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**‘Recovery of the remainder of the Hector’s cargo plundered at Busheab
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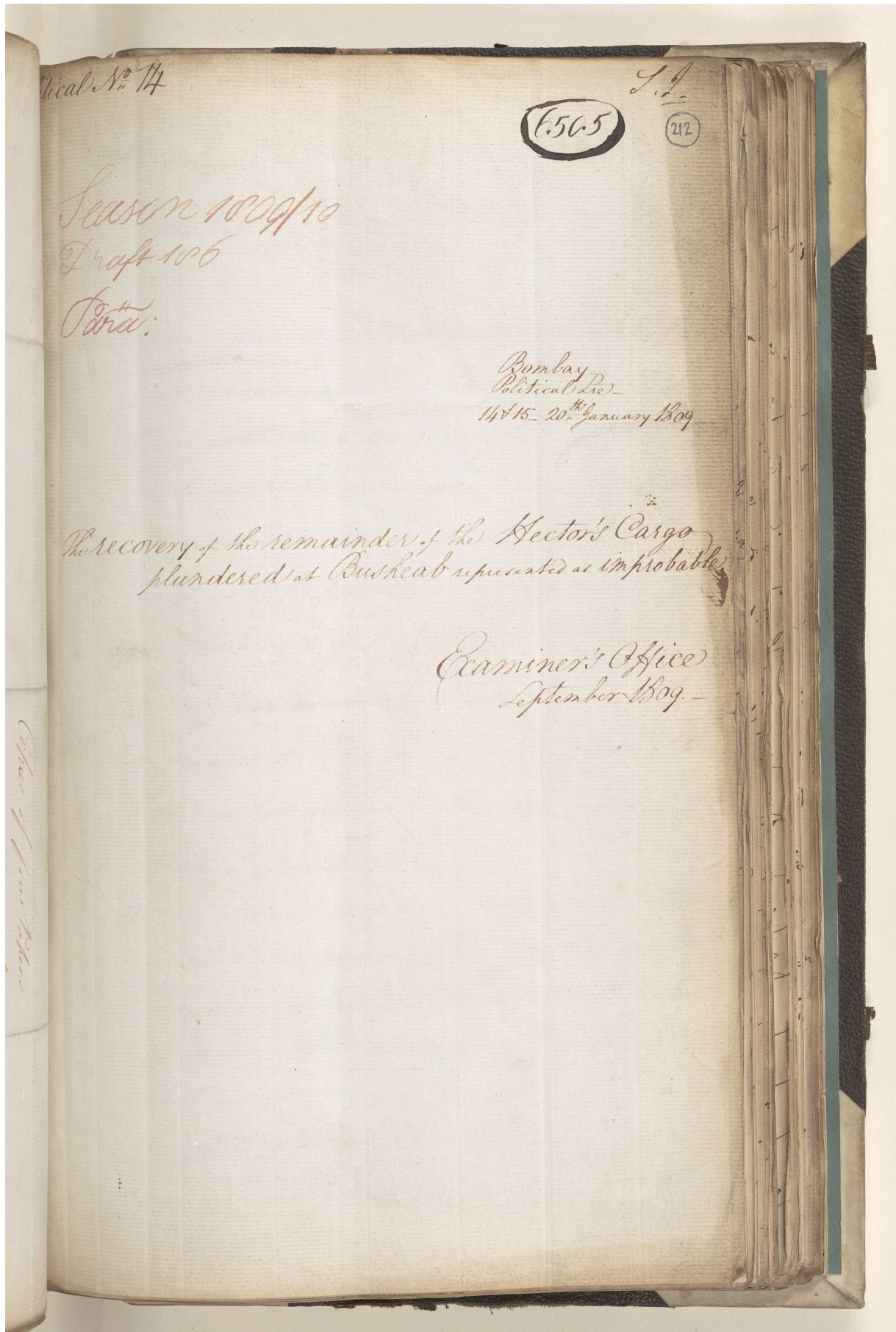
About this record

The item consists mostly of copies of correspondence and memoranda cited in, or enclosed with, letters to and from the Government of Bombay. It concerns the cargo plundered from the *Hector* by the Sheikh of Busheab [Shaikh of Nakhīlū], and the possibility of recovering the cargo or the balance outstanding as a result of the losses incurred.

