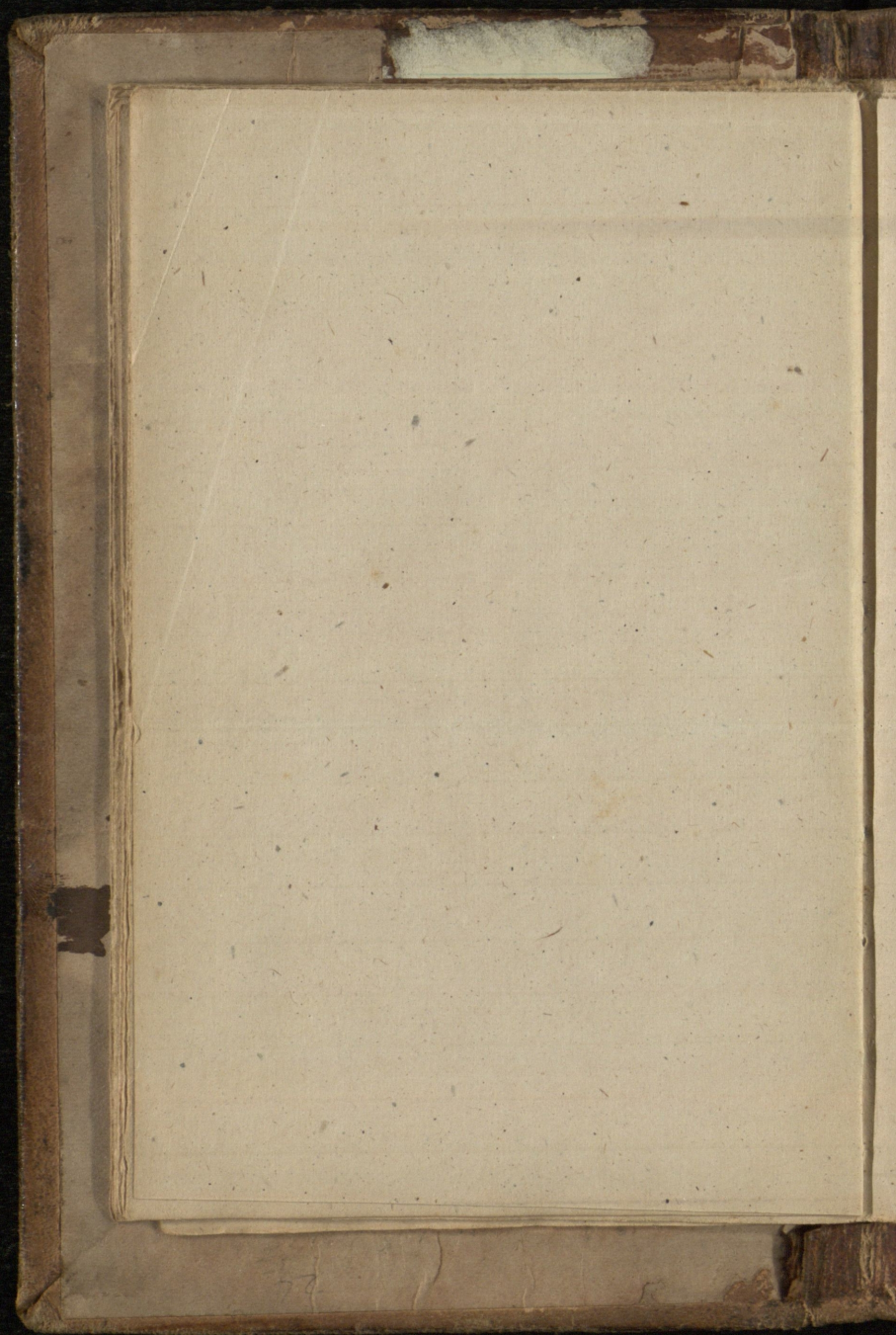
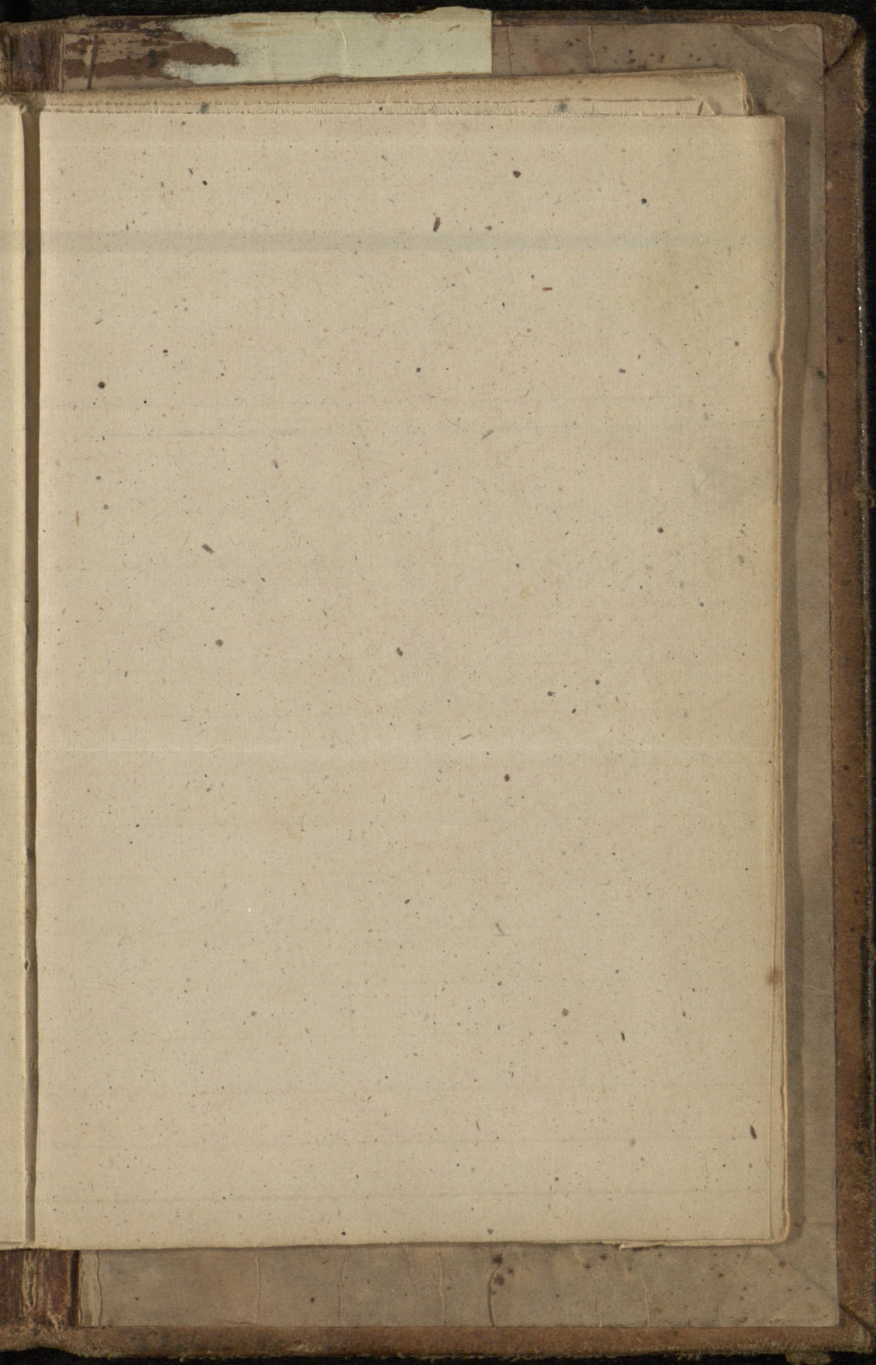
