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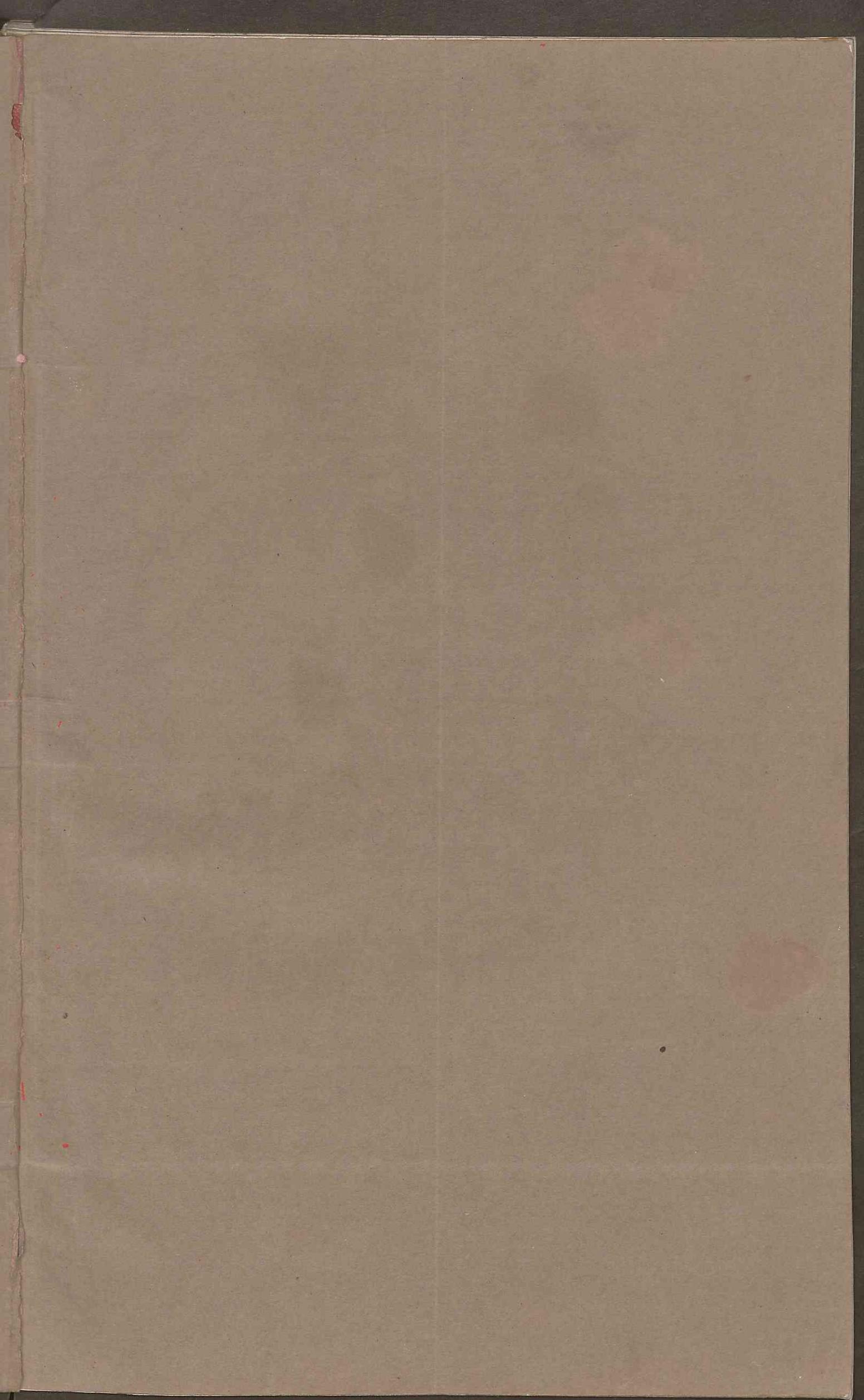
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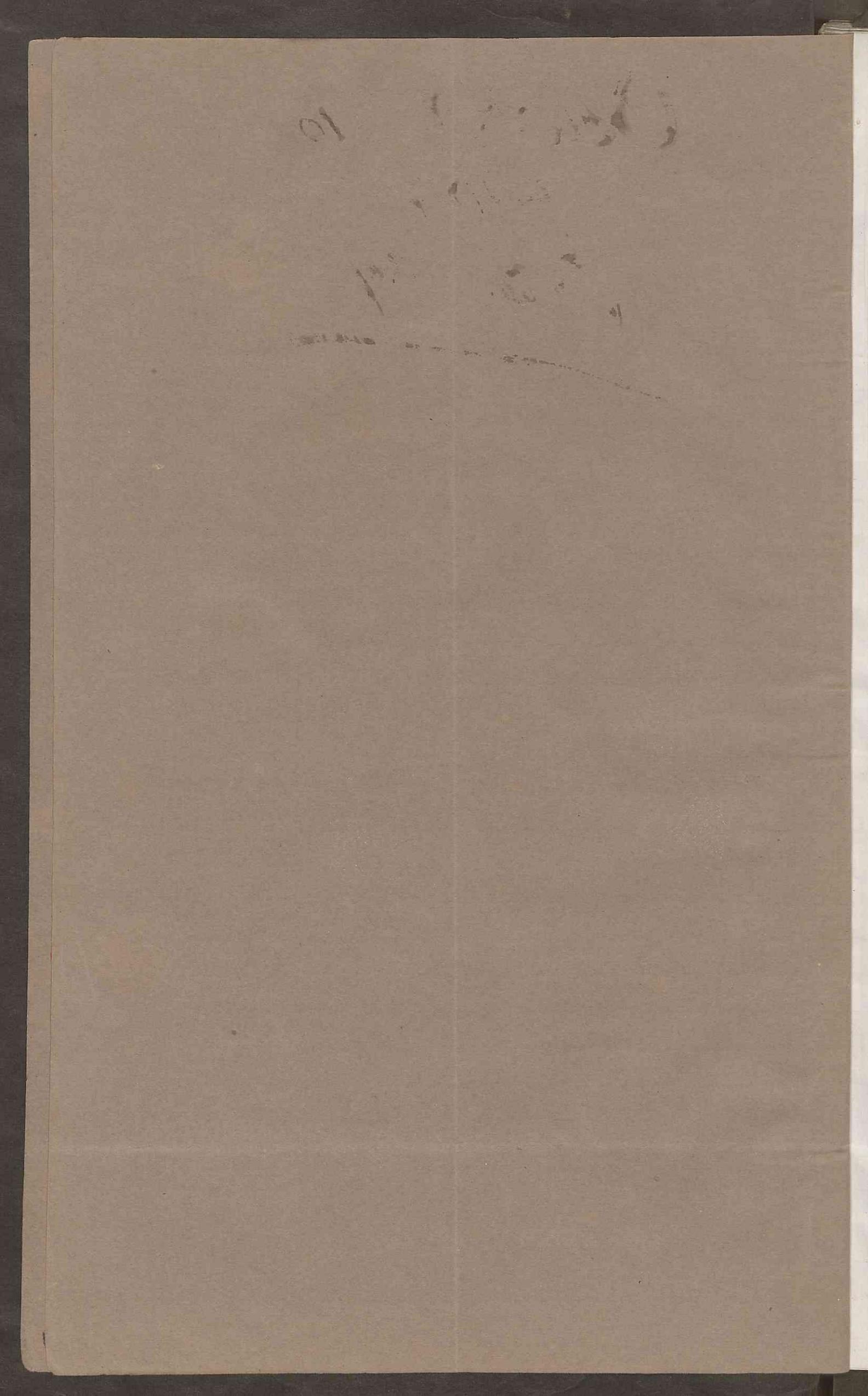
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October 10
1864
Frank Lee

[Volume No. 5, Henry Bright]

October 1864 - February 1865

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My dear Sir

Monday Craythorn Oct 1864

I have examined the Draft of the Settlement Deed proposed
and send my observations for your consideration & R.P.'s to
execute it as you see fit. The subject is next between us & I believe
that any Deed or instrument given by us to the parties are
not sufficient to execute it nor indeed to determine what
ought to contain. And you to get the Cos. of Special
Settlement & the appendant but distinct trust closed
as soon as possible so that no new trouble can arise
that posterity for duty I think that belongs to the W.
estate cannot be made out because the Estates being old
are not surveyed and the figures & to be decided cannot
be ascertained till the survey is paid & the expenses paid
& ascertained. Neither can it be dealt with till the D's
rights are considered. This subject is quite new and
requires much attention. It is not necessary nor
proper to in the Draft because the debts had
been ascertained when that was settled. As to the general
estate we are not ready to deal with that in seeking
a release deed from the Parties nor shall be, till
a plain Statement or a sheet of Paper such as persons
imprudential may understand & prepared and laid
before all the Parties showing them at the end of 20 years
what we have done about & what to be done for
them. I particularly wish this to be done & it is proper to be
done. Sir H. Heywood sent me such a statement of the
estate of himself & mine where he was then
in London & I think it will work out better I think
R.P. has one also. Till this is done & approved by them
I think we ought not to seek a release by Deed & if it
is to be done I would ask if such a release is enough of
itself to the Draft itself as sent me. No account has
been drawn before the points respecting D's right had
been discussed & resolved & with that we need the
settlement when all the points shall have been

