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"الرأي العام والدعائية العامة III ملف 28/7"

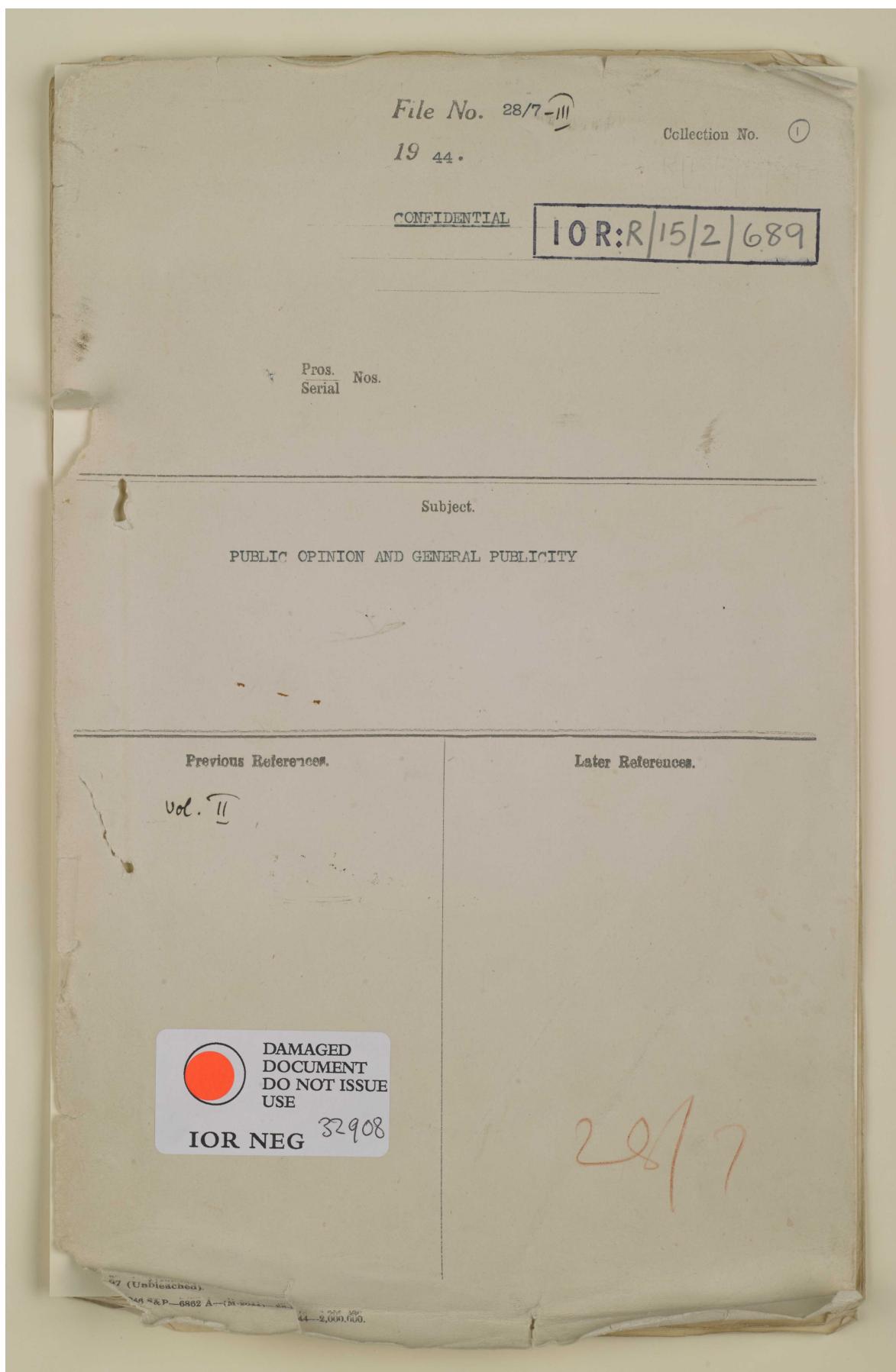
المؤسسة المالكة	المكتبة البريطانية: أوراق خاصة وسجلات من مكتب الهند
المرجع	IOR/R/15/2/689
التاريخ/ التواريخ	٢٦ أغسطس ١٩٤٤ - ٠٩ يونيو ١٩٤٥ (ميلادي)
لغة الكتابة	الإنجليزية في اللاتينية
الحجم والشكل	ملف واحد (٧٥ ورقة)
حق النشر	<u>رخصة حكومة مفتوحة</u>



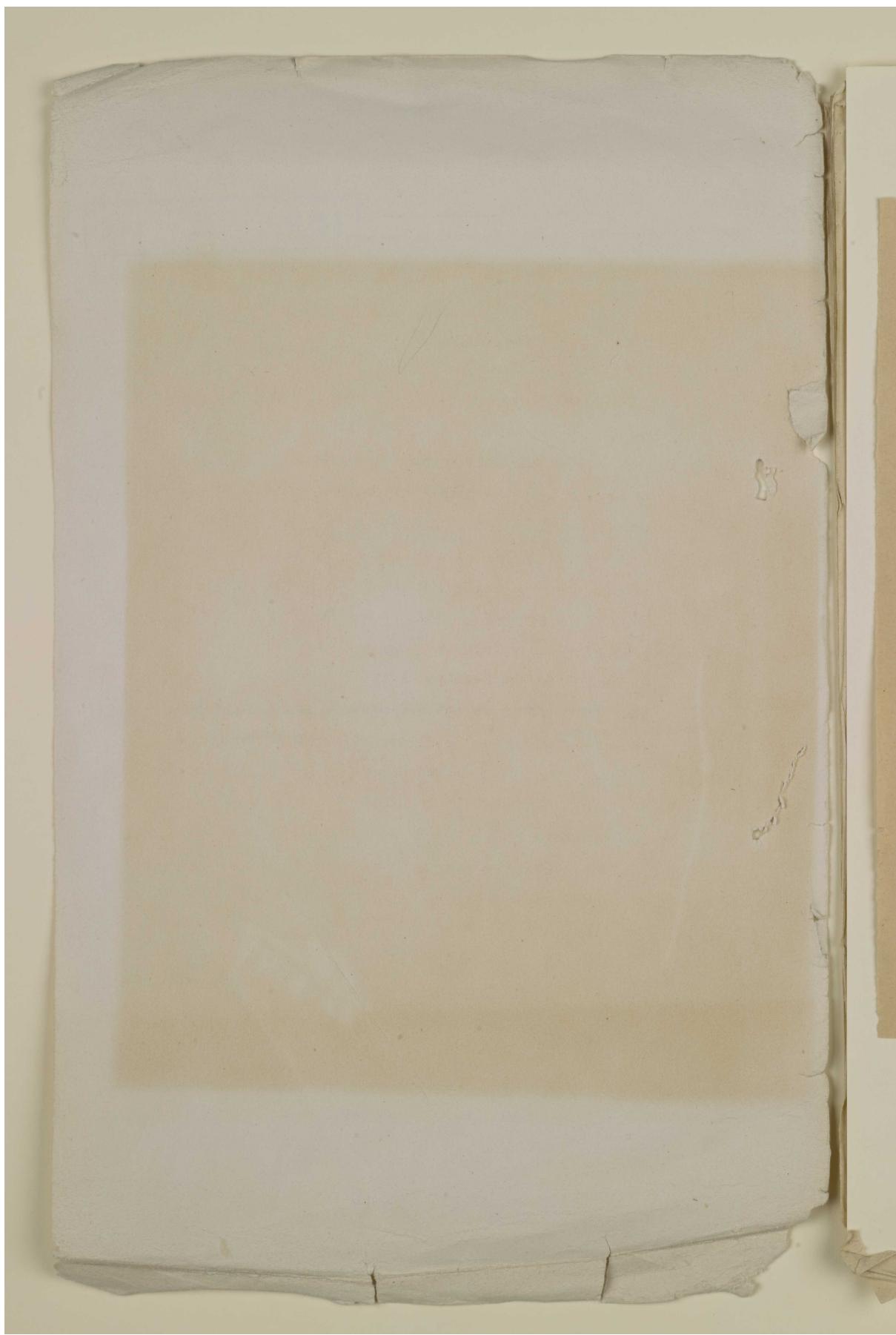
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يتكون الملف، الذي يعد استمراراً زمنياً مباشراً لـ"الملف 28/7 II الحرب: بروبراجندا – الرأي المحلي" (IOR/R/15/2/688)، من تقارير أسبوعية تصف الرأي العام المحلي في البحرين فيما يتصل بالأحداث الجارية في الحرب والمسار العام لها في كل من أوروبا والشرق الأقصى، ويغطي الفترة الممتدة بين انتصار الحلفاء في نورماندي (أغسطس ١٩٤٤) والنصر في أوروبا (مايو ١٩٤٥)، بما في ذلك تعليقات على الأحداث في الشرق الأوسط، وإعلان مصر والمملكة العربية السعودية الحرب ضد دول المحور، وتقدم روسيا باتجاه ألمانيا، وال Herb الدائرة ضد اليابان. الطرف الرئيسي للمراسلات الواردة في الملف هو الوكيل السياسي في البحرين (الرائد توم هيكينبوثام). يتكون الملف من نسخ عن التقارير الأسبوعية، أعدها موظفو الوكالة السياسية، وأرسلوها الوكيل السياسي بعد ذلك بصورة مختصرة إلى المقيم السياسي في الخليج العربي.