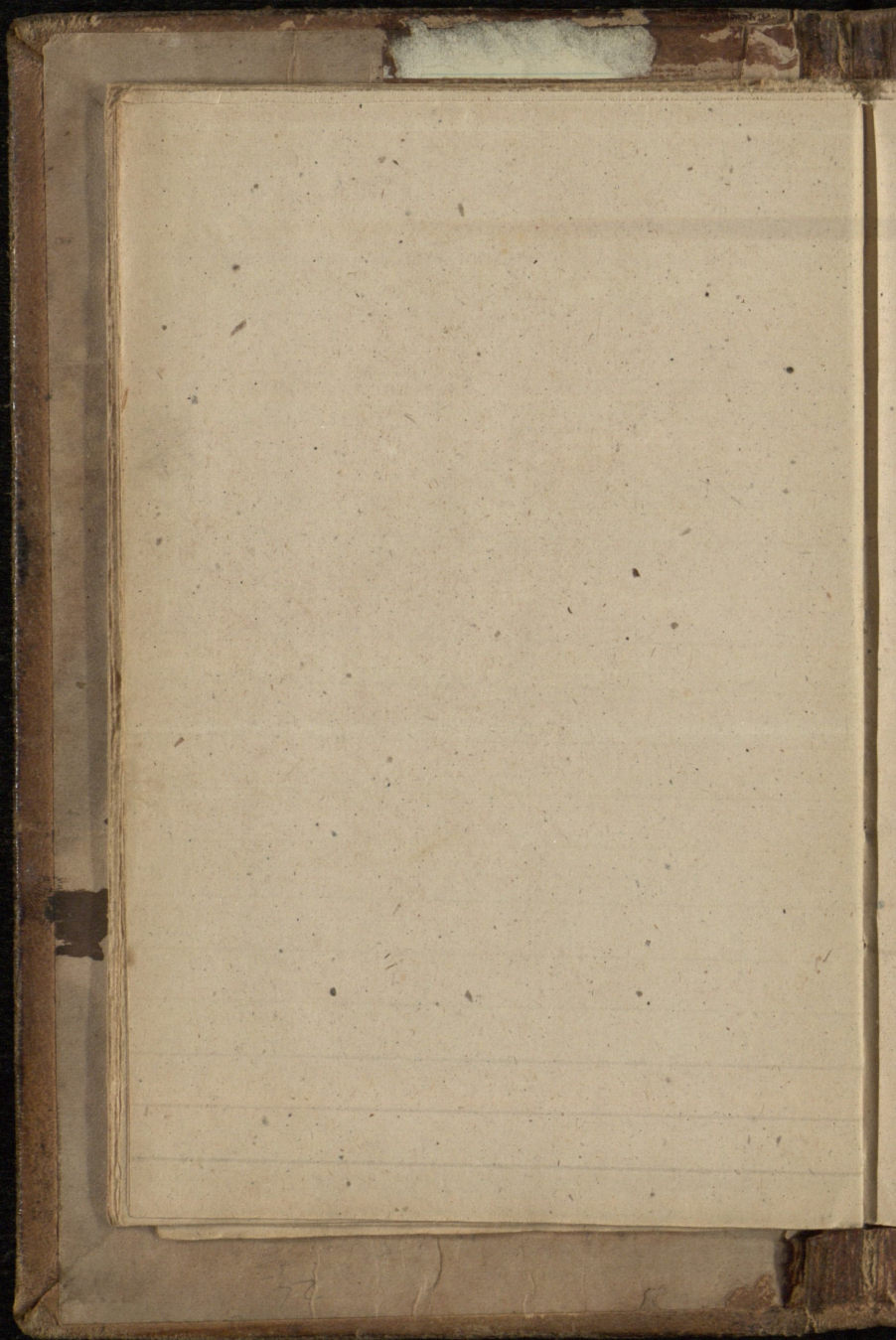