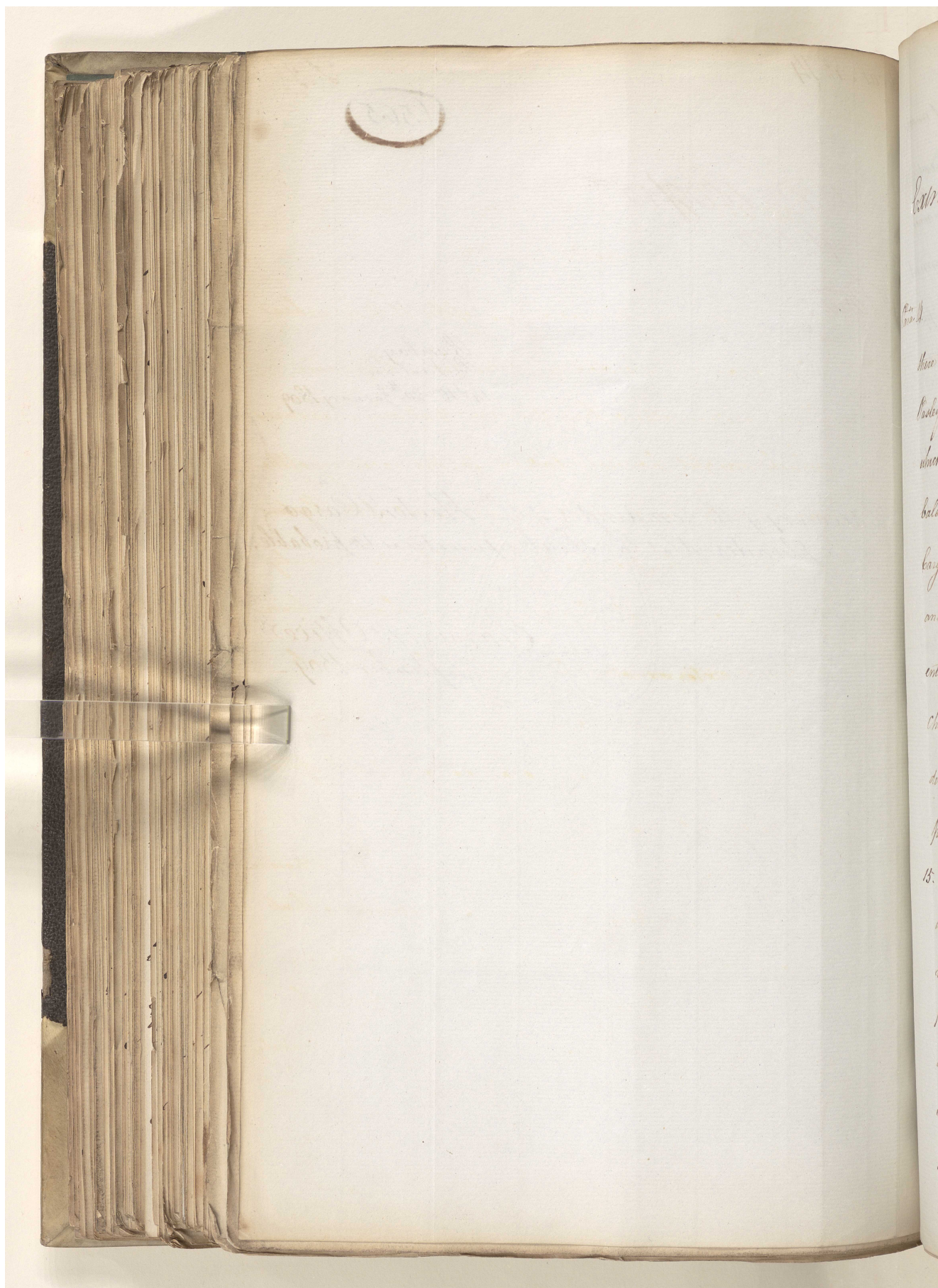
The primary correspondents are: the Government of Bombay; and Captain Charles Pasley, Acting Envoy Extraordinary to Persia.

The title page (f 212) of the item contains the following references: ‘Political No. 14, Season 1809/10, Draft 186’; and ‘Examiner’s Office, September 1809’.