Wansley ~~Bromborough~~
Heaton near
Estate
Continued from the
preceding book

determined what have you or may arise. It seems to me
that T. Bayly P. B. B. B. H. B. D. B. - G. Golds written & torn
or re-written eight times (not handwriting) - All the
rest of him that is the bottom. v. Suppose the family) if none
of the children make a will have a Revenue interest in
the ~~leg~~ 10000. Legacies. I do B. B. have claim in certain
Events to 10000. £. to pay off Crowley Mortgage. This is
indeed very remote but still it exists. I do not know
what has become of my 2800. mentioned. What is become
of it? There is at now I think the word or would be published
for And p 14 line 20 from the bottom Isecthe sum
8350 & 29500. are stated to be in the fund this might have
been perhaps in 1842 but they are not I believe at Badlie
Park ^{Right by} Park ^{Right by} this statement occurs again at p. 18. This is a clear
mistake who will be called upon to execute the deed
I do not like the Complementary Clause at the end it
is unnecessary to say the least of it. I wish to see
scrapped. Pray strike it out & suggest notice
taken of the Mortgage deed of 1844. - This made
these observations on the draft ^{the} last by no means
that we are ready for this deed at present it ~~is~~
that about all. It seems to me that it will effect
very little purpose but be that as I may I think
it must be deferred till the proceeds of the W. I.
estate are realized & ascertained in the hands of the
Trustees & the 6000 question is arranged & till
all the parties interested have signified their consent
to what has been done under seal a statement as
above submitted to them. I hope this will bring the matter
to a point. Then it will be fit to consider how
the Executorship of the whole estate may be brought
to a close in the best & most satisfactory manner
presently the regular distribution will be made among
the Trustees had fortunately been persons distinct
from the Executors under a Deed of Settlement necessary
which shall comprehend the whole Assets of the Testator except
the for the Release which you will receive by the 1st of May 1843 by
a. H. Warren Esq. M. A.

Copy. of Davidsons opinion or
a copy submitted to him of the case
by Wansey.

The Testator of the Jamaica property upmended Mr. David
Incorporated 26th adored January completed the only ordinary
July 1864 property in the share which he deeded held with his wife
3 August 1864 one hour earlier and as far as may be shall be for some time
time it is proposed that the Estate should be sold up when
Trustee released & Mr. Davison is requested to prepare the
Deed of Release. He will send extracts of the Testator's Will
of family arrangement dated 26 Nov 1842 a subsidiary arrangement
dated 22 Nov 1842 (see in what copy) H.D. & 2 accounts being
an account of Capital and an income account there with
left & they soon after it concerned all the materials
Counsel will want. May J. Heywood Wright one of
the Trustees & Executors died 4 August 1843. & by his deed
25th March 1863 the other two Trustees & Executors & Testator,
3 Daughters & his son. Some & Wright are alive - May & Wright
the son of J. H. B. who suddenly created a \$10.
alive Dr. Richd Wright one of the Executors was died
His Executors are Mr. R. P. Follett and
Counsel will see by the Will that after payment of the Debts
the first charge over the Testator's property were 3 legacies of
6000. each to his 3 Daughters. These have never been
sufficient assets to pay these but from time to time sums in
account have been set apart for the purpose as appears by
the Capital account p. 3 to which sum 2750.11.6 the net
proceeds of the Jamaica Estates after paying the mortgage &c
or however subject to the charge of sale and other Trustees
expenses has the added Counsel to advise of the condition
the Trusts of this Will w^t the Deed of arrangement whether the proceeds
of the Jamaica Estates are to be applied in payment of
the amount of interest & the legacies as part of the legacy
themselves legacies It is an important question &
whether a capital ready of no endowment bequeath

Hyde Park

I return by Post post today the Draft & the proposed Deed
of Mr Carter's Settlements & the accounts of His Estate & Maylesfield
to Ireland Mr Dadds' opinion & the case for the present, and
and my own very accurate copies - they shall be returned to you
with I almost fear I have not said sufficient respect from me
yesterday on the occasion of the unfortunate question asked at
Dinner for the first time by Mr Dadds & about the Goods in
the delay & want occasion. The Rats have done us great sorrow
as they have given us an opportunity of considering the usual
course for clearing up a finally arranging these (units 3-4-4-1)
in answer to you & to say I shall be glad to see the Plan you
propose laying before Mr Dadds or if you think it best
call into the wire as I suppose it would direct your attention
to the real point which is how the Goods is to be received &
shipped to fall.

H. A. Wauney Esq. printed

D T Amst.

OCT 11. 1864

I have had a letter from Sister Dodge saying that Mr
C. is returning home "very much better" & everybody knows his
desires I much value good things. Has there been any
spendthrifts. I do not think that as this is the case I need trouble
as intended I was really afraid he might have been found
differently in setting away - However thank you back I
have no objection to engrave letters as my goodness of
his skin was & must be engraved cost him 50.
Must get to a man he can have that would probably lead
to explanations in future - I am sorry in one sense for that
the former Rats have destroyed part of the service & my own
but another I am very glad for Dadds has disclosed what
I suppose it must have called typical at all days that book has gone
away & this must be considered some delay must take place
I have only very recently been made aware of it & have done
that the proper investigation should be made & have also
considered the Draft of the Deed as it does evidently
make observations upon it I should think a Deed

and the Trusts of the Jamaica Estate & the D^r of
Arrangement - whatever the contractor is wished that the
Trust may be now closed except so far as regards any money which
may fall under the joint time share and the Trustee may always
be denised of having the absolute disposition of the shares of the
amount realized on account of the legacies wish to do away
with the power of affront and given them by the Will and make the
will by an executive Document for this purpose & for delivery
the Trustees this being done I presume the Capital sum may be
transferred to them equally - Next the C^o of Henric married & they
are all above 20 years of age Council will see by the ~~test~~ 1
covenant that in consequence of the insufficiency of the
personal estate to pay the 3 legacies two of these & others con-
tributed 2800 & 7900 together 10700 towards making up such
~~deficiency~~ when sum has been used & the same meet has
been paid or augmentation of the income of the sum set apart
at different times by the Trustees under the Trust of the Will
in H. Mytts father covenants by that deed to pay an annuity
of 400 a year to his sister & she provided that amount should
stand abate if it exceeded the amount of interest at 5% &
upon such part of the said 3 legacies as from the time being paid
not have been realized (The said sum of 10700 being to be considered
as having been realized towards & in part satisfaction of 10000)
the 3 legacies of 10000 - Mr Robt B. & Mr James Mytts have
also contributed 60/- An easement there was to be reserved
by Deed but by voluntary arrangement in consideration of the
harmless made by the Deed of arrangement the trustees & myself
gave up all claim to the amount of interest there due or then
legacies & all future interest & to grow due & except to the
deficiency in the legacies

The trustees Mytts each
received on account of interest 450 as appears by the memorandum
on Nov. 7. 1840 and previous to the said arrangement they have
also received interest from the respective time of the last
time for payment of the legacies The interest on the legacy
10700 contributed under the D^r of arrangement is
annually of 400 - In Feb'y 1861 a further sum of 159-12-6d

hardly neg ay but that is for me to do and so I have
written to Wm. H. Seward I am much obliged to him and our friend
from a Liverpool paper. It looks to me as if the confederates
were beginning to cry Peasor Much will depend on the next
fight but Lee can not win it the poor climate of November
will really help Grant the numbers of Lee's army is 42,000 & they
are pretty bad in Atlanta to seem a great gain but I cannot
understand why the confederates did not defend it
the ~~Confederate~~ House of America will not well stand a bombard
and they seem never to think of provoking the Garrison
with magazines - around they built it all. P.S. I am
sorry the deprived & Cooke Allen tell me all he is doing
I have not seen one I do not know where Z. H. Myatt
is suppose the Oracle at Leyd does not like
a Capandia. of 200 pp. q. H. B.
Saw & thought Liverpool

Part or part of interest & the two annuities £60^L there
was also a small sum about £85 in hand - available - ever
since 1845 the annuity of £60 has exceeded the interest to way
the Super-Bright was entitled under the deed of arrangement
Mr Dawson has to consider this fact & all that Deed has
to be recognized & imported into the Trust - It is to be considered
as binding the payment to the husband Bright on Feb 1861 now
not having been as interest but interest as Capital and the sum
same would apply to the sum in hand (£85 P.R.B) and to the
~~less~~ ~~less~~ ~~less~~ balance of the Jamaica sale monies
W.H. Bright's burden that the Deed & arrangement should stand
he recognized but as voluntary on behalf of the brother and
in view of the Testator Estate Mr Dawson will observe
that the sum less the payment in their official capacity
The Draft was signed by W.D. of Lincoln Inn Fields -

The accounts of the estate which have been kept by a professional
accountant were examined & signed by the Trustees, & the wife
Bright to Draycott on 16 Nov 1844 and caused to be done that
very little has been done since then except that the Theatre Royal
in the junction a short distance have been sold. The account
contains the rent and money received or otherwise
proceeds until sale value the amount of the Tontine the
property left apart of the Daughter is now invested as follows
£ 4400 . 4. 2 new Three per cent annuities
7600 - invested temporally in Deposit Note at Bank, P.R.
at 4 per cent.