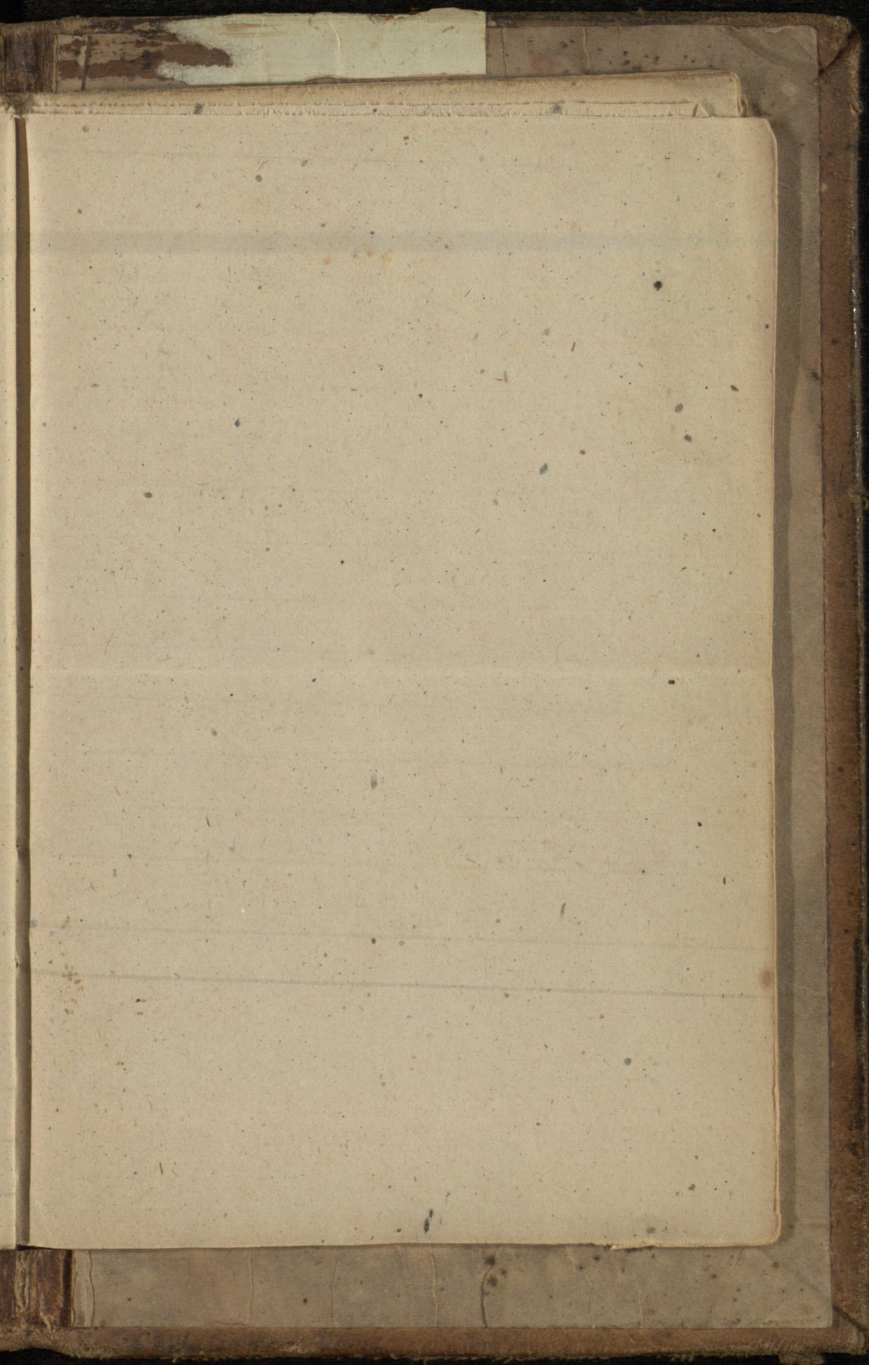












Charlotte N.C.
March 17 1899
granite monument
opposite Court-House

Erected by the
Mecklenburg
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