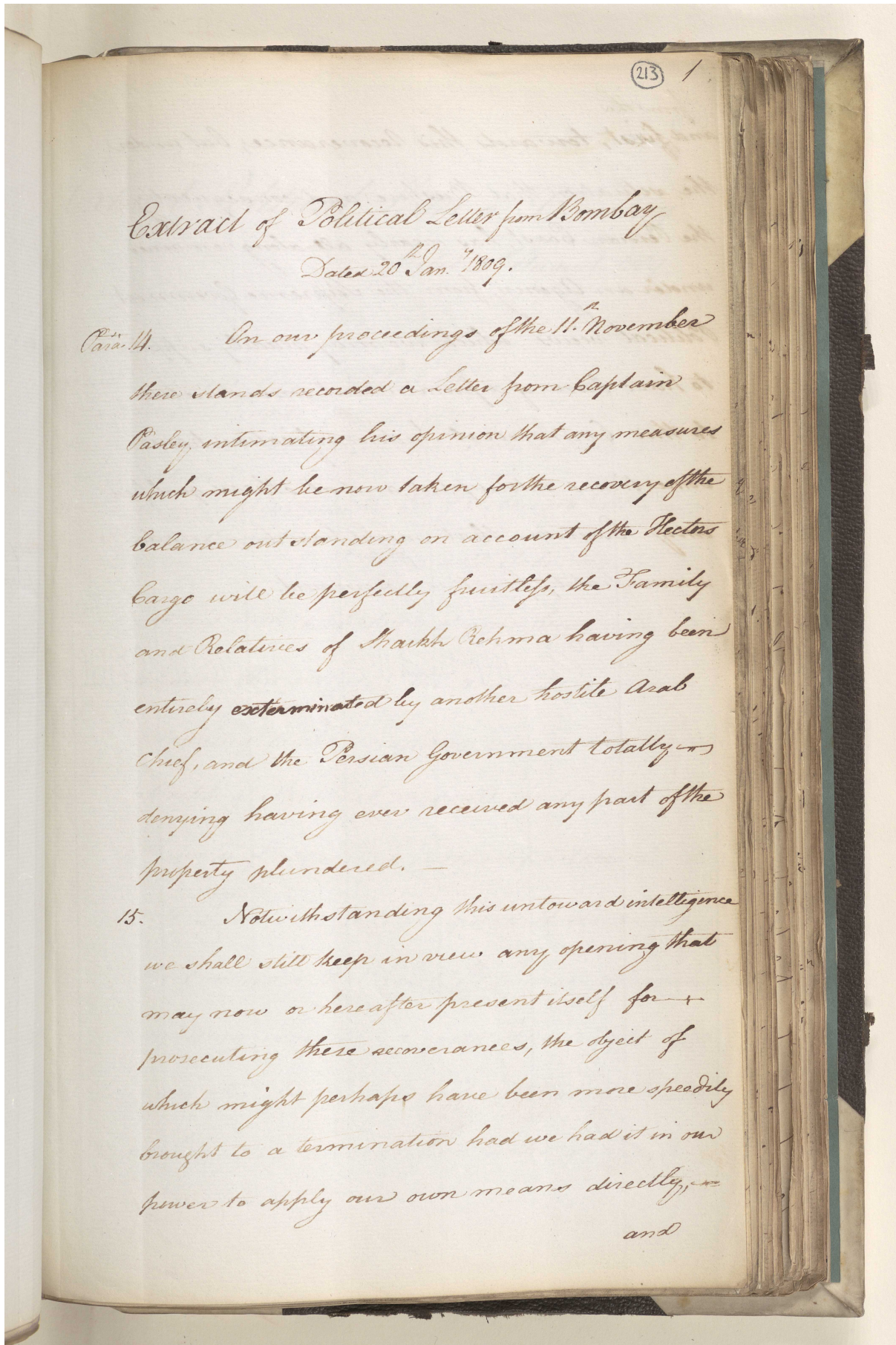
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