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COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

DEWAYNE JOHNSON,

Plaintiff,

vs.

Case No. CGC-16-550128

MONSANTO COMPANY, et al.,

Defendants.

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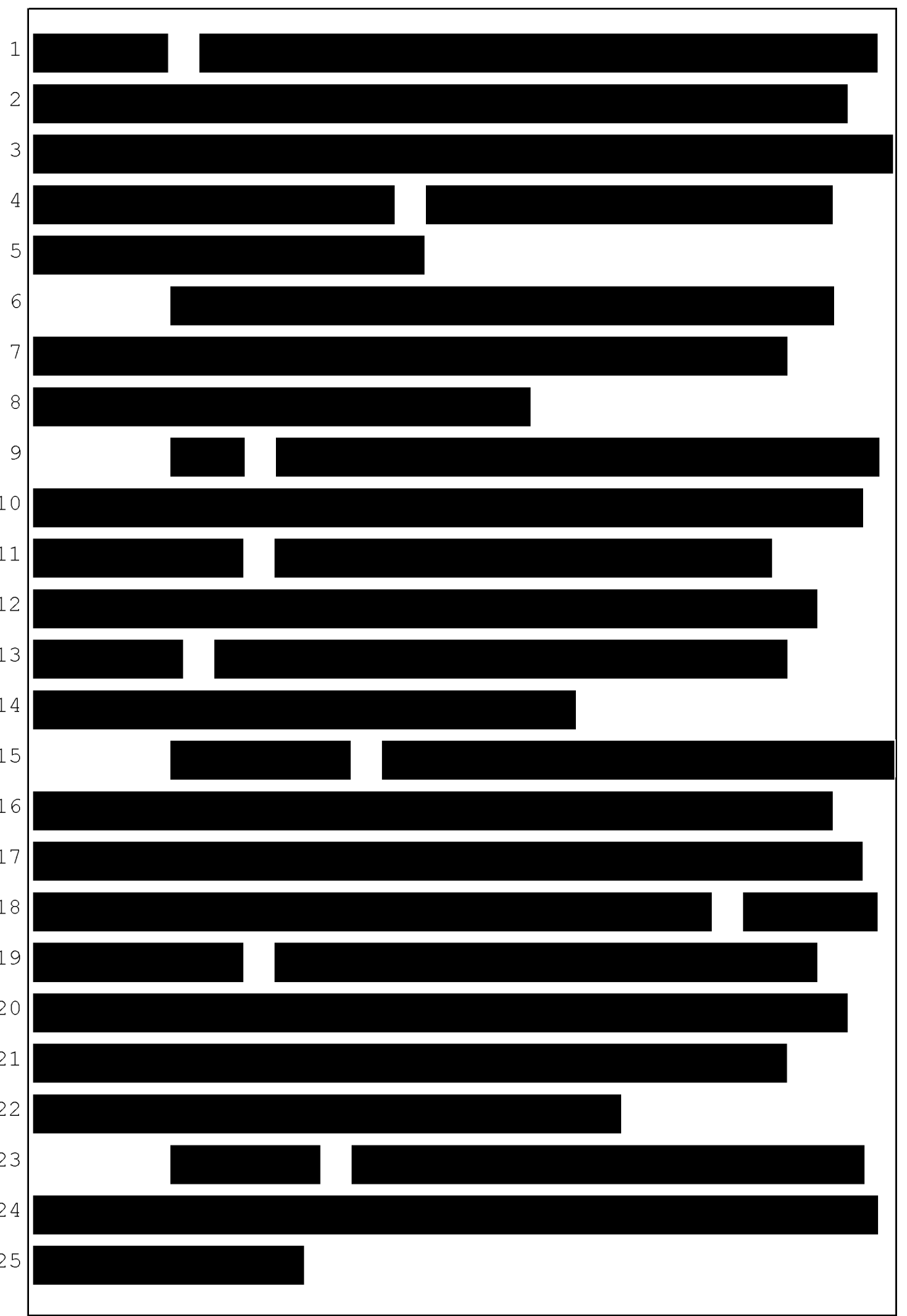
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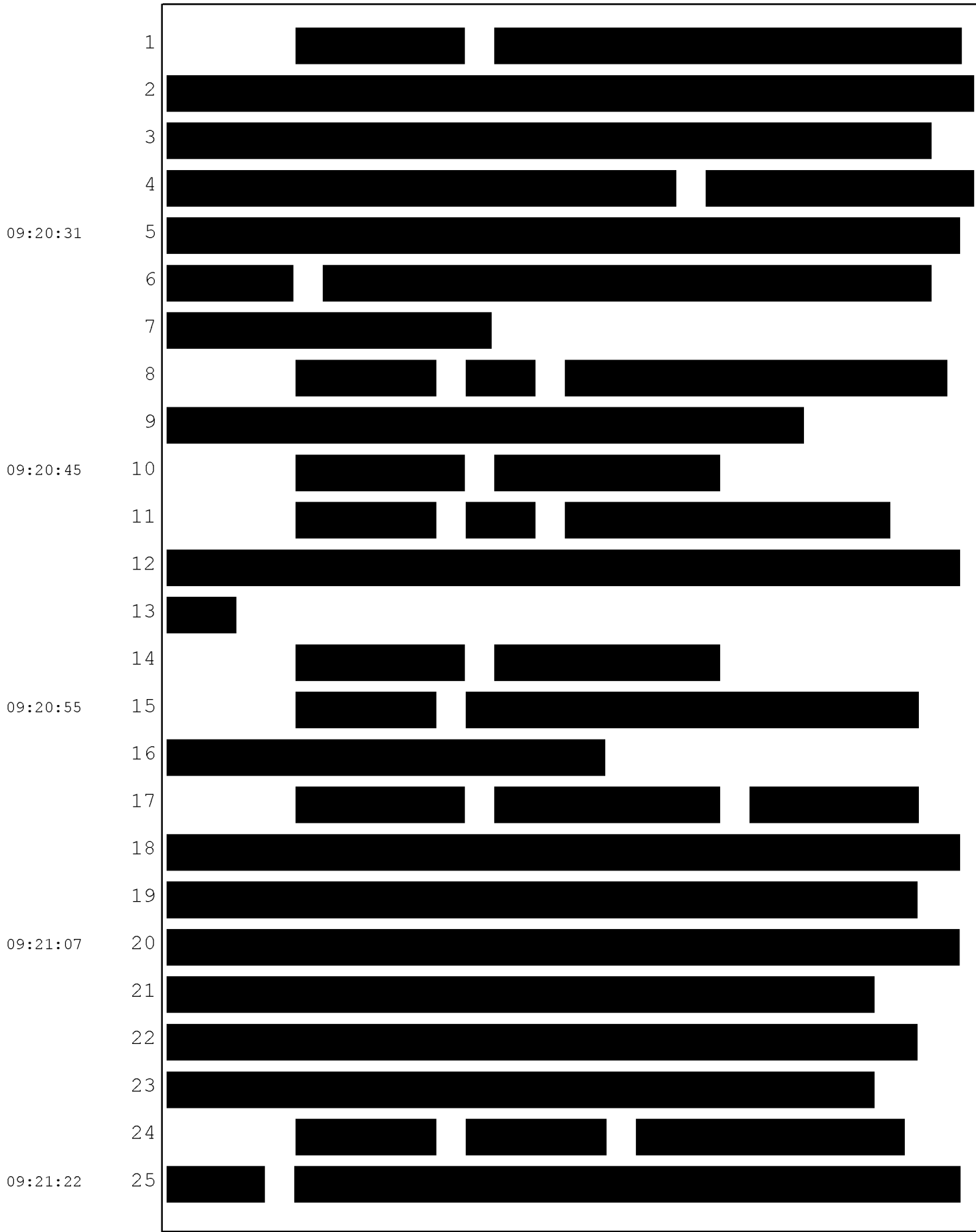
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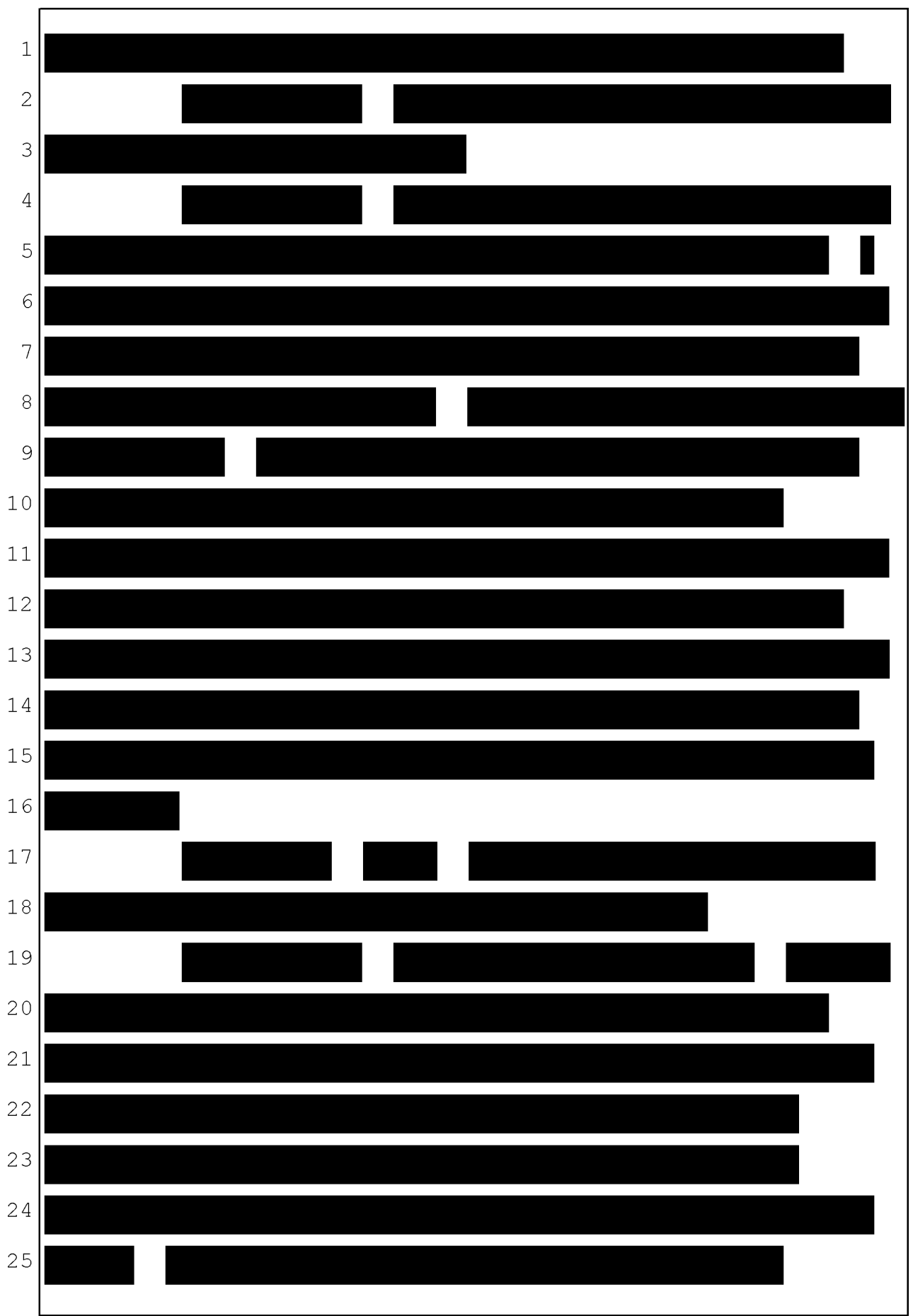