May 20 1899
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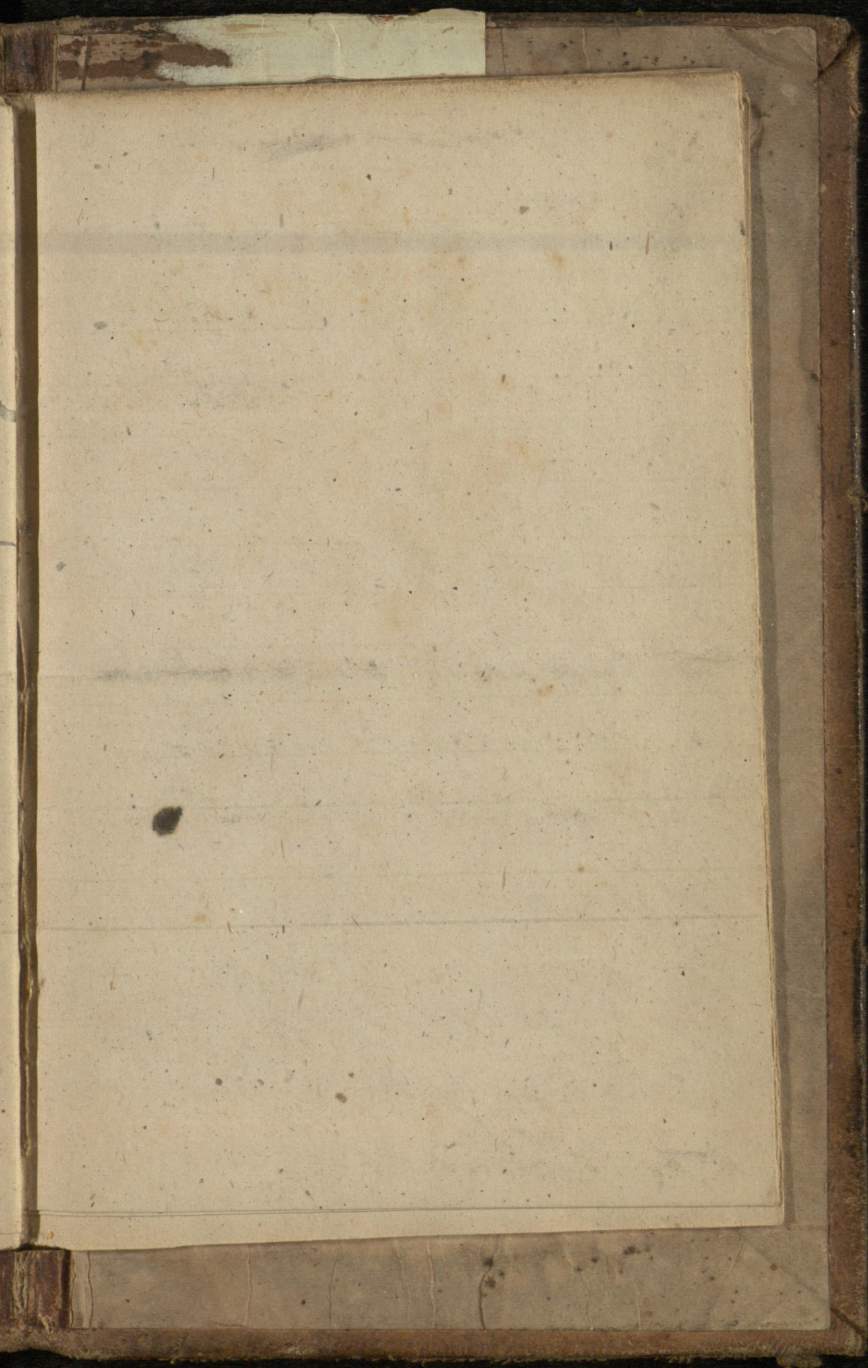
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