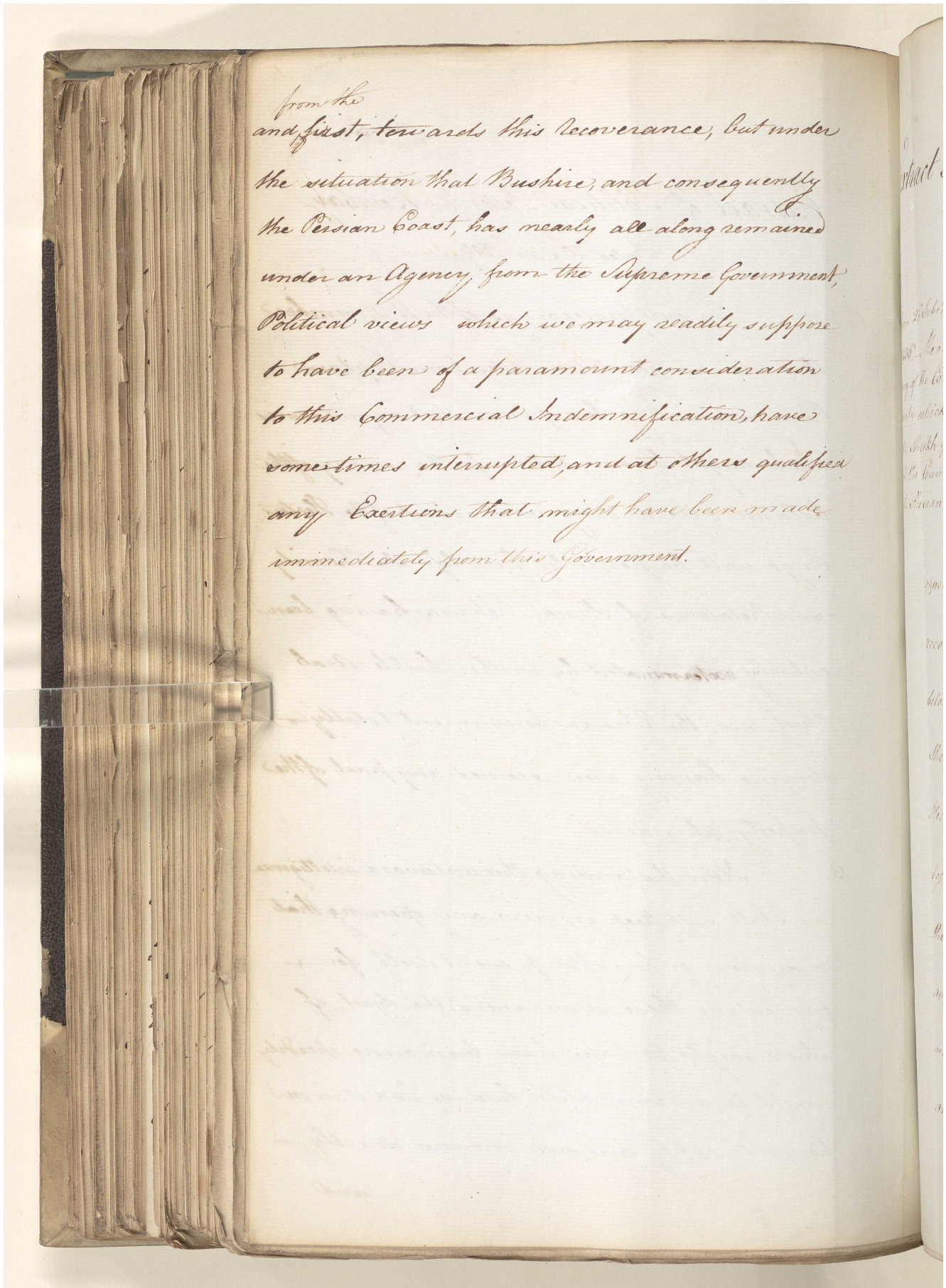