"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [أمامي] (١٥٤/١)



"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [أمامي-داخلي] (١٥٤/٢)



"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٢٠] (١٥٤/٣)

PUBLIC OPINION.

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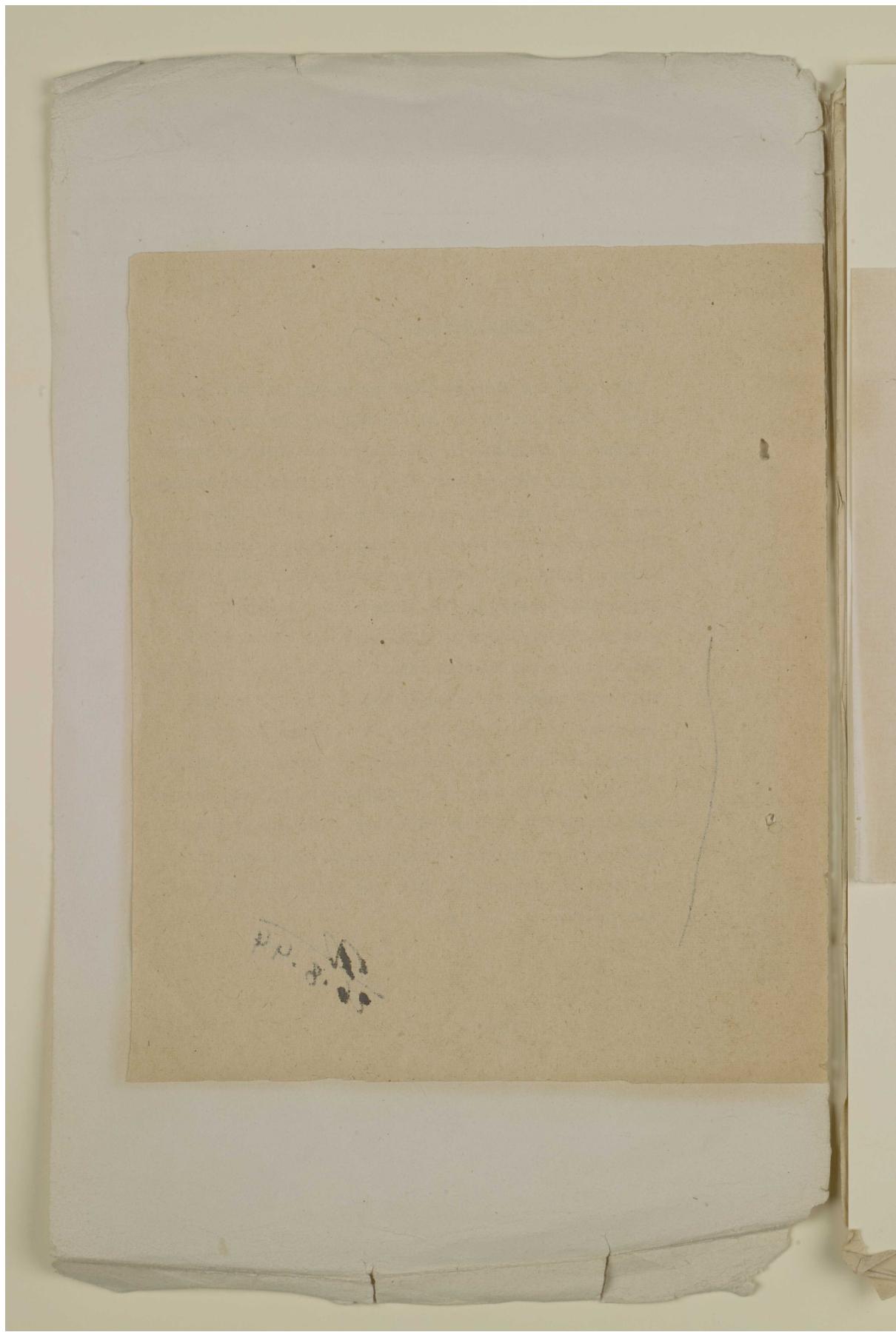
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This week has been an interesting one for the people here. The capitulation of Romania and the impending alliance of Bulgaria to the Allies have led the people to definitely believe that the Germans have been weakened and they will shortly be defeated in spite of the forthcoming secret weapons. They say that these secret weapons is the gas, which the Germans will use if they are hardly pursued by the Allies into Germany.

As previously reported they have now turned their attention to the Russian thrust into Europe. They say that such thrust is not welcomed by the British and Americans and that the latter will, after defeating Germany, have to face the danger of Boleshevism and do what is in their power to check it, which means another war between the Allies and Russia. Because of the peace that has been existing between Japan and Russia, they say that the former will help the latter, if help has been sought for the war.

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"ملف 7 28/III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٢٦] (١٥٤/٤)



"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٣و] (١٥٤/٥)

Telegram Q
From Political Agent, Bahrain
To. Political Resident, at Shiraz
No. 754
Dated 26th August 1944.

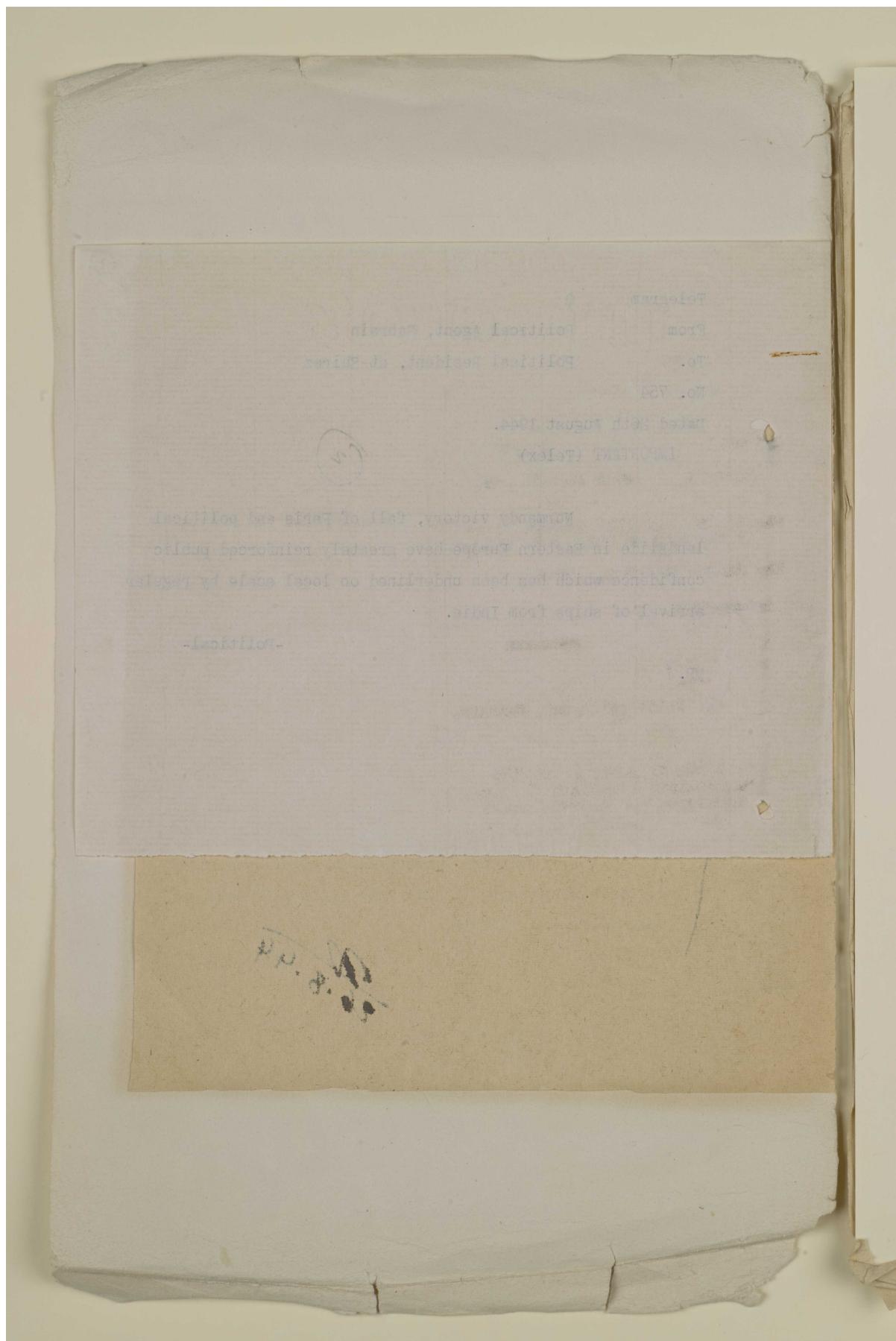
IMPORTANT (Telex)