Copy. Dawson & Binion

I think it is not in no possible to wind up the trust of the
will of ~~Rev~~ Bright the father in the manner proposed for at
present there are no persons who can give effectual release
& the Trustees under the Will (see fol 34) and also under trust
of the Deed of 26 Nov 1842 (fol 10 v 11. see) in the event of the
death of the 3rd son command & interlate the ultimate sum
of the fund representing the 3 Estates of 10000 each for
the next of kin of the last surviving Sister at the time of

Dawson Case
opinion
opposite.

deceas v of course the persons who may answer under & except
can not now be ascertained. The Trustees therefore
cannot safely transfer the trust funds to the 3 Sisters in
the way proposed upon any release which cannot presently
be obtained. I think that under the Deed of 28th Nov 1842
(see p^c 15) the 3 Sisters have accepted the annuity of 400
in full pale interest on behalf of their Legacies received
I think therefore that the payment to them in Feb 1857
of three sums of 159.12. 4 each on account of such
interest was incorrect & that the money so paid & the sum
now in hand should be added to the Capital trust fund.
It appears to me that the Deed of arrangement must be
recognized & acted on as it appears to have been hitherto ~~not~~
been signed. Charles Davison London Jan 26 July
1864

COPY OF OPINION

As the gift over to the next of kin & the survivor of the
Three Sisters Wright is only in the event of their all deceas-
ing my interlaken & it may be affirmed with tolerable
certainty that this will not happen & as I understand
certainly that the Estate will not yield enough to pay
these 10000 in full practically, an approval of
accounts & release by the 3 Sisters M. will be a conclusive
discharge to the Trustees Wright of course under the
circumstances the Trustee can not at present practically
have money in hand.

COPY CASE
to whom of Dr.
Davison
17 August 1864.

As arranged in Conference this morn-
ing the Will & papers are again left with
Mr Davison who is requested to advise with
the Estate of D. Wright & entitle him
to participate in the proceeds of the
Sale of the Jamaica Estates & to say
what extent of his estate entitled & to any
& what interest.

In accordance with separate opinion

Sardus Cates &
opimus opili

etc.

My dear Sir

I begin to think that
you will hardly hear from
Mr. Follett before Dorcas
enters his memory in
reprobation.

I waited some days since to
see Mr. Follett again. He came
on the 7th nearly as follows

" Mr R. Follett called on
me last night - I did not
like to talk to him but he
seems well disposed to do
what is right & liberal
and as I am poor it is

going abroad I wished he
would write to you (as to R.B.)
to complain of the length
of the documents sent to him
If they were not accompanied
by a most explanatory
letter I think one might
be sent him as a
consequence of my having
seen him
I then made a short sketch
of what had happened itself
to me - not thinking it
was entirely right. but
that you v be right

consider & alter it and
try it into the right
shape or write another
having the same object
of saving from the labour
& reading the larger
documents

Mr. Abbott thought wrote to
me that he may be of
service & just then
to write to Mr. Follett —
to the King's hands now

I do not know why Abbott
quoted perhaps it might be
he wish to see some opposition
— I cannot help thinking

that Fobell would have
more quickly if I send a
letter for that if it is
intended to finish up
the matter without any
soon time something of
this kind ought to be done.

on this point is requested he will be good enough to return the paper for the purpose of the release when he is about to settle.

6. Finebridge Lin M. 1
4 August. ~~Aug~~

Copy opinion

I think that under the provisions of the will of Richard Wright (the father) fol. 24 the proceeds of the sale of the Jamaica Estates are applicable, applicable primarily in payment of the daughters three legacies of £1000 each & of £500 part of the legacy of (sic) Richard Wright the son or this view I conceive that 1/3 of these proceeds should be carried to the account of the Daughters legacies & 1/3 be paid to the Executor of Richard Wright the son. The fact that the Daughters have accepted the annuity of £100 - in satisfaction of the interest, or their unpaid portions in my opinion reduces the whole of their share of these proceeds applicable towards the discharge of the principal of their portion. It does not enable the Representative of R. Wright the son to any greater share of those proceeds so far as any part of the sister's portion remains unpaid. I think the will renders 1/3 of the money corpus of the Jamaica Estates applicable primarily under charge of these portions - It appears to have been agreed throughout that the three legacies of £1000 were entitled to priority over these broken legacies in the administration of the general undivided estate. It may perhaps be open to consider whether there is anything in the will to give such priority - See the case of Beeston v. Book & Madd 161. Schwartz v. Foreman. 1 Coll 409. Umborn v. L. Brander 18. Bea 313. & if there be no such priority it would appear that more than

Dardas Case; v. Opium
officer

half of the 2000 or thereabouts already paid
for the other legacies out of the several secondary
estate ought to have been paid to their brother
But all the others are probably bound by respect
or implied agreement to a course of
administration & presume no one will
now be disposed to derive gain by misinterpretation

Signed. Charles Davison

Lincoln. 17 Augt 1864

Cottage
Fire.

Bacrdon Capo 20pm
Opposite

Mr. Wm

Oct. 12. 1864.

Crawley.

You have perhaps heard something more about
the fire at Bacock I would like to know where
it began whether at the outside or inside of the
house under cover of bushes or what not
Were any leaves or shrubs had any bad chance lately.
I make up everything else Crawley. or likely to
have caused it or what part of the house did it
begin. I do not mean Bacock to have Old
Moylby's Cottage as the Upper House I have another
use for it so let him understand he is not to
expect it. Where does Mr. Ward live now.
has any Game been killed. What do you know
about the school Is any thing done about it.
what has been published as you hear by public
talk Catchman & Higley

Mr. Wm

Oct. 13. 1864

I have been trying to hear about the fire at Bacock
Cottage. Some thing of the same kind happened some
weeks ago at 13 Hob. The very dry season may
in some degree account for it. and the numerous
contraventions for Pipe lighting and the Inflammable
Laterns of Oil to say nothing of the discontent of
peasan u... have been so much increased

B. C.R

Extract of my letter Hargate Oct 12.
He is suffering from Dyspepsia & he
takes a glass of Sherry because refrain from
getting Drunk. Alkalies in any form act
like Poisons upon his nervous system - rendering him
nearly Drunk but I solicted — I consider his
case a very bad one — cut Justice was followed
by promises of little Remorse but nothing would
have removed his delusions from the previous nights
spirit of Sherry — very little effect has now
He requires Moral as well as Medical treatment
& total abstinence from any Stimulant. He seems
willing if he could abstain from the Drunk it would
be better a few weeks — He was in a terrible way
after receiving a letter from your Lordship back —

tately that I much like that do look to increase the
Insurance largely whether it be worth while to run the
Insurance upon Cottages I do not know - because there
is so little chance of one Cottage being another -
I would like to put Insurance on the Cottages or
eventually on Ann Pitt so at present I do not mind
we have old Willowy bays. - If we build another
Cottage I would wish it perhaps next ground do so
in the full N of the Garden.

Crawly

There the water is new work & out what is done
as yet. I am sorry I could be with you all
to d. I can not walk across the Room.

W. Sturge Smith J. H. Sprague

8 P.M.

Monday Oct. 17. 1864 Crawly

Received Dr M^r letter of Oct 12. Wistey had a few days ago
remedies. Wish he may soon return home. This must be
the best place for him. I have no ~~other~~ ^{any} thing added way they
possible to narrate him. The most has been care of his habits
and has had no bad food & drink etc. as in not allowing him
scant to eat. As he has not had the time care of his
habits. As to Remedy there is none. Precaution must be
more for Beer & brandy and the bad company. A
servant for him would be well perhaps he
useful in the house though very remonstrated objecting
in many ways but he could not be in constant
attendance on Wistey unless a shooting farm not
at all possessed that B.P. would stand ^{very watchful} for a week
extremely & he became drunk he would not. It is for lack
of strong exercise. As to absolute confinement except at
home it would be a great evil. The effects on all parties
and indeed the practicability I do not see. Should the
negotiations be much longer someone in the habit
of considering such cases professionally - The only

D^r Myrthes
fees

course then which occurs to me is to look out for Settlement with
comfort his wife Constant Retraçay once founded at the Idea that I
should not have to go (I mean to live to go) think of him in constant want
of money he early took hand finding it a relief this daughter has
entreated to fit to the present I believe her very need pressed
I think 100 would be useful now and I certainly had that sum
been so at Harrogate I suppose it would not be far from me especially to
make up for the extra expenses of Harrogate consequent on B. H. illness
It might not only relieve the pocket but might tend to the all important
object of keeping her in good humour. I am sorry to say
that such not give anything additional have a great effect on
some persons expectations. Yr affly. Wm. Jones
Sam' Wright Esq Gent Hotel
Menai Bridge Bangor
N. Wales

Instructions to D. Poole, Jan 1st
I wish you to be my alter Harrogate and provide
advance thereon
Same day

my dear Sir.

Tuesday Oct 10. 1864

I thank you very much for your valuable letter explaining
the effect of the proposed bond having called your
attention to the points of which occurred to me there. No
doubt it will be a very long in my discretion. It shall be
duly weighed & considered by myself letter bearing
it to have at my earliest convenience as far as possible to put in
to you. I was always that the Jamaica sale
had been finally completed. Myself I was wakened
for some documents from the W. I. I am glad now
to say with respect to the 6000 £ which I have been told
no remuneration made of that. It shall be used better to seek
his attention to me. There to defend a sacred idea
that nobody will think of mentioning to. I was not aware
the liability of the W. I. Estates to pay off the passage
or the property which there remain

Rock B

Varney
about 6000

very day after pay off the debt age on Crowley paper,
after paying off the other debts he then devoted his time
bright that 1st Decr 1864 after he had sold all his property
at the will of his creditors, of whom you have been told
intend to take a benefit in the conveyance of his estate and
therefore come within the class of men thought to
join P.S. Davis majority of the Yeoman Army
~~to be~~^{began to be} at Wm. H. Waugh
H. A. H. Waugh Bristol

Oct 18.

