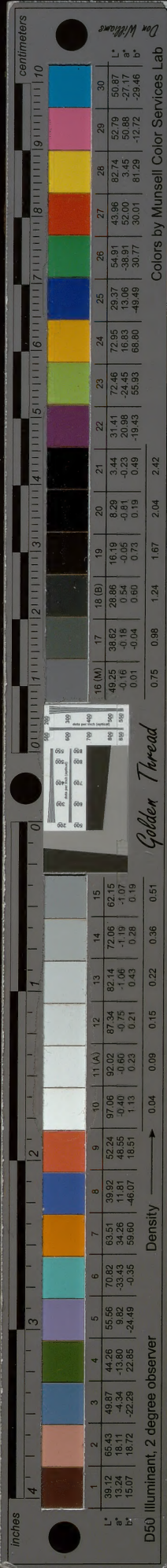
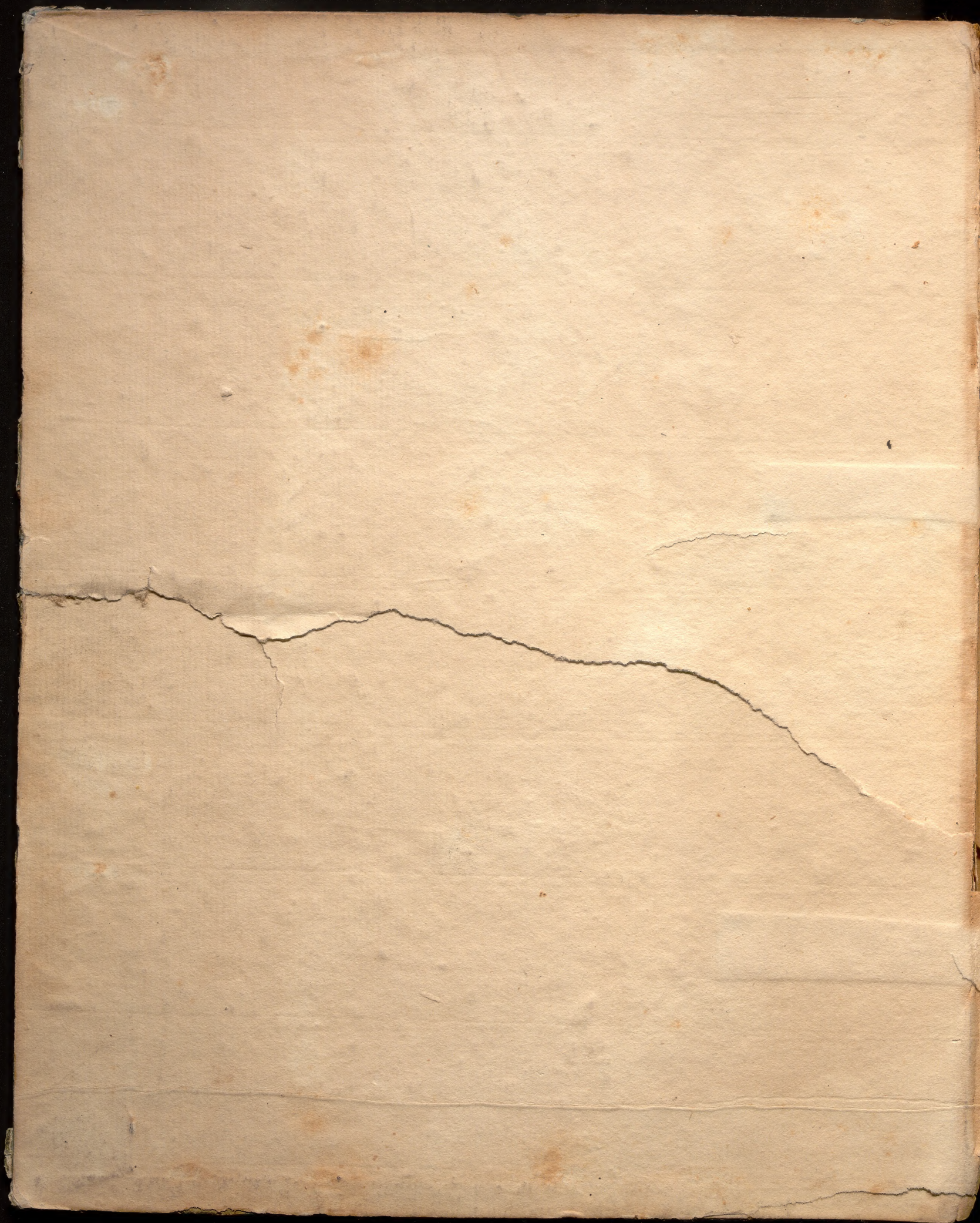
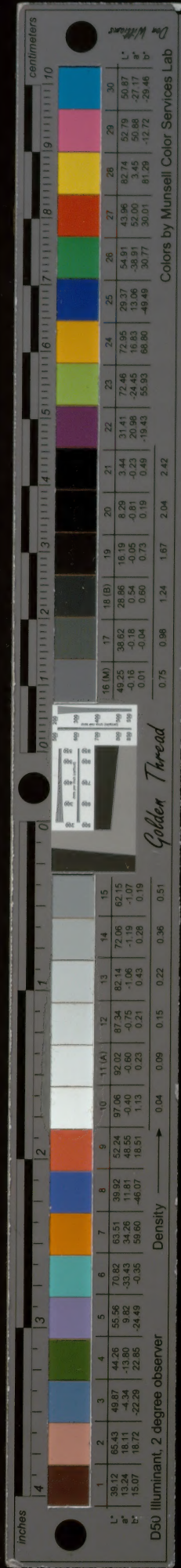
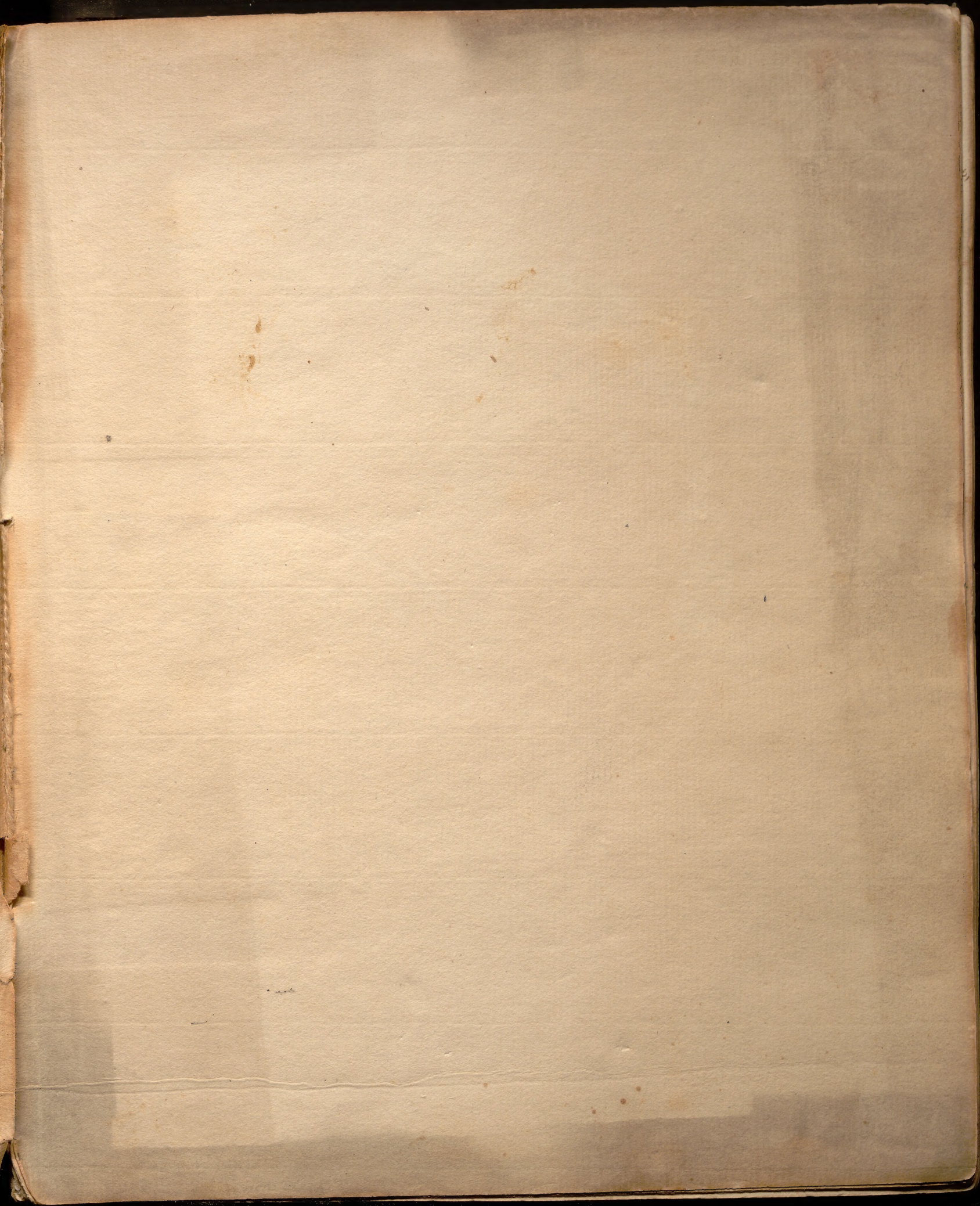
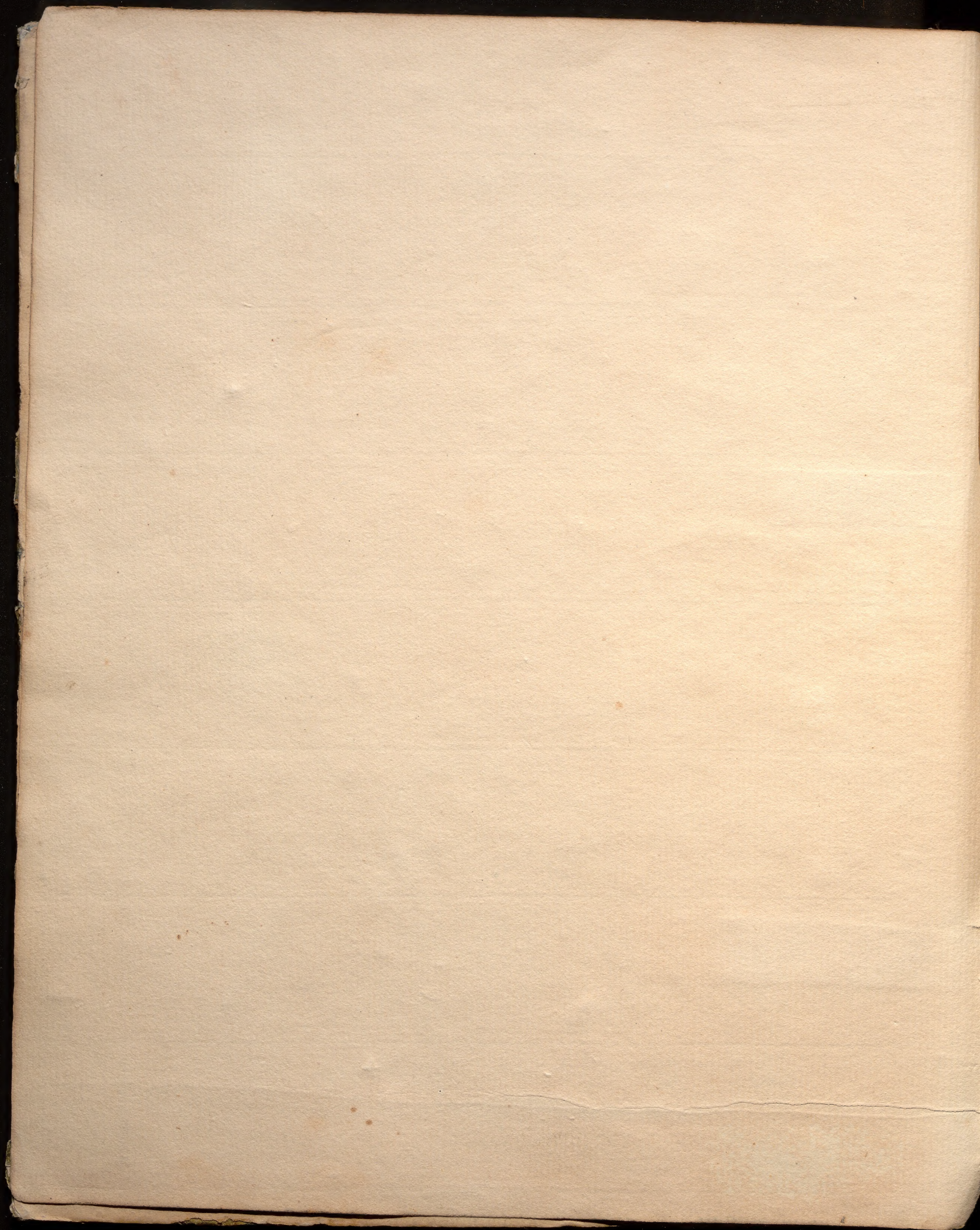