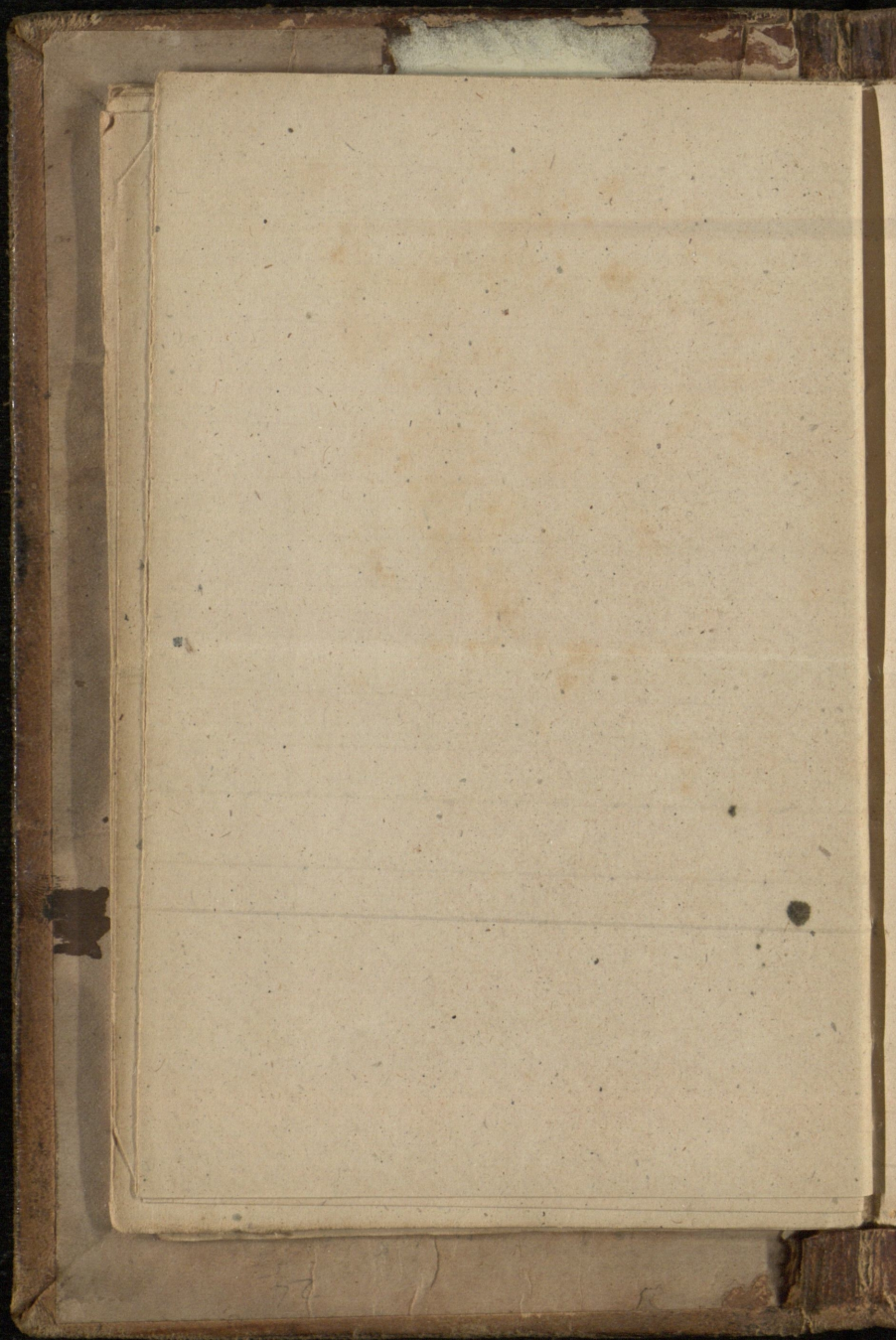
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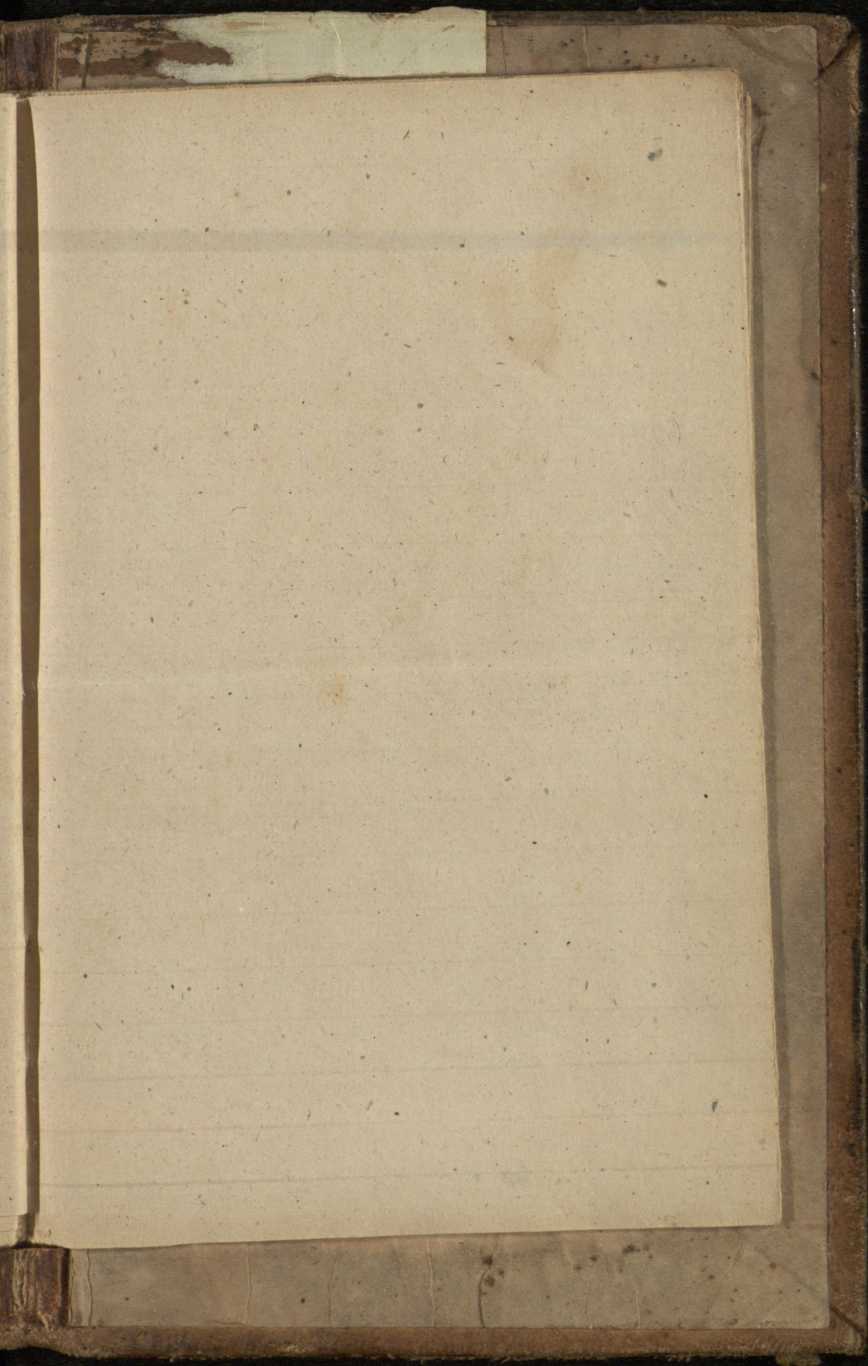
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