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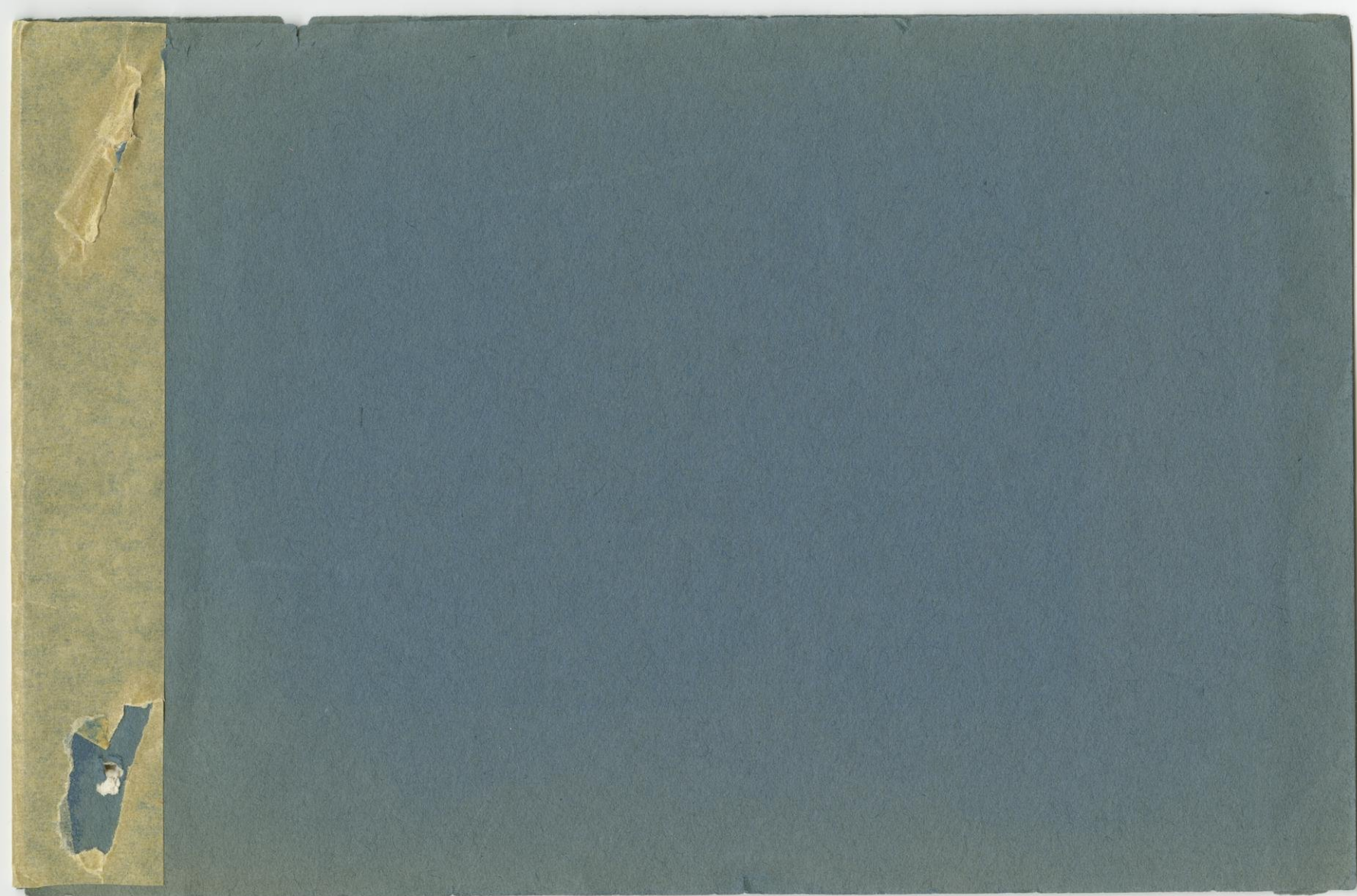
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