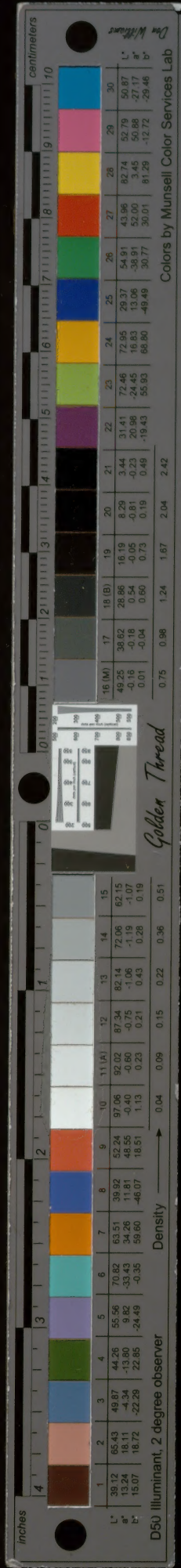
*Minutes
of the
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For fixing the Value of
Lost Books,
&c. &c.*

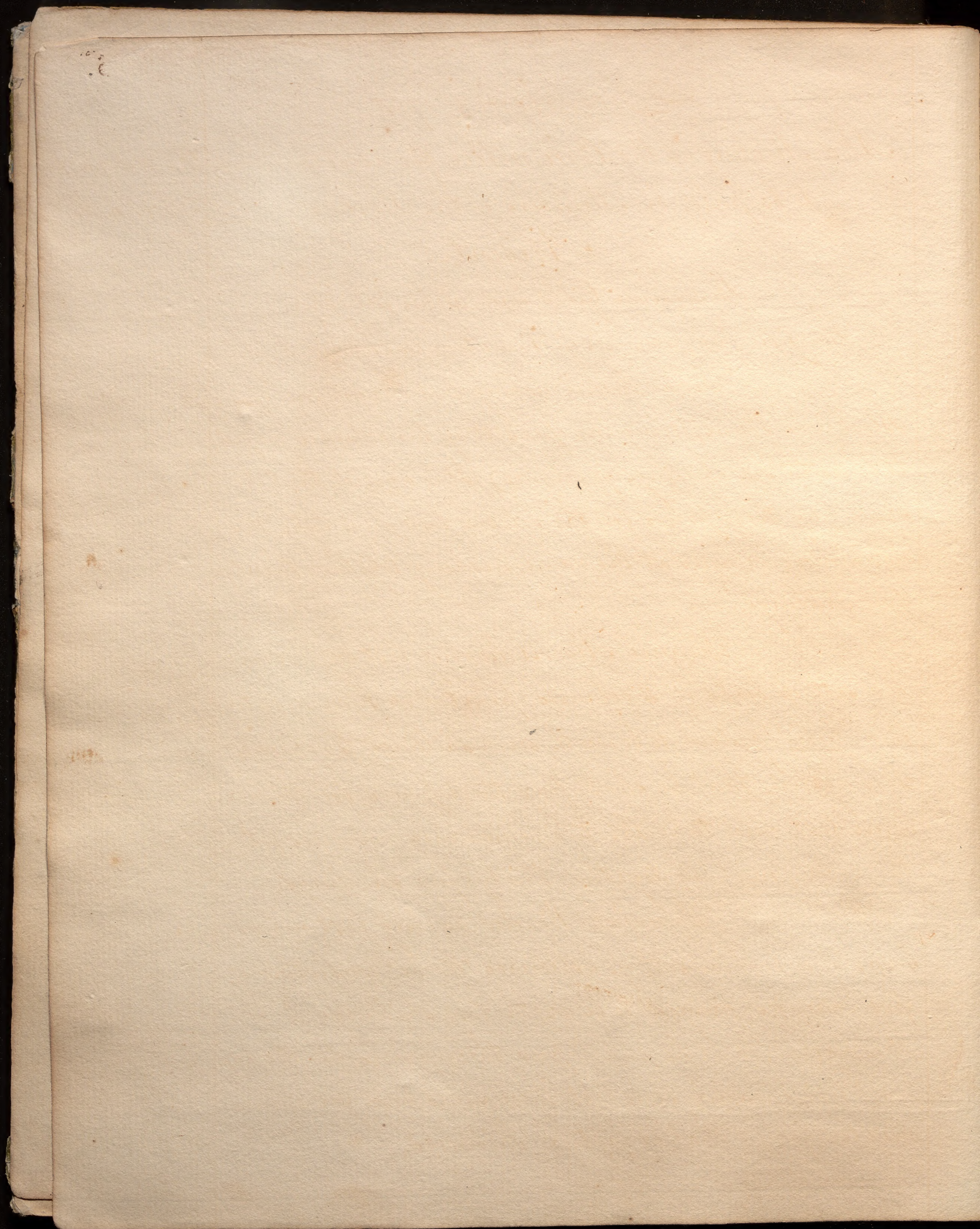












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December 8, 1785.

At a Meeting of the Committee for ascertaining the damage
to be paid by Members of the Library for lost Books, &c.
Present,...

Benjamin Gibbs and John Raighn.

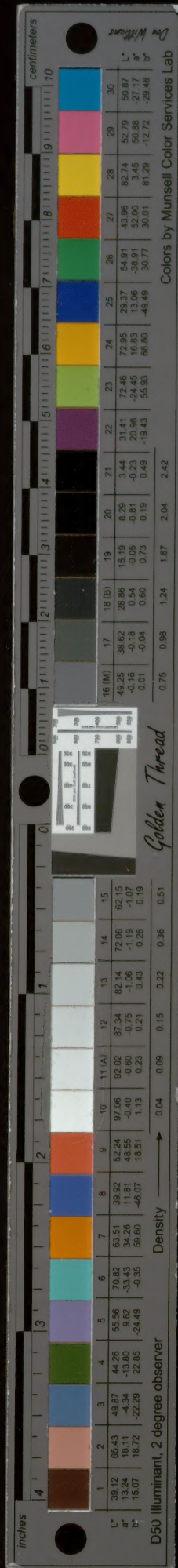
The following principle of Valuation was agreed to viz.

Isaac Howell having lost one volume of
"Blacklock's Poems," (being one of a sett of two volumes, judged
to be worth six shillings p volume) It is agreed, that he
shall pay three prices for the volume lost and take the
remaining volume at the value, making together twenty-
four shillings.

Samuel Morris having lost one volume
of a sett of books of 3 volumes, printed in French, enti-
tled "Julie," judged to be worth seven shillings p volume.
It is agreed, that he shall pay three prices for the vo-
lume lost and take the two remaining volumes at
the value, making together thirty-five shillings.

Jeremiah Warder having lost one vo-
lume of a broken sett of "Molier's Works," consisting of
five volumes, judged to be worth five shillings p Vol.
It is agreed, that he shall pay three prices for the vo-
lume lost, (having been lost three years and yet unac-
counted for,) That is fifteen shillings.

Committee



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Committee met June 2, 1787.

Present, -

Benjamin Gibbs, Benj. Poultney,
John Raighn,

Mrs. Meredith having lost two volumes of
an old broken sett. of "Sir Charles Grandison," which
at the time they were lent we judge were worth three
shillings $\frac{1}{2}$ volume, - the Committee determine that
she pay six shillings $\frac{1}{2}$ vol. (that is, twelve shillings.)

Paid Feb. 21, 1791 -
six shillings -
for the lost Volume -

William Clark having lost "Watts Poems,"
a Duodecimo, supposed to be worth six shillings, judg-
ed he shall either replace the book and pay six shil-
lings, or pay fifteen shillings without replacing the
book, beside and exclusive of, Fines accrued, which is, -
twenty-five shillings.

At a Meeting of the Committee, June 7, 1787.

Present, -

Benj. Gibbs, Benj. Poultney,
John Raighn.

Doctor Frederick Phile having lost "Miss
Moore's Search after Happiness," a small Octavo book,
value 5/ and besides being subject to former fines, the
Board agree to accept of four dollars as a full compensa-
tion, and permit him the use of his share.

Paid Nov. 27, 1787 -
for the lost book, &c.

£1¹⁰ 0

Isaac Pearson having damaged the first volume of "Hume's History of England" of a sett of two vols. N^o 137, the Board agree, that he shall either pay for damage done, four pounds and take the 2nd Volume, or pay a fine of thirty shillings for the damage done. And for his damaging one volume of two, of the "Beauties of the Magazines," it is agreed, that he shall pay two dollars and take the 2nd. Volume, or replace them with a new sett. On his compliance he is permitted to have the full use of his share.

Paid Jan. 12, 1788.

£1¹⁰ 0

Paid July 31, 1787- for the two damaged Vols.

£0¹⁵ 0

John Mifflin, junior, having lost one volume of the "Critical Review," N^o 45,* which he took out on his father's share, March 1782. It is agreed he shall pay thirty-five shillings; on compliance the use of the share is to be restored. On reconsidering this case, the Committee are of opinion, that the use of the share may be restored, on his replacing the volume lost.

Paid Feb. 25, 1790-

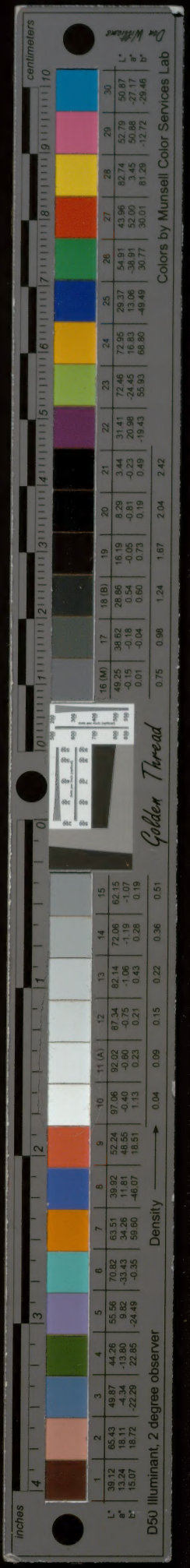
for the lost Vol^o

£1¹⁵ 0

* Vol. 45.) August 2, 1787-

Benj. Gibbs, Benj. Pultney and John Raighn the Committee, met, and agreed, that Edward Burd be fined one shilling for damaging the title page of the first volume of Fieldings works.

Alexander Todd having lost the 2nd. Vol. of the "Tool of Quality," consisting of 5 vols, Agreed, that



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that he pay three prices for the lost volume, that is 15/- and if he chuses, he may have the remaining 4 vols. for 12/ or leave them.

November 1, 1787.

Benjamin Gibbs, Benjamin Pultney and John Haigh the Committee Met, and taking into consideration the damage done to a volume of "Edwards Gleanings of Natural History, part 3rd." in the loss of all the Copper plate prints. Resolve, that John Sitgreaves, the gentleman in whose hands the said volume was, when the damage was sustained, shall either replace the volume with another in good condition, or pay two English Guineas for the volume damaged, or take the sett consisting of three volumes, and pay six English Guineas, being no more than the cost of the sett.

Paid Nov. 15, 1787.
for the damage done.
£3¹⁰0

February 5, 1789.-

Charles Biddle, Esq. having detained a book, entitled, Modern Europe, vol. 2nd. longer than allowed by the Rules of the Library, and Amos Poulke having detained a Volume of the Universal Magazine, also longer than the said Rules allow of, - The Committee in consideration of the circumstances attending the above cases, are of opinion, that the former on pay-

Charles Biddle's
fine was paid
June 1, 1790 -
£0¹⁰0

ing Ten shillings to the Librarian, and the latter paying eleven shillings and three pence to the same for the use of the Library, that the said sums be accepted as a full satisfaction for the fines on said books, and the respective persons above mentioned be permitted the use of their shares.

Doctor Davidson having incurred certain fines and book-hire, to the amount of £2² 2⁶ through the default of a person to whom he trusted the use of Edward Middleton's share, by reason whereof he has paid three annual payments without having had the use of the share: The Committee with the concurrence of the Board of Managers, in consideration of the hardship of the case, as well as the poverty of the person who occasioned the loss, agree to restore the use of the share on his paying three dollars, which will be received in full compensation.

March 4, 1790.