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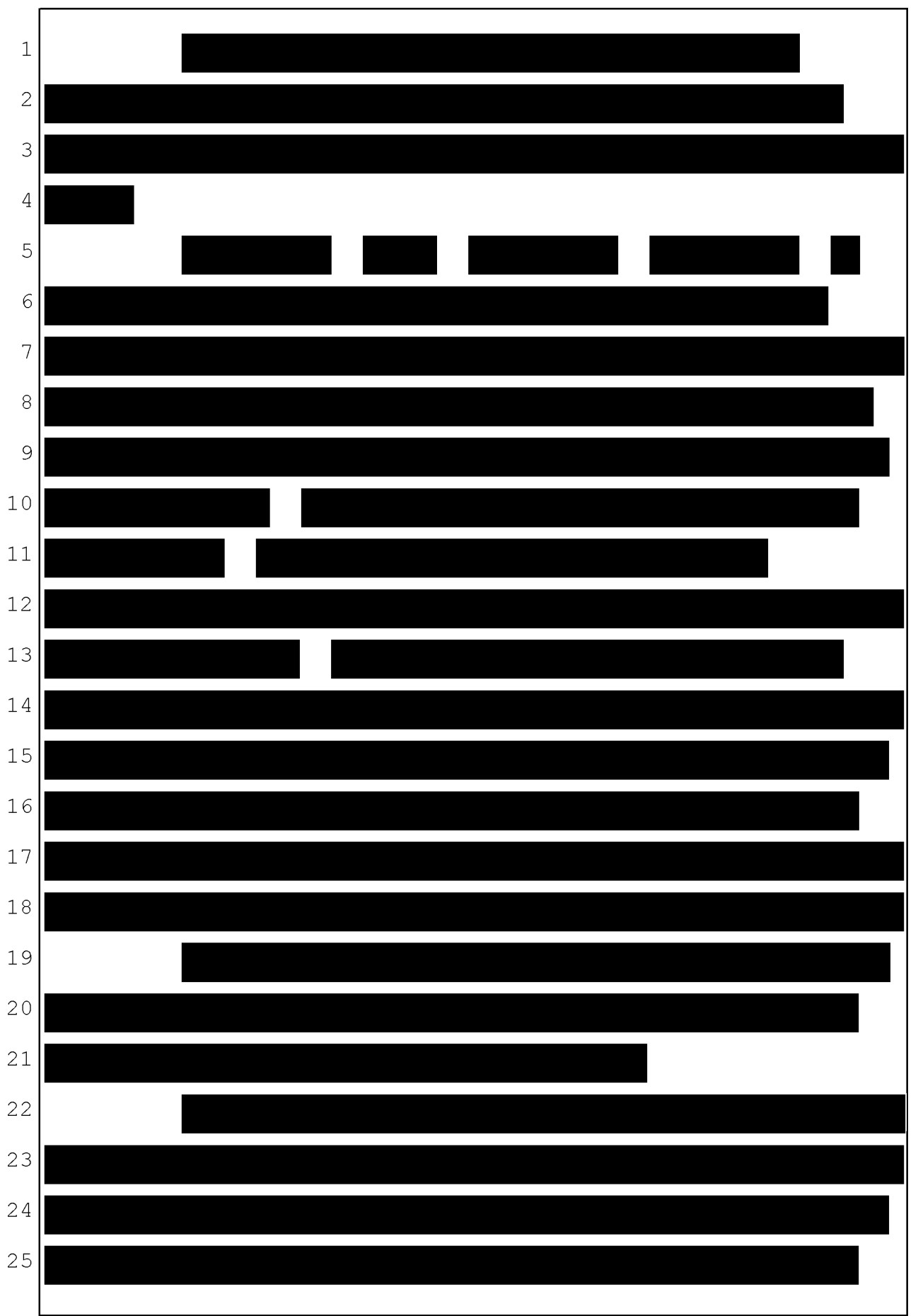
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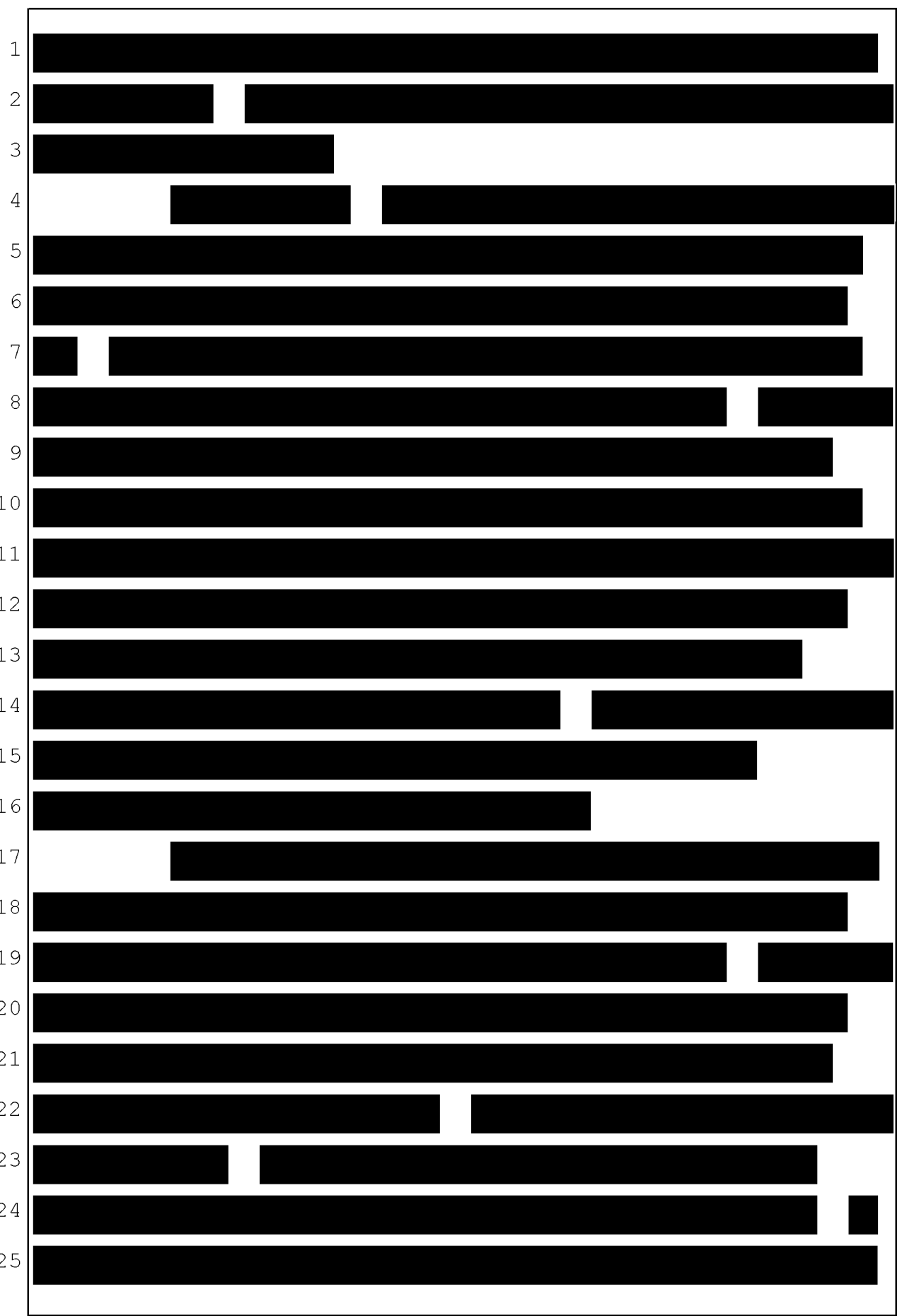
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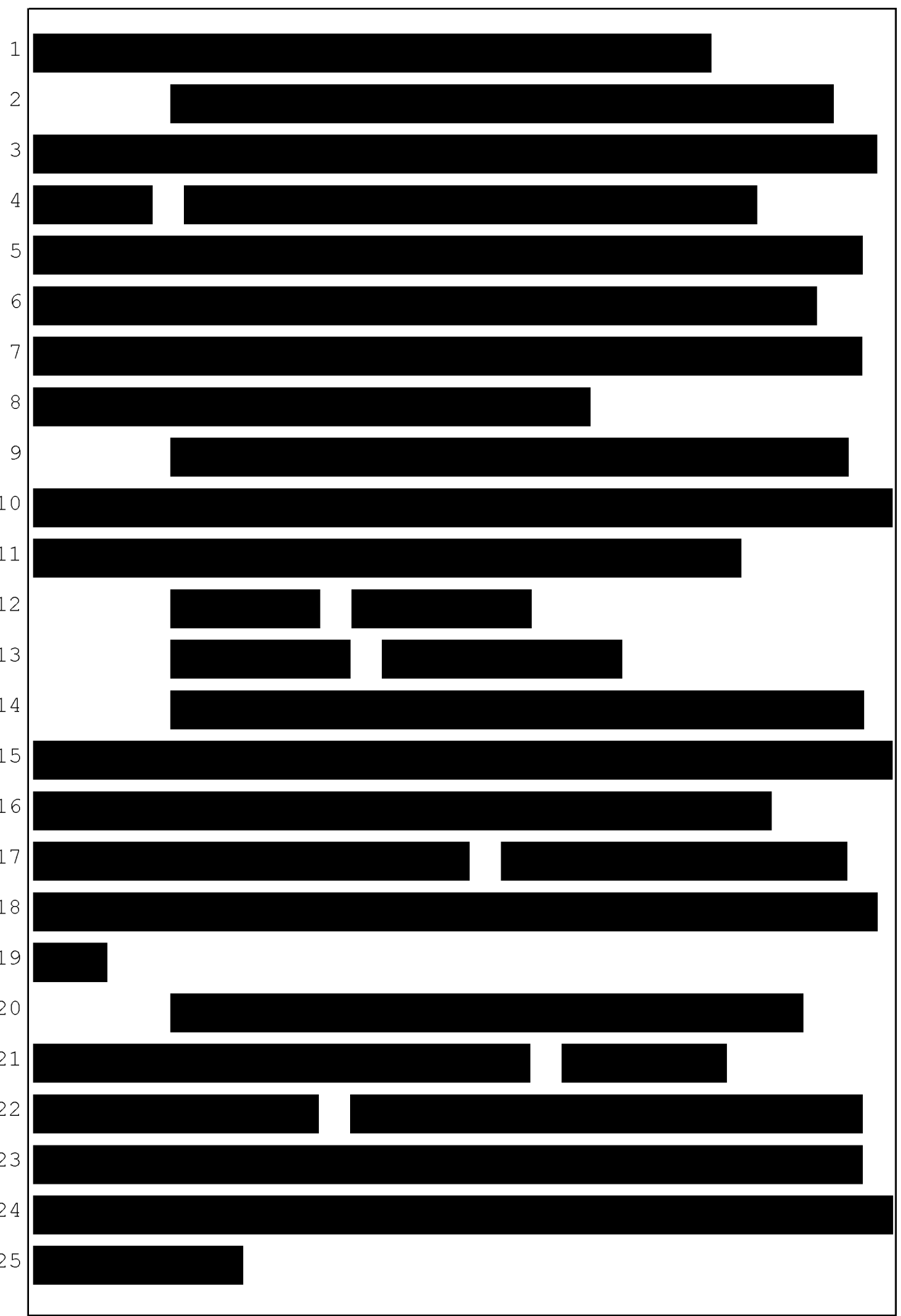
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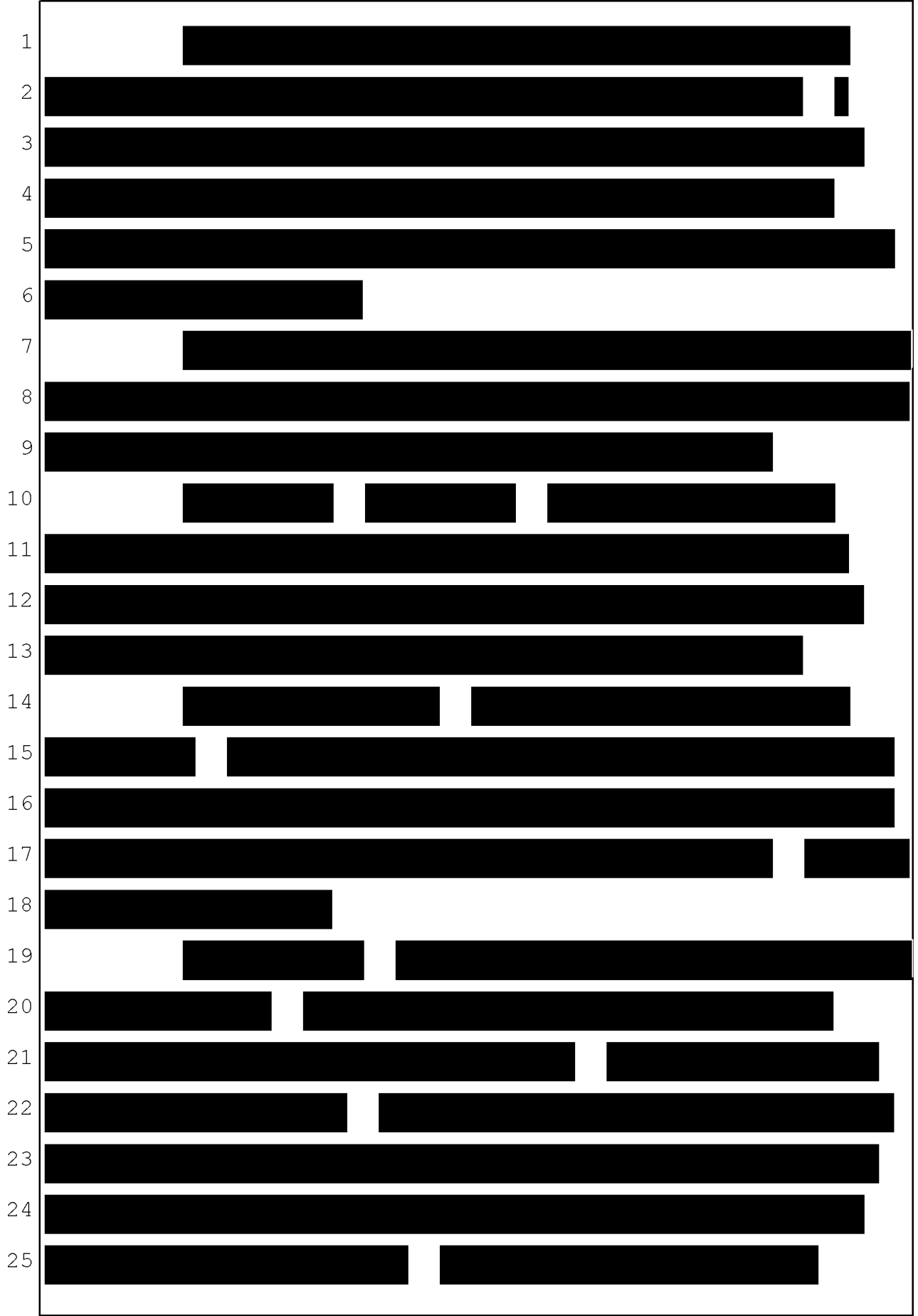