Normandy victory, fall of Paris and political landslide in Eastern Europe have greatly reinforced public confidence which has been underlined on local scale by regular arrival of ships from India.

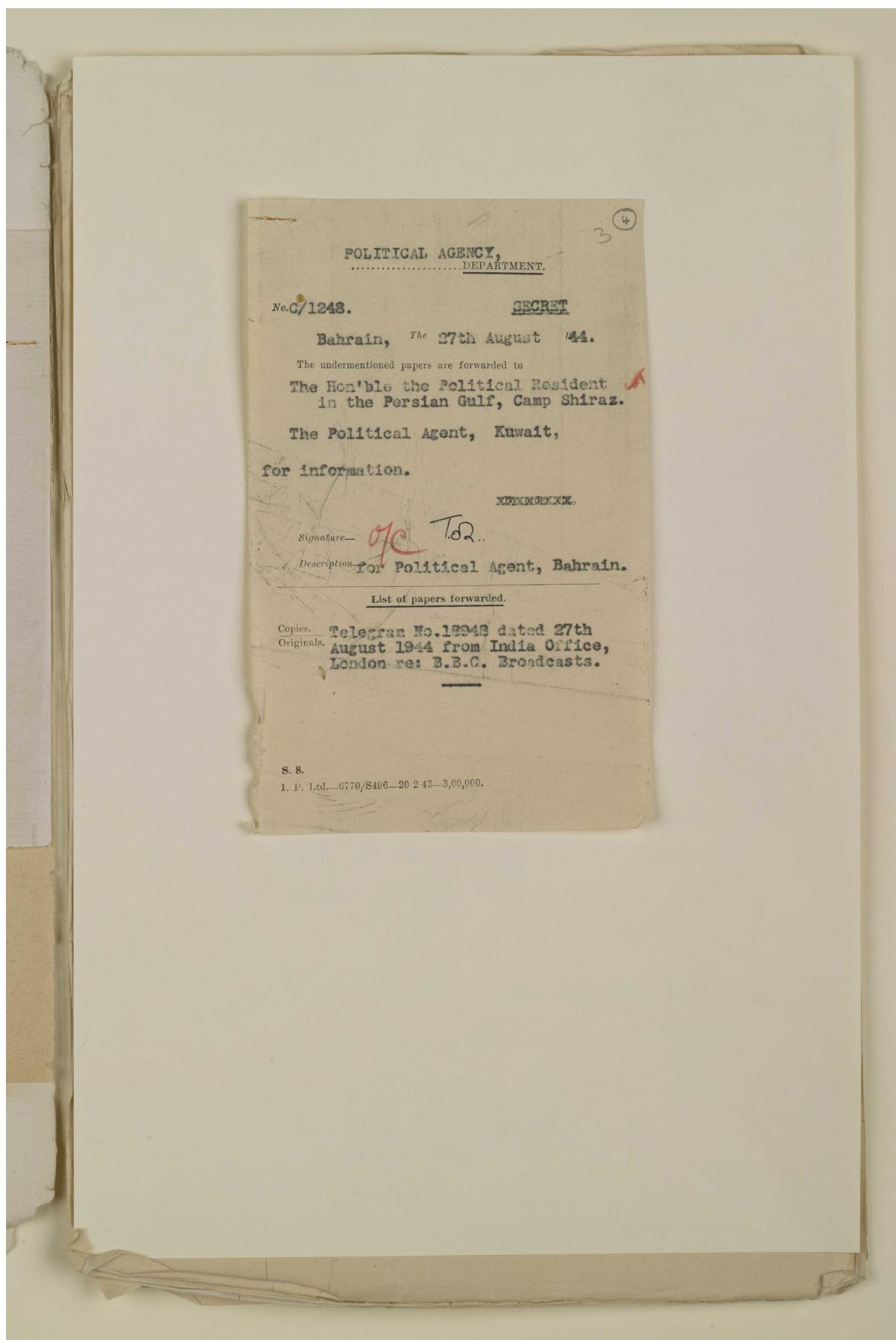
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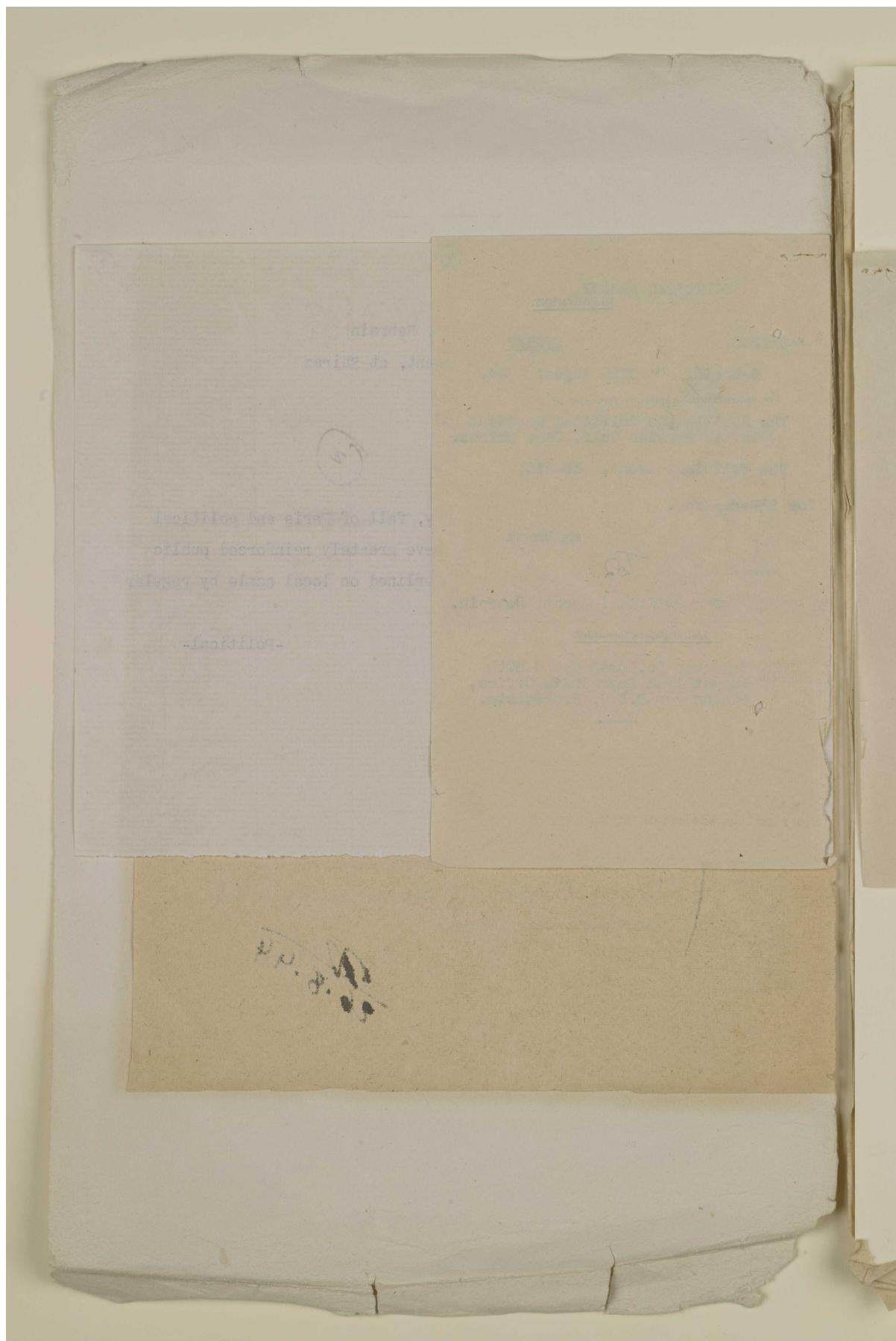
"ملف 7 28/III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٣٣] (٦/١٥٤)