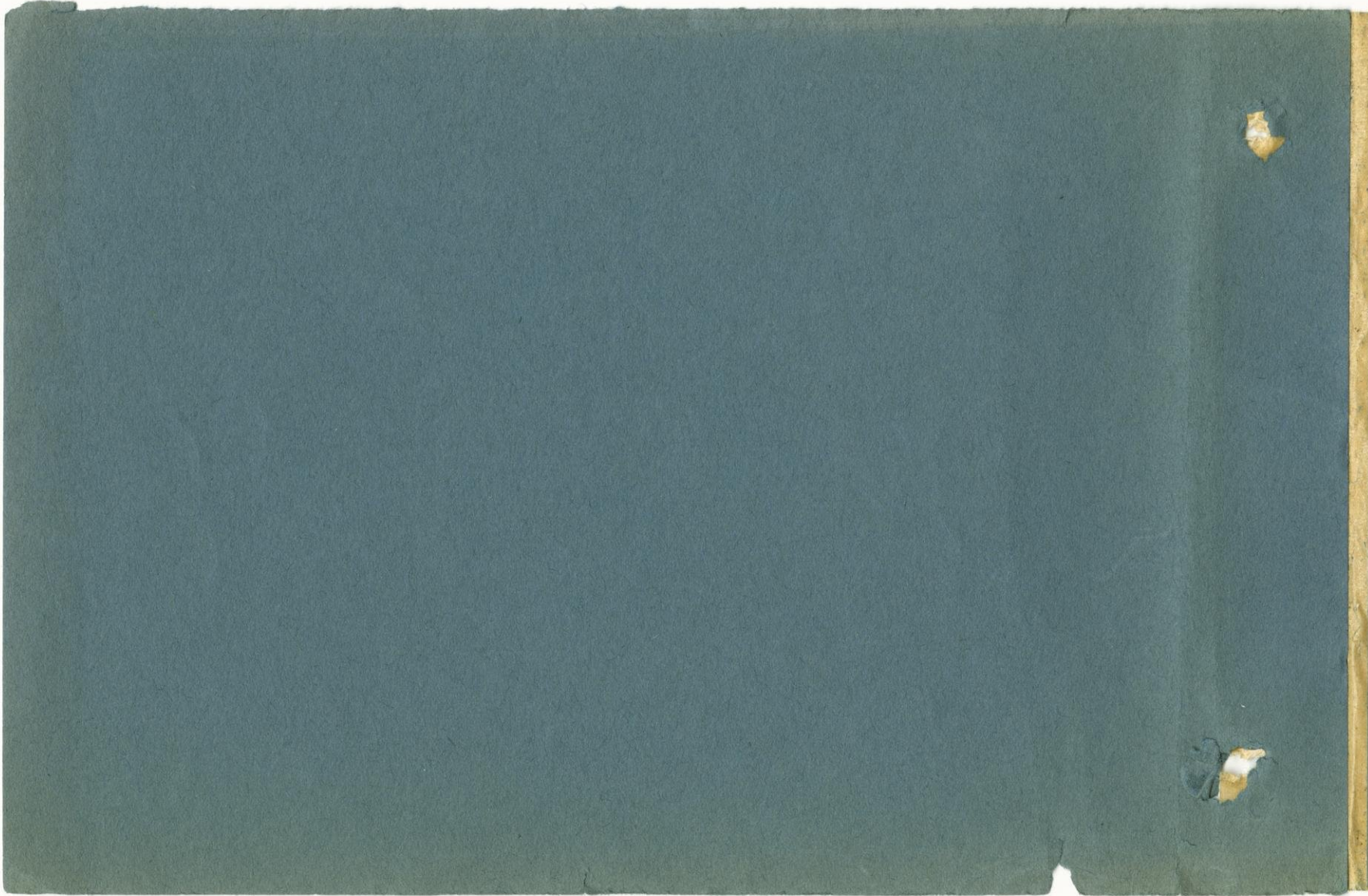
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Minn. - "land of sky-tinted water"
Minn. soil