Tuesday Oct 18 Crowley

Has been in correspondence with Mr. Waugh about
the boundary of the whole of his father's Estate & you
forbid me to do. It seems (as appears) you must be
well aware that Mr. Dardis or suppose more 6000 £
have or less. Has not been quite regularly established
adding that probably nobody will care much of mentioning
it thinking that it is absolutely necessary for the
final & safe boundary of the Estate that this should be
clearly settled. Have desired Waugh to take an
opinion & this point as well as upon the question
on whom in what proportion the £. should fall
so that if Dardis on consideration of the new
Est. which Waugh will be able to know on it from
the Recd. of 1844 be minded after his previous
idea no question might arise about the proportion &
abilities of the several parties. Or if he determine
the other way Marshall be sued for damages for his
anxiety. I hope you will see the matter in the same light
Robert Bright Bristol 19 of Oct by

you very.

Oct 18 1864

— What is the name of the boy who is described as
having set fire to Cottages in Foxe whose do his parents live
Tell me what are the grounds of suspicion - whereabouts
late Amblers cottage now occupied by Brinsford.
Will you kindly look round & see how the fence

Cooker.

Sept. 23.

Remarkable passage
accounting for a poor deal of
his Employment, & still more of his
conduct at Argentia whence his way
to Greenland & in Greenland particularly. In
avoiding (accidentally, on purpose to see
Alwood just before embarking.—

Mr. H. Bright.

as supplied with water & since how much has been done
out of it course you will see every up. 2/11
W. H. M.

D. P. Dec.

Tuesday Oct 20. 1864

Crawley

I hope you make your arrangements to meet me at
the train come from London. 2/11 H. M.

Miss Bright M. D.

Dear Sam

Wednesday 21. 1864 Crawley

Forward Mr. Coker of Oct 23 received by me this
morning. Addressed to me of importance but so much
copy which I copy out below as worthy of all
consideration. He says "If you had seen my letter
of 6th. August. I think you would see from its tenor
there would be no occasion for Capt. Gibbs & Co.
restoring an Agent in Brighton in respect to the
Sale of Garrard's and their supreme of half
the commission which would be a great affront
& me in redressing their claim against me
I wrote to Mr. Alwood & Miss. Bauday & Mr. Dorrell
who are now acting as my agents in Brighton -
Sam Bright Liverpool

Telegram

Oct. 21. 1864. Friday. Crawley Winchester.

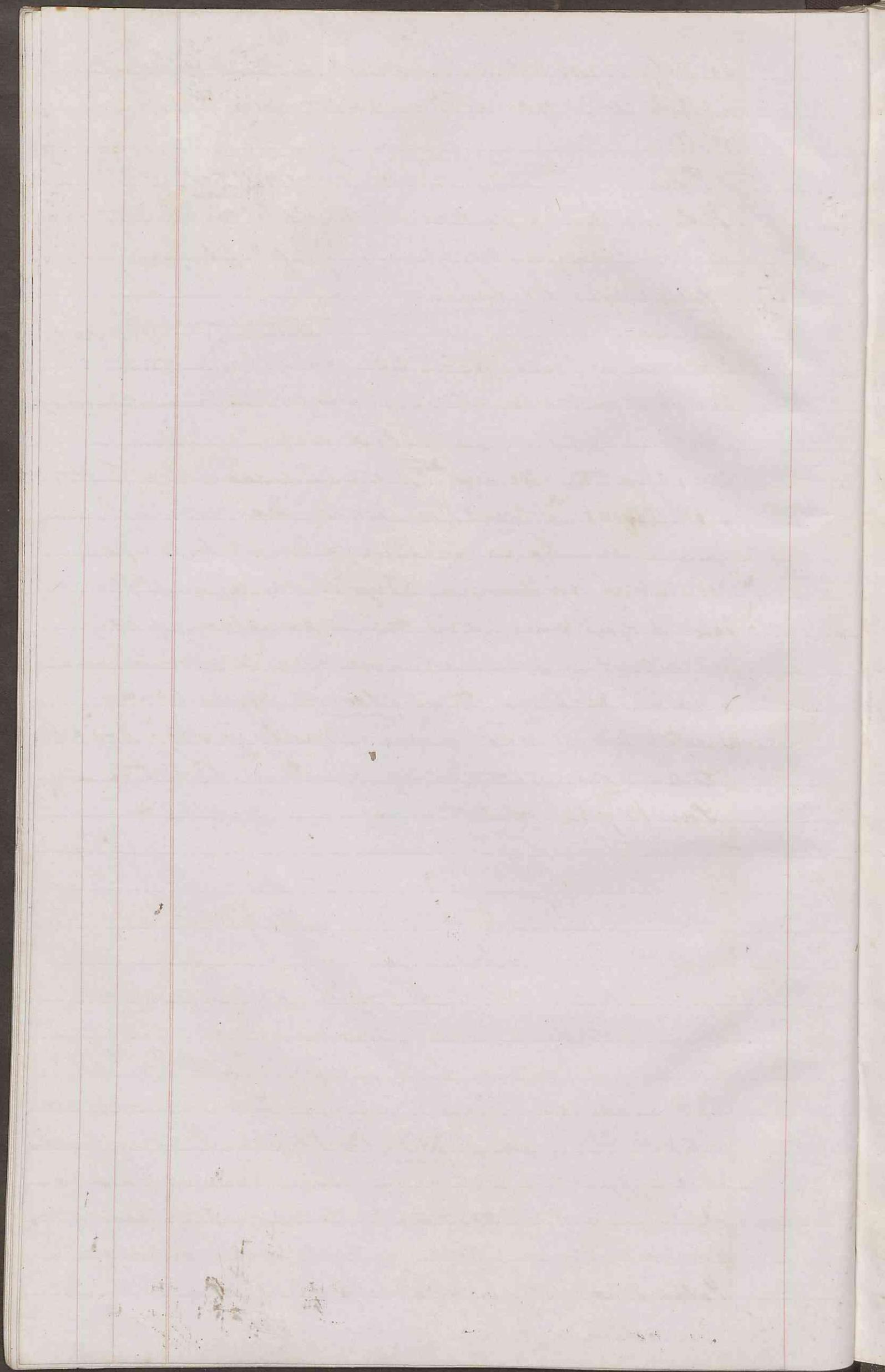
A/c to Sam B.

Do not send anything till I write to you to night.

Sam

Friday Oct 21. 1864

Pray send out Ben Bright from the road at Haywards
pike 100. £ 100.00 raised. Mrs B. Bright. The money would
be sent to her in time or 20th. notes. It would perhaps be
best to forward in two days the balance of notes. Please inc a
registered letter. I enclose a letter which may be
posted separately with the first half. Please consider
in a straight forward business style such a



in a strong hand wr.

will suspect it Mr Myrtle I do not know whether he is a Dr or a druggist nor whether he has been paid at all I think he will be paid liberally & I do not think 5^l would be sufficient. He will be paid liberally according to his station. You are at liberty to pay him any sum you think reasonable under 20^l: what I wish repay. We may have further use for him & a Gilded Pot will well when scientifically administered. Your Ally
Sand. Myrtle Jr. D. Paal

Dr Farny

Dec 21. 1864

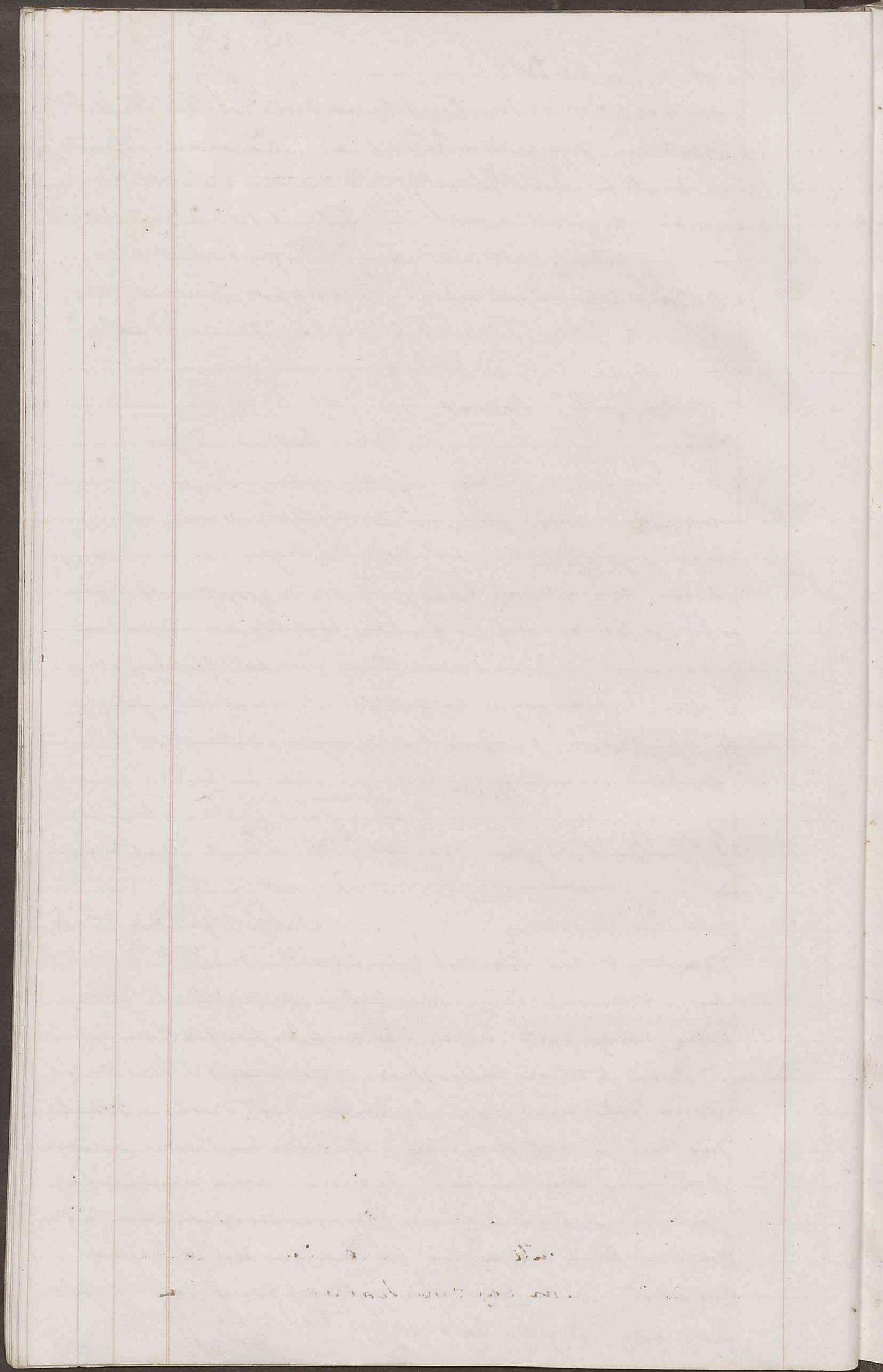
I am sorry dear Mr. Harcourt to try and upset all
your plans. When he returns he will have received
benefit from the Doctor. But as the expenses at a very
place are always heavy I have requested that
100^l. pounds should be forwarded to you. You will
receive it by this same Post. or next perhaps in
Halifax. If you accept it and employ it
for any family purpose you may consider most
useful. Yaff Ally