"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٤٦] (١٥٤/٧)



"ملف 7 28/III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٤٤] [١٥٤/٨]



"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٥٥] (١٥٤/٩)

Telegram XXX
From India Office, London
To Political Agent, Bahrain
No. 18948
Dated 27th August 1944.

IMMEDIATE

Your telegram EMPAK 316* Circular August 26th.

Following from Broadcasting Division.

We expect that in the immediate future the B.B.C. Overseas and European services will lose considerable number of short wave programmes for operational reasons.

2. Main (Mut.) (Mut.) of loss will be borne by Overseas English, i.e., Pacific, African, North American Services, but other Overseas Services and European Blue Net Work will be affected.

3. We shall be unlikely to be able to warn you in advance of programmes affected, nor do we expect trailing, but if you find yourself completely lost please inform us and we will try to help.

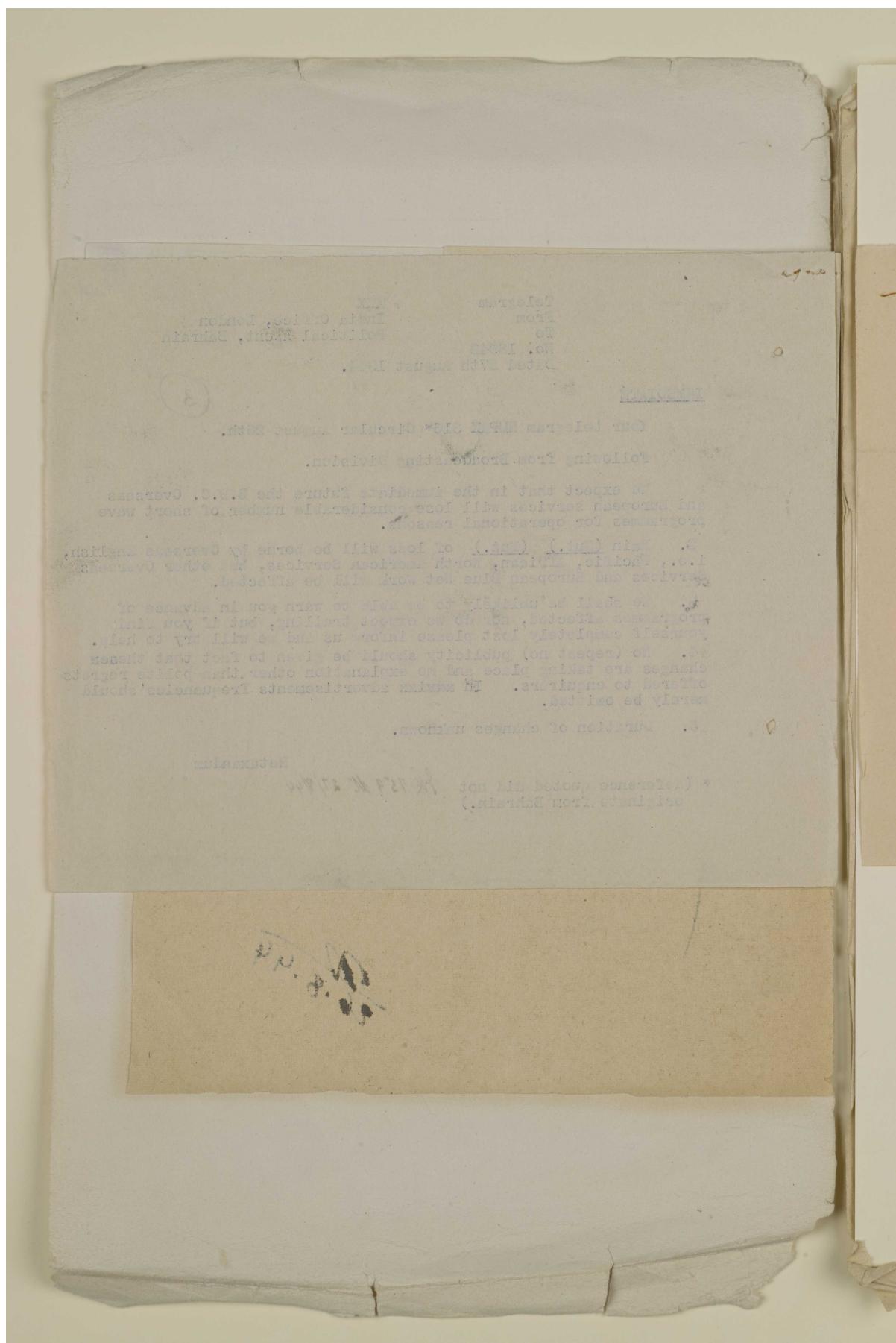
4. No (repeat no) publicity should be given to fact that these changes are taking place and no explanation other than polite regrets offered to enquirers. In ~~advertisements~~ advertisements frequencies should merely be omitted.

5. Duration of changes unknown.

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* (Reference quoted did not originate from Bahrain.)

"ملف 7/28/III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٥٥] (١٥٤/١٠)



"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٦٥] (١٥٤/١١)

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PUBLIC OPINION.