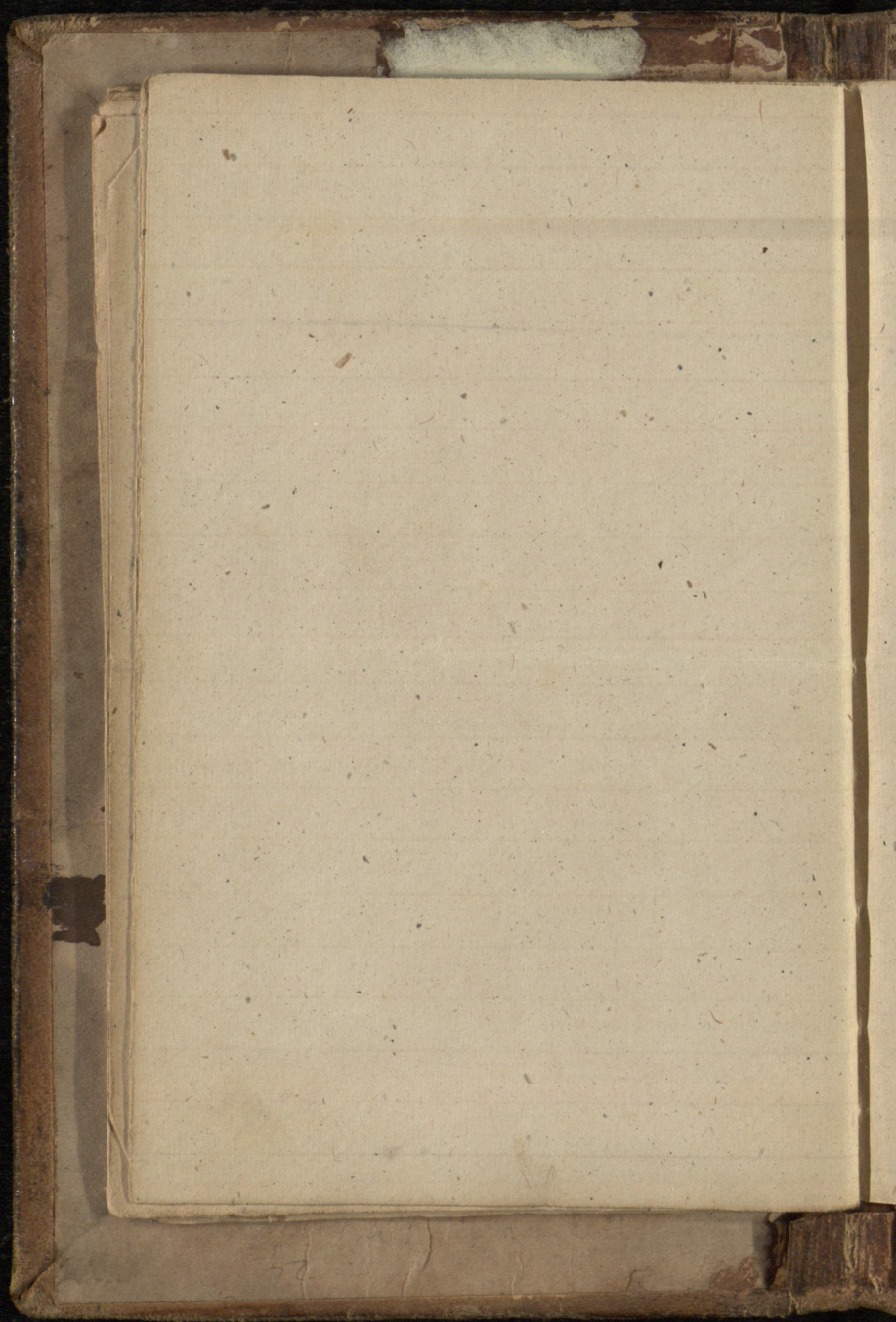
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To the signers
of the Declaration
of Independence
May 20 1775