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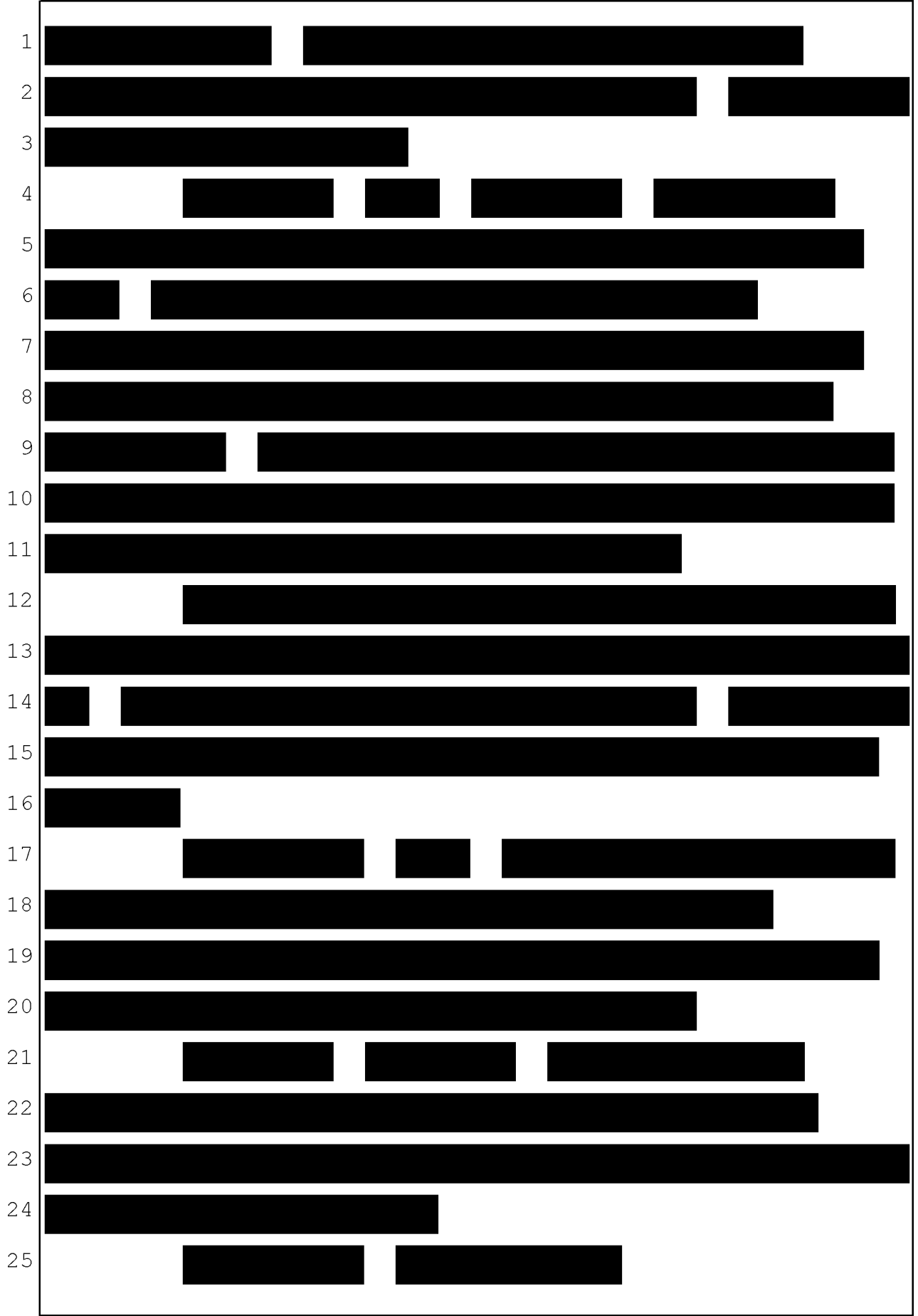
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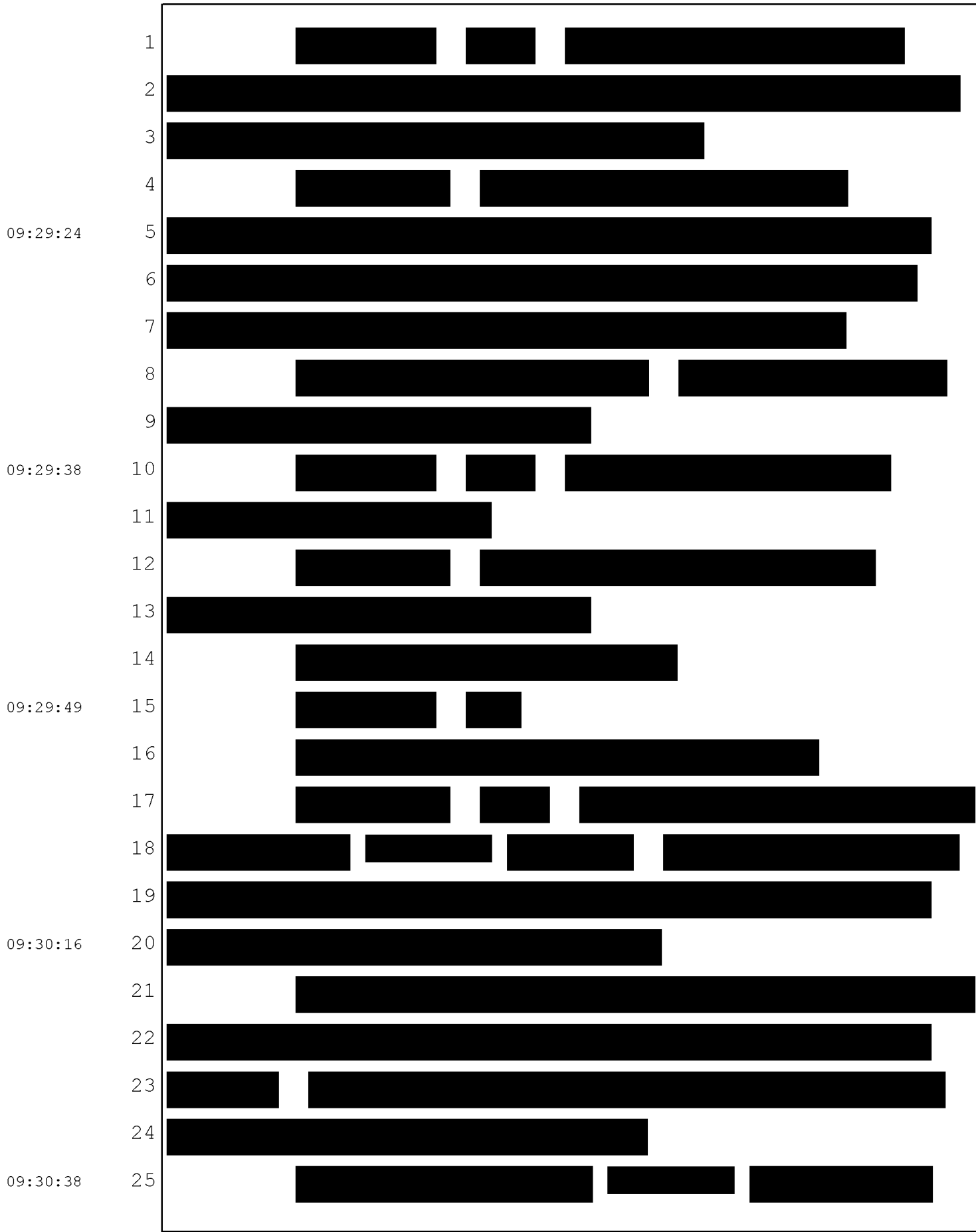
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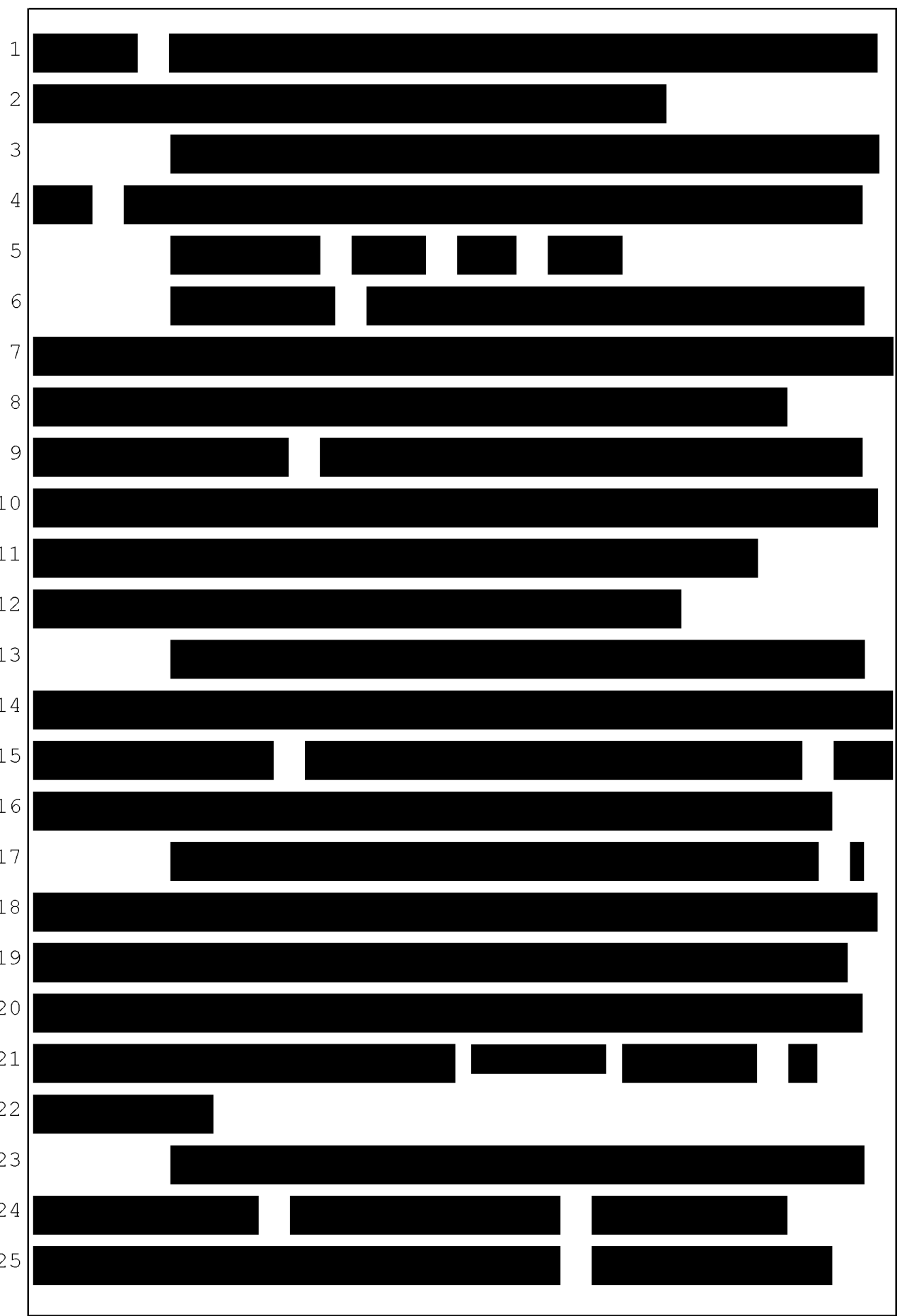
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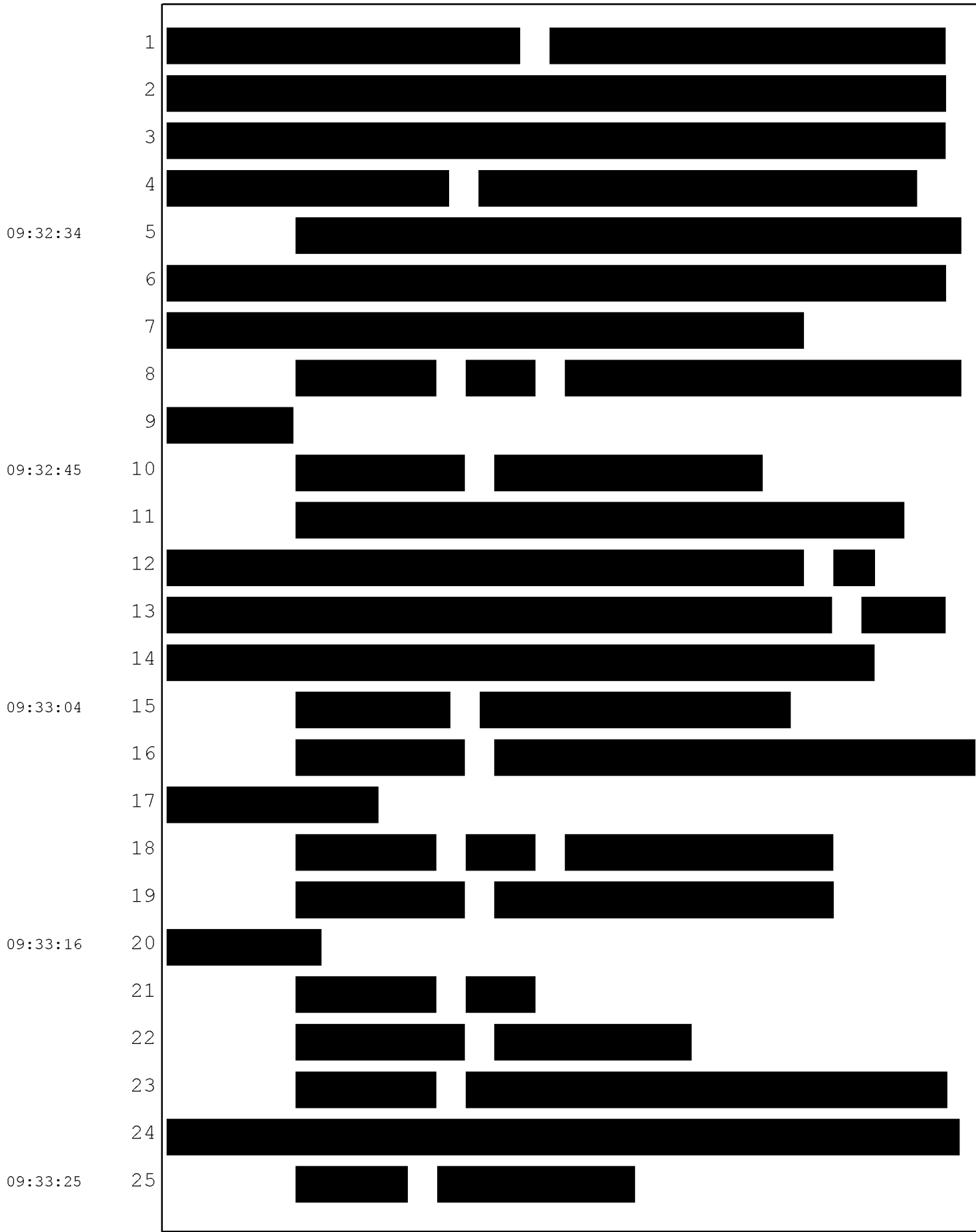
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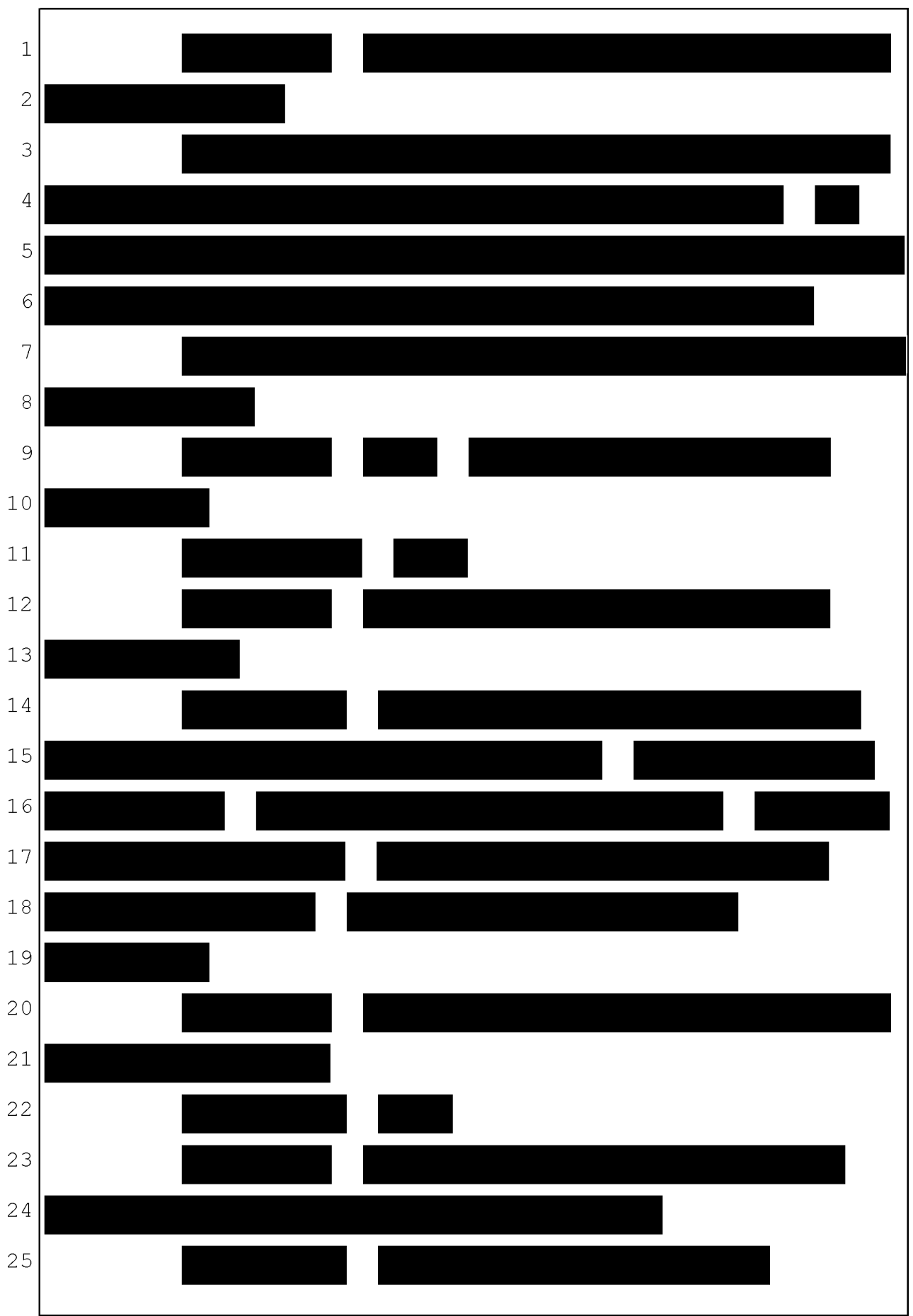