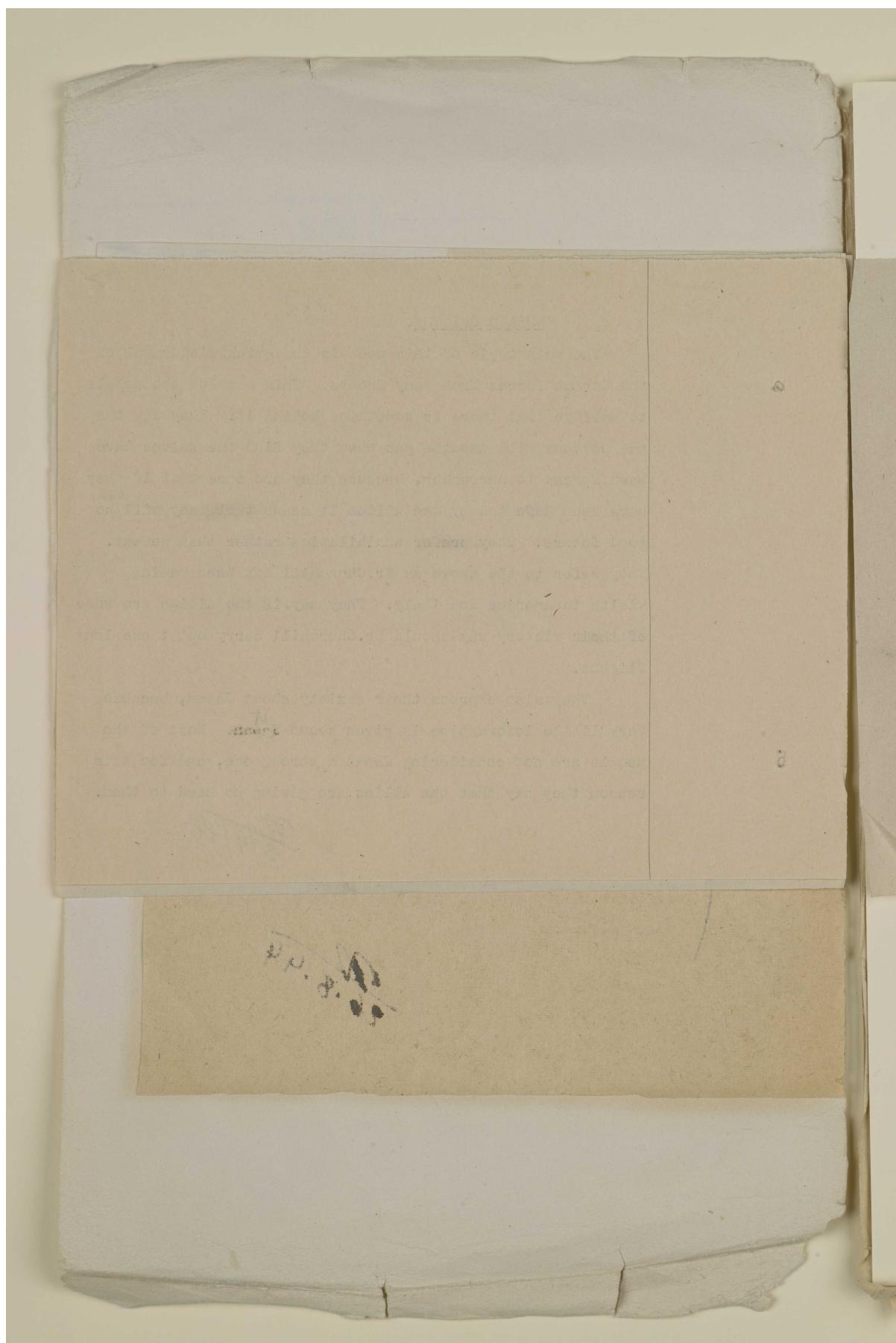
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The main topic of this week is the quick withdrawal of the German forces from many fronts. This has led the people to believe that there is something behind it. They say that the Germans will use the gas when they find themselves have been forced to surrender, because they are sure that if they have been defeated by the Allies it means that they will ~~have~~ no good future. They prefer annihilation rather than defeat. They refer to the above as Mr.Churchill has been making visits to America and Italy. They say if the Allies are sure of their victory why should Mr.Churchill carry out these long flights.

They also express their anxiety about Japan, because very little information is given about ~~Japan~~ ^{it}. Most of the people are not considering Japan a strong one, and for this reason they say that the Allies are giving no heed to them.

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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٦٥] (١٤١٢)



"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٧٦] (١٥٤/١٣)

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Telegram Q
From Political Agent, Bahrain
To. Political Resident, at Shiraz
No. 793
Dated 3rd September 1944.

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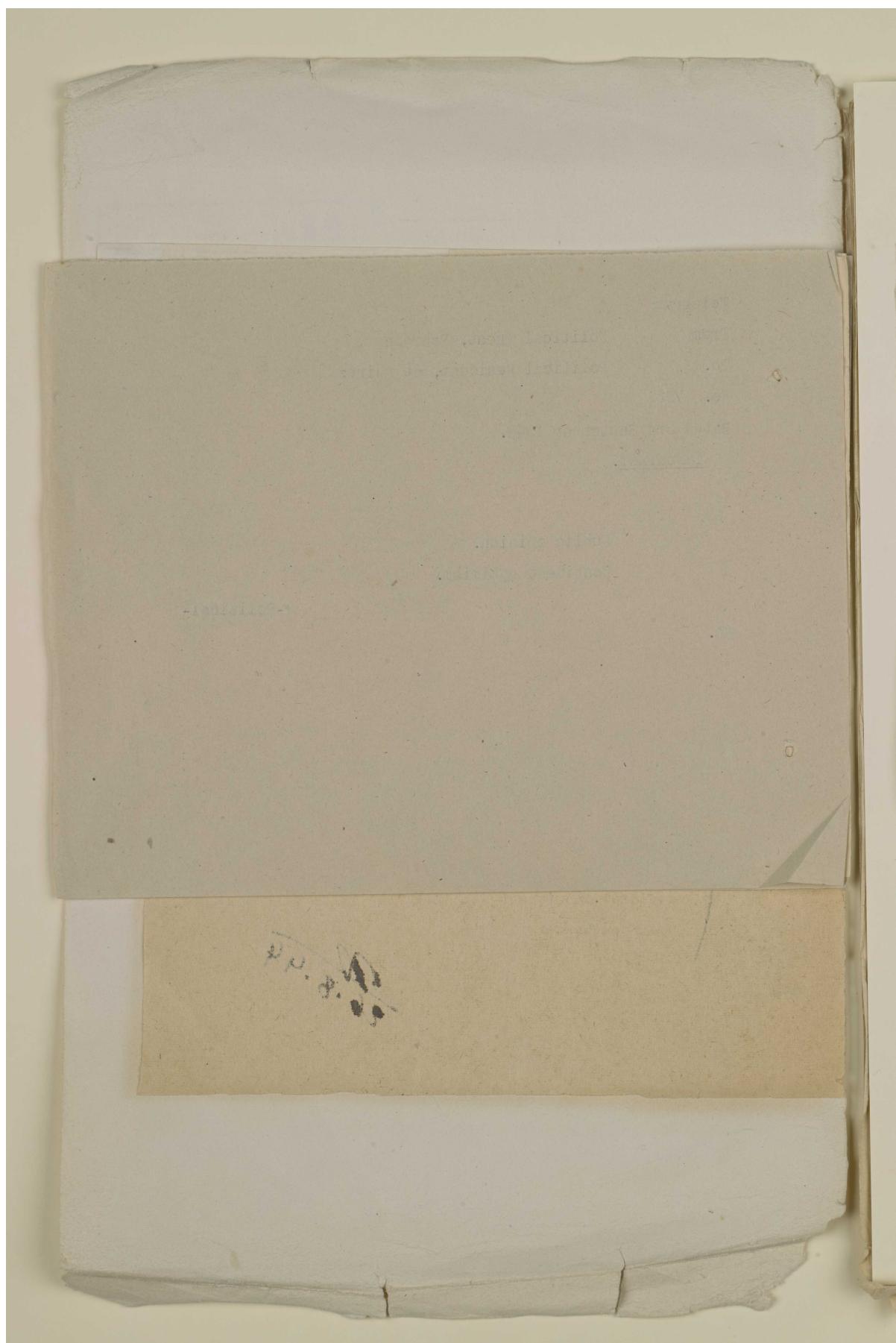
Public opinion.

Confident optimism.

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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٧٧] [١٤/١٥٤]



"ملف 7/28/III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٨٠] (١٥٤/١٥)