W^r B. Myrtle Lieut. 1^m Line Malvern

Dear Duke

Saturday Dec 22 1864

I am sorry to say I cannot conveniently come ^{evening}
down to meet Westing. My Master see me about the
same usual State when other respects I am extremely well.
Dr Bulle to whom I have been there says so. I must
doubtless much goad by another heat not so I shall
give him a little more time. We have had some fine
Rain here last night. There at times my heavy
Hand from Arm Propan that the Stock of time is very
short at Rd L so you need to make present job what
you want. Send some Wdry starch for if you want less
any you might be disappointed at Rd. Joseph
H. Myrtle



Mr. Wm.

I send you back back I shall be slightly more full after
Back month as you will probably offer no town of 1864
Sept and then at Mr. Stays house it I do not know what sort of
people the Friends are who has applied to old Mr. Stays
what is the best to have garden Brambles or Willowes
that is to say about what the best arrangement

Mr. Wm

J. A. Bright

am now an

I hope you are well

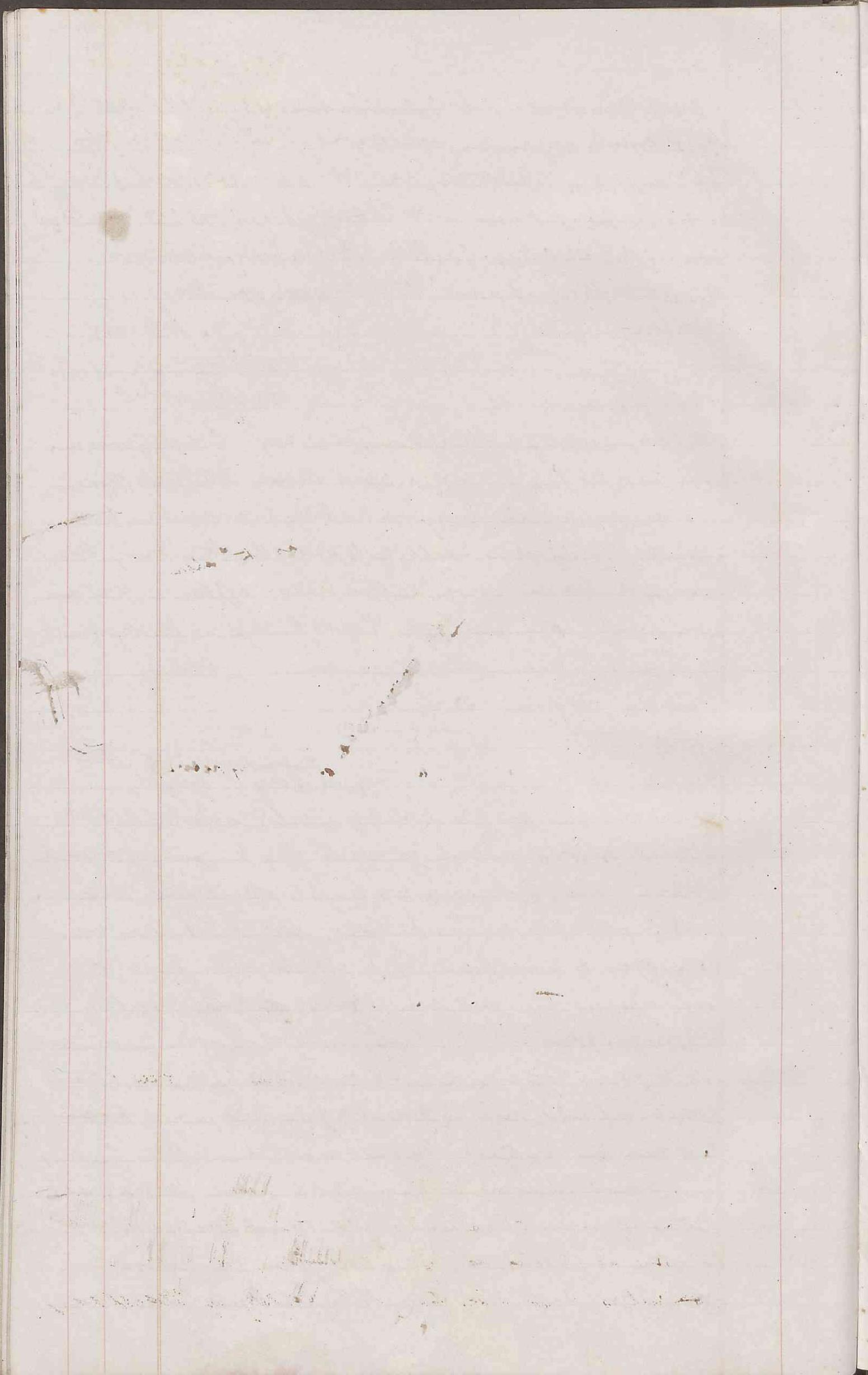
Oct 22 Saturday
Crawley 1864

Mr. Stay will be with you on Tuesday Oct 22nd from
at the Well till I come as you will then tell Miss May
that she cannot have very much vine because the stock
is so low except their really in want. Another may pear
against the House or on the other trees appear. Not so
abundant as any of the plants killed by the dry weather.
We have very heavy frost since now. J. A. Bright
Miss Ann Morgan K.L

My dear Sir

Saturday Oct 22 1864
Sunday Crawley

or my wife give you his monthly accounts as forwarded to me
in detail probably. I trust you would have the good right to look
at them. I have written a note to Miss Webb to send you my
banking account. Easack's Cottage being burnt down would
be necessary to rebuild it. If so I should prefer juries
one against the Hill so as to put it to B. L. rather than
into former place. I trust you would look at the ground
with this view & let me know what would be the best place
or what it would cost - However the old place at home
does receive lodgers. In the meantime if the Easacks
are of good character they might have Marrowall
cottage if you & Mr. May should think Marrowall would
be better at Easacke. Very late give you Easacke
Character I am very sorry I could not done



With respect to your money it should be by Globally done
in an Old Office. It may enter that the Water of the Mill
has failed for a long time they cannot generally work between
them today now says it can only be worked by Steam or the Proprietors
any say will cost £20. I think it would be better to have you
showed back again at the Watercourse and on your return
you to apply to Ballard by letter about it. I know the rear
number being dry but this will affect the other and have
appropriated the greater part of the supply. I think we have
just claim for compensation or restoration of the water to its
proper course, ^{now will come when you have written} ask every man in Steam repair because there
has been a day occasions to do think quite unnecessary
Dear Ballard is pretty up another hour to have it also
regular supply. The Melkwall mill stream has been
found to answer its purpose so go back to the Road where
you will find fields past the School House for the Green - nothing
too the new school house - but to which I do not subscribe
my foot a bottle but I can hardly walk across, however
I laid myself up ~~for~~ by going out to Winchester Yc Abbotts
W. Phye Ye printer I went to see for very nature.

Gentlemen.

O Oct 22- 1764. Crowley
Winchester

I shall be obliged if you will forward my請求書
or a statement or both sides of my account ^{to take your} to Mr. Sturge
know Lord Malvern Wells via Registered Letter or send
it while this Tuesday next. Yrs A. Mytton
Mess^t Wells & Co London

Dr Robert.

Maday Crowley Esq

No doubt Mr. Gaunden thought it was in the hands of the
factors presented to him and did not include the Deed of
1844 which may materially alter ^{for an} his view
it in my opinion was equivalent to present it and when
I remembered the various populations of Mancay &
the colors as well as the ^{indust} ~~industry~~ of London,

Up to now I have not been able to get
any good specimens of the species.

After the
as well

sennors as to the best quibbles now also by the
trouble he had taken to calculate the amount I thought
it was much the best course to settle the matter at once
and I am glad to find you agree with me.