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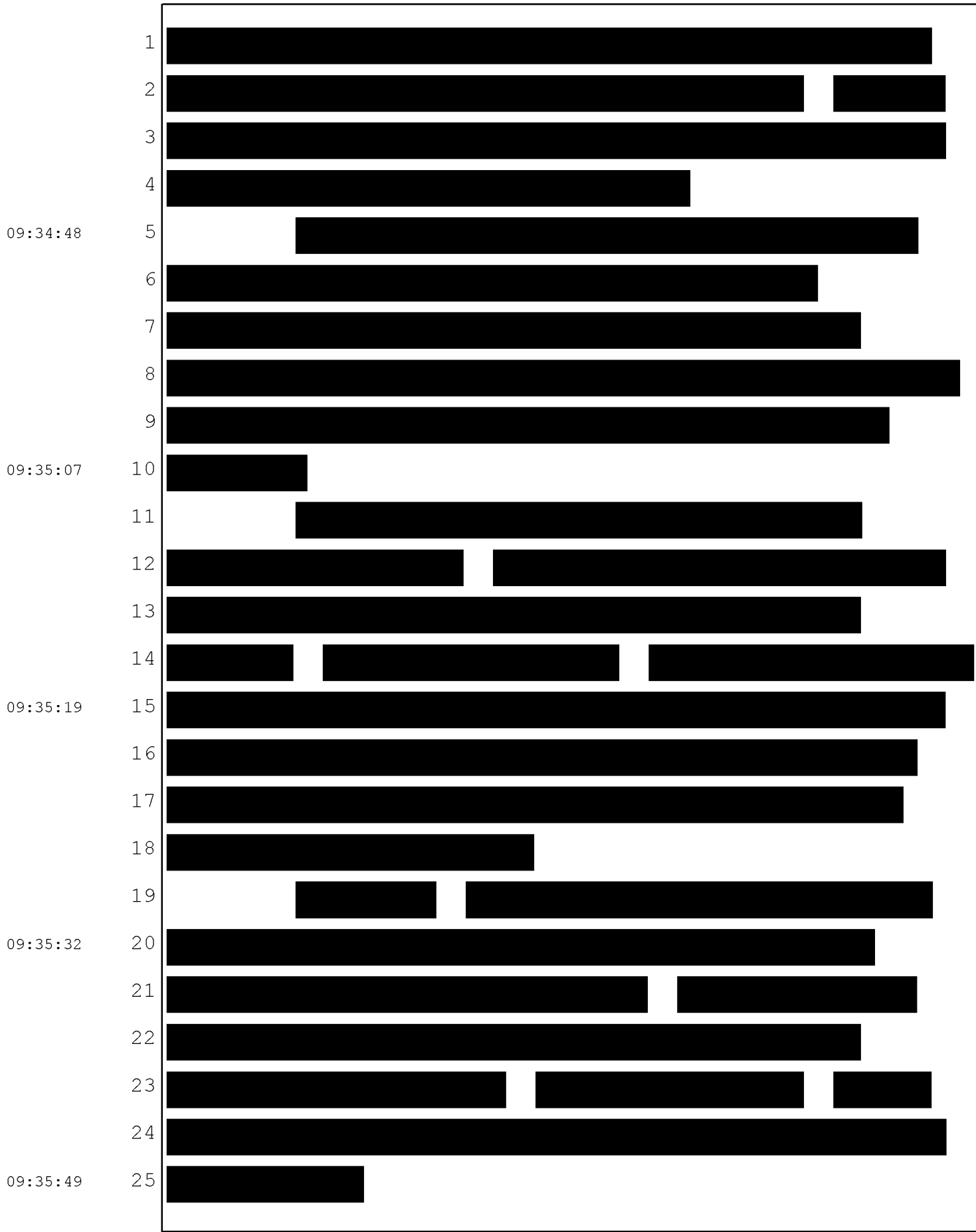
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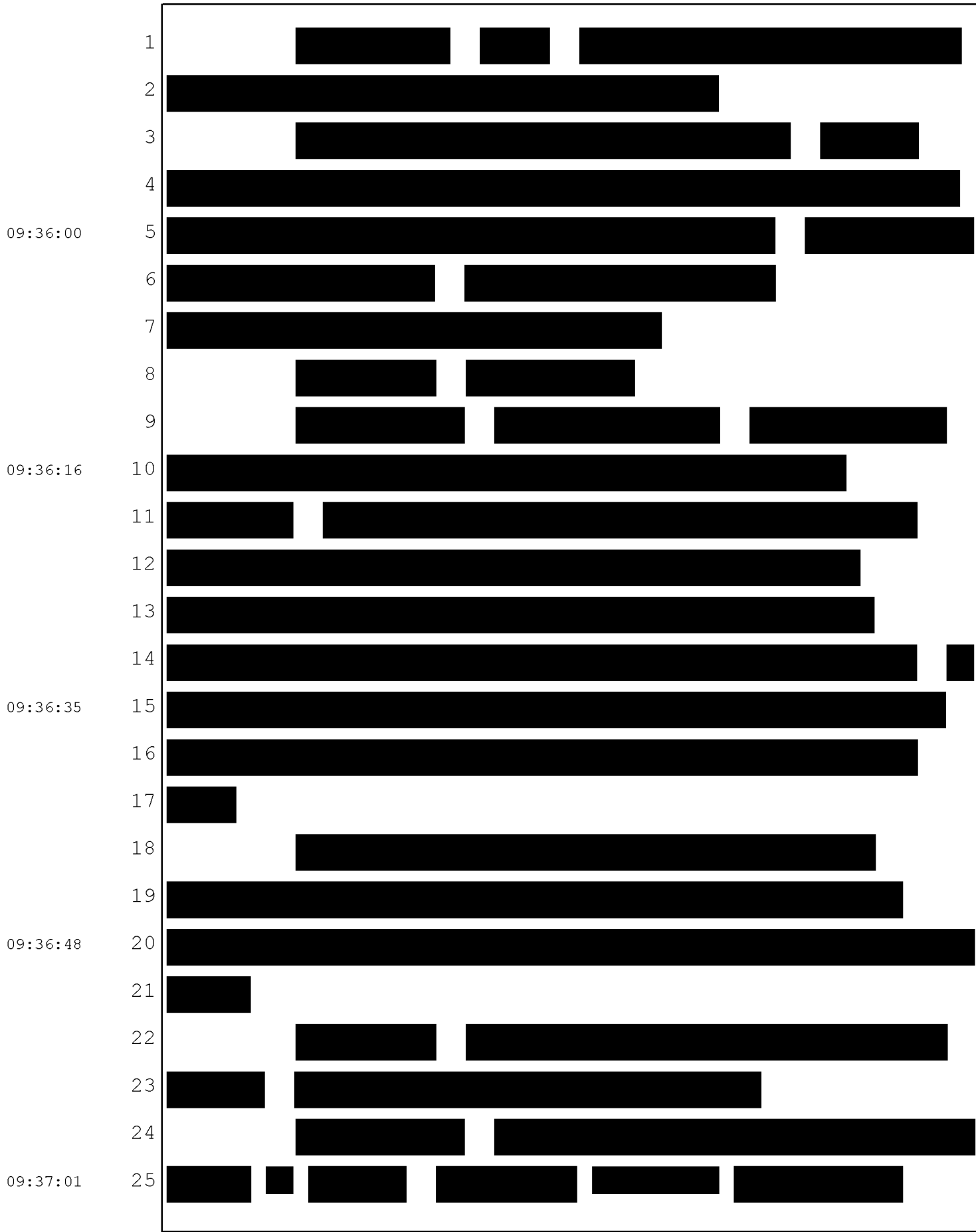
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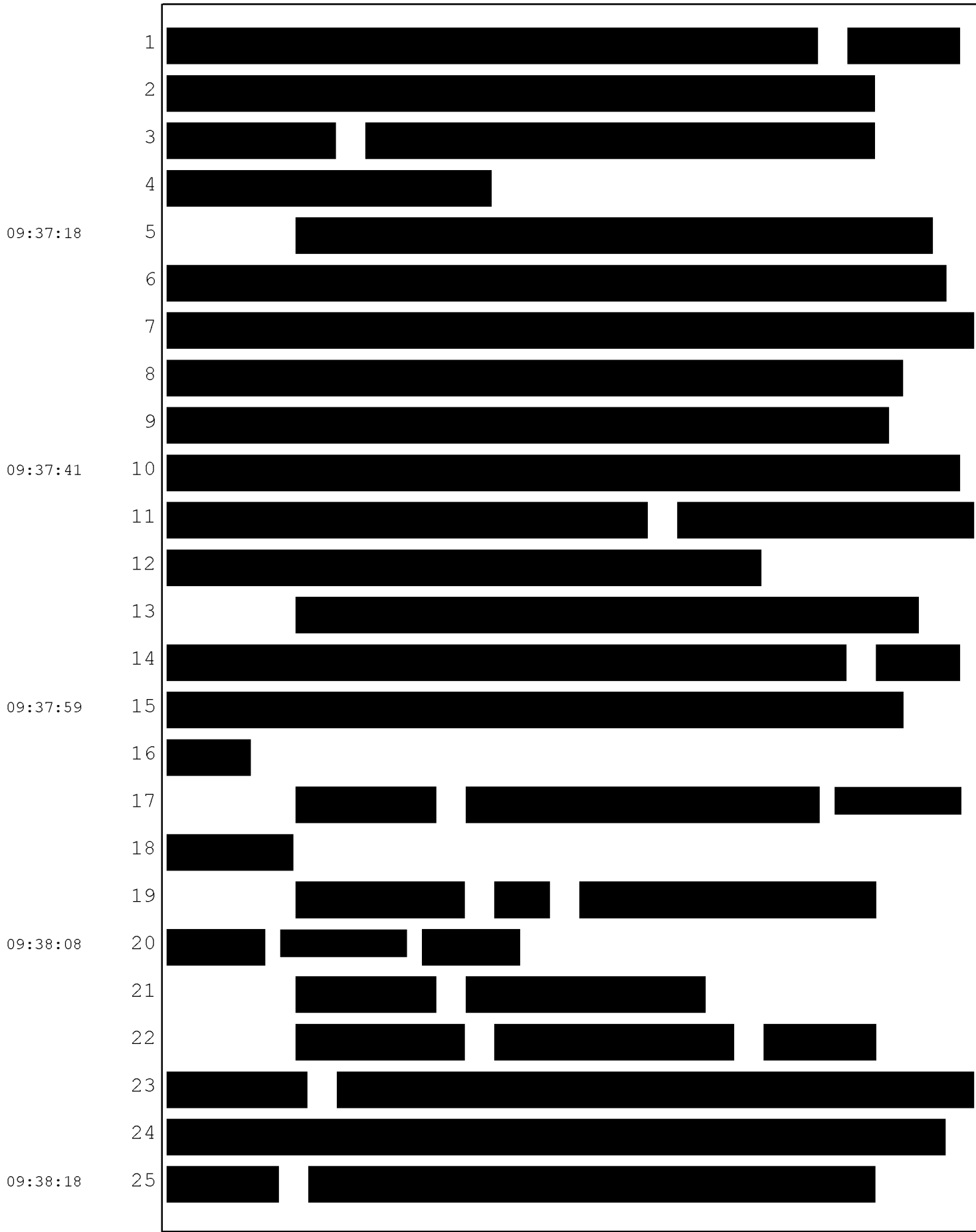
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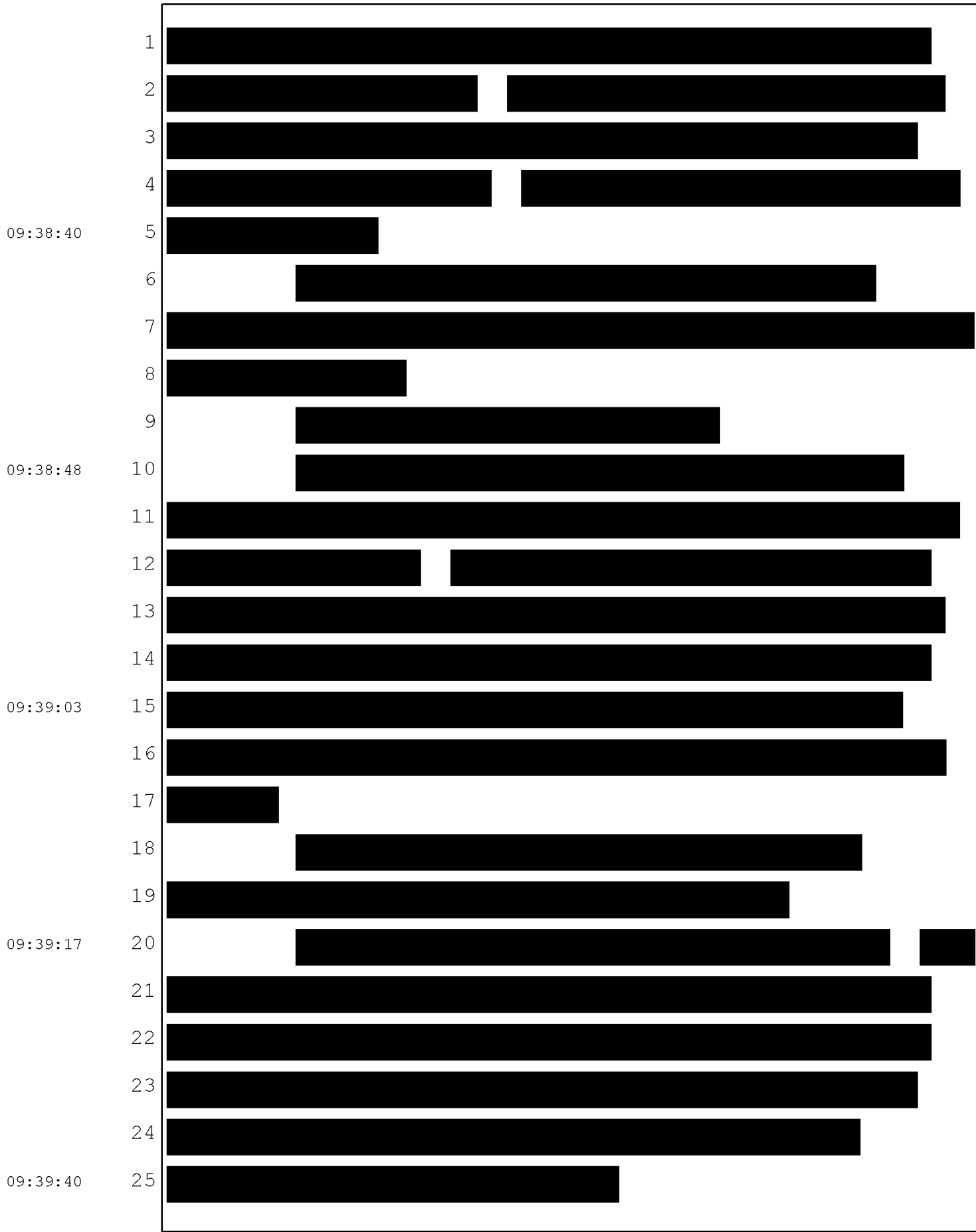
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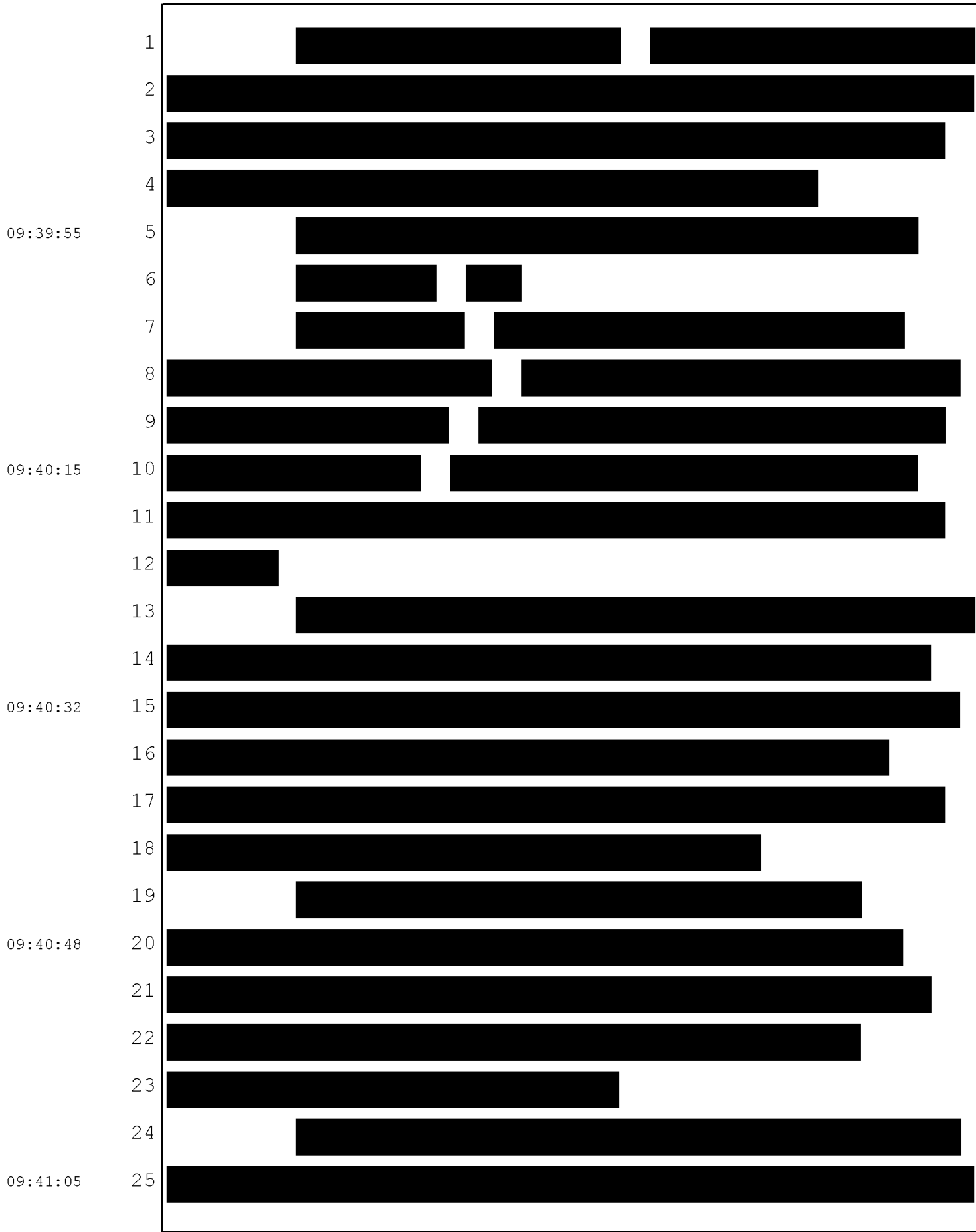