PUBLIC OPINION

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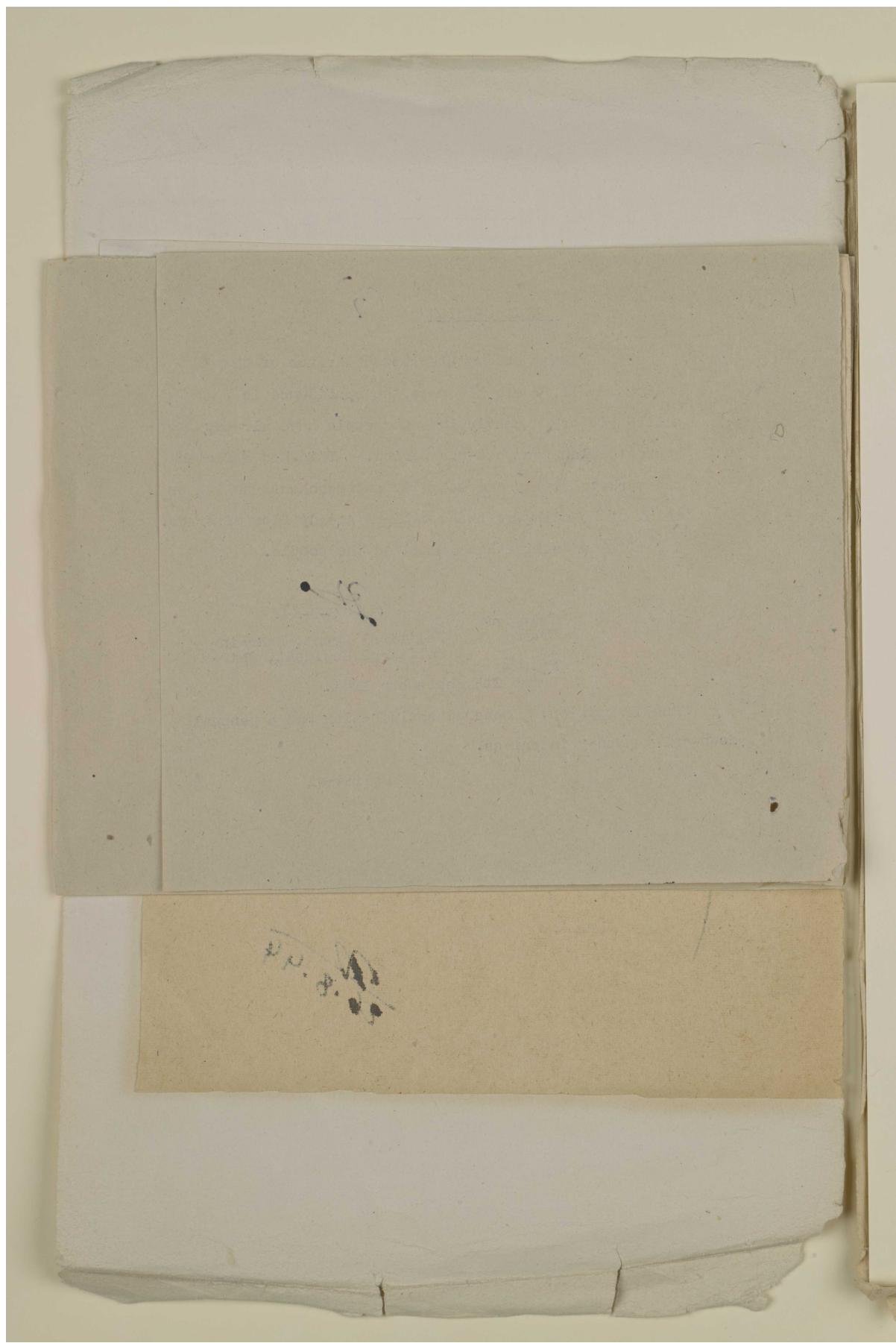
The steady and uninterrupted advance of the Allies on all fronts has made the confidence in Allied victory a conviction and people have already begun to plan for post-war period. This has affected the markets slowly and steadily and merchants no longer think of hoarding as there will be steady flow of trade. A feeling of relief has dawned on the people.

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Telegram, Q
From Political Agent, Bahrain
To Political Resident, Shiraz
No.824
Dated 9th September 1944.

Public opinion. General satisfaction and a general downward tendency in prices.

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PUBLIC OPINION.

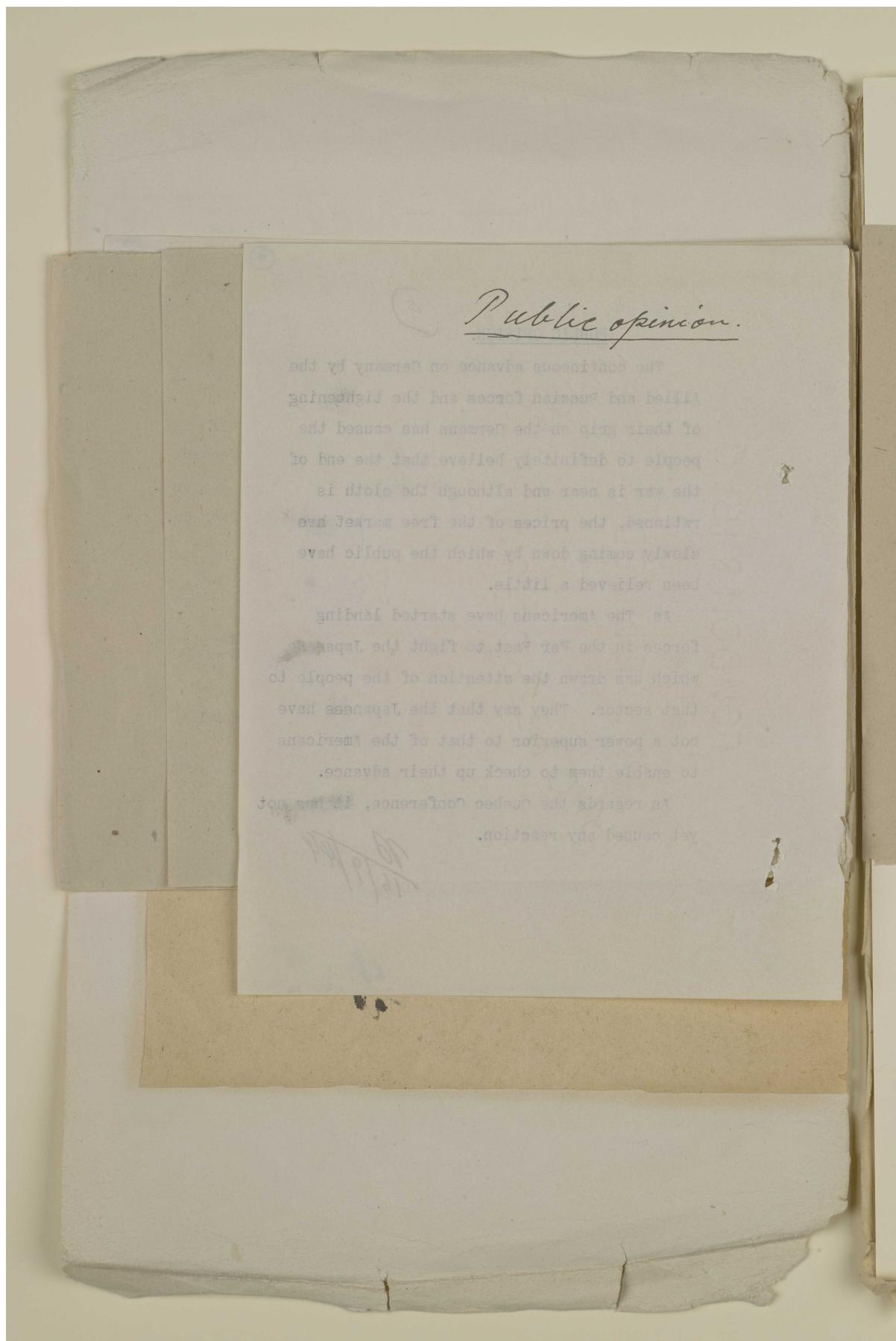
The continuous advance on Germany by the Allied and Russian forces and the tightening of their grip on the Germans has caused the people to definitely believe that the end of the war is near and although the cloth is rationed, the prices of the free market are slowly coming down by which the public have been relieved a little.

As the Americans have started landing forces in the Far East, to fight the Japanese which has drawn the attention of the people to that sector. They say that the Japanese have not a power superior to that of the Americans to enable them to check up their advance.

As regards the Quebec Conference, it has not yet caused any reaction.