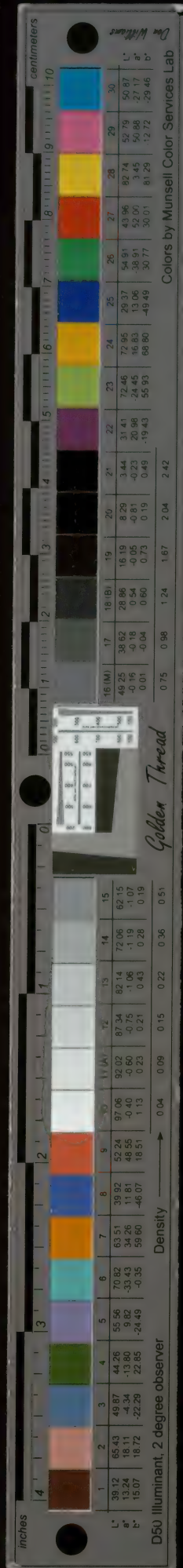
Present, -

Benj. Gibbs, Benj. Coultray and John Raigwin.

William Sergeant (son of Jonathan,) having lost the 58th. volume of the Universal Magazine, - consisting of a set of many volumes, much worn, valued at 5/each, - It is determined that he pay fifteen shillings, or replace it with a new volume.

Paid March 6,
1790. for the
Volume lost, -
£0¹⁵ 0

Doctor



Doctor Richard Farmer having lost the third volume of "Lord Chesterfield's Letters," consisting of four volumes, valued at 5 each. - It is determined, that he pay fifteen shillings for the lost volume, or take the 3 volumes and pay thirty shillings.

Paid March 6, 1790-

for the lost volume,

N^o.

£0"15"0

Robert S. Jones having lost the "Life of Eugene," which he borrowed Nov. 20, 1783, the Committee determine that he pay fifteen shillings, being three prices on the value of the book lost.

William Lane having lost, "Worlidge on Cider," a Duodecimo, it is determined that he pay fifteen shillings, being three prices on the Vol.^o.

Paid Dec. 20, 1790-

for the lost book.-

N^o. 13~

£0"15"0

At a Meeting of the Committee, April 30, 1791.

Cornelius Barnes having damaged one volume of Abbeys Raynald's History of America, - it is determined he shall either replace the damaged volume with a new one, or pay twelve shillings & leave the damaged volume, or take the whole sett and replace it with a new one.

(N^o. 1170.)

Paid June 13, 1791-

for the damage

done.~

£0"12"0

John Woodward on the share of George Bullock having lost one volume of the Universal Magazine, it is determined that he pay fifteen shillings for the lost volume, or replace it with a new one.

Replaced by a

New Volume.

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May 9, 1791.-

William Bradford, Esq. Having lost two volumes of the "Mirror," a Duodecimo, being part of a set of three volumes supposed to be worth five shillings each, It is determined that he pay thirty-five shillings and take the remaining volume, or replace the two volumes lost, and pay twenty shillings in lieu of fines due thereon.-

Paid June 9, 1791

for the lost tols, £.

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December 10th. 1791.-

Marian Lawson wife of Capt Lawson having lost the first volume of the "Literary Magazine," It is determined, that she shall either pay five dollars or replace it with a new volume of the same number within two weeks from this date; until her compliance herewith she is to be debarred the use of her share.

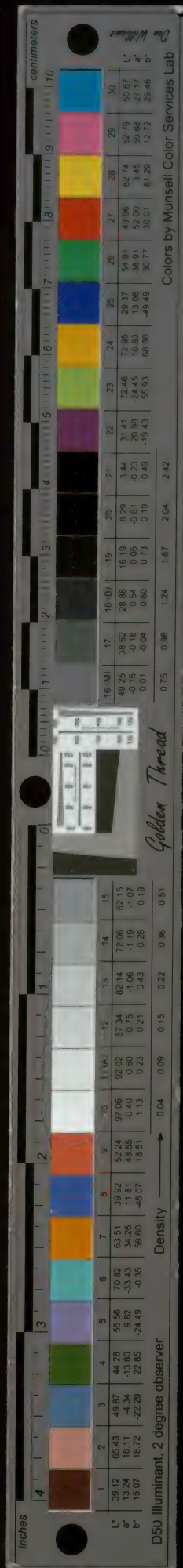
Found and  
Returned.

James Morris having lost an Octavo book, entitled "Arabian Tales," it is determined he either pay five dollars or replace it with a new copy before he shall have the use of his share.

Paid Dec. 29, 1791-

for the lost book

£1 17 6





August 3, 1792.

Present,

Doctor Parke and John Raighn, - the Committee  
of Valuation, -

In the case of Richard Taylor who having  
lost a quarto volume of "Prince Ferdinand's Campaigns" -  
N<sup>o</sup> 142, - it is determined that on his paying six  
dollars and the hire up to the time he reported the  
loss and wished to settle it, his note may be cancelled  
and deposit returned.

Paid Aug. 29, 1792, -  
for the lost book, -

£ 2<sup>00</sup> 5<sup>00</sup> 0

Thomas Shippen having lost the 3<sup>rd</sup>.  
volume of "Blackwell's Court of Augustus," - London  
Quarto edition of three volumes, - It is determined,  
that he may have the two remaining volumes on  
paying eighteen dollars, otherwise to pay ten dol-  
lars for the volume lost, leaving the two volumes  
to the Library.

Paid Aug. 31, 1794 -  
for the lost volume,

N<sup>o</sup> 247. -

£ 3<sup>00</sup> 15<sup>00</sup> 0

August 25, 1792.

John Vaughan having lost the "History of  
of the Revolution in Sweden," an Octavo London  
Edition, cost 6<sup>s</sup> sterling. Determined that he shall  
pay eighteen shillings and nine pence, or replace the  
Book with a new volume, paying up the hire untill  
so replaced. -

Paid Sept. 29, 1792,  
for the lost book,

N<sup>o</sup> 1314. -

£ 0<sup>00</sup> 18<sup>00</sup> 9

Mr.



Mr. Milligan's case, for losing the first volume of the "Life of Lewis XV." - furnish a new sett of the same number of volumes, London Edition, or pay forty-five shillings and take the remaining volumes, or pay thirty shillings for the volume lost. -

<sup>55</sup>  
Paid March 7, 1795-  
for the lost volume,  
8<sup>0</sup> 11 80 ~  
£1"10"0

Jacob Linder's case, for damaging one volume of the Gentlemen's, to pay five shillings for the damage done.

Paid Nov. 25, 1794-  
for the damage done,  
£0"5"0

George Clymer's case for losing "Original Poems and Translations by John Dryden," 2 volumes Duodecimo. - to pay three dollars which may be deemed a compensation for the loss of the Books and hire. -

August 7, 1795-

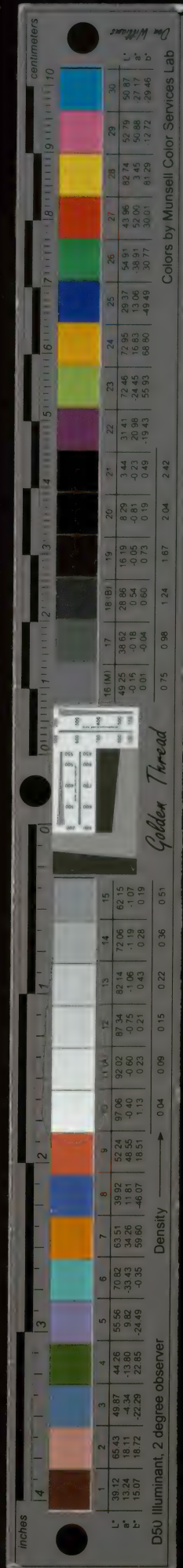
At a Committee consisting of James Read and John Haighn. -

A damaged book by Ferdinand Goudon, - First volume of "Athenian Letters," octavo - to pay  $\frac{3}{4}$  of a dollar, or replace it by a new one of equal quality.

Paid Aug. 22, 1795-  
for injury done,  
£0"5"7 $\frac{1}{2}$

A damaged book by William West, - European Magazine for 1792, octavo - London edition. to pay  $\frac{3}{4}$  of a dollar, or replace it by a new one of equal quality. -

Lost





Lost book by Mr. Thomas Hartley - first volume of the "Elements of General History, translated from the French of the Abby Millot," a work consisting of two volumes octavo. - Adjudged that he furnish the Institution with a new sett of equal quality and pay two dollars fine; or pay eight dollars and take the remaining volumes if he chuses.

Lost book by Judge James Wilson, "Utopia," written in Latin by Sir Thomas Moore, translated into English, a Duodecimo volume, London edition, 1684, adjudged that he furnish the institution with a new book of equal execution, and pay a fine of half a dollar, or pay to the institution two dollars.

Paid Sept. 9, 1795.

for the lost books -

£ 0 " 15 " 0

Lost book by Luther Martin, "Poems consisting chiefly of translations from the Asiatick Languages, &c." octavo - London edition, 1777 - by Sir Wm Jones; - adjudged that he replace the volume by a new one, and pay a fine of one dollar, or pay four dollars for the book and fine. These conditions to be void if not immediately complied with. —



May 10, 1796.  
Present, -

James Read and John Haigh.

Williams's Letters, vol. 1, Duodecimo, - Lost by Samuel Coates, also Athenian Sports in one volume Octavo - lost by Mr. Coates, - resolved, with respect to Williams's Letters that he replace the volume lost by a new one, or pay to the institution two dollars, - Resolved, with respect to the "Athenian Sports," that he replace the book by a new one or pay ten shillings.

"Satyrs of Persius," in English, translated by Sheridan, - 12<sup>o</sup> lost by John Drinker, junior, Resolved, that he replace the book with a new vol. or pay twelve shillings. (N<sup>o</sup> 447. ~)

"Price's Dissertations," Octavo - London edition, 1768 - Lost by Ann Emery, sen<sup>r</sup> Resolved, that she replace it by a new volume or pay twenty = five shillings.

Hammer's Shakespeare, - Octavo - N<sup>o</sup> 406 - vol. half worn and set incomplete, Lost by Kearney Wharton, Resolved that he pay two dollars.

"Rousseau's Eloisa," Duodecimo, volume 4th. in good order, lost by Amos Withersham, Resolved, that he replace the odd volume, or furnish a new sett of equal paper and printing, and take to himself the volumes remaining, otherwise to pay three dollars and

Paid Jan. 23, 1797 -  
for the loss of  
Williams's Letters  
vol. 1. 12<sup>o</sup> 1052, -

£0"15"0

and for the loss  
of "Athenian Sports"  
8<sup>o</sup> 240 - £0"10"0

Paid Nov. 19, 1796,  
for the lost book,

£0"12"0

Paid July 15, 1796 -  
for the lost book -

N<sup>o</sup> 849. ~

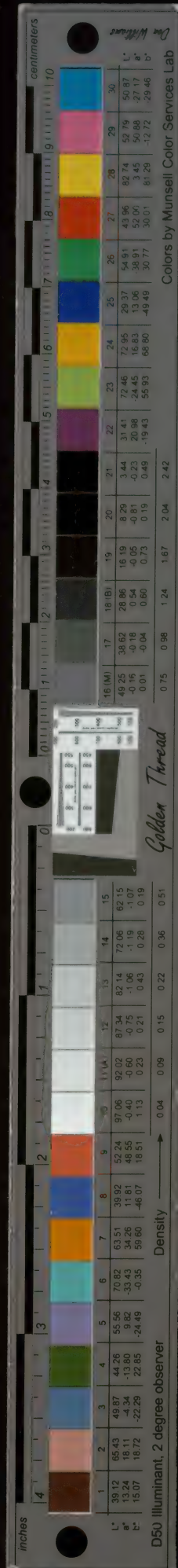
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Paid Sept. 19, 1796,  
for the lost volume,

£0"15"0

Paid Dec. 23, 1796,  
for the lost Volume,

£1"2"6





leave the odd volumes to the Library.

Tracts 4<sup>th</sup> N<sup>o</sup> 464, in good order, -  
lost by Jacob Shoemaker, Resolved that he re-  
place it by a new volume of the like Tracts or  
pay Seven Dollars.

The Book was  
found and  
Returned. -

"Buffon's Natural History," vol. 2 - Oc-  
tavo N<sup>o</sup> 1182, in bad order - lost by Thomas Shields.  
Resolved that he furnish a new Vol. in place of  
the lost one or pay twenty shillings.

Paid May 8, 1797 -  
for the lost Volume, -  
£ 1" 0" 0

Gifford's History of France - Quarto  
in four volumes, - the second volume lent contrary  
to rule and destroyed, (the work new and in good  
order,) by Thomas Norton, - Resolved that he  
replace it by a new volume, and pay the common  
fine, or replace the sett and take the odd vols.  
paying the common fine or pay for the volume  
lost five pounds.

Coxe's Carolina, Octavo, N<sup>o</sup> 2121, lost  
by William Montgomery, Resolved that he replace  
the Vol. Lost by a new one, or pay two dollars.

Paid May 3, 1800 -  
for the lost book and  
fines incurred, £ 8" 5" 11

A volume of pamphlets, N<sup>o</sup> 1148,  
lost by Samuel Pleasant, jr for which he offers  
another volume, containing a greater number, and  
in better condition, - which the Committee accept.