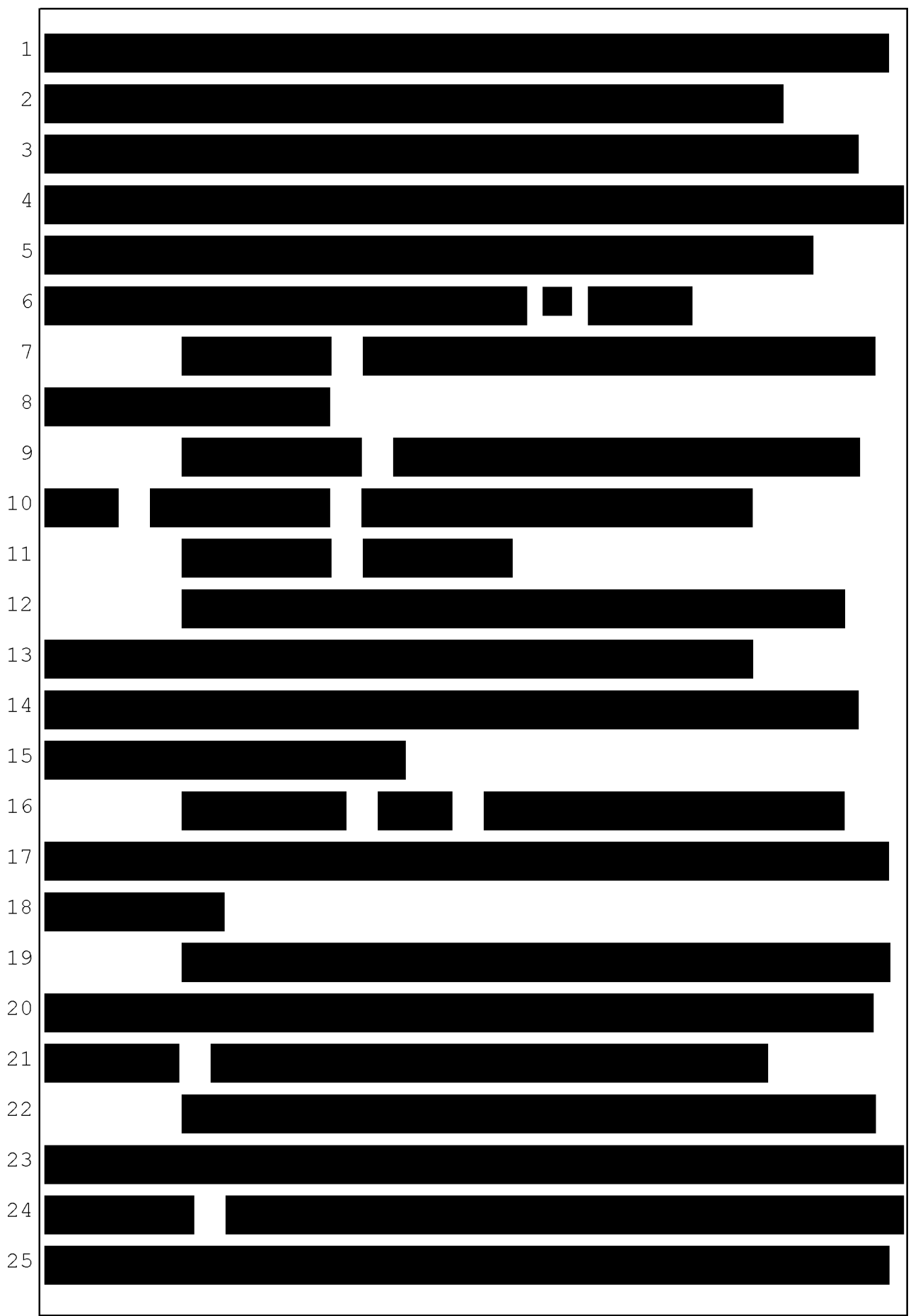
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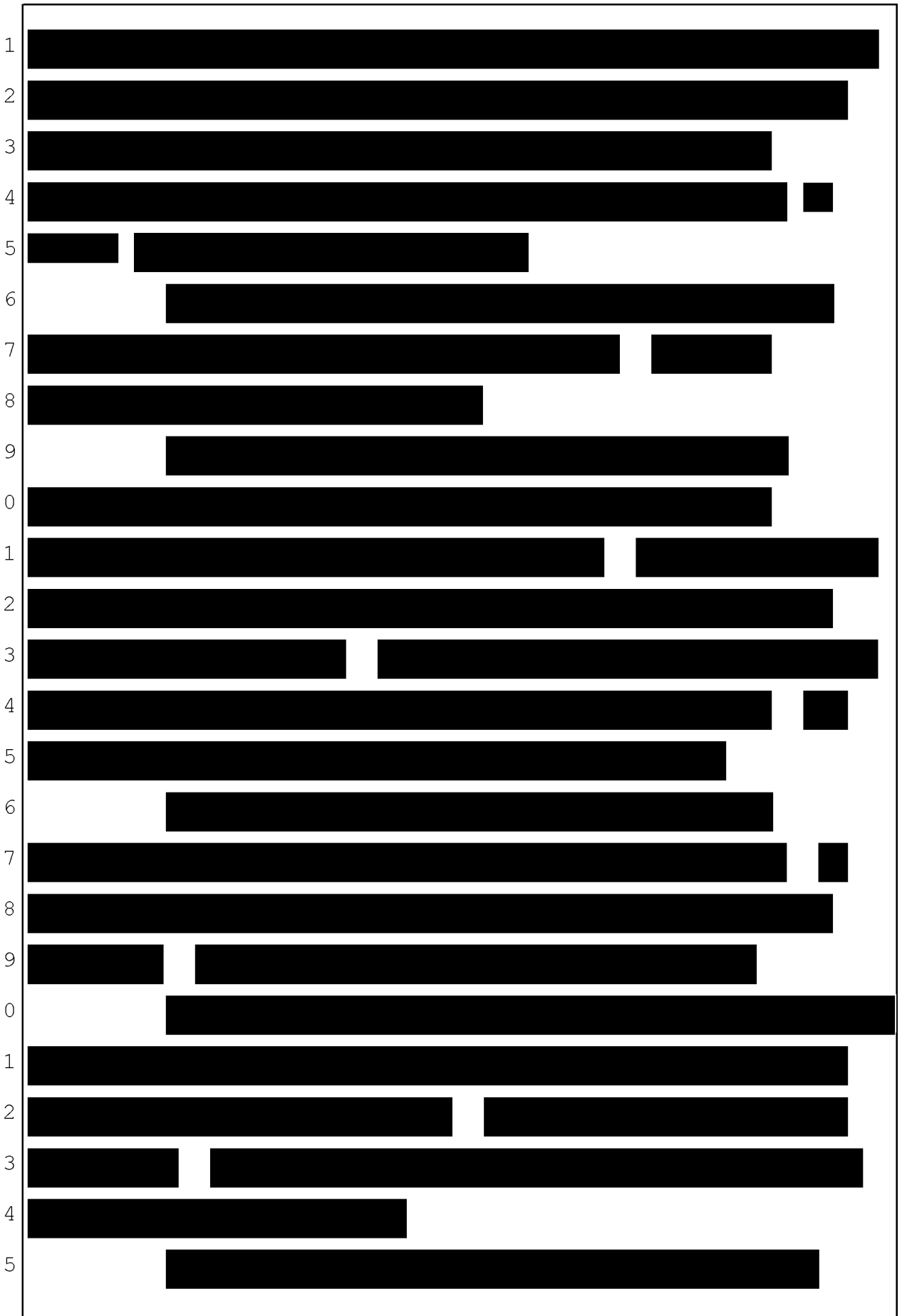
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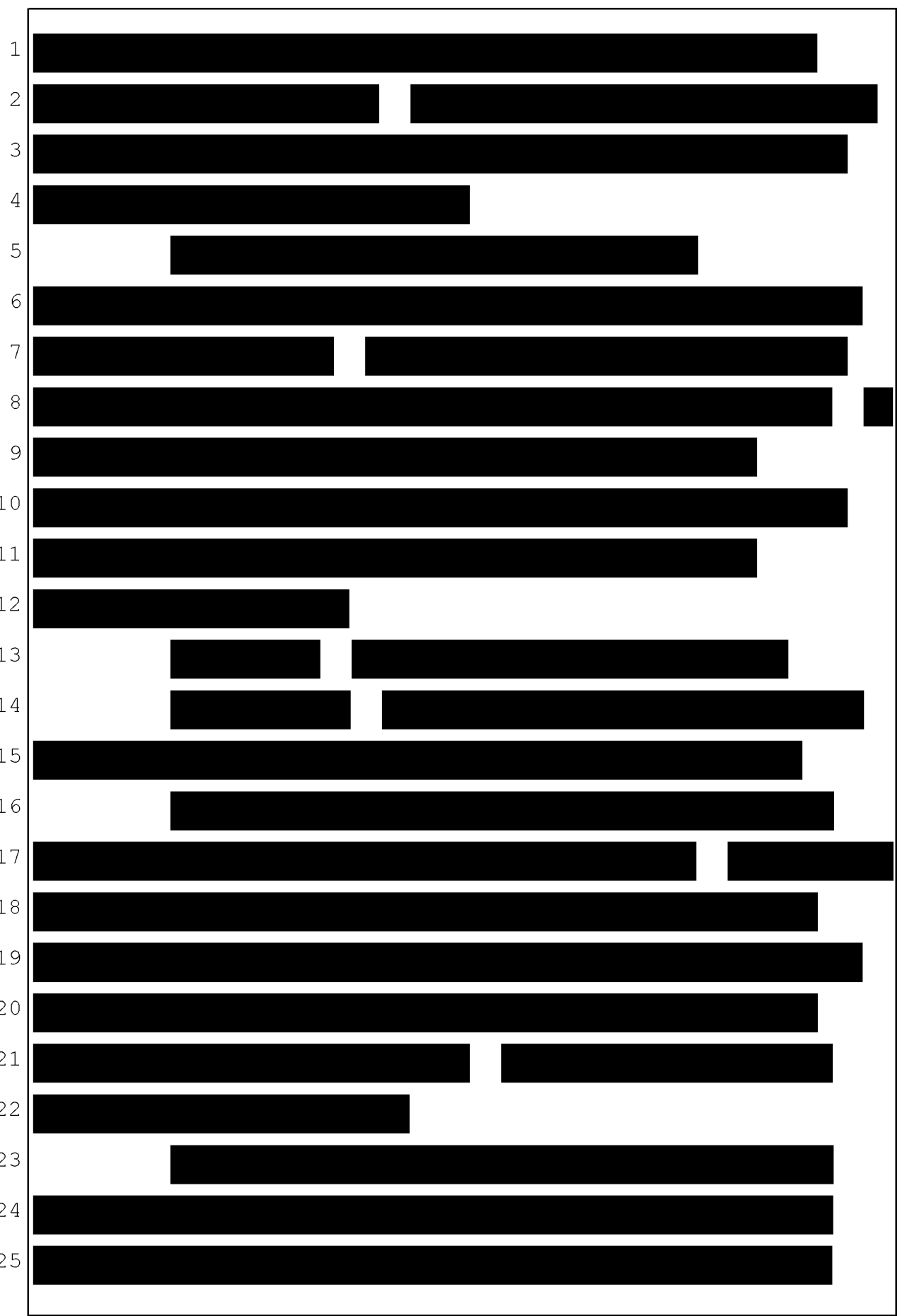
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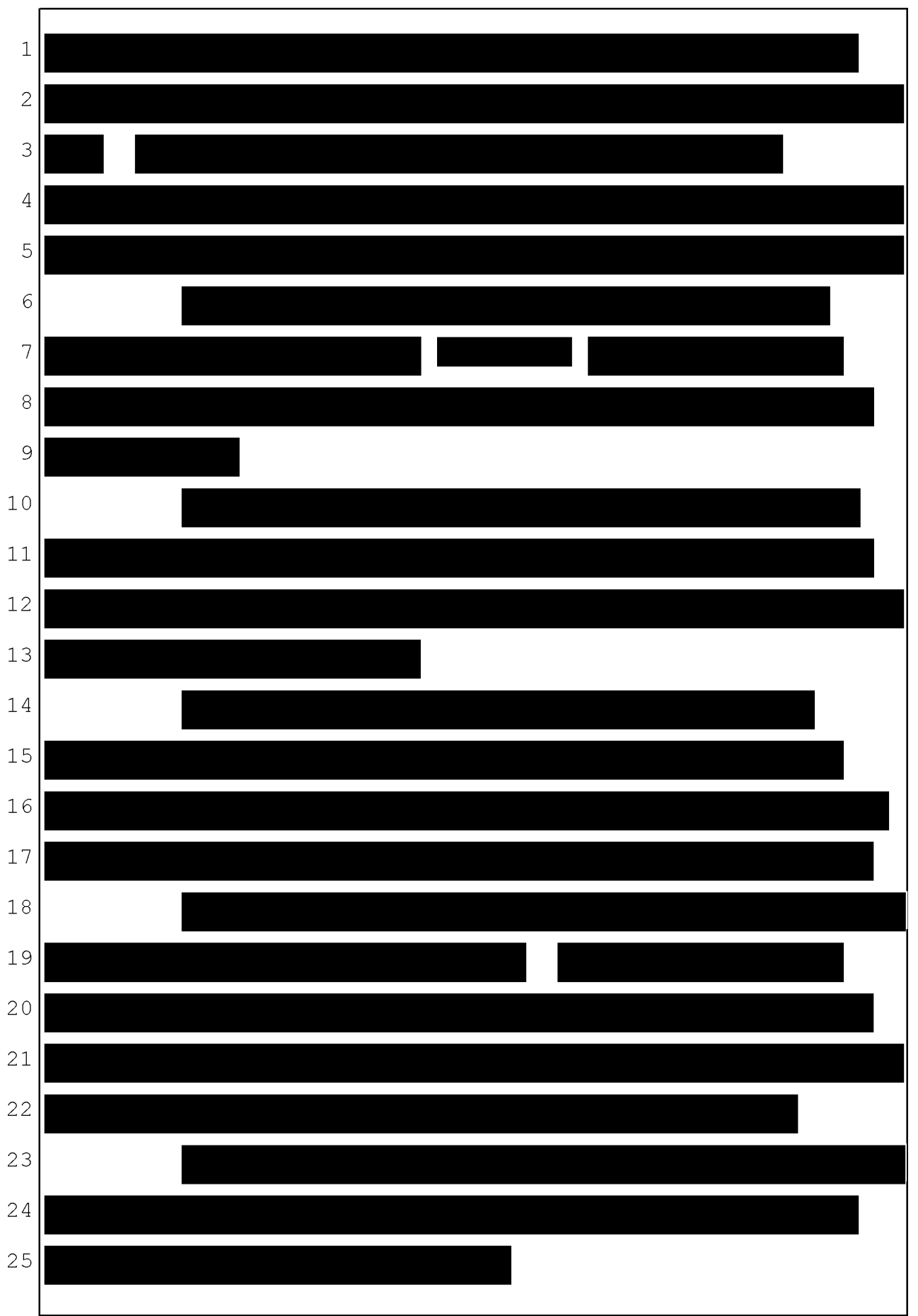
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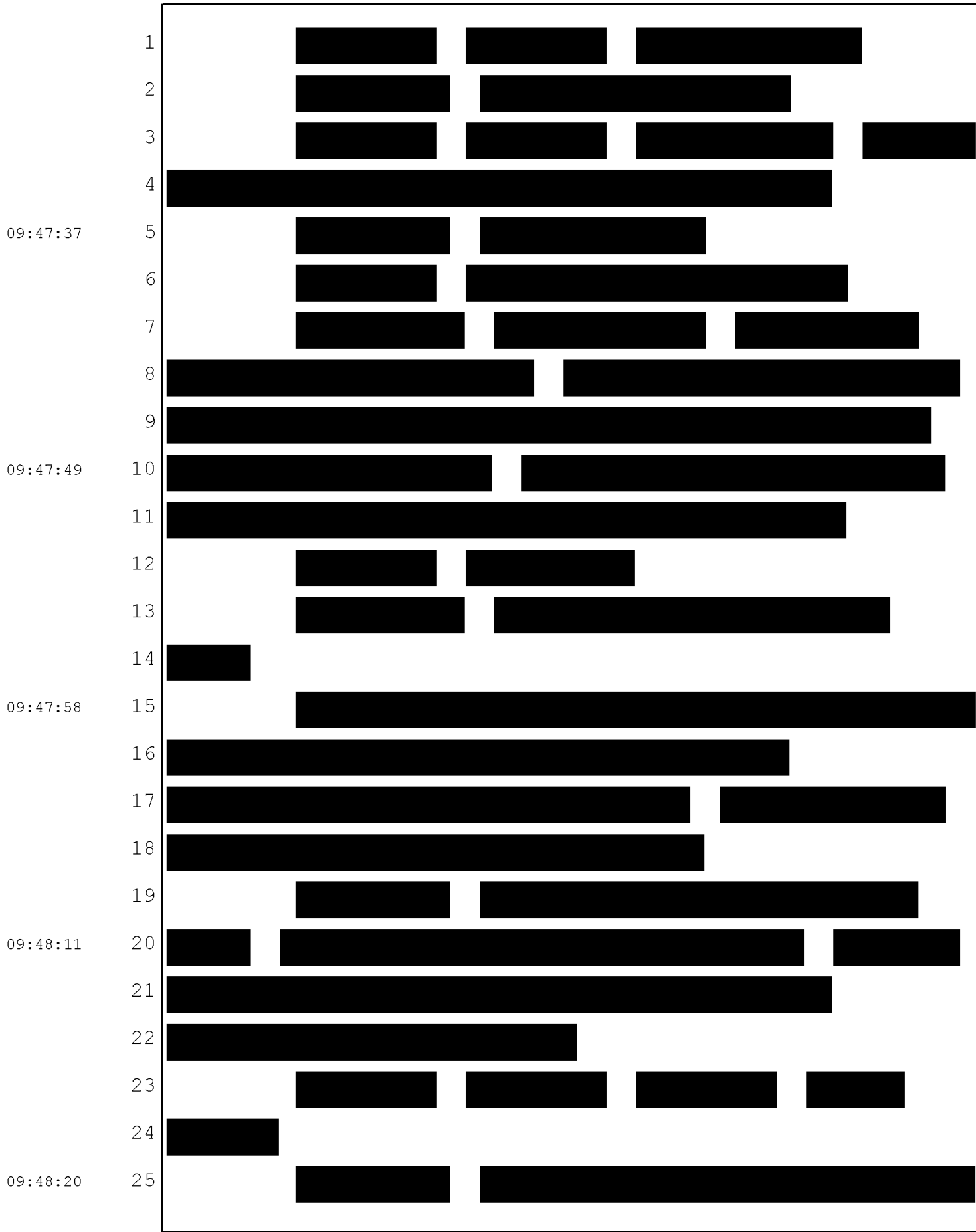
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15 (Jury enters courtroom.)