All right for winter H. C. Phillips

Lanc. B. - Tuesday Feb 1864
B. B. at Lark Hill
10c. will do for a hyphate

Am wrong - give away the afternoons 1864
but keep enough for your own use. Proprietary
B. B. W. S. - I shall not give away any
pears. Turn up bright the shell box -

"As soon as Mr. Stuy is gone I shall send
directions about the old place - as we both
& the field I mean to repair it & surround it all over
Let Mr. Stuy have Champagne & Caneat - etc,

Dear Robt

With respect to money matter - I do not mean
to send you any unless it is to pay your debts
of which I do not know I may always be informed
I must say I ~~want you to make a better~~
~~consideration in your own opinion~~
~~especially as I don't think you consider much~~
~~now the charity than has been done to you - etc~~

Yours

Dear Robt 26 Feb. 1864 Crawley
With respect to money matter I will you wrote to
me some days ago I do not ^{as you seem to think} mean to send you
any more unless it is to pay your debts or when
you run short but when this happens I do not
would let me know always I warn you again ~~say~~
not replying (or far as only a week too) ~~I say even~~
~~ought to things you know nothing about and on general~~

I am Myrtle

Myrtle Cott
order 2 Heywood for 10^L h

I am Dr. T. S. who has
paid it to Myrtle

No. 2.

No letter from George
since he was in Cleveland

out of Chardor against all subjections - I always put off
leaving letters with the fire. They are all quiet out of Chardor
for you. There is a little box at Kunkel's with Nellie sent to me
by W. Syne you had better get & open it. Peaceably
yester even I am sorry to send you some
apple which I have seened from Morgan to send you some
apple as may as you like with Ann to not go away
the rest except what we shall want of Macwister for
any the causeless things I can get a few Head & tail
Send it there plenty good but I do not think them
big enough to make well. Ye apply & pray

Oct 31. 1864 Crandall

Sam

I rec'd Dr. Myller letter whether D or W - we have
done the right thing in both cases. His handwriting is
thank me for his style of letter & quoter in like my kind
handsacred for him & is filled with Danish words
(I rec'd one from our eggs) He says I am better for going
to Hangate where mud up more room for my
unfortunate skin than than felt for me last two years
It seems for Mrs. M. she does not suffer we know
anything about the real state of things. This I must
quit as well. As to what he is to think I cannot tell
You know about Capellain's the old song of Scipio
under my thumb. He com mend that he never takes any
money in his pocket. I inclose an order on Hayward
to pay Sambs. 16.00. Appy we send a shoe -

Oct. 31. 1864

Ann Morgan Order about Apples
Pear & Preserves

my dear Sir Wednesday Nov 2. 1864
I shall be obliged not having recent ^{crossed by} Crookley
any letter from you about proceedes ^{not yet} at Rock
I am afraid since it may be longer ^{than}
Offer to ^{you} I hope to receive a letter by
William Slingsby you're right in the house & ready

Coker Mr S
forwarded

Nov^r 1st

St George winter
my balance at Wells is 1664 - 6-9
including the Rent just received
at Colwall of 614 - 7 - 6

Many

Wednesday Nov. 2 Crowley

I shall be obliged if you will send me
a copy of Mr. Sawyer's directions & particular
of any what he left with you verbally or
written to have done. S - 4th inst
W^r Sawyer Colwell Green ^{Payroll Paid Recd. Ginn}
^{Book for Boston.}

Dear Son,

No. 4. 1864

I have this morning rec'd Cooke's letter of Crowley
Nov 8th 1864 of the Train Road cause made to
stand the Reserve over the Swamp ground it will
answer a good purpose but the New York Commiss
on Oct 1st last day rather can Cooke just right.

Sincerely yours

D. Smith

I have just rec'd a note from Dr. W. Bryant
to say "Then seems I am sorry to say but too shortly
but I am cannot find out any serious malady
except that of his skin." — If Plato, who was
likely to grow old in a man from Australia or in
that country. I should like to have a couple of
Bushels. There is a very indigent tenant here
who I am sure would be glad to get them a
trial he says that absolute change ^{of soil} is the
remedy if there is any rem for the disease & thinks
that even a change with his platos, would do
much — Dear Charlie, where will do nothing
he will not set to about it — Read the Advertiser
of York's address in the Times of Monday or Tuesday
or the Sensation book. thought he had added Police
up to the Divorce & the divorce court & the
recopaper less of getting money any how. I think he
might also have said something about
Education — If you will teach people to

11 March 1911 (continued)

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to read they will read what is Fancy or miscreon
or Plucky than what is dull & uninteresting. That is to
say rather about Abby or Wenzley than of fact
& Eternal Damnation - What do you say about
the finds. Very affly Wm Mylde
Love. Mylde Jr.

John.

Nov 4. 1864

That this may receive the care intended to be
submitted to Mr Christie and you will have it back
by Post Tuesday morning for I forward it here Monday
Evening when I send Doordoor in my last letter
I only need that pass to signify any engagement
generally. I think Mr Christie better
A warning. Myrler

Mr. Mylde Saturday Nov 4. 1864
I suppose Mr. Mylde had better attend the meeting
about disturbing or appropriating otherwise the Money
received from the Real Real Pay and Messrs. Jone
Book and a ^{copy} ~~copy~~ of any May M. Story desired you to
see about of Gacock is of good character he may be
Willoughby's C. They at the same Period he had that in
the Green - but it is by a weekly payment ^{or monthly} not by the
year. Who occupies the Garden attached to the House
Gacock occupied - I presume personal Old Willoughby,
I shall not at present rebound Gacock, Cottages - I hear
the South end of the Old building at the bottom of Knoll
Lodge is down. I wish it to be done up by
Benton with Bath Dale. I think it likely that 3 or 4
Lord Peter would suffice the purpose supporting the Wall
the Roof so that it can be kept dry for the winter
at very little cost if you will send me the Blaster
Lime In that case Sanden had better do the
carpenter work - Do not seal the old wall caputnure
or we shall vex Sanden Very affly
W. Mylde

Grasley
Race Course

25/- paid for us by Mr

by Goates

85/- from the Race Committee
for the race day.

I have this bill from Goates

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and will pay it to him when I get home

Nov 5. 1864

Crawley

My dear Sir.

I am obliged by your letter at New Swallow I am very
busy tonight will not allow the letter 2 have no sooner to
answer than you are already ~~2d~~ ^{3d} ~~from~~ ^{of all} ~~from~~ ^{you} ~~in~~
written to you 3 I think that Mr. Bullard has
arrived yesterday (I suppose made his fellow) he ought to
pay an account of him - but let it stand over
4 If the arrangement that you speak about takes place
will take place I do not yet to speak, however Old Willowby's
Cottage she is of good character as a nursery teacher
but as to him or me I wish to the contrary don't
at one or more of the Old officers I am glad to find
you have taken it in hand took respect to the Mayor
I think that had better stand over till I can talk to
you about it I think you & the old school room ought
to be injured and let - grand day especially intended
Crawley I hear that Thomas Courtney has £500
given from Goat Hill horse trainer a little too
for the use of the Race Course & 50 from Mr. Railey
Committee for the Race day

William Sturge Parrot

Dear Sir.

Munday Nov 5. 1864 Crawley

I have read the Draft of the will intended to be sent to Mr
Xtr. and proceed to draw up a copy as good enough
to desire 1. The Trustee & Executrix under the will accepte
advisedly (this the same person) in all their rights & duties
from time under the arrangement made I think Court of Probate
~~will be distinctly mentioned~~ It would be noted that the
12000 £'s - bequeathed stand over by the Executor to be
settled of the arrangement to the sister who might die any time
having been called home I am at the time of this draft & sending
what they are now held by the Trustee of the arrangement
I think it should be noted that Sam'l B. Pitt
& Richd Jr. (the D) agreed by word at the time the
arrangement was made to pay ~~some~~ ^{one} sum for life

Questions to be put to Counsel
about Sister's Legacies.

1. Whether the Deed of Attainment 1842 should be taken in conjunction with the will
2. Whether under the former will, brights are not deband from Clancy interest on the unpaid portion of their Legacies & if so whether the 478.17.^s paid to them as interest should not have been diverted for Principal
3. Whether the Sisters are entitled to have the Apptt. arising from the Gen^t - residence Estate applied towards payment of their Legacies in proportion to the Legacies left in the mother
4. If they were not entitled have the arguments of the Parties interested in the execution of the monies for the Sisters & the take of them & the way in which the various interests are represented by the same persons based on claim & it may be made by Dott^r. Bright & Son^t - Bright & Scott of Ruth bright
5. If those claims are made & are not based what is to be done by the Trustees & Maria in portion which does not belong to the Sisters & must they refund that portion & interest upon it
6. What interest if any is to brights & son take in the proceeds of the Jamaica Estate & what is the duty of the Trustees with respect to ~~the~~ St. Brights claim & son

toward the establishment of the kitchen thereunder making. That Rob
Moyale Sam Myler have always done so & that Dr. Bryant does
for several years until the kitchen recently & frequently.
Many very valuable collected from the account books and
it would be better to give some extracts - as this now stated
Council can form no opinion on the books he took care of. Myself
had better ask for the Deed of Survey not because
of self will. - I confess I do not understand the word
conjecture exactly means to express.

I think it would be well that Council should state
clearly if they think the Deed barred.