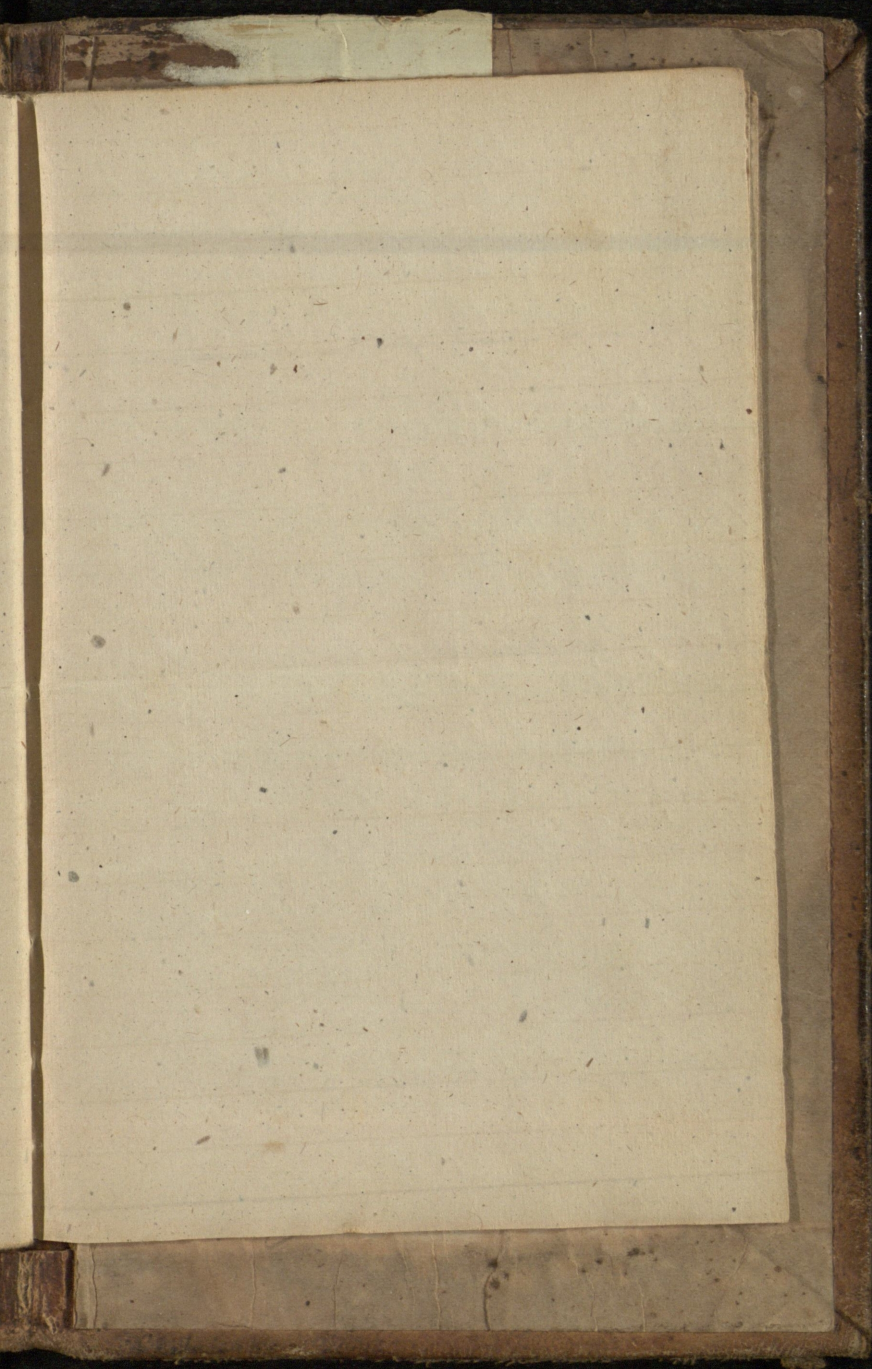
4# we hereby
declare ourselves
a free and inde-
pendant people
Epitome Breward
Thomas Polk
John McKnight
Alexander and
24 others