16 THE COURT: Good morning, Ladies and Gentlemen

17 of the jury. Welcome back.

18 Before we -- we're going to resume this morning

19 with Dr. Goldstein's video deposition. Before we begin

20 the deposition again, counsel are going to read some

21 stipulations to you. This means facts that the parties

22 have agreed to. So there's no dispute as to these facts.

23 And before you do that, Mr. Wisner, I just want

24 to let the jury know that we have judges here in the

25 audience today visiting from the Republic of Georgia and

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1 they're here to observe the trial system here in the  
2 United States.

3           And I'd like to just tell the judges that in the  
4 United States, when there are witnesses that are outside  
09:51:37 5 of the jurisdiction of the Court, then oftentimes those  
6 witnesses are presented during the trial via video  
7 testimony.

8           So this morning we're going to be hearing the  
9 video deposition testimony of a witness who is a Monsanto  
09:51:54 10 employee. So that is why we have the video.

11           We have had live witnesses and will have further  
12 live witnesses this afternoon.

13           But before we begin the video, Mr. Wisner, you  
14 may proceed with the stipulation.

09:52:07 15           MR. WISNER: Good morning, everyone. I'm just  
16 going to read to you three stipulations that the parties  
17 have come to agreement on.

18           Number 1: Regarding plaintiff's economic  
19 damages for future lost earnings, the amount of income  
09:52:20 20 that he will reasonably -- that he will be reasonably  
21 certain to lose in the future as a result of the injury  
22 is \$1,433,327.

23           I'm having Mr. Dickens write it down so in case  
24 you didn't catch it.

09:52:43 25           Number 2: Regarding plaintiff's economic

1 damages for loss of ability to provide household  
2 services, the reasonable value of the services he would  
3 have been reasonably certain to provide to household if  
4 the injury had not occurred is \$286,038.

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5 Finally, regarding plaintiff's economic damages  
6 for past medical expenses, the reasonable cost of  
7 reasonably necessary MediCare that he has received is  
8 \$533,844.32.

9 Thank you, your Honor.

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10 THE COURT: Thank you. You may resume the  
11 video.

12 MR. WISNER: Sorry, your Honor, I'm being told  
13 the jurors couldn't read it. Permission to publish this  
14 for a few minutes -- seconds so they can write it down.

09:54:11

15 THE COURT: Yes.

16 MR. DICKENS: At this time, your Honor, we'll  
17 resume the video deposition testimony of Dr. Goldstein.

18 THE COURT: Very well. You may proceed.

19 (Daniel Goldstein video played.)

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20 (Video paused.)

21 MR. WISNER: Your Honor, can we have a sidebar?

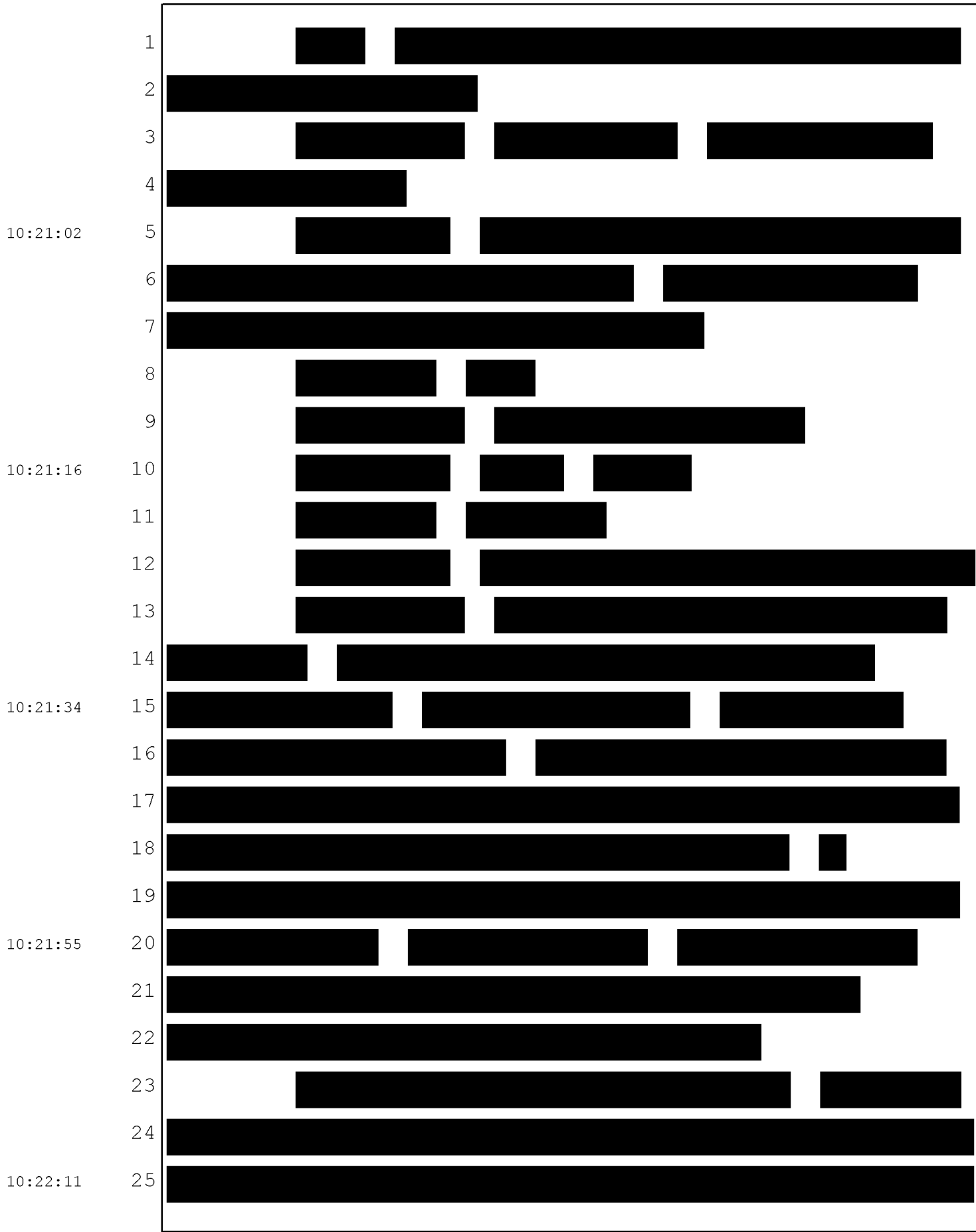
22 THE COURT: Yes.

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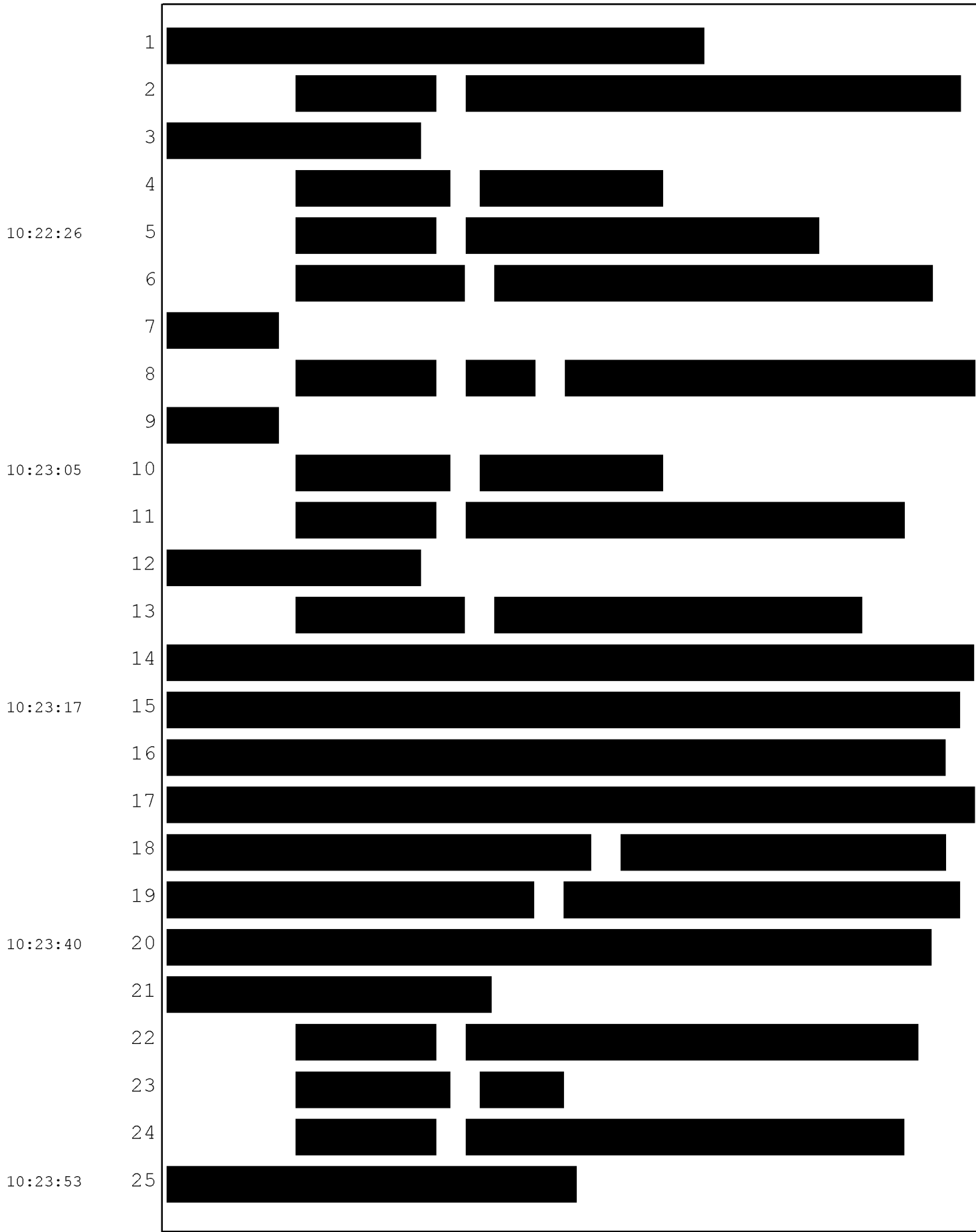
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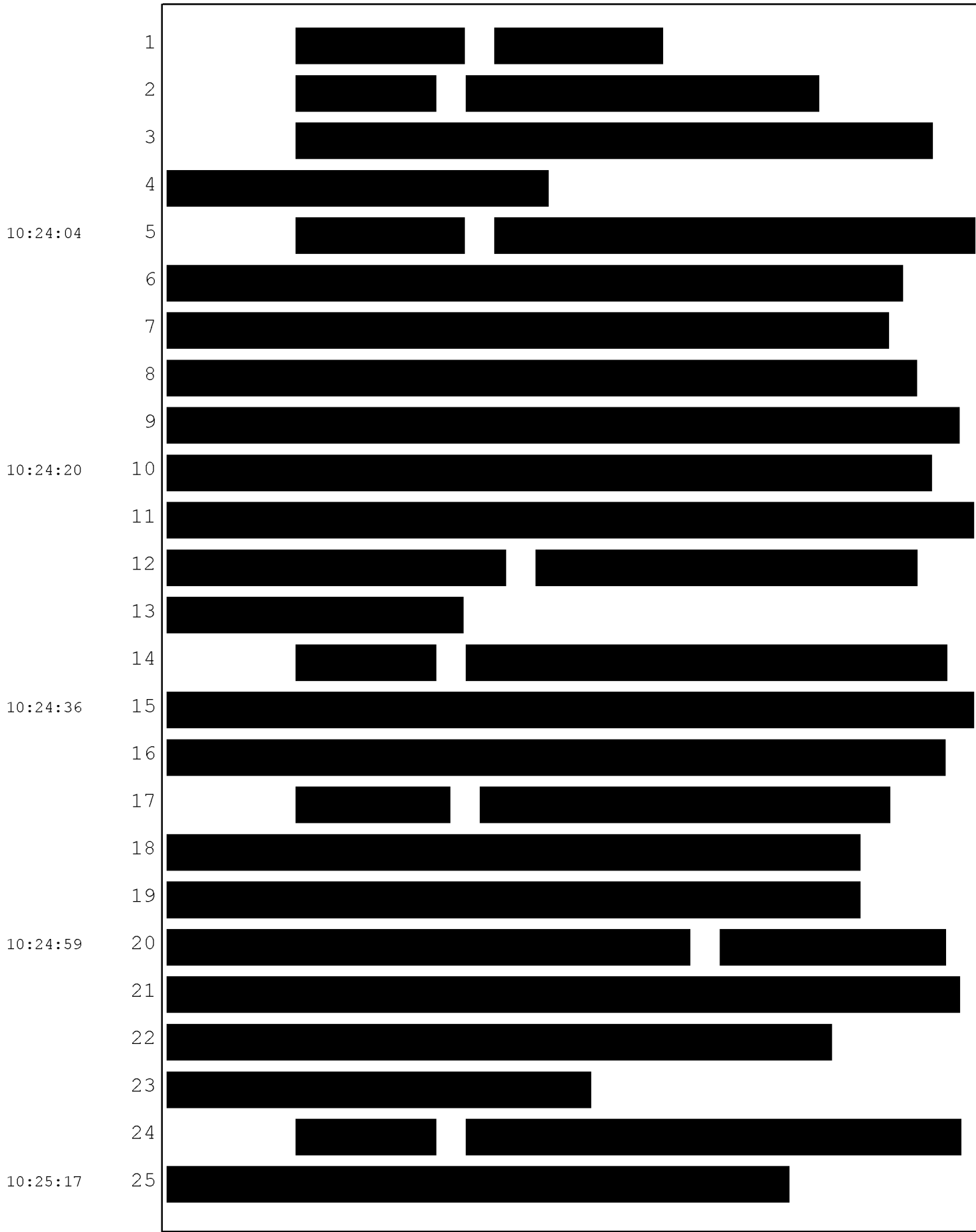
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(End sidebar.)