I confess I hold as a probable opinion that the
Lodge trustees cannot do but repay the money they
held under them however enormous it may have
been appropriated to them - Your affec't H. W. Brigh,
A H Wancy Esq printed

Very truly Sir

I am obliged by your & this S^r. only this may
be received. & know nothing of a Parish meeting
called by Mr. Simpson before now as I now know the
Parish or am put in motion - Pray inform me on
two points at present I can hardly think that
the Education or any other conveyance can have
anything to do with the Land of the Parish old
& the P. Road. The Committee of whom I think you
are speaking are the only persons to act in this case
on behalf of the Parish and I think should be
grateful that not a preliminary objection should
be made at the first meeting & the business
adjourn until the Committee who alone can
make an appropriate sum have determined it &
all the forms of the Deeds to fully keep the same
in appurtenant to houses made shall be then
approved & signed by the Parish & shall have

+ note below written in the lower were to Marfield
not being an able of Paper added together to make
(The appropriation was to the new school)

Saturday.
Nov. 19. Retuned to Paper M
from Cranley
in Pocket - 20-10-0

been
fully perfected. The Committee will no doubt have
been ready to consider any plan which may have
been communicated to them & I submit to you whether
this is not the regular paper course to pursue &
that the whole of the Committee would see
one the same light. Yrs & Li tly yours

Mr. Army Friday No. 8 1864.

In return for things instructed, I now enclose
to you know what is intended ^{or} appropriation of
the CR compensation money - who are
the parties who call the meeting tell me their
names & what they are Commissioners - who
applied to them & when recd by you has
Send me a full copy of the notice &
Pray don't think you always to send me
full copies of all publick notices etc

+ I may perhaps ^{inshall} say to you On Friday last
we do not bear to the application you
mention of who made out the Regular way
by the other parties that is by the Parliament
on the recommendation of the Committee -

Letter to Hecks Friday No. 7/18
Thanking him for the ^{11th} copy
No. 5 of the ^{11th} Geological Review

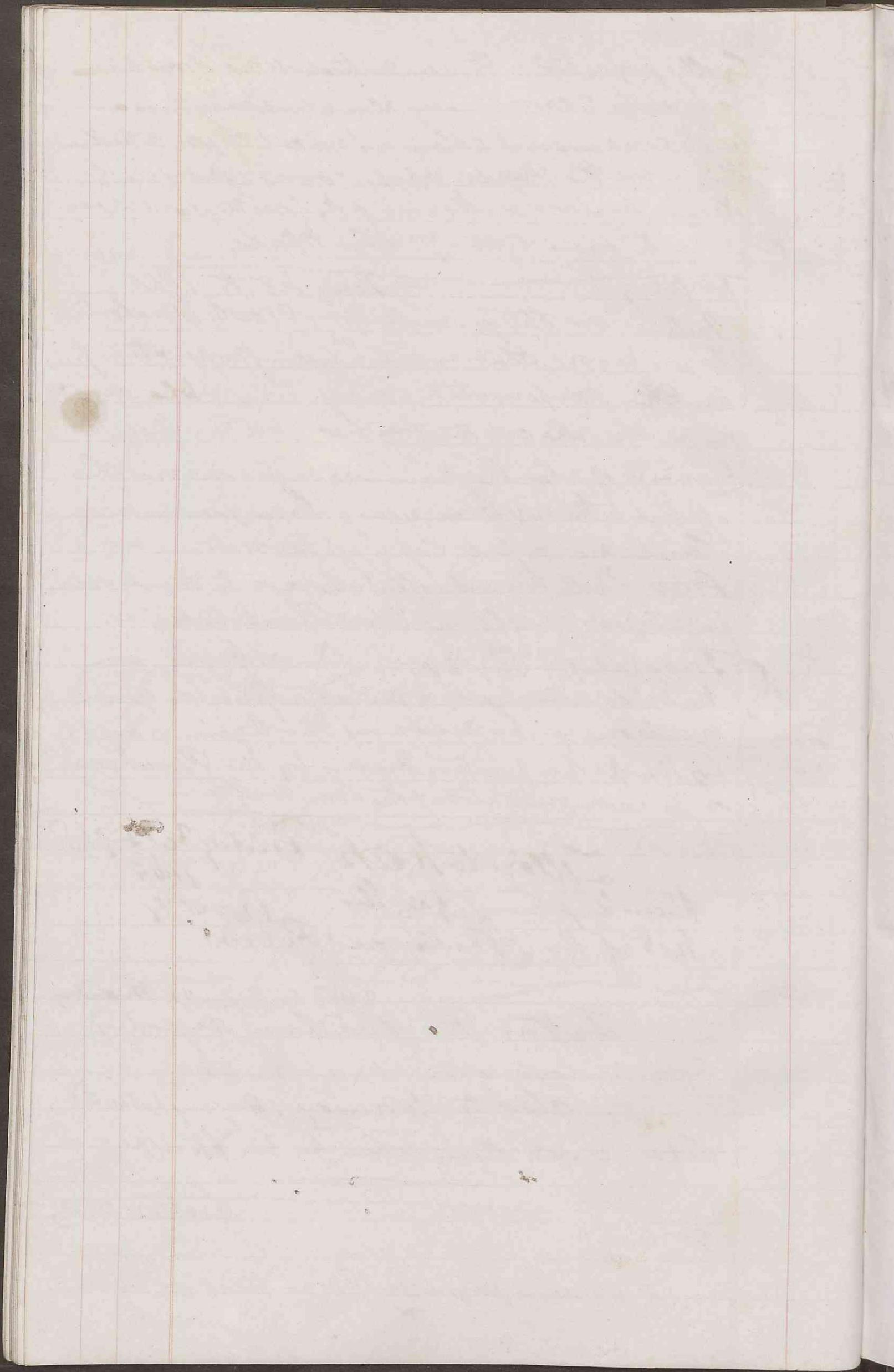
20th. Now 21. Monday
Letter to Woodham requesting
him to look out about Buxton.

also to Wansey. saying I should
like to see him - when he has ~~had~~ been

Mr. Army

No. 21. 20th

I am grieved by your letter & by the



On of the Woods I do not understand who occupies
Peacock's Garden near the Town which is very
dark. As the Grace of God character is known
any garden to last Old Wimbley's Abby I do
not like anything unoccupied & would prefer to let
me know how the matter is arranged If you send
your book. How would Mr. Sturgess's situation
return some days ago - & my wants no doubt
very plainly. Have for your garden
very shortly about the Old building at
Kings I suppose will require two or three
Larch Poles. A fortnight
W. May

To Sam.

Wednesday Nov: 23 1864

The Pattern shoe made by you & Miss Pitts
soon try it. The Pattern has not been released
when anyone comes up he may be asked to buy it
up. When left Crawley a Saturday the
Plates had not arrived & I expected them of the
yesterday or to-morrow as the Canva only goes with
Winchester on Wednesdays & Saturdays. Left Crawley
rather in a hurry my eyes were not in
right order but by going up & down for a few
days & moderately reading Babychan & the am
now quite right. I consider Paper money, at
least greater & all letters where addressed
there will find me provided my name & address
is quite plain on the directions. There was
old Peacock near the Heywood of Manchester
who intended to live in Victoria & London
Stock joint consolidated Company has
all given up the intention. This is between us
we do not speak of it & what his prospects

Cooke Oct 22 forwarded
to SB

Order to Wells & Co to remit
1200 - 0 - 0 to Hayward.

Ap. 1st 100 0 0
to pay Matthew ~~74~~ 5 0 Broad St
up to .

Returned my book

Write to AB I could not accept his
invitation to Lys. June 26.

Same about .

Smith P. S. deposit terms etc

I should be very much obliged by you and you are
an excellent book buyer so why not Cook a wipple.

Sam'l. May 16

Dear Sam'

Wednesday Nov 27

I forward Mr Cook's (This may receive by 12 M.R.
Oct 22. I do not see any thing to remark. It
goes much more into particular than here for
a certain sum. You'll say us
Sam'l. May 16

Very well &c. Wednesday Nov 27 1864
Quite well. I shall be obliged if you will have
the goodness to return the sum of £200. 0 0
& my credit at Messrs. Heywood & Walker
Liverpool. g. 1200. 0 0

Mrs. Webb Spence wife of Dr. Spence

Saturday Nov. 26 1864
wrote to Walker about 200⁰.
Australian Platzer also to him were
also returned. Very good.

Tuesday Nov 26.

My dear Sam'

1864 2000

In answer of your last I asked you yesterday
whether it was in their power if business to
take my £200. or deposit a call they day
they will do so or three days notice if we are
5 p.m. I continue my usual balance. Have
you back in S.P. If you have short I don't.
(then Rouseau) be. G. Murphy

Sam'l

Dr. R.M.

Nov 26 1864 2 P.M.