Extract of Political Letter from Bombay
Dated 20th Jan. 1809.

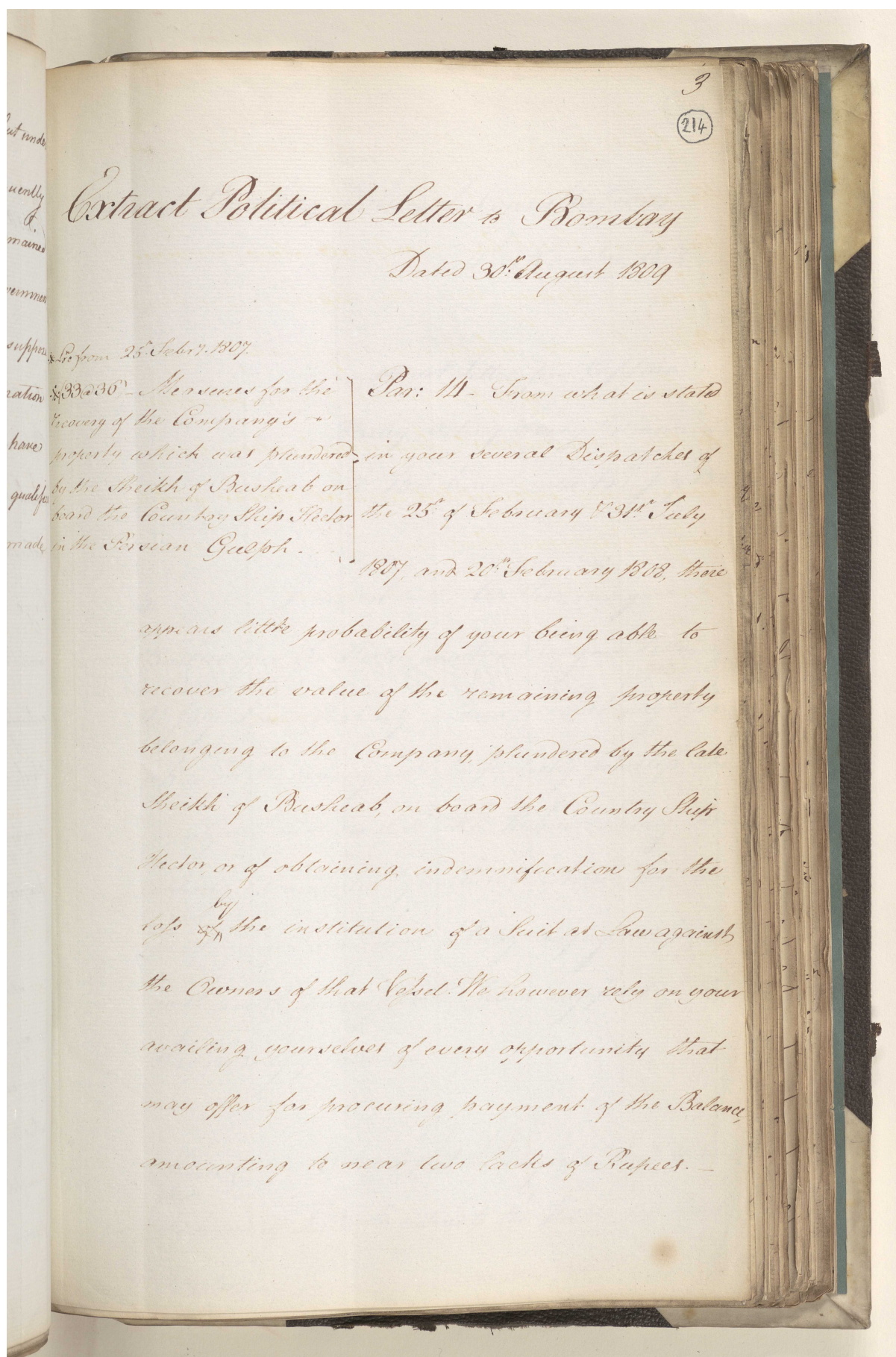
Para. 14. On our proceedings of the 11th November
these stands recorded a Letter from Captain
Pasley, intimating his opinion that any measures
which might be now taken for the recovery of the
balance out-standing on account of the Hector's
Cargo will be perfectly fruitless, the Family
and Relatives of Shaikh Rehman having been
entirely exterminated by another hostile Arab
Chief, and the Persian Government totally
denying having ever received any part of the
property plundered. —