Gifford's History of France, Quarto, in four volumes; the third volume taken out by John Hemmington, and let contrary to Rule to Stewart, - who it is said has cut it up, - (the work new and in good order,) Resolved that the said John Hemmington return the book before the 15th. day of this instant, (July,) paying the hire agreeably to the Rules of the Library, or in default thereof, pay Twenty dollars.

Paid July 19, 1797 -  
for the destruction  
of the 3rd. Vol. of  
Gifford's France -  
£ 7<sup>10</sup> 0

Castle of Otranto, Octavo - lost by W. Philips, Resolved that he pay for the same three dollars or replace the book. (N<sup>o</sup> 890.)

Paid Jan. 24, 1798 -  
for the lost book -  
£ 1<sup>2</sup> 6

Sully's Memoirs, Octavo, the first volume of a sett of five, - lost by Henry Drinker son of John. Resolved that he replace the volume lost by a new one, or furnish a new sett taking the old odd volumes or pay five dollars. N<sup>o</sup> 121.

Paid Jan. 19, 1798 -  
for the loss of Sully's  
Memoirs, vol. 1. 3<sup>1</sup> 121  
£ 1<sup>17</sup> 6

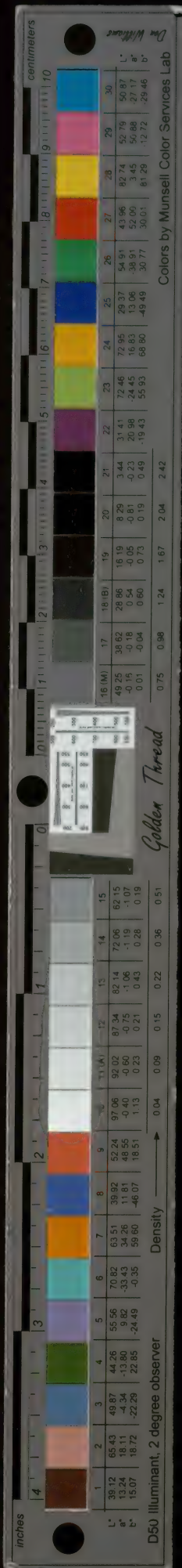
"Andrew's Anecdotes," one volume Duodecimo lost by Mrs. Edward Stiles, Resolved that she replace the vol. by a new one, paying the fines, or pay two dollars.

Found and  
Returned.

"Bretton's Narrative," one volume, small Octavo, lost by Abraham Mackoe, Resolved, that he replace the vol. lost by a new one, or pay two dollars.

Paid April 13, 1798 -  
for the lost book -  
Octavo. N<sup>o</sup> 2330 -  
£ 0<sup>15</sup> 6

"Canary Islands," one volume Duodecimo, lost by James Little, Resolved, that he





replace the lost by a new volume or pay two dollars.  
(N<sup>o</sup> 26-)

Paid May 3, 1798-  
£0"15"0

"Colden's Indian Nations," one volume Octavo lost by Timothy Pickering, Esq. which he has replaced by a sett of Duodecimos in two volumes, of a later Edition, which the Committee agree to accept.

European Magazine vol. 23, for 1792, Octavo, lost by John Donaldson, Esq. Resolved, that he replace it by a new volume or pay the sum of five Dollars.

Paid July 17, 1798-  
for the lost volume,  
£1"17"6

"Universal Magazine," vol. 38, Octavo, lost by Peter Kearsan, - Resolved that he replace it by a new volume or pay six dollars.

"Moliere's Works," vols. first & second, Duodecimo, lost by John Palmer, Resolved, that he supply the institution with a new set of four volumes or pay six dollars.

"The Italian," 3 volumes, Duodecimo, lost by Walter Franklin, Esq. Resolved that he pay four dollars.

Paid, March 11, 1800-  
£1"10"0

Murphy's Works, Octavo, the third volume lost by Thomas Wignell, it being a sett of 7 vols. Resolved, that he pay four dollars for

Paid March 16, 1801,  
for the lost Volume,  
£1"10"0



the volume lost, or furnish the Institution with a new sett and take the old remaining volumes.

The second volume of a collection of *Fables*, Duodecimo, lost by Andrew Douglass, Resolved, that he pay for the lost volume four dollars, or replace the Book and pay the fines incurred.

*Evelina*, a novel, in 2 vols. Duodecimo, both lost by Lewis Maillard, Resolved he pay Four dollars, or replace the Books and pay the Hire and fines.

"*Black Tower*," in two vols. Duodecimo, lost by Joseph Snowden, Resolved that he pay twenty-four shillings, and pay the hire and fines.

The second Volume of the "*Picture of Italy*," - lost by Marianne Walker, Resolved that she pay twenty-four shillings and take the remaining vol. or replace it by a new sett, and pay the fines and hire.

The fourth Volume of "*Buffon's Natural History*," in Octavo, lost by Richard Lake on Gavin Hamilton's share, resolved, that he either replace the lost volume, and pay the fines, or take the odd volumes and furnish a new sett.

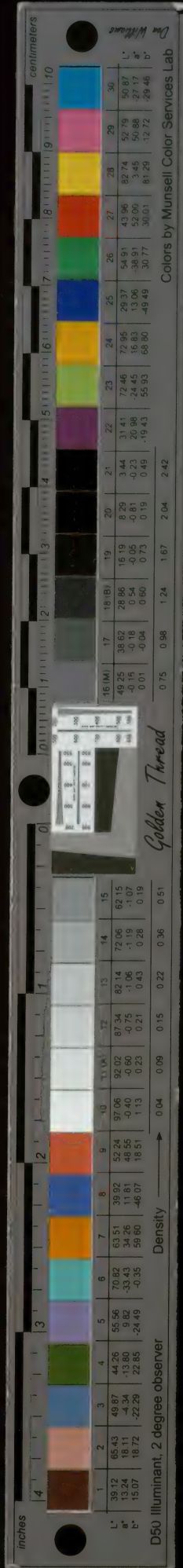
February

Paid March 22,  
1800. for the lost  
book, - £10/6m  
£1<sup>10</sup>0

Paid Dec. 3, 1804.  
for the lost books  
and the fines incurred,

£4<sup>44</sup>

Found and  
Returned  
Nov. 22, 1800-





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February 3, 1801.

The second volume of the "Mammoth," in 2 vols. Duodecimo, lost by Amos Wickersham, — Resolved, that he furnish a new sett and take the remaining volume, or pay fourteen shillings and the fines due.

Paid Feb. 27, 1801-  
for the lost volume,  
N<sup>o</sup>. 1050, including  
Fines. £0<sup>16</sup> 10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>

Ann Emlen having lost the first volume of "Adams's Anecdotes," — Duodecimo N<sup>o</sup>. 1173, Resolved, that she furnish a new sett, and take the remaining volume, or pay fifteen shillings with the fines due.

Paid Feb. 5, 1801.  
for the lost Book —  
£0<sup>15</sup> 0

June 20, 1801.

Joshua Humphreys having lost the 4th. volume of "Sir Charles Grandison," — London edition, — N<sup>o</sup>. 750 Duodecimo, — Resolved, that he replace the volume by a new one, furnish a new sett of equal quality or pay four pounds seven shillings and six pence — in either of the two last cases he may take the remaining six volumes, paying the hire and fines.

July 11, 1801. —  
Replaced the  
Volume Lost  
by a new one.

November 12, 1801.

William Lykes having lost a small Octavo, entitled, "Modern Manners," — Resolved that he either replace it by a new volume, or pay Two Dollars.

Paid. Jan. 12, 1802. —  
for the lost book, —  
£0<sup>15</sup> 0



Hector Calbraith having lost "Saugnier's & Brisson's Voyage, Octavo - Resolved, that he replace it by a new volume of equal quality with the one lost or pay four dollars.

May 1<sup>74</sup> - 1806  
Paid 84.

At a Meeting of the Committee Nov. 18, 1802.

William Duane having lost a Quarto volume, entitled "Political Geography being an introduction to the Statical tables of the principal Empires Kingdoms and States in Europe. London, 1789, it is determined, that he replace it by a volume of the same work of equal value, or pay forty shillings, if replaced, to be within one month from this date.

Jacob Johnson having lost two volumes Duodecimo, - entitled, "Couper's Poems, - with plates, - new edition, London, 1798, and it is said he hath cut it up, Resolved, that the said Johnson return the books within one month from this day, paying the hire agreeably to the rules of the Library, or in default thereof pay Six Dollars.

Paid Jan. 30, 1805.  
for the lost Volumes,

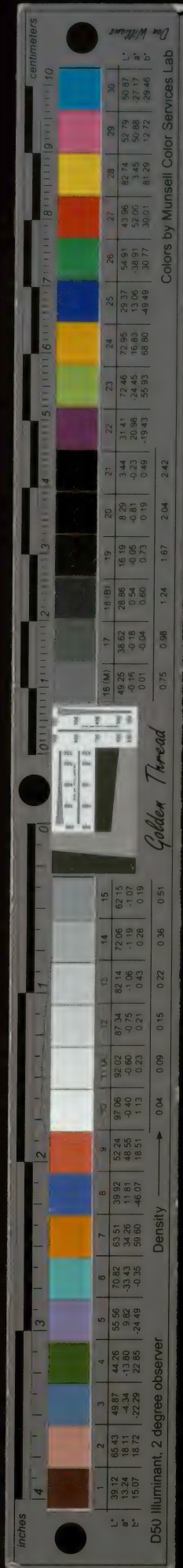
\$6<sup>00</sup>

John Clement Hooker, jun<sup>r</sup> having lost the first & second volumes of the "Sentimental Journey, - Resolved, that he either replace those lost, by two volumes of the same edition, and pay the fines due thereon until replaced, or furnish a new sett and take the remaining volumes; or pay three dollars and take the remaining Vols.

Paid, May 6, 1803.

\$3<sup>00</sup> - and the remaining Volumes delivered to him.

Goldsmith's History of the Earth and animated





Nature, the first volume lost by John Miller, —  
Resolved, that he replace the volume lost by a new one,  
or furnish a new sett of Carey's edition, taking the re-  
maining volumes, or pay the sum of five dollars.

Furnished a new  
sett of Carey's  
Edition. —

Chaucer's Canterbury Tales - the third. Vol.  
lost by M. Kieppeler. 3 volumes. London edition —  
Resolved that he replace the volume lost by a new one,  
or furnish a new sett, taking the remaining volumes,  
or pay the sum of five dollars for the volume lost,  
independent of the fines due.

May 5<sup>th</sup> 1806  
Paid \$5-

"A Tale of a Tub" octavo, lost by John  
Colburn, Resolved, that he replace the volume lost  
by a new one of equal size, or pay the sum of five  
dollars. —

Paid May 5, 1804.  
for the lost book, —  
£ 1<sup>17</sup> 6

At a meeting of the Committee, Nov. 5, 1804. —

James Traquair, jun<sup>r</sup>, having mutilated  
"Walcher's Campaigns in Egypt," by losing the Map,  
title-page and preface, the work being a large Quarto  
volume which cost £ 3<sup>8</sup> 6 Sterling, Resolved, that he  
replace the volume by one of equal value or pay a fine  
of five dollars, independent of the fines due.

Paid Nov. 14, 1804  
for the injury done,  
£ 1<sup>17</sup> 6

William G. Lattimer having lost the  
third volume of "Rollin's Ancient History," 8<sup>vo</sup> 230  
Duodecimo, Edition of 1758, much worn, Resolved, —

Paid Jan. 11, 1805 —  
for the lost. Vol. and the  
fines incurred, —  
£ 2<sup>75</sup>



that he replace the volume lost, or pay a fine of two dollars, independent of the fines due.

James Baker for Jacob Baker having lost the "Incas of Peru," in two Vols. Duodecimo. Resolved, that he replace the same with a new sett of equal value, or pay a fine of eighteen shillings, in lieu thereof, together with the fines due.

Arthur Howell having materially injured the cover of the sixth volume of "Gibbon's Roman Empire," Resolved, that he pay a fine of one dollar and an half, independent of any fines which may be due.

December 24, 1804.

Miss. Waln having defaced the fourth Vol. of "Gil Blas," London edition, with cuts, Resolved, that she replace the damaged vol. by a new one, or pay the sum of ten shillings, or furnish a new set and take the present one.

February 7th. 1805.

William Gobett having damaged "Modern Paris-(N<sup>o</sup> 2930-) a London edition-1803-one volume, Resolved, that he replace the same by a new volume of a good edition, or pay the sum of three dollars, and all the fines due and to become due untill this condition is complied with.