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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٦٩ ظ] (١٥٤/١٨)



"ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [١٠ و] [١٥٤/١٩]

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Telegram

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From

Political Agent, Bahrain

To

Political Resident at Shiraz

No. 845

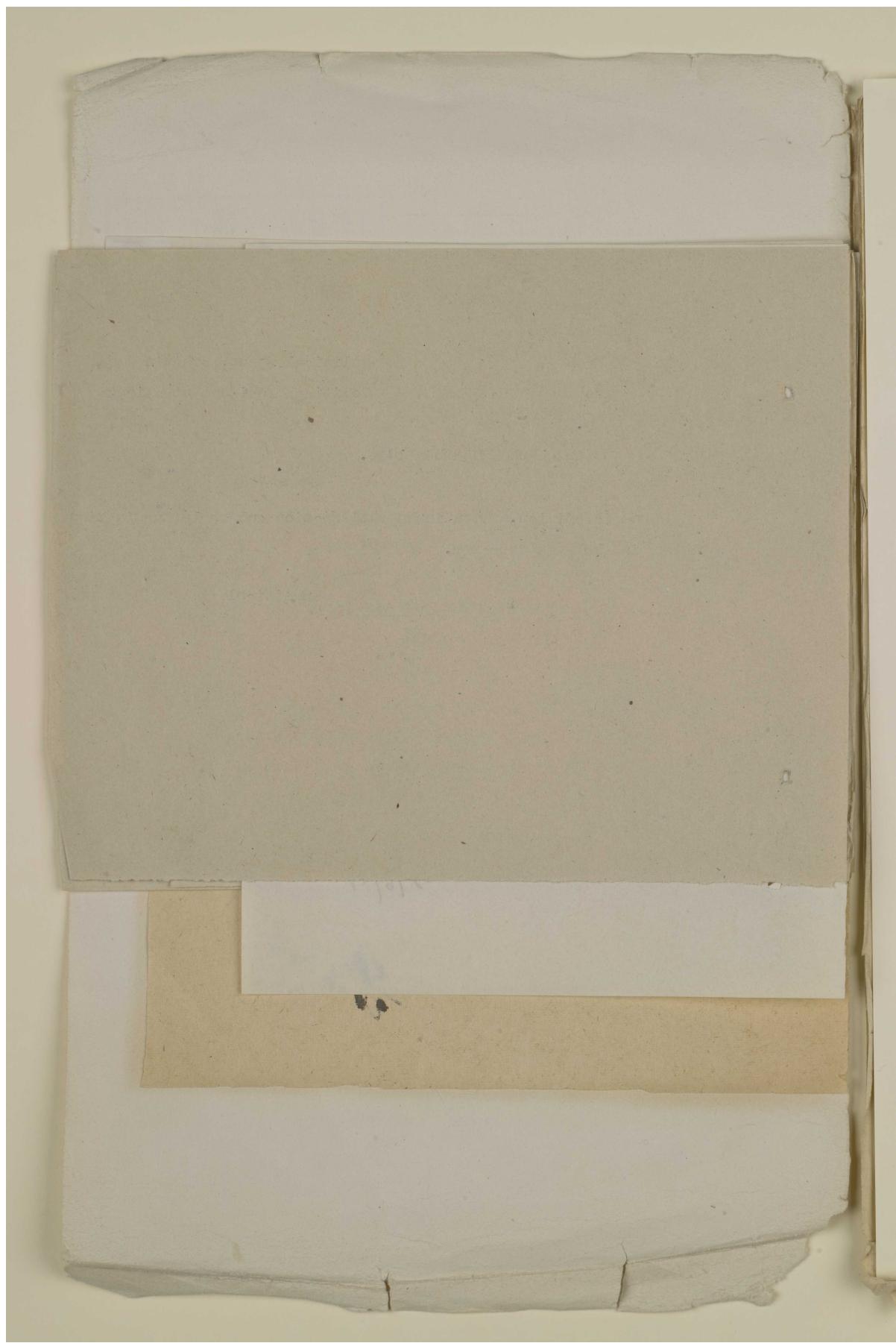
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Dated 16th September 1944.

Public opinion. Continued satisfaction and early termination
of war in the West expected.

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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [١٠] [٢٠/١٥٤]



"ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [١١ و] [٢١/١٥٤]

PUBLIC OPINION.

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This week the public are commenting on the advance of the Russians in the Balkan States. They say that if the Russians have completed the occupation of the Balkan States, Turkey will be in danger of the Russians. The latter want to occupy the Dardanelle Straits, so they will encroach on Turkey although she is in alliance with the British and Americans.

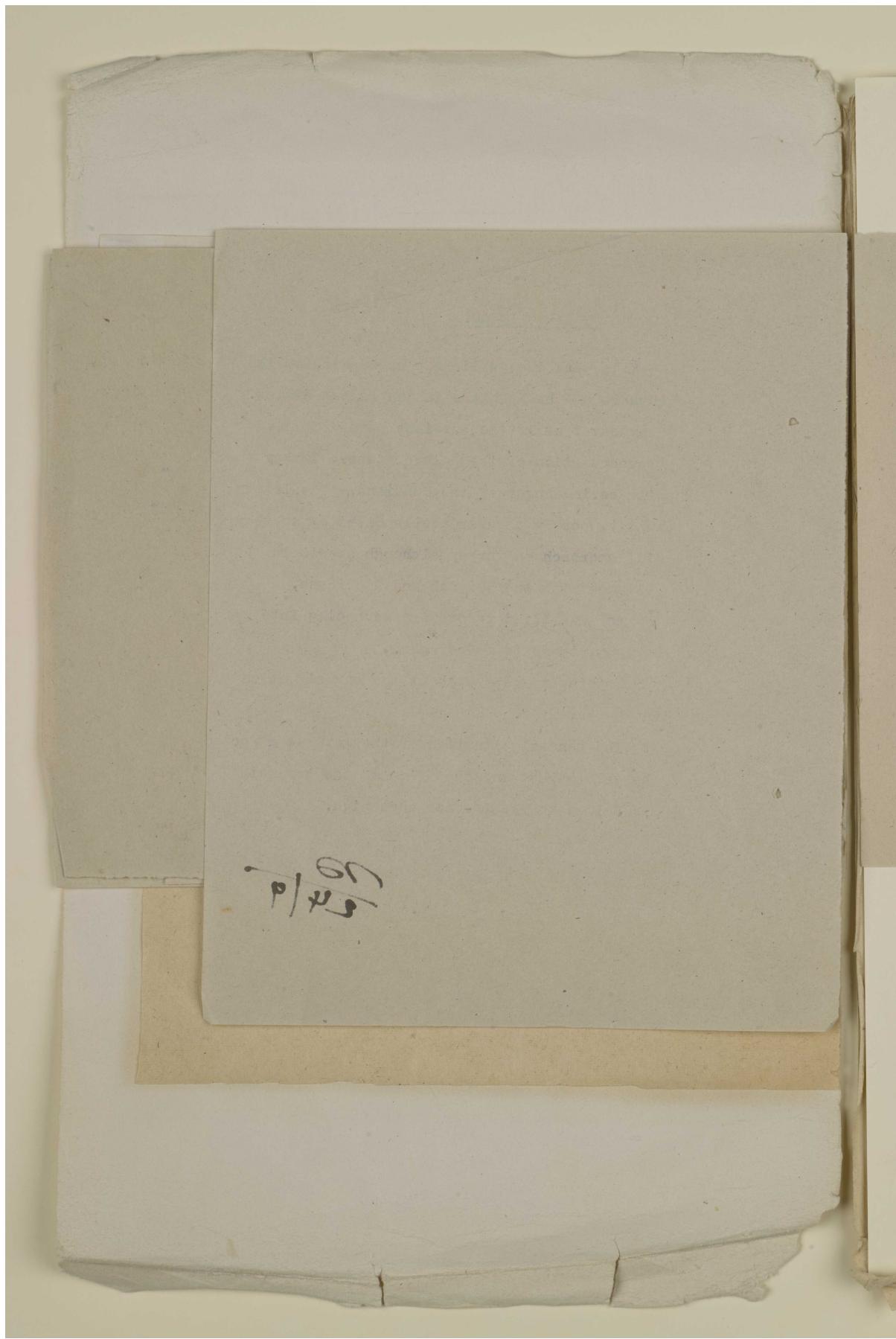
As the Allied troops are advancing into Germany, there is no comment.

Nothing to report about the war situation in the Far East.

The general situation of the war has affected the gold market and the price of the sovereign has fallen to Rs.55/- per sovereign.

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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [١١٦] [٢٢/١٥٤]



"ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [١٢ و] [٢٣/١٥٤]

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Telegram Q.

From Political Agent, Bahrain.

To Political Resident at Shiraz.

No. 870.

Dated the 24th September 1944.