15. Notwithstanding this untoward intelligence
we shall still keep in view any opening that
may now or hereafter present itself for
prosecuting these recoverances, the object of
which might perhaps have been more speedily
brought to a termination had we had it in our
power to apply our own means directly,
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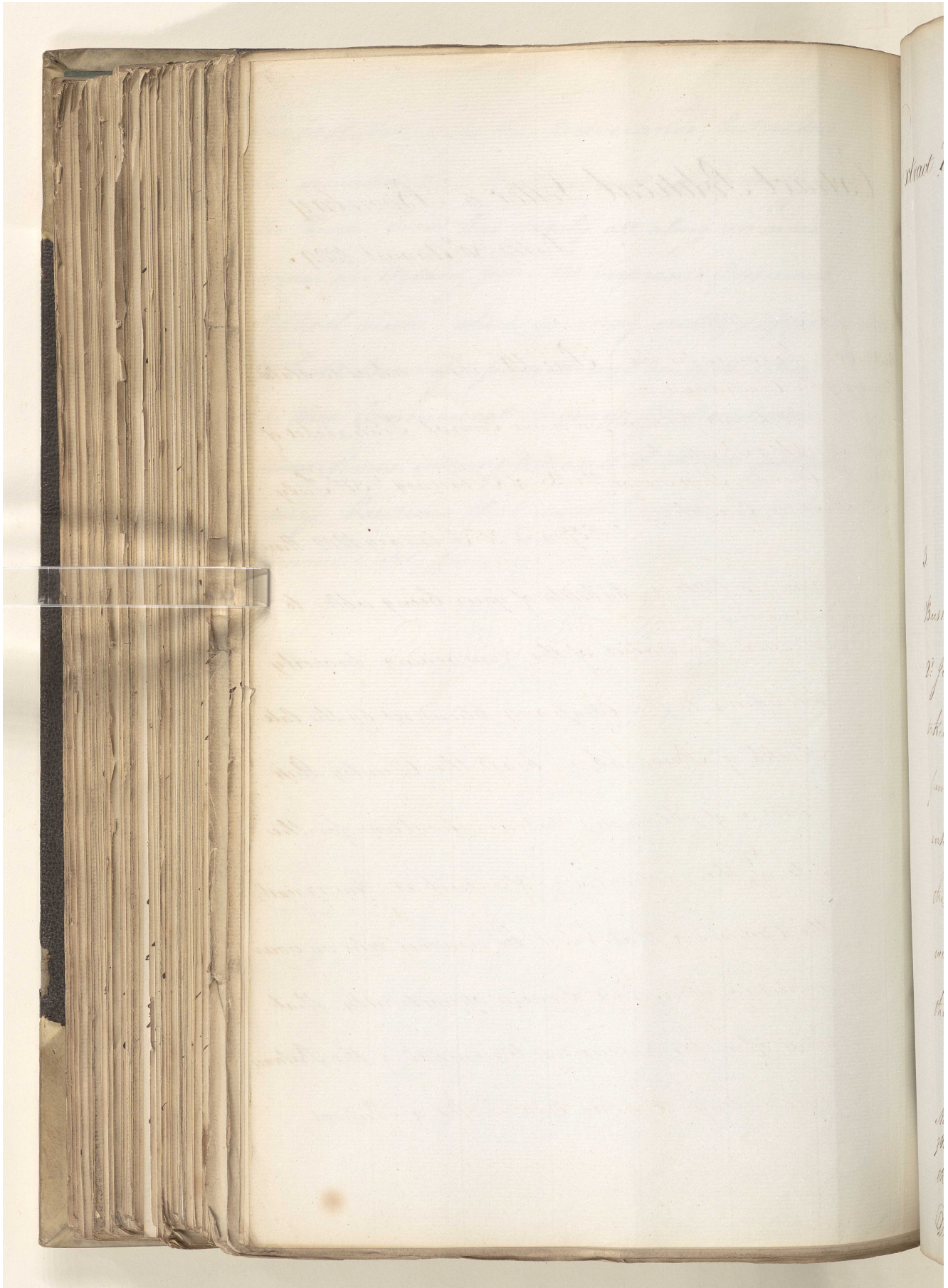
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**'Recovery of the remainder of the Hector's cargo plundered at Busheab
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Extract Bombay Political Consultations.

11th November 1808.

Extract Letter from Captain
Pusley, Acting Envoy Extraordinary
at Bushire dated 15th July 1808.

3. In respect to the Woollens, consigned to
Bushire for the Hector mentioned in your letter of
2^d July I fear that any measures which might ^{be} now
taken for the recovery will be perfectly fruitless, the
family and relatives of Shaikh Khatima having been
entirely exterminated by an hostile Arab Chief, and
the Persian Government totally denying and perhaps
with truth having ever received any part of the
the property plundered.

Minister
Shaw. } Ordered that the subject of the 3^d Para of
the preceding Letter be noticed to the Honble the Court of
Directors.

**'Recovery of the remainder of the Hector's cargo plundered at Busheab
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