May 5<sup>th</sup> 1807

Paid 18/- fine  
(vide Fine Book)

Paid Dec. 28, 1804.

for the injury done,

\$1<sup>50</sup>

Paid Dec. 27, 1804-

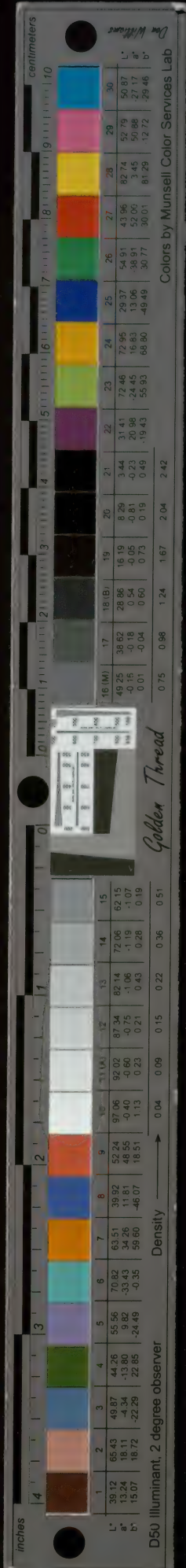
for the injury done

\$1<sup>37 1/2</sup>

Paid Feb. 9, 1805-

for the damage done,

\$3<sup>00</sup>





February 14<sup>th</sup>. 1805. ~

William Covett having damaged the first volume of Beaumonts Moral Tales, a London edition in two volumes, Duodecimo, N<sup>o</sup> 246 Resolved, that he replace the damaged sett by a new sett of an edition equally good, or pay the sum of Four Dollars.

Paid March 7, 1805-  
\$4<sup>00</sup> and the  
2<sup>nd</sup> Vol. delivered  
to him. ~

Emmor Kimber having destroyed a book, entitled, Poems translated from the French of Madame De la Mothe Guion, by the late William Cowper, Resolved, that he deposit in the Library one other Copy of the said work, beside the one he hath presented the institution with. ~

Furnished  
another Copy.

September 17<sup>th</sup>. 1805. ~

James C. Fisher having lost the 2<sup>nd</sup>. Volumes of the "Pedestrian", consisting of a sett of 4 volumes, Duodecimo, N<sup>o</sup> 1392, Resolved, that he pay to the institution, six dollars, or furnish a new sett - in either case he may have the odd three volumes. ~

Paid Sept. 23, 1805.  
\$6<sup>00</sup> and received  
the remaining three  
volumes. ~

June 8<sup>th</sup> 1806

Talbot Hamilton having lost a book entitled, "Wakefields family tour" Duodecimo N<sup>o</sup> Resolved that he pay to the Institution the sum of twenty five cents ~

June 28<sup>th</sup> 1806  
Paid \$0.25 ~



November 6<sup>th</sup> 1806

25

D<sup>r</sup> C Wistar having lost one volume Octavo  
N<sup>o</sup> 1063 entitled Forsters Catalogue (old)  
Resolved That he either supply a new  
volume or pay the sum of one dollar.

August 25<sup>th</sup> 1807

Paid \$1.  
vide Fine Book

Stephen Shewell having damaged  
the 15<sup>th</sup> Volumes of the Ladies Museum Duo:  
N<sup>o</sup> 386. Resolved That he pay the sum of one  
Dollar

January 24<sup>th</sup> 1807

Paid \$1.—

December 4<sup>th</sup> 1800

Clement Humphreys having damaged the  
first volume of Popular Tales by M. Edgeworth duo-  
decimo (N<sup>o</sup> 1435.) London edition. Resolved That he  
replace it by a new volume or pay one dollar

Replaced

John Claxton having lost a volume of Procas  
heroic conduct of women Duodecimo N<sup>o</sup> 1418  
Resolved that he either replace it by a new Lon:  
don edition, or by an american edition and in the  
latter case pay also one dollar or else pay two dollars. Paid \$1.—

Dec: 6 1806

Furnished an

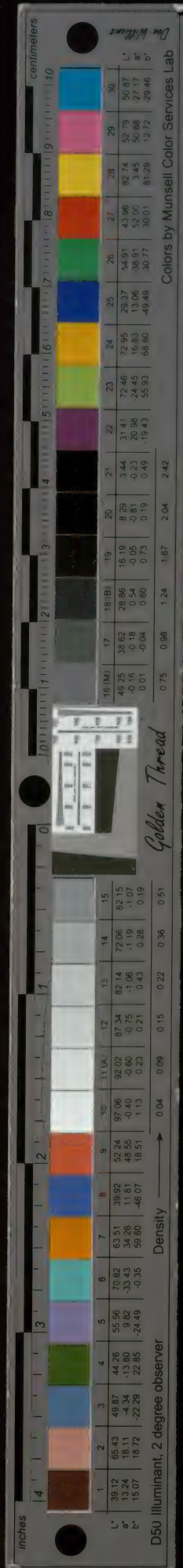
American edition

Paid \$1.—

March 5<sup>th</sup> 1807

Richard Rush son of D<sup>r</sup> B. Rush having lost the  
first volume of Johnsons Debates in 2 vols octavo, as  
good as new Resolved that he replace the volume  
lost by one of equal value; or furnish a new set equal  
in all respects. In taking the odd volume in this  
case; or pay the sum of four dollars for the lost  
volume

Found and  
Returned





At a meeting of the Committee March 5<sup>th</sup> 1807 Present James Read, John Kaighn, William Nicholas having lost the first volume of *Book's History of the Empress Catharine II. of Russia* in 3 volumes Octavo in good case

Resolved that he replace the volume lost by one of equal value or furnish a new set equal in all respects to the set mutilated he in such case to take the odd remaining volumes or pay the sum of five dollars for the volume lost. May 6<sup>th</sup> 1807  
Paid \$5  
(ord. Fine Book)

April 2<sup>d</sup> 1807 Present James Read, Richard Matar & John Kaighn  
Thomas Shields having lost *Thalaba or the Destroyer* a poem by Robert Southey in two volumes Duodecimo in good case. Resolved that he either furnish a new set or pay the sum of four dollars. April 3<sup>d</sup> 1807  
Paid \$4  
(ord. Fine Book)  
*The vols after wards found wanting*

At a meeting of the Committee May 14<sup>th</sup> 1807  
Joshua Sutcliffe having lost "Select Eulogies" a duodecimo work of 2 volumes <sup>No 1337</sup> Resolved that he pay the sum of three dollars or furnish a new and complete set & pay ten dollars in lieu of the fines due; until this condition is complied with, the use of the share to be suspended. Paid.  
*vide post p. 28*

Algernon S. Magaw for Samuel Magaw his father having lost *Hawkins' voyage* a duodecimo volume, <sup>No 1207</sup> Resolved that he pay one dollar & one third or furnish a new book of a London edition & pay the fines due.



At a meeting of the Committee July 2<sup>d</sup> 1807 - Present James  
Read and John Kaighn.

D<sup>r</sup> John Cotts having lost "Elmoris Indian  
Directory" a Quarto volume (N<sup>o</sup> 979) in good case  
which cost 44/- sterling. London edition -  
Resolved that he either furnish a new one  
of the same edition, or pay the sum of sixteen  
dollars and such fines as may be due

John Savage having lost the first volume of  
"Pennants Four in Scotland and the Hebrides" a  
London Quarto Edition (N<sup>o</sup> 293) in two volumes  
much worn cost 40/- sterling per volume Resolved  
that he either furnish a new set of the like edition  
or pay twenty four dollars with the fines which  
may be due, he taking the odd volume -

At a meeting of the Committee Aug 4 1808  
John Ansley reports that his Desk in which  
was the 1<sup>st</sup> vol of the history of George III by  
Bipett (8<sup>th</sup> N<sup>o</sup> 3672) was stolen. Resolved  
that he replace the sett with an edition  
of equal goodness with the one belonging to  
the Library & that the odd volumes be given  
him

August 15. 1807

Paid \$10

vide fine book

Book after two  
returned

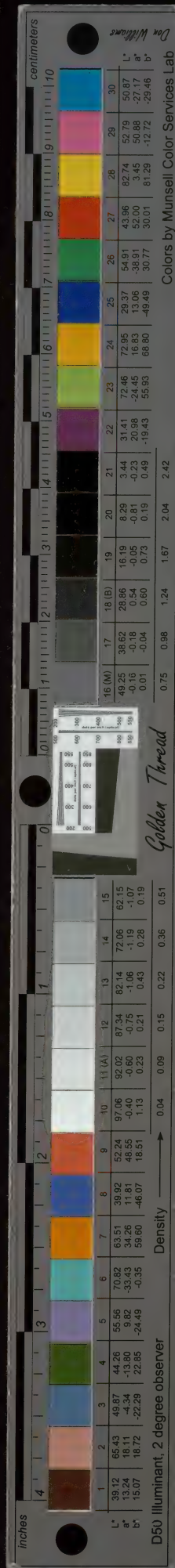
May 23. 1826

Paid \$24

the 2<sup>d</sup> volume

delivered to him

Replaced by  
another -





Joseph Pemberton having lost the first  
vol: of Heron's Junius (8<sup>th</sup> No 3792) Resolved  
that he replace the sett & pay the fines due

Furnished  
a new Sett-

George Eddy having lost the 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>d</sup> vol of the  
history of the Buccaneers Resolved that  
he replace them with a new sett & pay the  
fines that shall be due untill he complies  
with this Resolve

Paid

afterwards  
found & returned

At a meeting of the Committee Sept 1<sup>st</sup> 1808 —  
Hugh Roberts (of Pine Grove) having lost the 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>d</sup>  
vols of "Old Nick" (12<sup>th</sup> No 117) Resolved that he  
replace the Sett by an addition of equal value or pay  
five dollars —

Found and  
Returned

At a meeting of the Committee Nov 3<sup>d</sup> 1808  
David Tellen having lost the 10<sup>th</sup> Vol of the Ladies  
Museum (12<sup>th</sup> No 386) Resolved That he replace  
the ~~sett~~ volume or pay two dollars

Paid \$2 —

May 4<sup>th</sup> 1809  
The Board taking into consideration the case of Joshua  
Lutcliffe agree that on the assignee of his estate paying  
Ten dollars it shall be considered as full satisfaction

May 5<sup>th</sup> 1809

Paid \$10 —

for the fines & the books which were lost see minutes  
the 14<sup>th</sup> May 1807 page 26

vide fine book



At a meeting of the Committee May 4<sup>th</sup> 1809  
Alexander Walker Jr having lost two vols of the poems  
Hutton of Gray in 2 vols Dec. No 883 old Resolved  
that his offer to replace the same by a new edition  
in 2 vols shall be accepted on his paying the fines  
which may be due.

Alexander Henry having lost the historical  
memoirs of the Author of the Henriade No 1234. Oct.  
Resolved that he replace the same by a new volume  
or pay the sum of eight dollars with the fines accrued  
Dec. 7<sup>th</sup> 1809.

David Sellers having lost the 4<sup>th</sup> volume of the  
"Children of the Abbey" (12<sup>mo</sup> No 99) Resolved that he  
pay Six dollars or replace the sett with a Lon-  
don edition & take the odd volumes —

March 8<sup>th</sup> 1810

John Dorsey having lost Whiston's Euclid an Octavo  
offers Simpson's Euclid a handsome octavo vol. in  
the place of it. which is agreed to — & pay \$3.

John Keble took out the 15<sup>th</sup> vol of the Ladies  
Museum which his Executors cannot find Resolved  
that the Executors either replace the book & pay the  
fines or pay three dollars & pay the fines due —

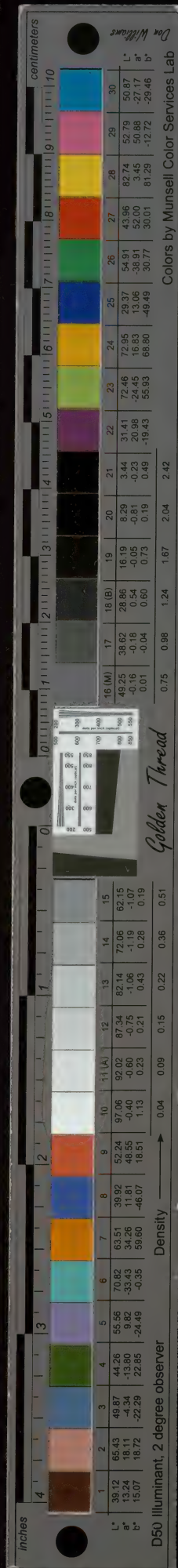
Found and  
Returned

Found & Ret<sup>d</sup>

Replaced

Replaced

Paid \$3  
Fines  
on book





June 7<sup>th</sup> 1810.

John Sellers having lost 'Louthey's Madoc'  
a London Copy in 2 volumes Duo. (No 1892)  
now offers in satisfaction a Boston edition of  
the same work in two vols. Octavo intirely new  
which is accepted.