fertile pulverized limestone that has made wheat raising
lucrative.

History p. 18

North Minn. plants

wild rose, blackberries, New Jersey tea, bunchberry,
lady slipper, - these found on outskirts of Twin
Cities 40 years ago. thimbleberry, prairie phlox,
honeysuckle

Almelund (Swed. - elm valley) Gold
is being washed from the moraine here, about one dollar's
worth to the ton. (20 yrs. ago)

.S.I. northshore

Ely

ancient granitic foundation - barren bulges -
Jasper Peak near Soudan and Ely.

Vermilion Range - lava etc. p. 27

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La Sueur

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Hastings, Minn.

US 61 passes the limestone mansion of Gen. Wm. Gates Le Duc (1823-1917) which is almost hidden by trees and now houses an antique shop. First house in state to be built in Victorian Gothic style. 15 rooms.

Had a square rosewood piano. Cream colored limestone. Simplicity. Front door opening is a Gothic arch.

Mininger - 5 mi. from Hastings to Mininiger, the home of Ignatius Donnelly (1831-1901) politician and author of the Great Cryptogram which attempted to prove that Lord Bacon was the author of Shakespeare's plays

Hinckley

story behind this - forest fire, train man p. 23

Lac Qui Parle

Renville p.20

Minnesota River Valley

Minn. R. formerly called St.
Peter's

River entered by Peter Pond in 1773. p. 26

For the season ending spring 1775 Pond recorded a
profit of \$20,000. *in fur.*

see La Sueur, Traverse des Sioux, New Ulm, Redwood,
Thoreau etc....

Red Pipe Quarry

✓ Knobs of granite and gneiss in Minn. Valley near Orton-
ville and Bay Stone City. [The great schists of St.
Louis and Itasca Counties are lava flows changed by
the mt. Bldg. process. *In Itasca Co. Wennebago shish, Leach,
Cass, Burdett.*

Quartzite with its now famous pipestone or catlinite
deposit Read all p. 27

Thoreau p. 20

Redwood p. 20

*for small
Burdett*

*In St. Louis Co -
Hoy + Lakes
Virginia
Duluth?*

Moose Lake

forest fire wiped it out

quarries - a stone varying from pink to dark red used
thruout mid-west p.23

Mound Springs State Park, *Miss.*

has Blue Mound, a massive bluff of quartzite about 3 mi. long. Indians used to (story goes) drive herds of buffalo over it to their death .

Laurel Mound No. 1 p. 19

Pine City

Snake R.

Snake River runs thru town. Along the river, from its lake source to the St. Croix are basaltic lava flows; several old shafts made by copper prospectors remain along n. bank.

See Snake R. as Schoolcraft trip

Pipestone,
seat of Pipestone County

Library, Courthouse and adjacent jail are constructed in part at least, of the beautiful red granite quarried here.

Many articles carved by Indians can be bought here.

Rainy Lake

east of International Falls - southern shore of
Rainy L., rocks rich in color and minerals. A water
shed for Hudson Bay etc...

Red Pipe Quarry

Knobs of granite and gneiss in Minn. Valley
(see Minn. Valley)

Catlinite p. 20

Redwood Falls

on high bank of Redwood R. now a center for granite shipping. Near site of the old steamboat landing

St. Croix R.

Wild plum and raspberries background for masses of lupine, thistle, goldenrod - otherwise a barren stretch of road.

Power-line poles oddly placed - seem to lean on each other for support.