+
Wilmington N.C. March 7th 1865
Left Rocky Point Station
at 9 A.M. and arrived on uneven
ground at 10 under flag of
Union and passed through
into our lines counted by
Act Com. Hatch C.S.A. and Gen
Abbott U.S.A. and Col Rollins
7th N.H. Vols. then marched
about 2 miles where we halted
2 hours and partook of some
Buckhard bread and coffee
then marched 9 miles on the
R.R. to Wilmington arriving
there at 4 P.M. and 100 of us
were quartered in a Church.
All had good quarters in
different parts of the City.
Took supper at the Soldiers
Barracks went down to a

Wilmington March 1st 1865

Called on Wain House and found
Sergeant W. Hartwell Co. D. an survivor
there of the 9th

2nd) Cloudy but warm

Went on board of the Steamer
(entirely propeller) at 10 A.M.
Got off and moved down
the River opposite Fort Fisher
where we anchored to wait for
high water so as to cross the
bar

March 3rd Opposite Fort Fisher
We tried to cross the Bar at 11 A.M.
and put to sea at 12 M. - as soon
as the fog cleared up - nearly
all were taken sea sick as soon
as the Steamer began to roll
which occasioned much
suffering and no little fun

fortunately I escaped all bad
incursions although the Sea,
was very rough on account of the
recent storm, but it is clear
and pleasant now and we
have every indication of a
pleasant trip.

March 4th 8, A.M. Heavy
fog with occasional gusts
of rain and wind but making
good time as we
are going before the wind
passed Cape Hatteras this
morning before day light
heavy sea while passing and
the ship rolled heavily but
all managed to hang on
somewhere but most
of those who were sick
yesterday are still unable

to sit up without leaving
our the Rail 12 M.

~~Fog cleared up and making~~
~~good time 12 M.~~

Making slow time on
account of fog soon of
the time unable to see
more than the ship's length
length ahead - 6 P M.

Fog cleared away about one
mile which we have been
making good time with
Clear and pleasant -

March 3rd 8 A.M.

Pleasant but quite cool
passed Cape ~~Hat~~ Henry
last night about 8 P M
and are now passing
Point-Lookout which
is on our left every body.

Parole

We the undersigned prisoners
of war do give our parole of
honor that we will not take
up arms again nor serve as
military police or constabulary
force & in any Fort Garrison
or field work nor as guard
of prisoners depots or stores
nor to discharge any duty
usually performed by
soldiers until exchanged
under the provisions of
the cartel entered into
July 22^d 1862 We also
pledge ourselves not to
give any information
which ^{may be of} ~~may be of~~ ^{any} ~~any~~ ^{value}
to our Generals or others
Signed at Goldsborough
N.C. Feb. 28 1865.

feeling well and in
good humor although
the air is very chilly for
our light clothing
6 o'clock, P.M.

Arrived at the Wharfe Annap-
olis Md at 12 o'clock M
and immediately disem-
-barked and reported
at once to Capt Davis
(30th Mass Vols) Comdg Coledys
Green Barracks where we
entered our names and
wrote an application for
leave of absence of 30 days
from then to Santa Com
and drew some sundry clothing
and from then to Officers
Hospital dining Hall
and took supper which
we were in great need of

March 9th 1865-

Annapolis Md

Cloudy but warm

Sent a paper. Home
with letters of yesterday
Sent Let. of J. Gallagher
\$4000

Charlotte Mar 1899

9th + Davidson St

Charlotte N.C.

and

Ada Cotton
mill

No Smith St-

of J. O.

South Carolina

Richard L. Lenoir

Clark

The
Associate
Clerk