Replaced

November. 8 1810

Isaac Pearson having lost "Johnson's Rapellas"  
2 vols. Duodecimo No 483. offers a new edition  
2 vols in one which is accepted as an equivalent

Replaced

October 3. 1811 John Hells having lost  
a Book intitled Du Pratz's history of Louisiana  
Octavo No 2478 for which he had given his note  
for ten dollars & paid in part of said note five  
dollars on the 15<sup>th</sup> August 1810. Resolved that in  
consideration of the disadvantages the Institution  
has sustained by the Book being so long with  
held the remainder of the note ought to be  
paid by the said Hells -

Hells' map of the  
City & Environs  
accepted in lieu  
of the five dollars

April 30 1812.

Samuel Wilcocks having lost a volume of Bur-  
goyne's poetical works in two volumes Duo. No 2074  
Resolved that he either replace the set by as  
good an edition or pay four dollars & keep  
the odd volume.

Nov 12<sup>th</sup> 1812

Paid \$4

(vide fine book)



April 29<sup>th</sup> 1813

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Replaced.

Robert Haydock having lost a volume of Robinson  
Crusoe" in two volumes 12<sup>mo</sup> N<sup>o</sup> 1248 Dublin 1789 -  
old & much worn offers a new edition 2 vols in one 12<sup>mo</sup>  
New York 1809 - It is agreed to accept the book offered  
as above in lieu of the one lost -

November 10. 1814

Replaced

no fines due

Benjamin Tucker having lost the 2<sup>d</sup> vol. of "Tales of  
real life" 12<sup>mo</sup> N<sup>o</sup> 2083. offers a new volume of the same edition  
It is agreed to accept the volume he paying the fines if  
any that have accrued before he reported the loss -

Replaced.

Lloyd Mifflin lost Clarkson on Slavery 8<sup>vo</sup> N<sup>o</sup> 1641  
offers another copy of the same It is agreed to accept  
the copy he paying as in the foregoing case

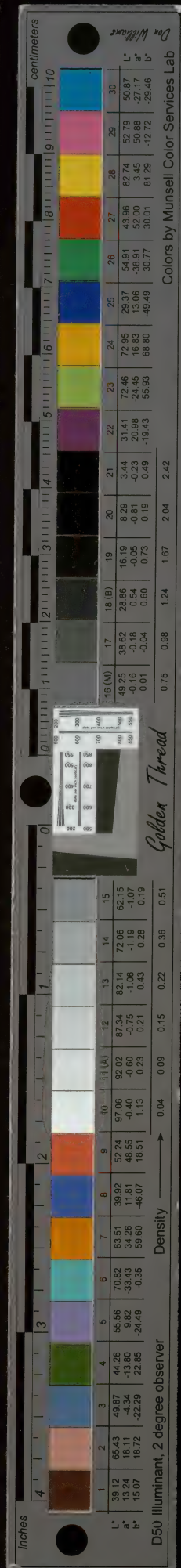
Replaced.

not p.

Thomas Penrose lost the 2<sup>d</sup> vol of Oliver's "Temper"  
in 3 vols. offers the same work American Edition  
in 2 vols. It is agreed if he will pay two dollars & give  
the American edition -

Replaced with  
Am. ed. of 1811 -

James Starr having lost the first volume of the  
Idler Duodecimo. N<sup>o</sup> 369 London edition. Resolved that  
upon his presenting the Company an American edition  
bound together with the sum of one Dollar he to take  
the odd volume





December 7. 1815

Maurice Wurts having lost. Hoopers translation of  
Gepners Idyls (Quarto N<sup>o</sup> 682) London 1776.

Book found

The Committee Resolved That He either replace the  
volume with another of the same edition; or pay  
Eight Dollars

and returned

March 7. 1816.

Joseph W. Lutter having lost The Gentleman's  
Magazine for the year 1756 (N<sup>o</sup> 544 Octavo) Resolved  
that he pay the sum of Four dollars or replace the  
volume.

Found and

returned

" The Mechanic or Compendium of Invention  
2 vols N<sup>o</sup> 5273 Octavo Liverpool 1816, By James Smith  
injured accidentally while in the possession of James  
Crepon. The Committee Resolve that he <sup>deposit</sup> ~~pay~~ Eight  
dollars for the use of the Library until he shall  
replace the sett. when he may have the imper-  
fect sett & the money returned the sett to be of equal  
value of the one injured

Deposited

Eight dollars

Thomas Wistar lost the 3<sup>rd</sup> vol of Waverley 12<sup>th</sup>  
3 vols London 1814 2l. 1s.

The Committee Resolve That he deposit  
Five dollars for the use of the Library until  
he shall replace the Sett (a London copy) when he may  
have the imperfect set and the money returned

Deposited

\$5



January 1822.

33

James Hamilton lost vol 76 of The European Magazine from June to December 1819. Octavo No 1400 cost £1.7.6 sterling.

Resolved That he restore the volume or pay the sum of Fifteen dollars.

Alexander J. Coxe lost Moores Lalla Rookh a poem 12<sup>m</sup> No 2506. Philadelphia 1817.

Resolved that he restore the book or pay Two dollars

Ret.

Memoirs of Peter Henry Bruce 4<sup>th</sup> London 1782 lost or mislaid by Thomas Hohe.

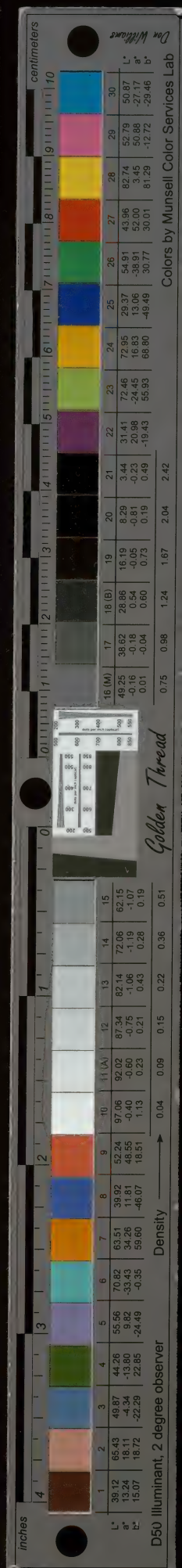
Resolved that he pay Ten dollars or return the Book

Paid \$10

Joseph Peace lost Malcolm's anecdotes of London No 4317. Octavo London 1811 cost 15/.

Resolved that he pay \$5. or return a copy of the same edition.

May 1826  
Paid \$5





August 4.<sup>th</sup> 1825

Dacre on the use of Salt as a manure 8<sup>vo</sup>  
 London 1825 - presented by Dr. Parke, injured  
 and defaced accidentally while in possession  
 of Edmund Green. - It is decreed that the  
 Company retain the book, and that Mr Green  
 pay \$2.50 for the damage done thereto -

paid \$2.50

Clement C. Biddle lost a duodecimo volume  
 No 2472 containing 1<sup>st</sup> The life of the Abbe  
 Edgeworth Lond 1815. 2<sup>o</sup> An essay on the arts of  
 Greece cost. 16/s sterling - C. C. Biddle to replace the  
 Book or pay Six dollars

Paid \$6.

Lloyds translation of Alfieris Tragedies  
 duodecimo No 2407 the second volume while in  
 the possession of Charles W. Hare Esq. - by an accident  
 injured several of the last pages being torn & defaced  
 Resolved that he replace the volume defaced with  
 one of the same edition; or pay two dollars for  
 the damage done & leave the defaced volume -

William Chancellor lost "Focuis Pocus; or the  
 whole art of legerdemain Duo: No 841 Dublin 1765  
 Resolved that William Chancellor pay two  
 dollars for the lost book

paid \$2



Edward Carle damaged a volume of De  
Retz' memoirs 12<sup>m</sup> No 167 4 vols London 1723  
offers two copies of the American edition in  
3 vols: well bound - Resolved That the Committee  
accede to the proposition made by Dr Carle

34  
No 5043  
+ 5044  
2 Copies 8<sup>th</sup>  
deposited

Caleb North lost No 1148 Octavo Persian Tales  
the story of Prince Bakhtyar and his ten viziers  
London 1801 in good condition cost // sterling

The Committee order that Mr North pay  
three dollars; or return a book of the same edition  
forthwith - 2<sup>d</sup> February 1826

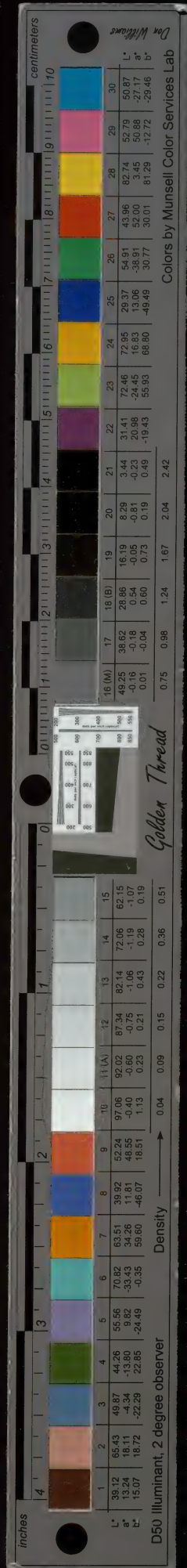
Paid  
\$5-

*The following omitted in its proper place*

February 4. 1813. Charles Swift having lost the  
1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> volumes of Penington's letters in four volumes  
duodecimo. Resolved that he replace the set by a  
good an edition, and take the two remaining vols:  
or pay Eight dollars.

May 14. 1829 -

The Mythology of the ancients by the Abbe'  
Barier translated from the French 8<sup>vo</sup> 4 vols  
No 318. London 1739 -  
vols 2<sup>nd</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> lent to Dr Mayo on the share of the  
late Dr Samuel Stewart and lost or mislaid





To replace the work by an equal edition or pay ~~two~~ dollars for each of the missing volumes, retaining the first volume.

paid  
\$6.00

Nov 5. -

Wilson's Surveying No 547. Oct lost by Jos. D Brown. To restore the vol or pay \$2.50

not  
paid  
2.50

Gentleman's Magazine Vol 98 pt 1 lost by Benj P. Smith. to pay \$4.15 or replace it

paid

Dec 5. <sup>1829</sup> Roseau's Italian novelists 1.2 3169 & Waverley 1.2 no 2301. & injured by Clifford & F. Gordon to pay \$3.50

Jan 7. 1830. Mrs Dougherty No 2270 D. The Corsair - Philadelphia Copy. To pay \$1.00  
Jan 10 1831. Israel M. Morris lost 1st vol of Ramsay's Amer Revolution No 1879.0.

paid  
may 1830

~~Jan 5. 1831. Endemann~~

Feb 5. 1831. Edward Staples lost 2<sup>d</sup> vol of Spallanzani's Dissertations No 2446. Octavo



Sept  
10

Dr. N. Chapman lost  
No 5209. O. Sketches of the  
Philosophy of Human life  
By Sir J. C. Morgan  
To pay \$4.00

Paid  
\$4.

Mrs Rebecca Clifford lost  
No 6219. vol 4th. to pay \$2.87 1/2

Paid  
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Feb 1  
1833

J. Hiker Learning lost vol 1st of  
Hendersons Iceland replaced

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N. States. Vol 1. No 4862. O.  
to pay ~~five~~ dollars or replace

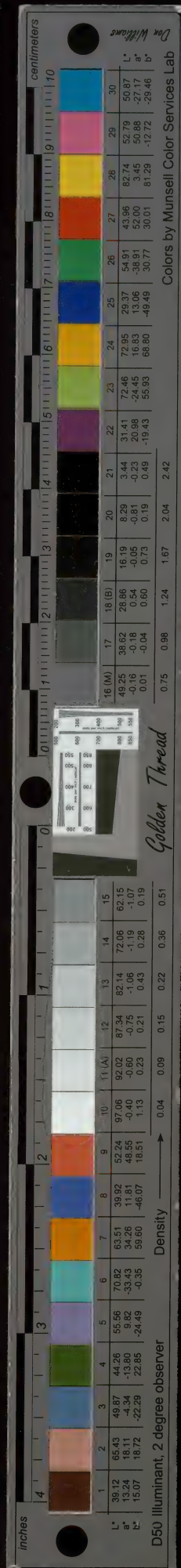
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July 8

Thos M. Simard lost No 1547. D  
Suetonius history of 12 caesars. To  
pay \$3.00 or replace in six mos

1848  
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Thomas Krimber having lost  
the 2<sup>d</sup> vol of 7792. D. Goddeys  
letters from America, to pay

