11 THE COURT: All right. Ladies and Gentlemen,  
12 Counsel does need to make some modifications, do some  
13 adjustments to the video. They're going to do that very  
14 quickly, and then they'll continue.

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(Interruption in proceedings.)

16 MR. WISNER: Give me two or three minutes. We  
17 have to cycle through it, and it will start up suddenly.

18 (Daniel Goldstein video played.)

19 (Video paused.)

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21 MR. WISNER: It's probably a good time for a  
22 break, your Honor. We're going onto the next day's  
23 video, which is primarily Monsanto.

24 THE COURT: All right.

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25 All right. Ladies and Gentlemen, then we'll  
take our morning recess now. We'll resume again at 11:10

1 on the wall clock. All right. Thank you.

2 (Recess.)

3 THE COURT: Welcome back, Ladies and Gentlemen.

4 Mr. Wisner, you may call your next witness.

11:11:44

5 MR. WISNER: I believe Dr. Goldstein is still  
6 up. This is their portion.

7 THE COURT: Oh, all right. Very well. You may  
8 proceed.

9 (Daniel Goldstein video played.)

11:43:00

10 MR. WISNER: That concludes the video  
11 presentation of Dr. Daniel Goldstein.

12 We will now present another video, your Honor,  
13 Dr. Donna Farmer, Monsanto's product protection lead.

14 THE COURT: Very well. You may proceed.

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15 (Donna Farmer video played.)

16 THE COURT: Mr. Wisner, perhaps this is a good  
17 place to break.

18 MR. WISNER: Yes, your Honor.

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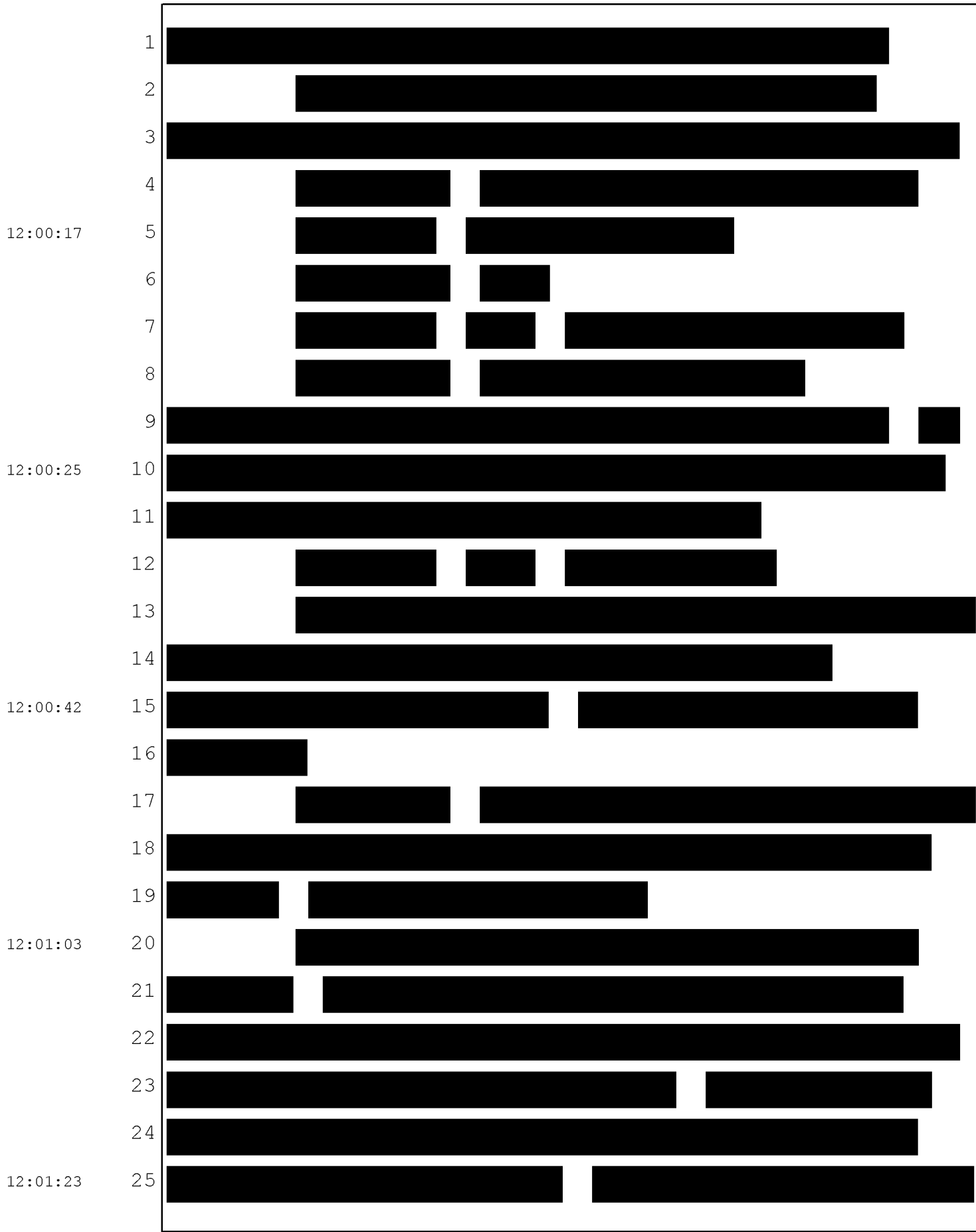
19 THE COURT: All right. Ladies and Gentlemen,  
20 we're going to break now for the lunch recess. Please  
21 remember: Do not discuss the case, and we'll resume  
22 again at 1:30. Thank you.

23 (Jury leaves courtroom.)