Traverse des Sioux
State Park

8 mi. from La Sueur p. 19

1851 meeting p. 20

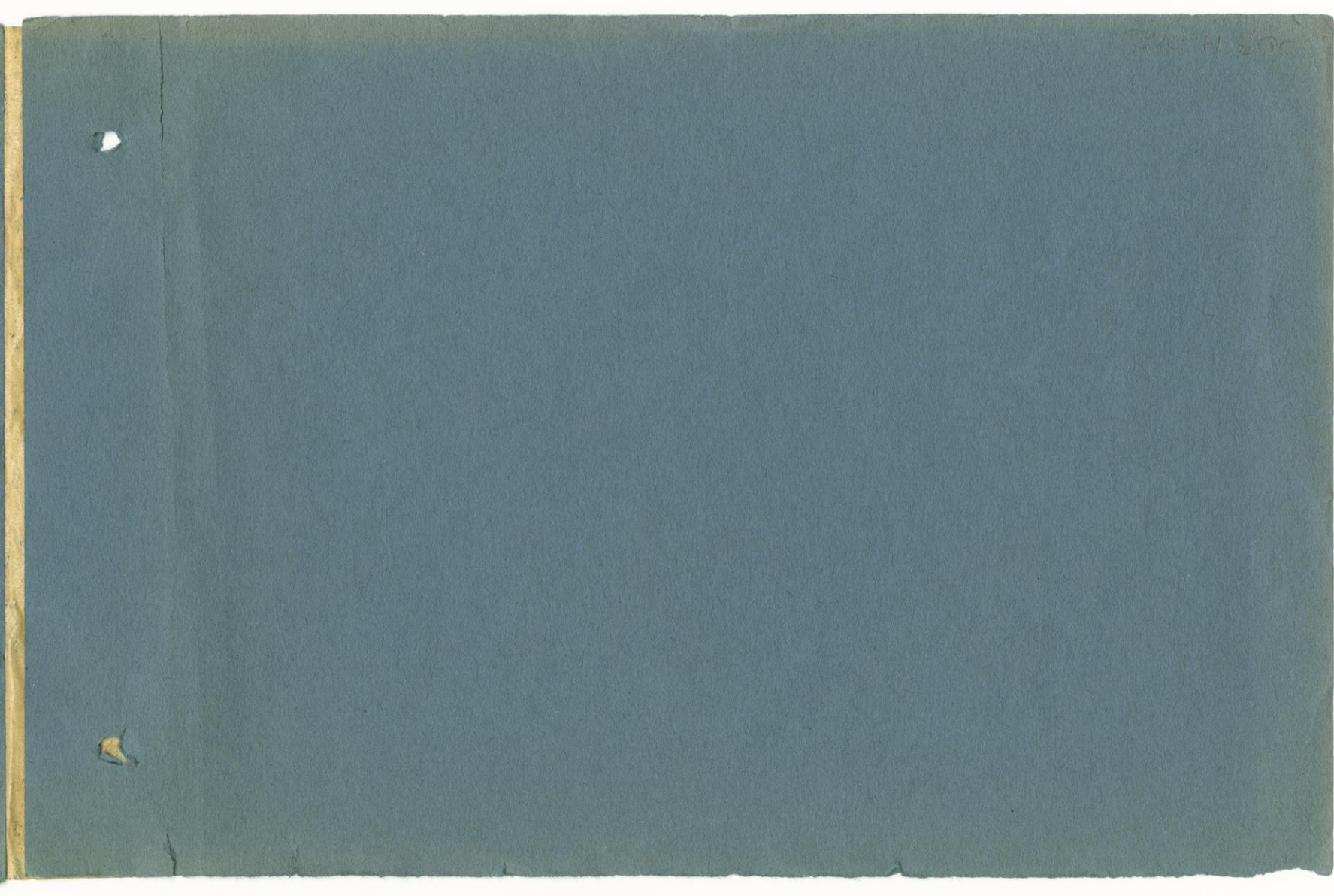
Hoosier School master p. 21

"the home now of picnic-tables" p. 22

Williams

At side of Williams road to Beltrami Island State
Forest 6 mi. - acres of pine hills and pine swamps.
One of the largest herds of Caribou in U.S.

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