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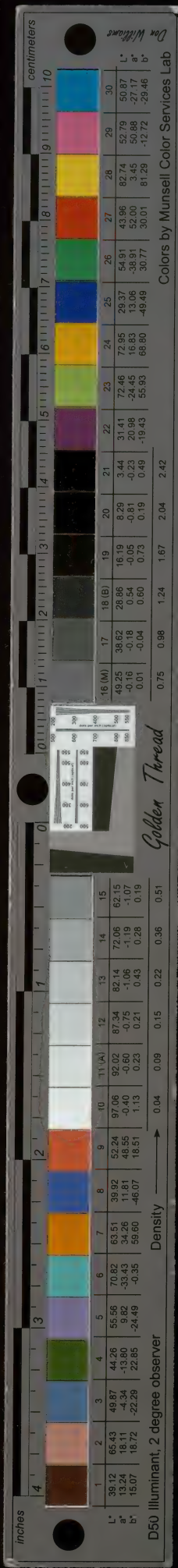
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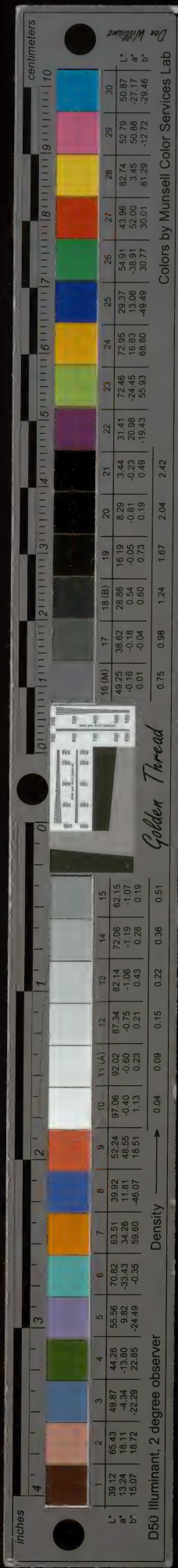




















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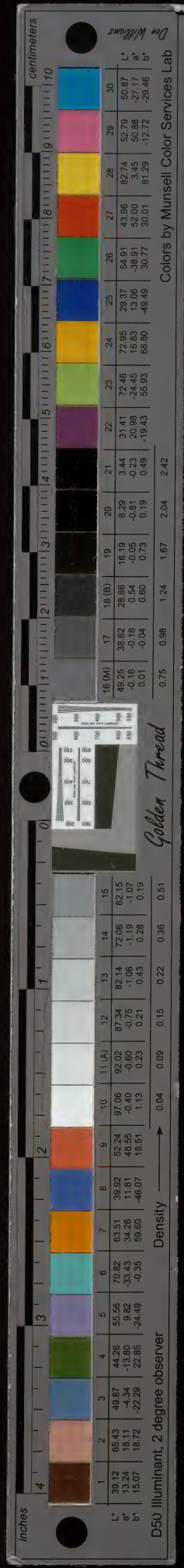
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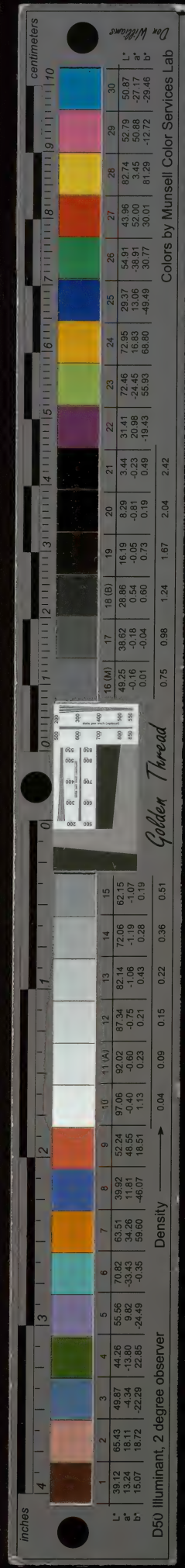