I am obliged your invitation to dinner but I have
bedridden here for sometime & still

Baylis
Chalkling Ry. Worthy

I wrote up and off a post letter

Nov 20 Monday
2000

my dear Sir

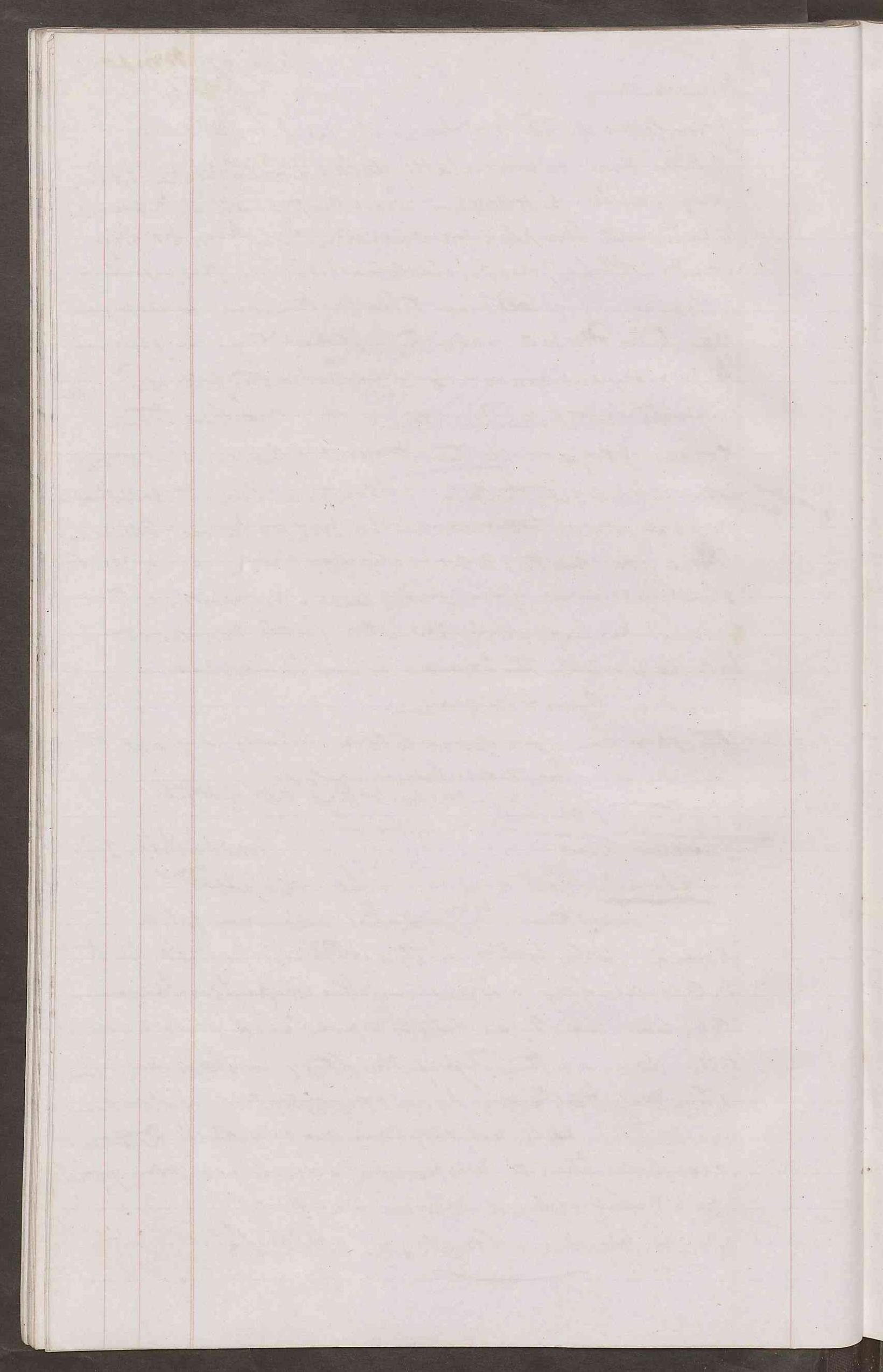
Your letter of 25 Nov has only just reached me
not having been accidentally delayed or delayed without
any fault of Hawkins. I am not at all disposed
to enter into the plan for dividing the Kyr. Bishop's
lands & hope you will decline Mr. May's proposal
altogether and address to the custos. What you
mention of not a step to any chalyby, as given
to you several years ago. Of course the fall of Dundee
is quite out of the question - Now on the other
hand you may notice to your shall have to call
yourself into the case of Battie already off that
part of Joyce, now deceased by misfortune. I would
here too. Notice now in respect of the lands
of my memory you would be well advised to
return my suggestion it is too late. I will not now
trouble you with the reason why I think them
nowday. Yrs. H. May Jr.

To. should you come to town I shall be glad to
see you for half an hour's talk if possible.
W. Sturge Smith (See Mr. May's letter of Nov. 21.)

Mr. Hawkins

Monday Nov. 20

Extract Letter to me to be left at 2000
Sir Hawkins "I don't mind getting a
board with Woods Little & Powell for Mr. Sturge to
leave at Sir^r. Hawkins the Carpenter House
about the top of the steps - I am much
obliged by the Person. I am sorry today that P. later in
Australia will not do. They are almost all rotten
and in this to Mr. House. I am very sorry for
it & must oblige them say so
Sir. Hawkins Cradley H. May Jr.



Dear Tom

I thank you for the fine Canal document but I can not think it is a very safe investment at ^{an} American speculation probably could not keep up an English war currency over paper money or gold or for a war come with us. I do not think fit but I must hence I do not see the interest in the said stock buying now what dollar paper notes the proceeds are estimated to be repudiated when accounts for last War come to be settled. I am myself in the Knob Brook quarrying the best of things. My balance at FOB Harvard very much from time to time & I do not know how to calculate in Platten at X^o but it might be a hundred and not hundred more my idea has been (but often not realized) to have a balance of more than 1000 at X^o so I am afraid wheat to clear for the next half year but I have at intervals myself left & at other intervals spent more for instance three 3000 now on them (FOB) and waiting for the furnishing of our W. I. accounts value some for other investments so that I can add for any sum for the carrying of my account until roughly say 1000 at X^o & 1000 in June to be drawn against you FOB. P.S. I think Sherman is about to be cut off - he seems to me to have destroyed all means of retreat.

I see Marshall the confederate (myself men are going into Redmond) - this does not look like fear or indecision. The story of the blockade runner in yesterday's daily news is beyond me. The confederates must change the nature of the War. They must become like the Indians & make Pennsylvania suffer as much as the Federal forces made Virginia they do not yet know what War is if they had agreed to fight they would be for peace & people

W. Syrige - letter to

(Cooke no^o) forwarded

SP

/

Nov 30
wrote to W. Syrus Honolulu

Da Semb

Dec 2 1864 2005

I forward Mr. Parker & Mrs. M. I have nothing to say
I am much obliged by the sugar but I will not say been in
agreed with. What healthy children carry no known
Paul Wright

Yr affec son

S. R. D.

Dec 2. 1864. 2005

Mr. Waery has sent me in his opinion I have written
to him & shall repeat to him what you say about
the whole case. Yrs affec
R. H. Wright

Gentlemen

Dec 2. 1864. 2005

I am only sorry you note this wrong record. What
mention that you consider my order of 13 Sept. to stand
for me in costs at 86 expences say 300-. I do
not propose renew it as I will shortly have occasion
for it. I wish not to consider it as a defont of
interest. May have heard any misapprehension may arise
from the conversation I had with you a few days ago
Mess. Smith & Smiths. G. F. Heppell

My dear Sir

Dec 2 1864 2005

I thank you for the copy of Chittenden's record
yesterday. I don't whether I understand it well or no. He
clearly considers that the 400 is to be regarded as the sum
that the Dr. is to receive of the sugar. but by whether
under our new lights that he takes it is not to be
settled among all the executors. Mr. Stedman may
speak especially of the books but he says he apes
right to have been withdrawn without giving notice
to him. He says I do not think R. H. Wright can raise
question to the dealing that have taken place
under the deed of arrangement - I cannot

Wansley
on ~~Xter~~ senior -

probably say upon the case before me that the ^{C. page}
of the new letter of D. W. H. are based largely I think
on chance of their now being able to deduce the wrongs and
made by the Deed of 1842 in so much that the Trustees
may without impropriety disrepudiate the same - It may
be the claim was established the Trustee would be bound
to refund the amount by the mistake carried to the daughter
the Daughter would then be liable to repay
the excess of the interest they had received during
the last six years" (Italics to say they would have
to repay the 600 as odd being that stated of which
they had acknowledged by the deed of conveyance 1842)
I do not feel certain that Mr. Fox Wallace had the
Executor under the Will (though with the exception of Mrs. H.
in the same form) yet they are quite distinct bodies
in capacity those differed from one another and a
question arises whether the executors having made an
erroneous payment 20 years ago in which all parties
have agreed up to the present time they are to be con-
fined to it and the Trustees under the Agreement
Deed to repay to them the sum so misappropriated
or in other words whether the 600 does not fall on the
Executor itself does whether Whiffs it not also
liable. I think the question should be distinctly
put to Mr. Christie for his opinion as to put the
right saddle on the right horse in the respects of
the deed of release which shall contain all the facts
it will perhaps be better that he, himself settle it - I
only know and all these matters for your
consideration notwithstanding my understanding Mr
Christie's opinion of the 1st M.

A. H. Ward
Executor
President

Dec² 3. Saturday

101. - 8 Kestrel Pass & R.R.
64-8-8

Hywood Wk Book

Dr Sam

Dec³

Will you have the goodness to ask Mr
Mack what I am to return for postage
Tax & let me know as soon as convenient.

Yrs affly.

Dear Sam

I thank you for your letter my record
Shall be stopped & you carried forward or
enclosed. a new book from Heywood. That by
John & P. H. These looked in vain for old one
I want to make the two last returns for the newest
book which ~~is~~ ought to have been made
before this time. Should be obliged to have
made up for 1863 as we are at the present time
and if would be done I should like to have a
memorandum book of the sum I am to return to the
Tax office. This will be great convenience to me
& obviates from time to time.

At. I am very sorry the collector of the Dalton Estate
has to be removed soon before the day of
Wednesday R. B. & Silver Y. M.

(Newspaper about America).

Sam Prichard Liverpool

Dec 9. 1864
2000

My dears Sirs

Had the pleasure of seeing a note from you dated
yesterday (the 8th) & I hope gave you a full
answer from having a mind to before. In particular
would say the paper title has been mostly unpealed
arranged at the accident. It is intended for making
a water tank near the Wych after a model in the
Spring & also contains a lot of Talboton & others &
includes a subscription but it has no sufficient
explanation of the intended scheme & design kind
In Willow Spring by the name which heads the

