

This is a high-contrast, black and white image showing a close-up of a textured surface, possibly a book cover or endpaper. The image is characterized by strong vertical lines and a central crease, suggesting a fold or a joint. The texture is rough and uneven, with deep shadows and bright highlights that emphasize the material's grain. On the far left edge, there is a vertical column of small, faint characters, likely a page number or a section marker, though they are difficult to read due to the high contrast and resolution.