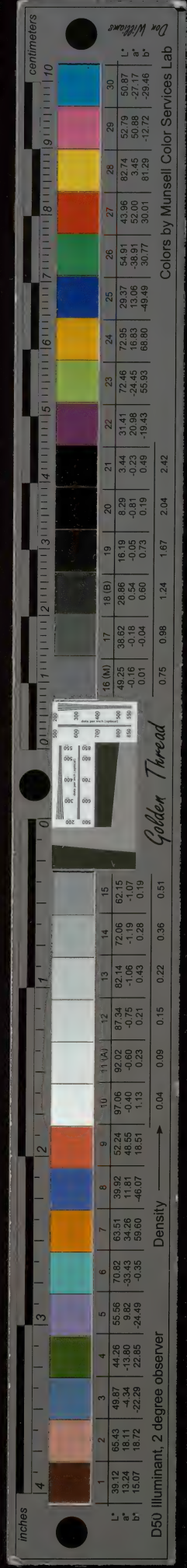
















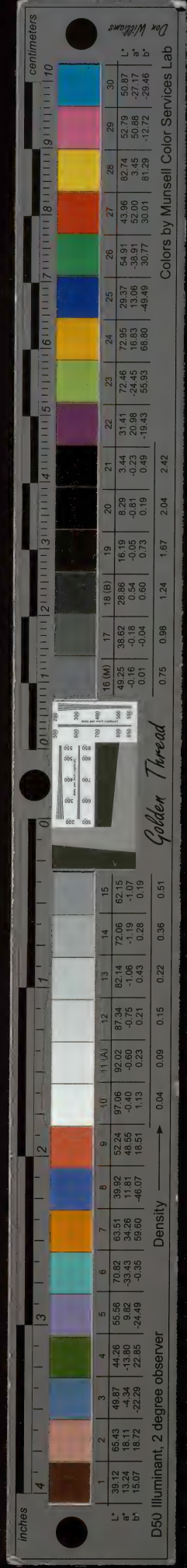








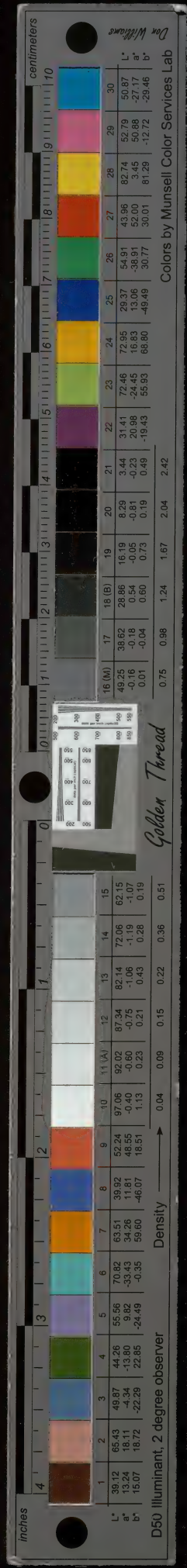
























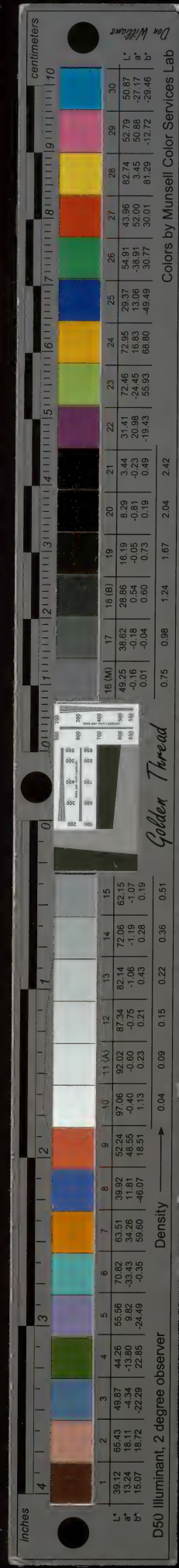








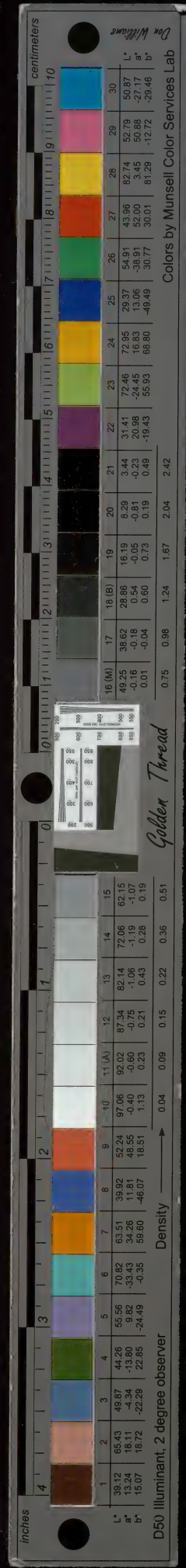








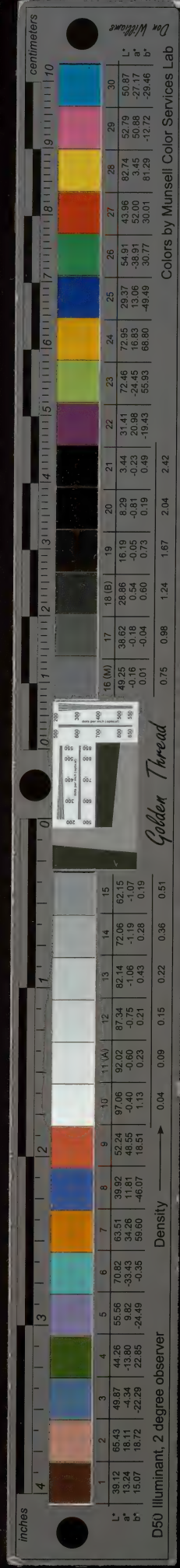








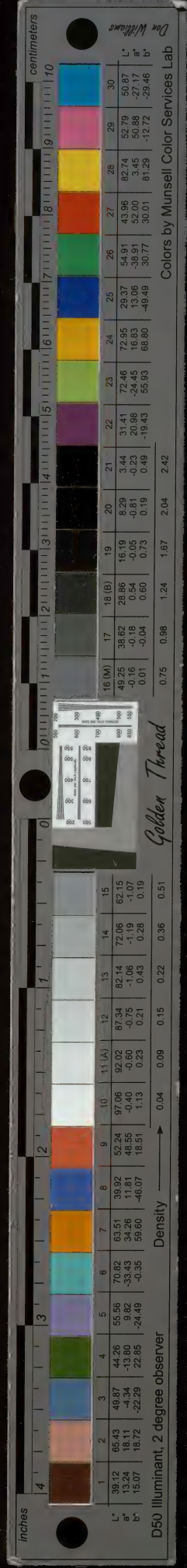




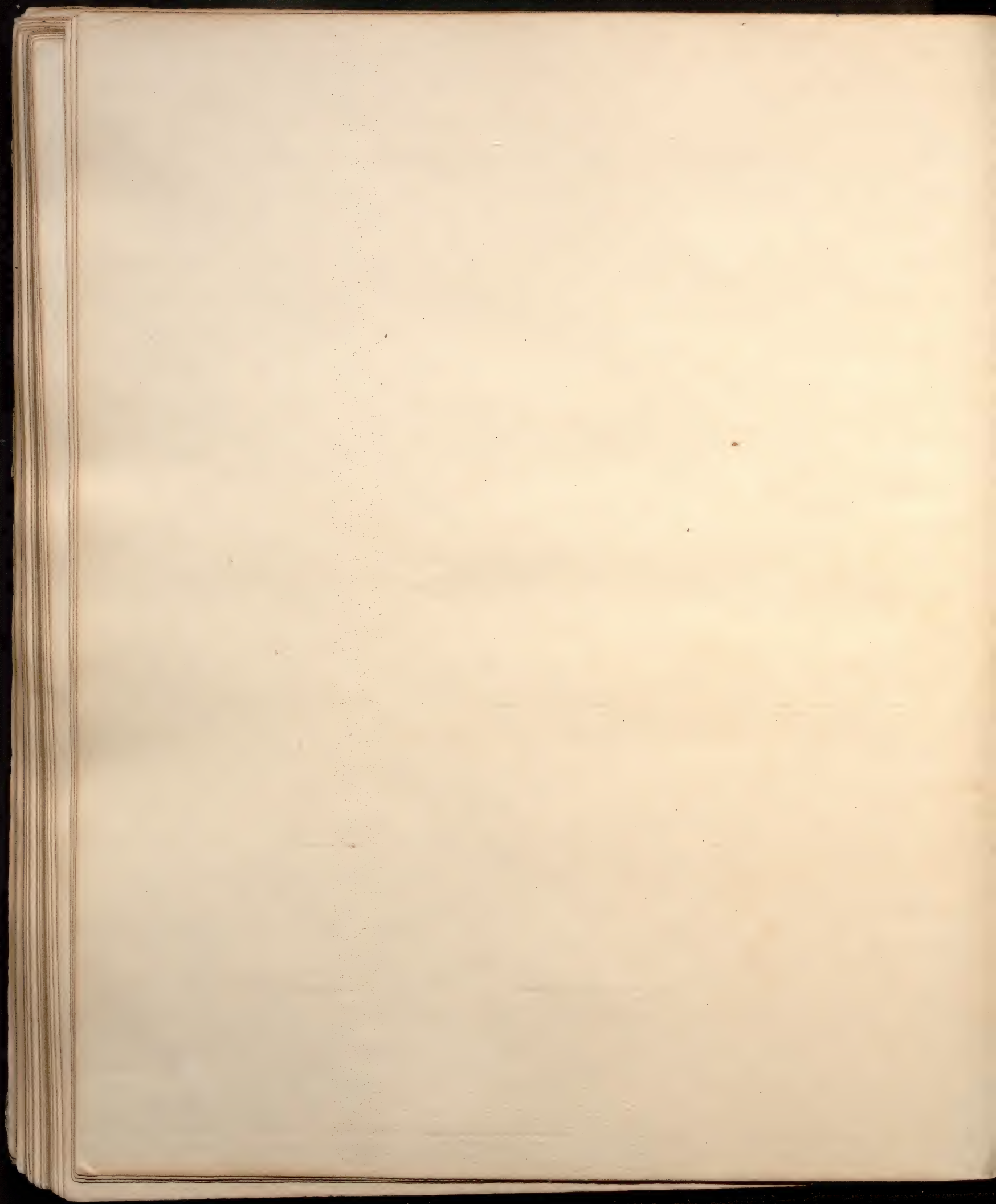












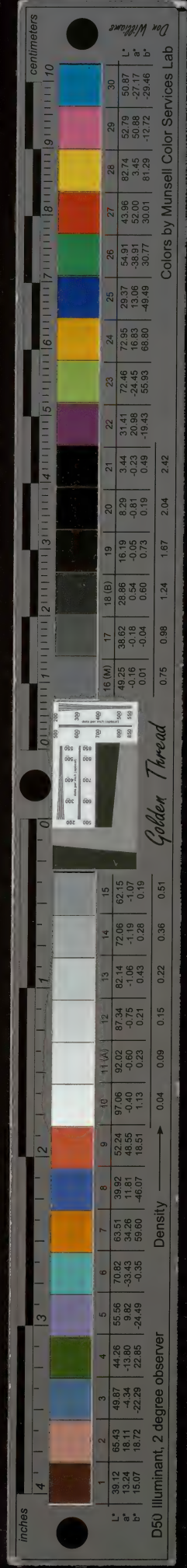








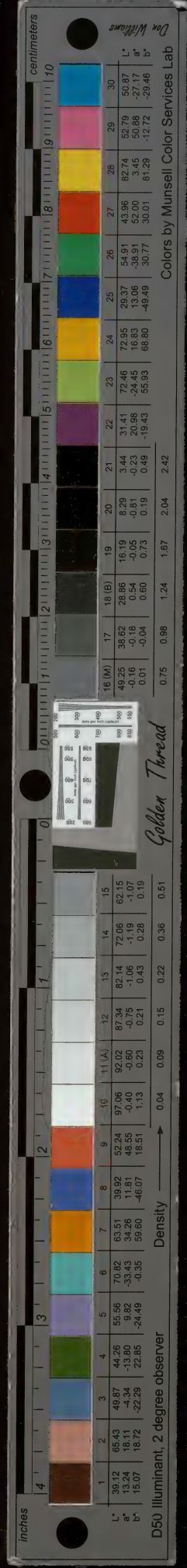








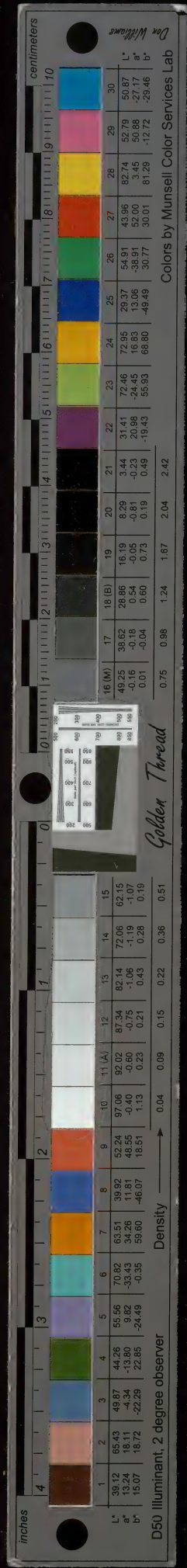








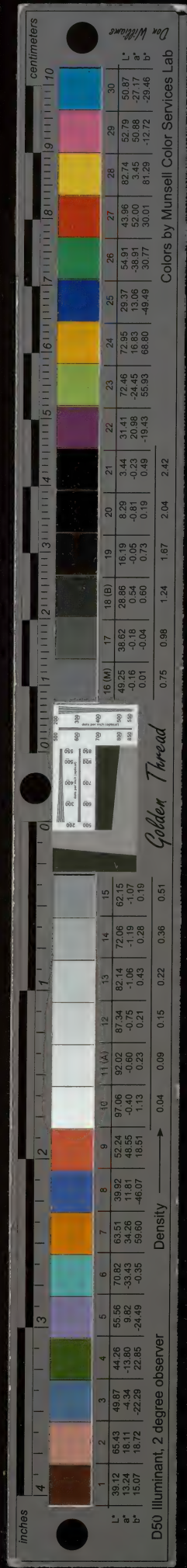








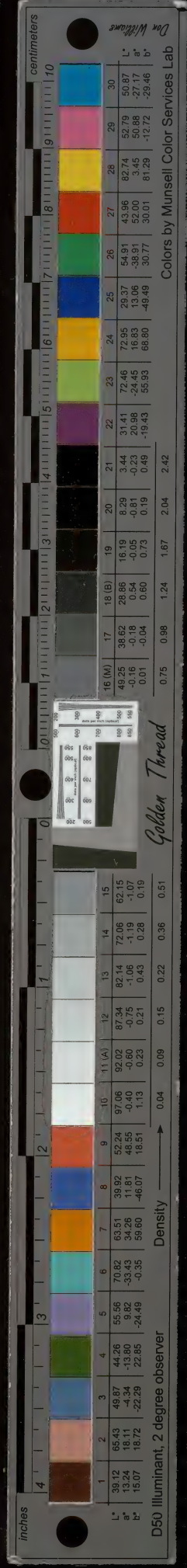








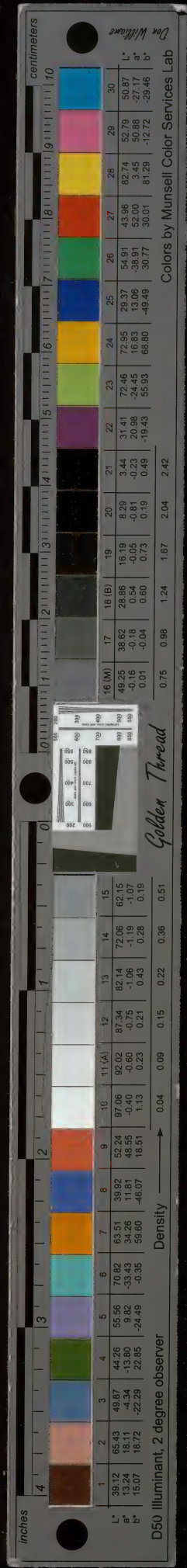








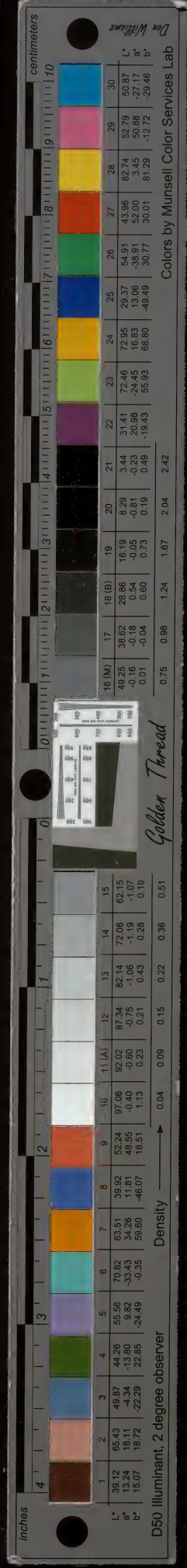




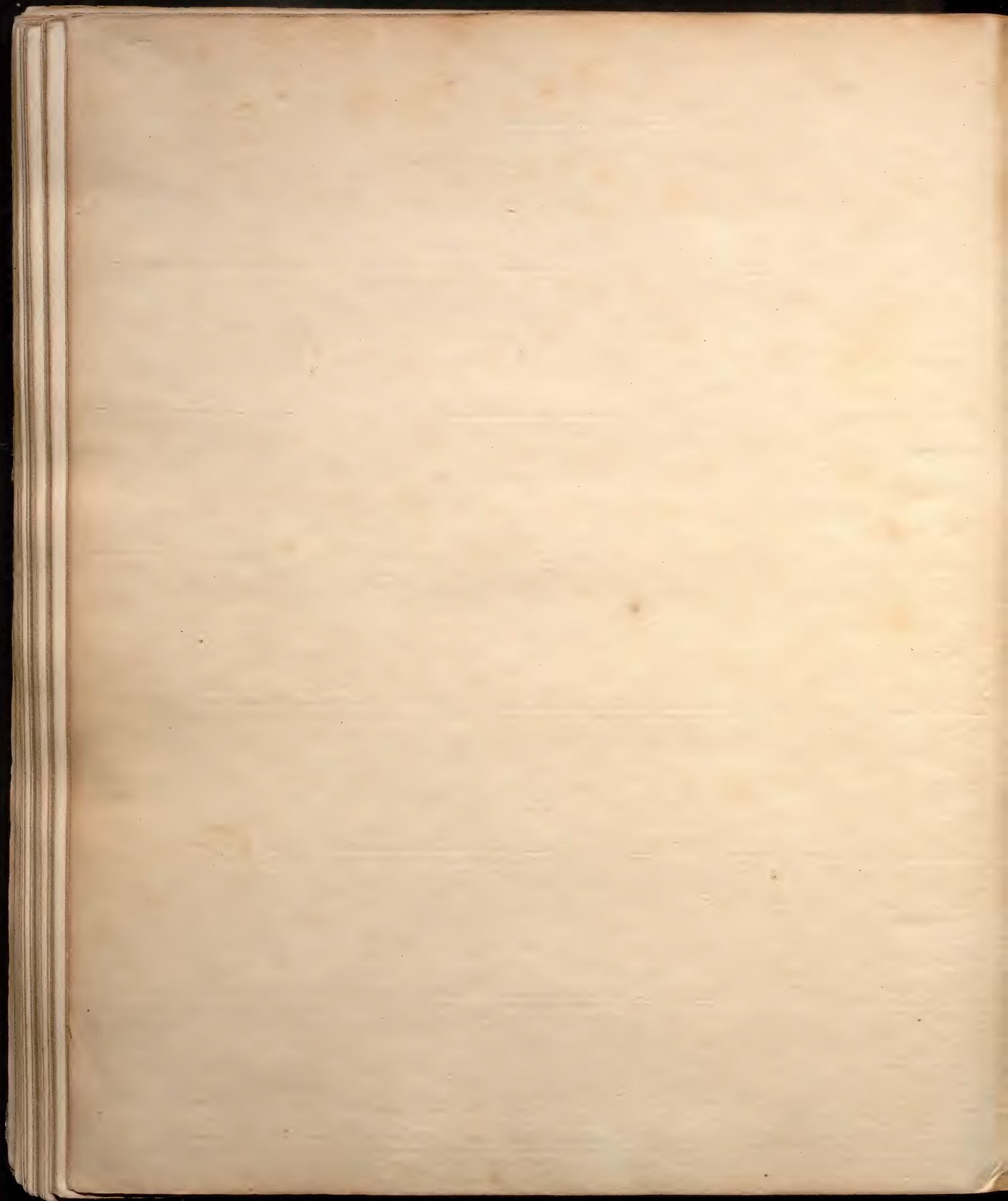










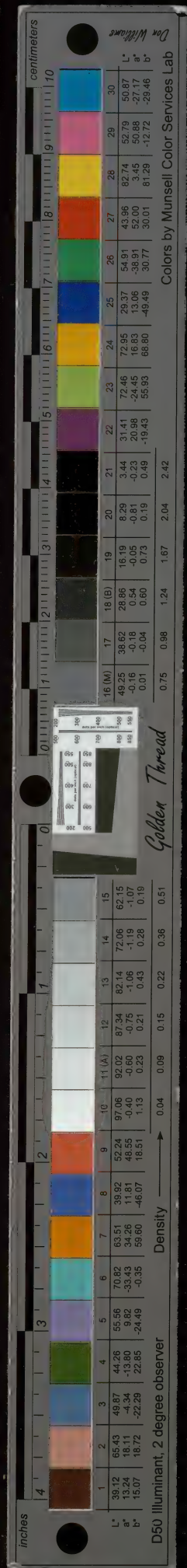




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