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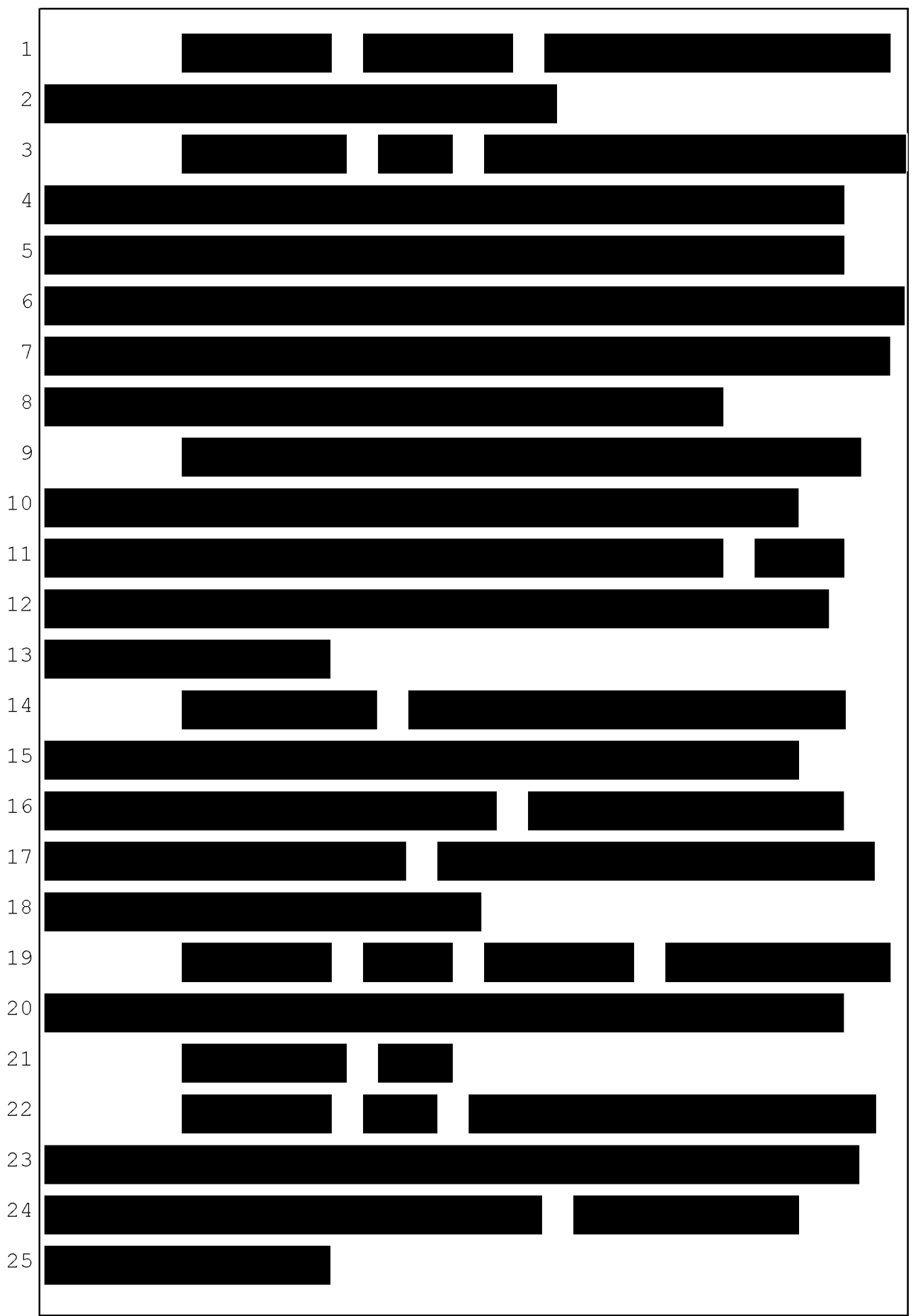
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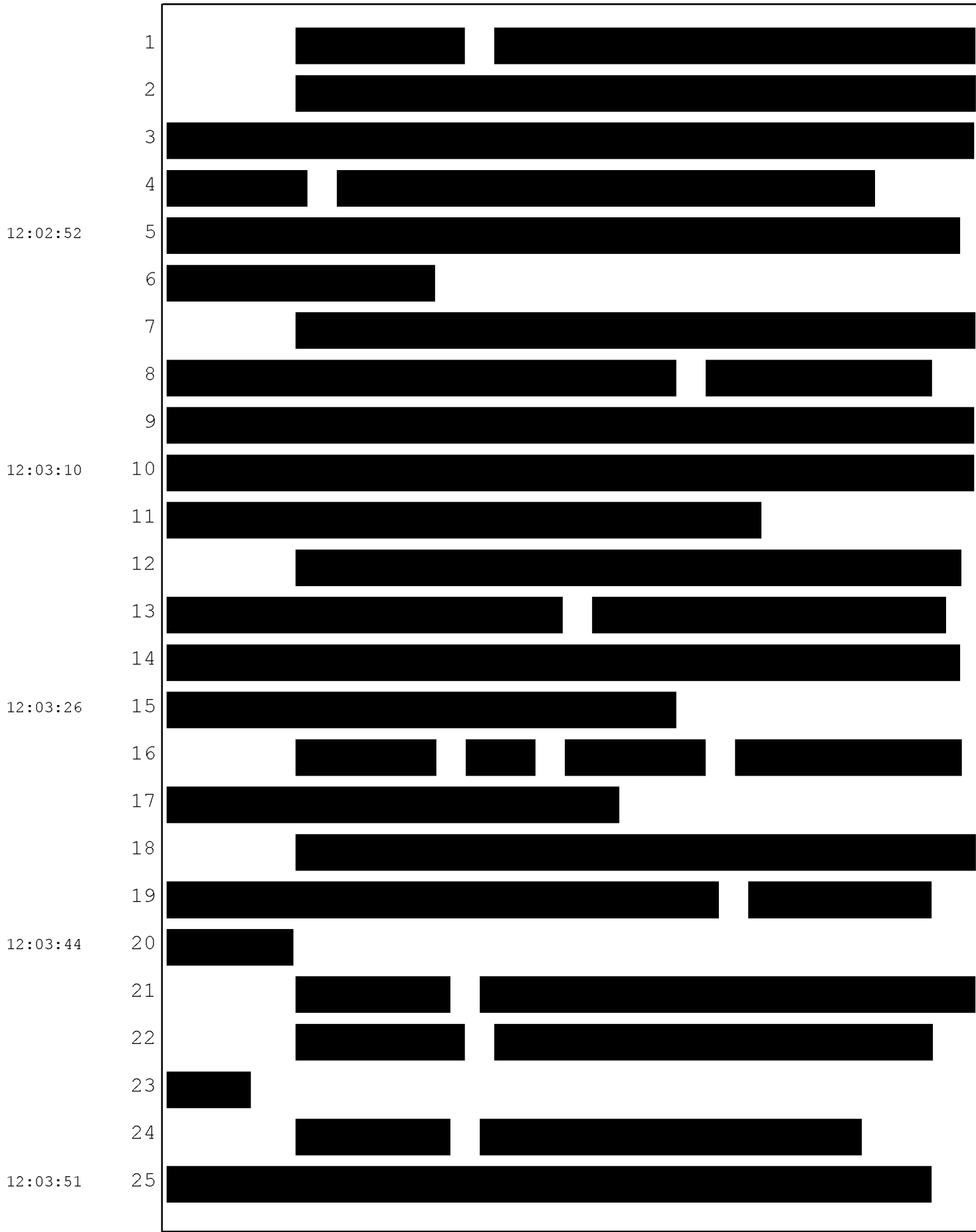
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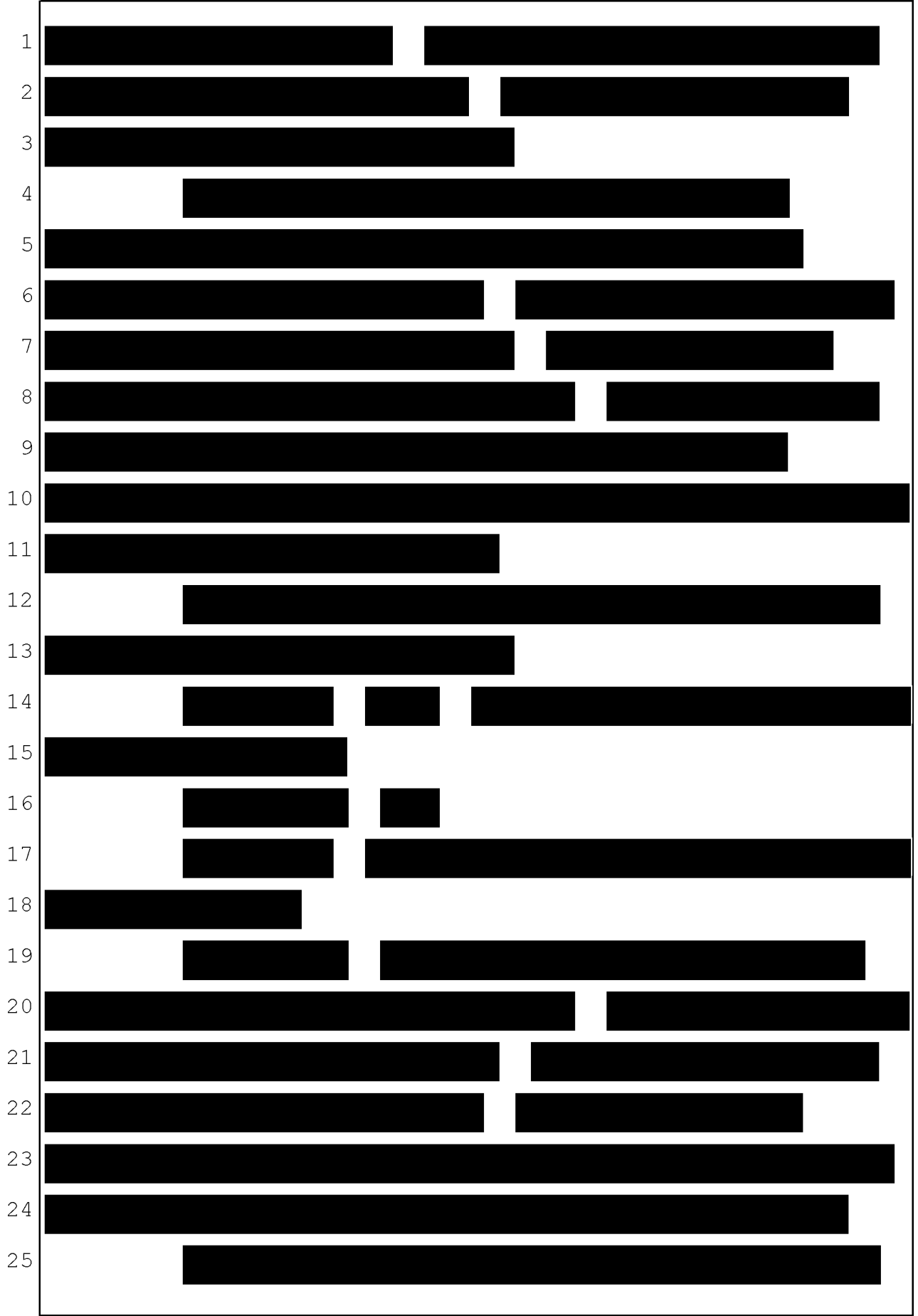
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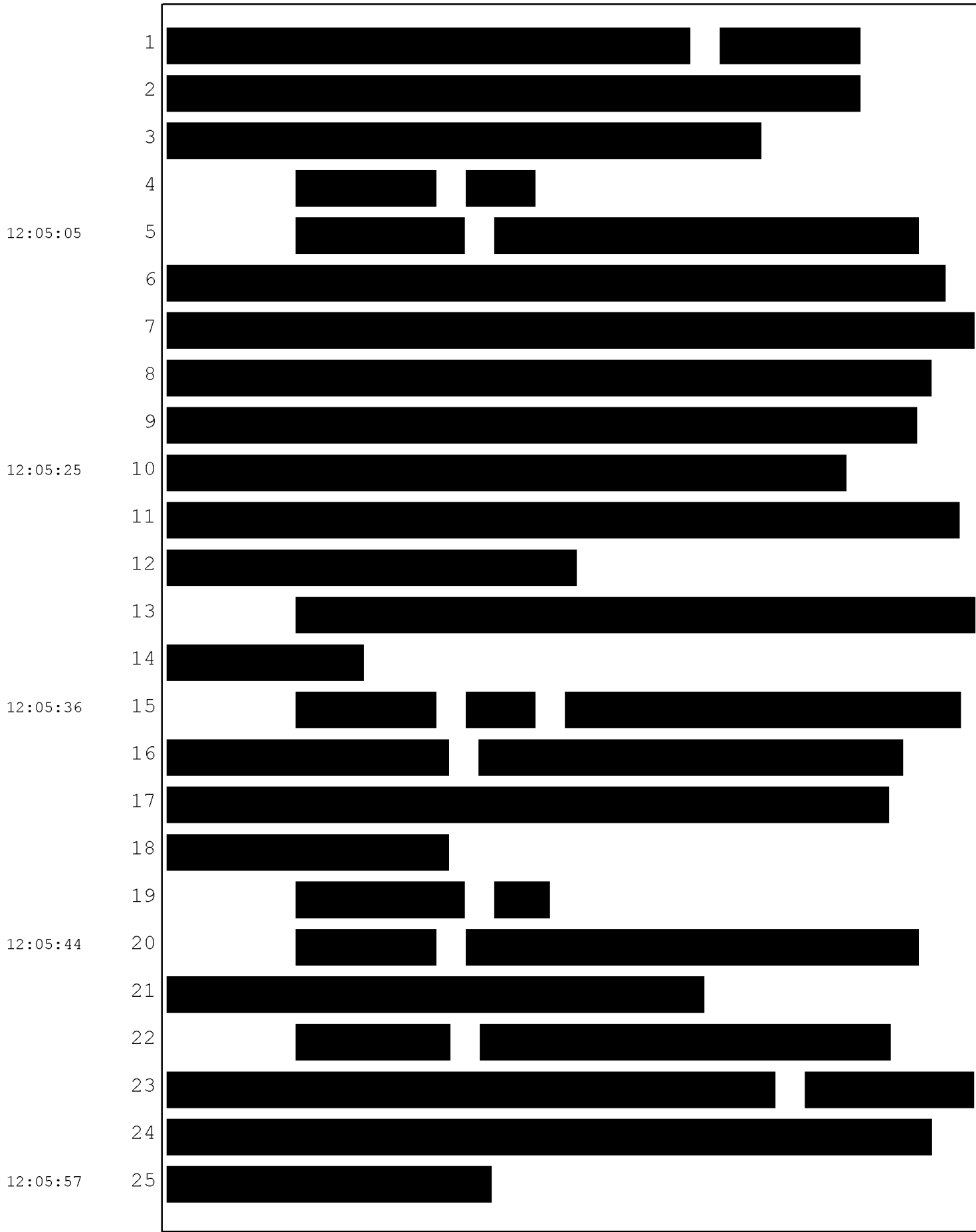
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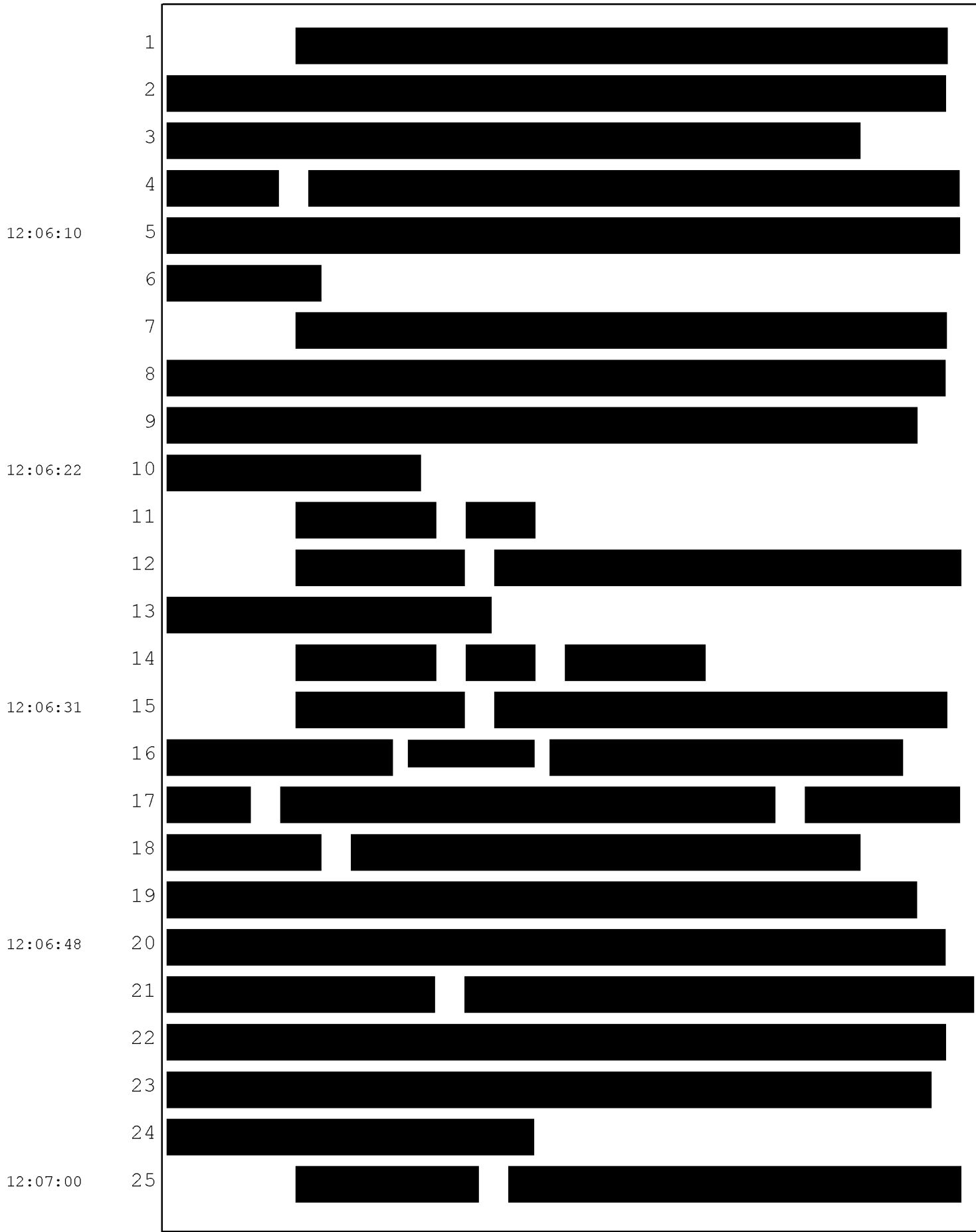
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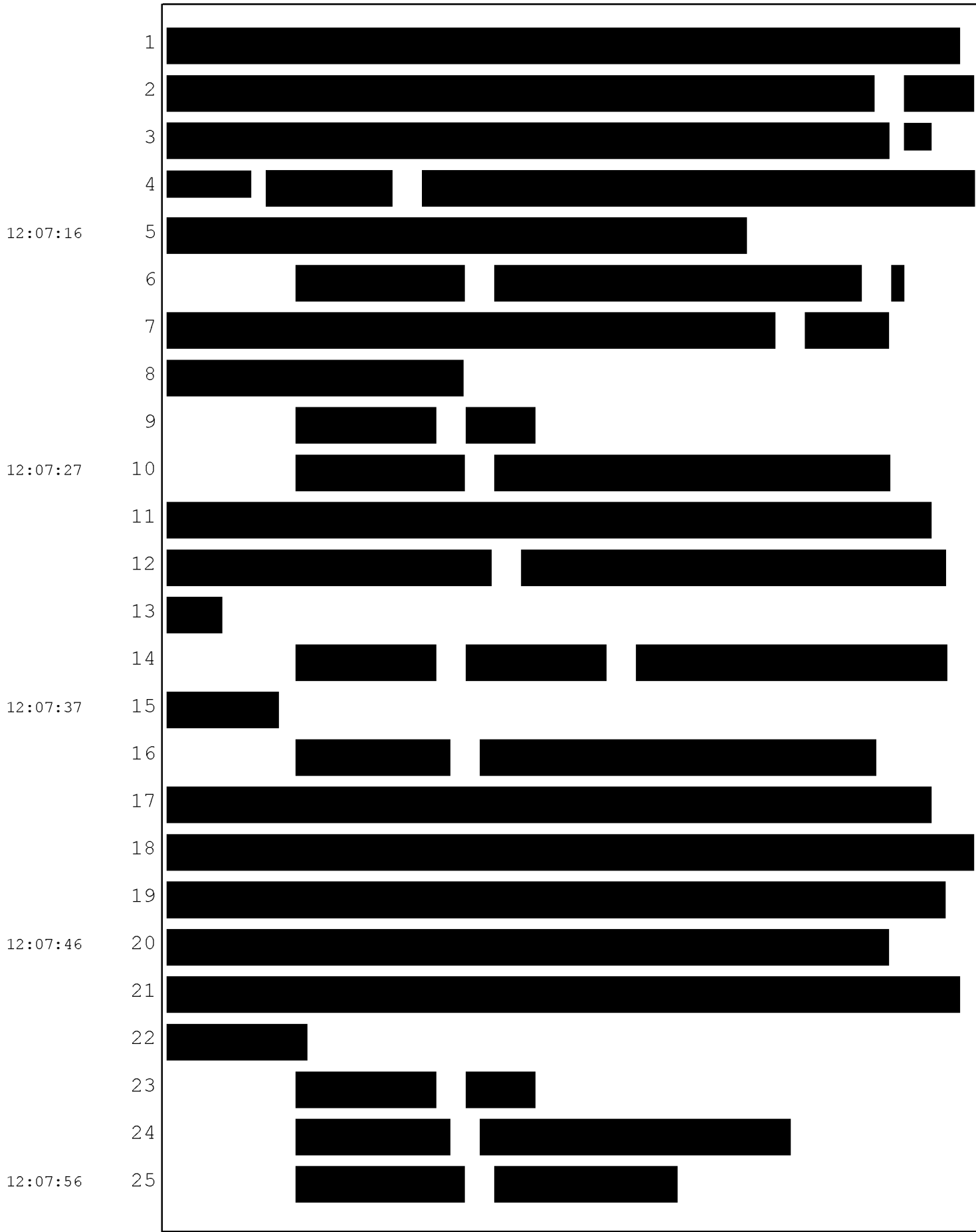
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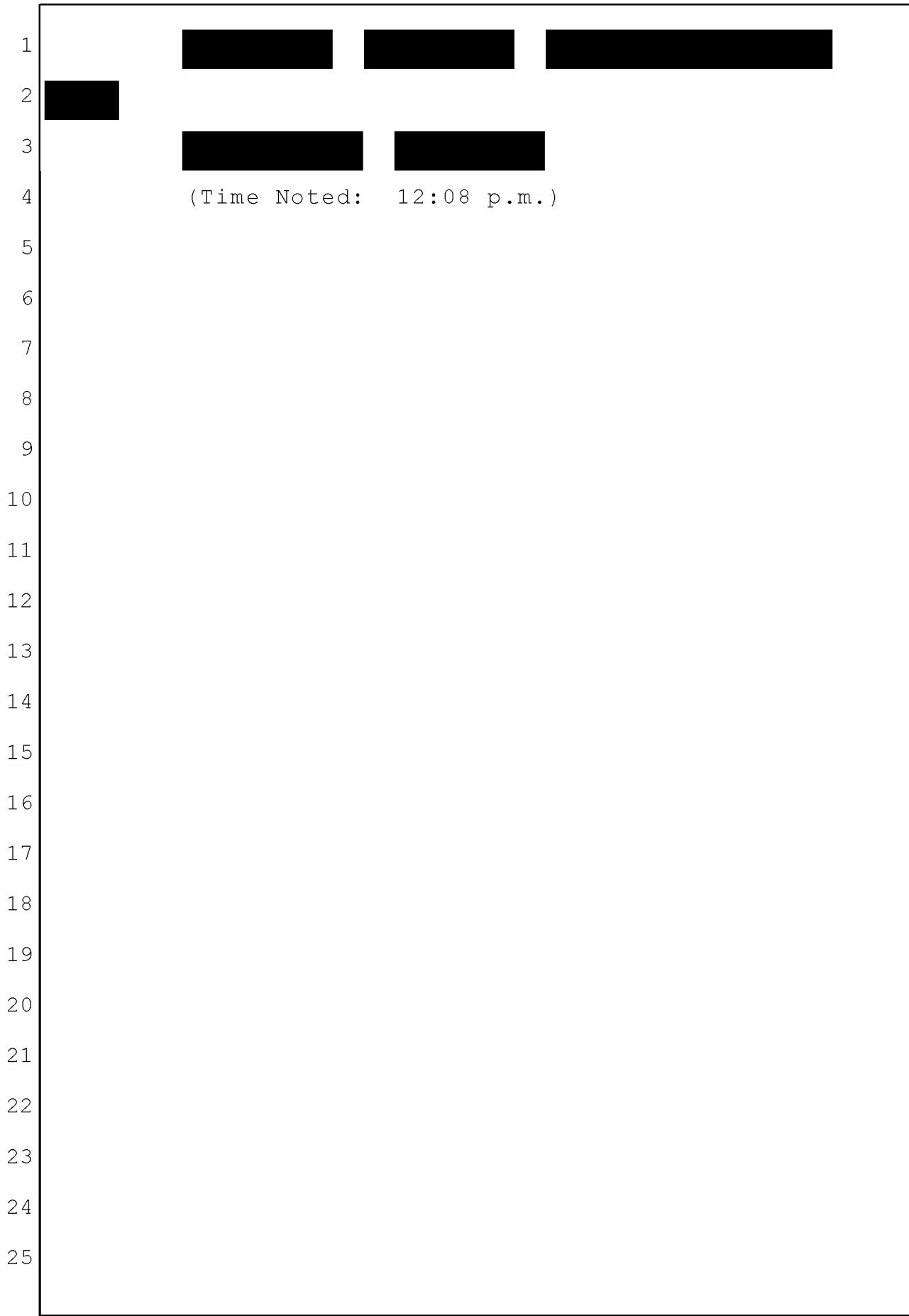












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