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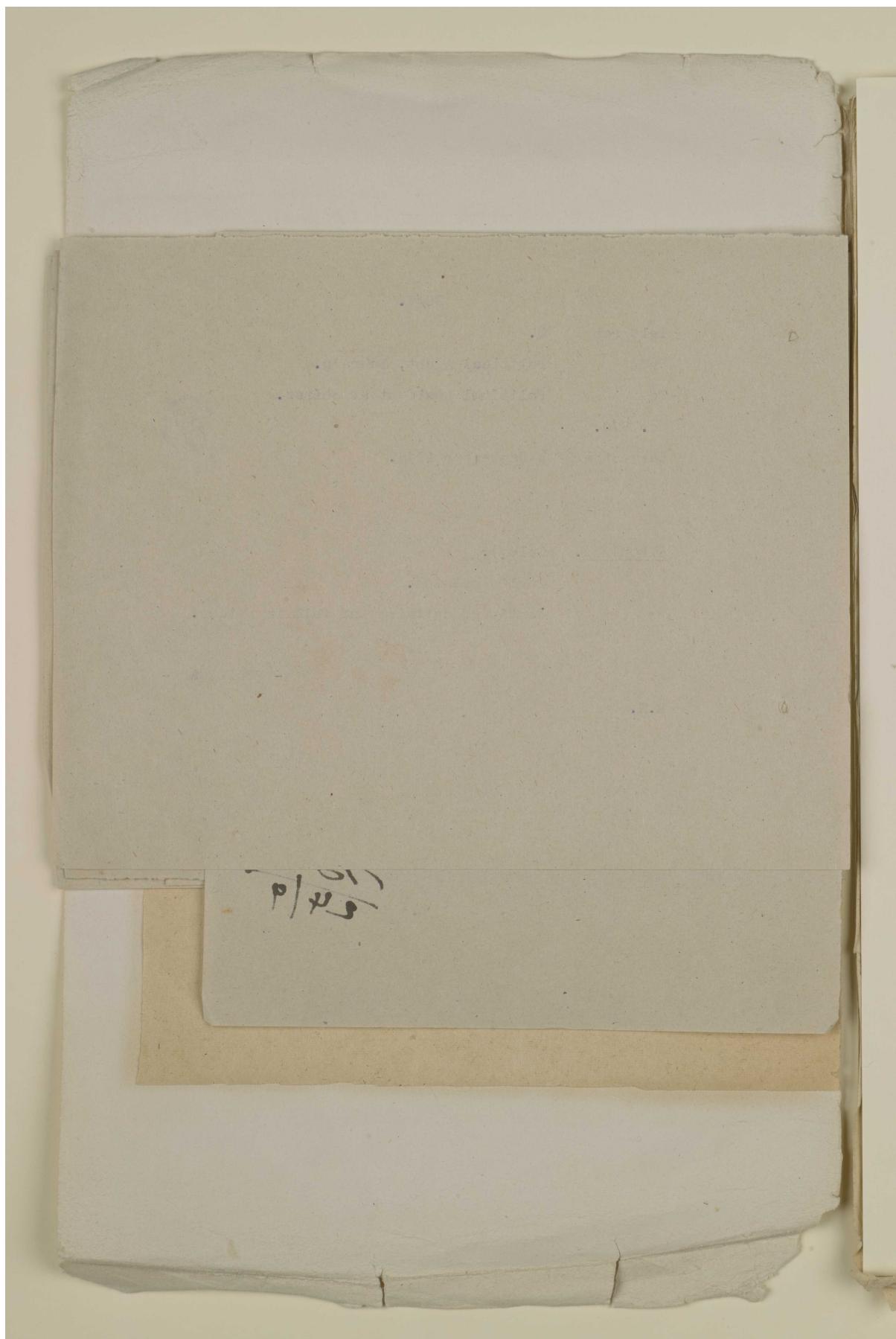
Public opinion.

Continued optimism and fall in prices.

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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [١٢٦] [١٥٤/٢٤]



" ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [١٣ و] [١٥٤/٢٥] (١٥٤)

PUBLIC OPINION.

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The main topic this week has been on the withdrawal of the British forces in Holland. The people say that if the Germans continue to show such resistance, the war needs one further year to finish in Europe.

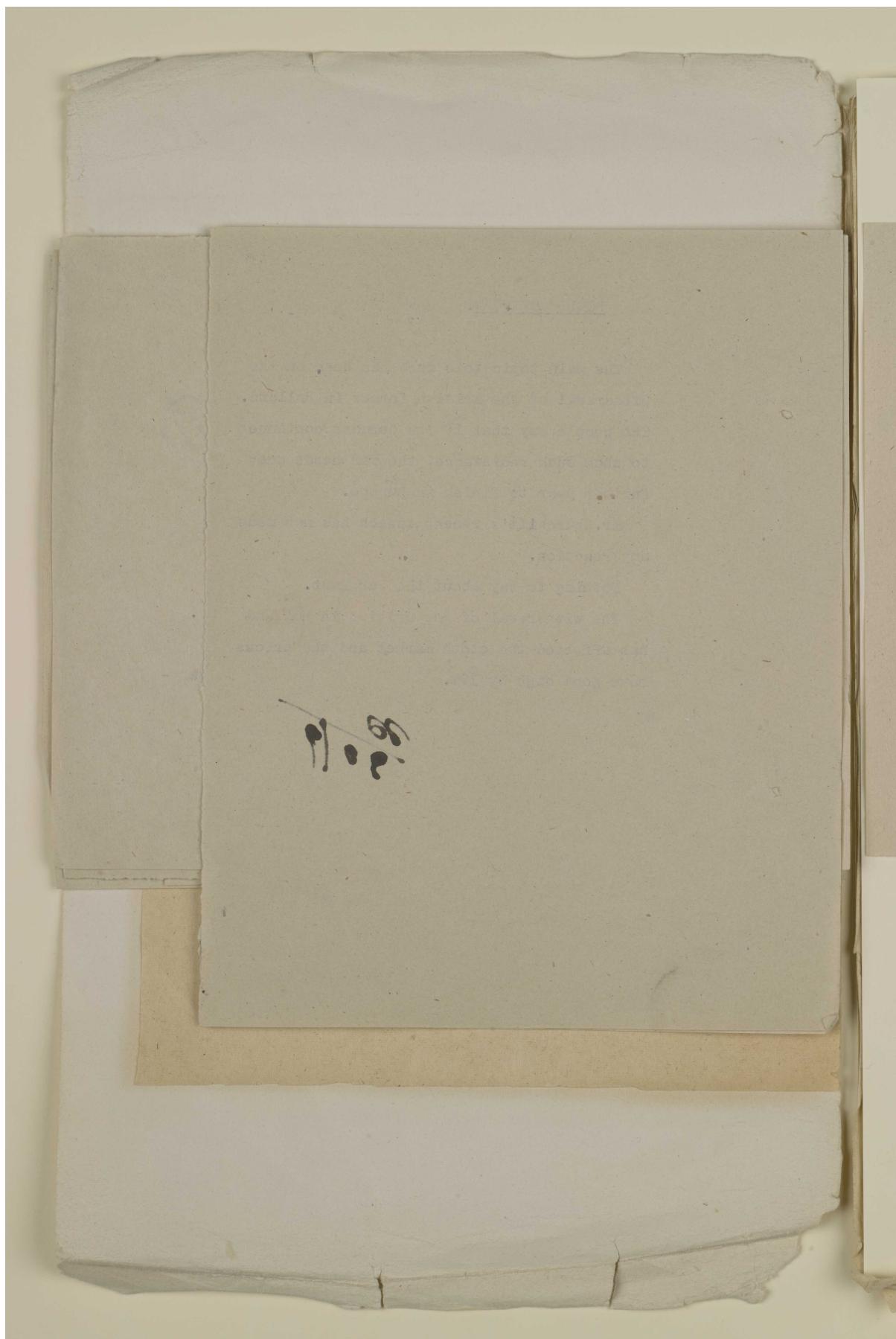
Mr.Churchill's recent speech has not made any reaction.

Nothing to say about the Far East.

The withdrawal of the British in Holland has affected the cloth market and the prices have gone high by 10%.

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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [١٣٦] [٢٦/١٥٤]



"ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٤١ و ٢٧] (١٥٤/٢٧)

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Telegram Q.
From Political Agent, Bahrain.
To Political Resident at Shiraz.
No. 890.
Dated the 30th September, 1944.

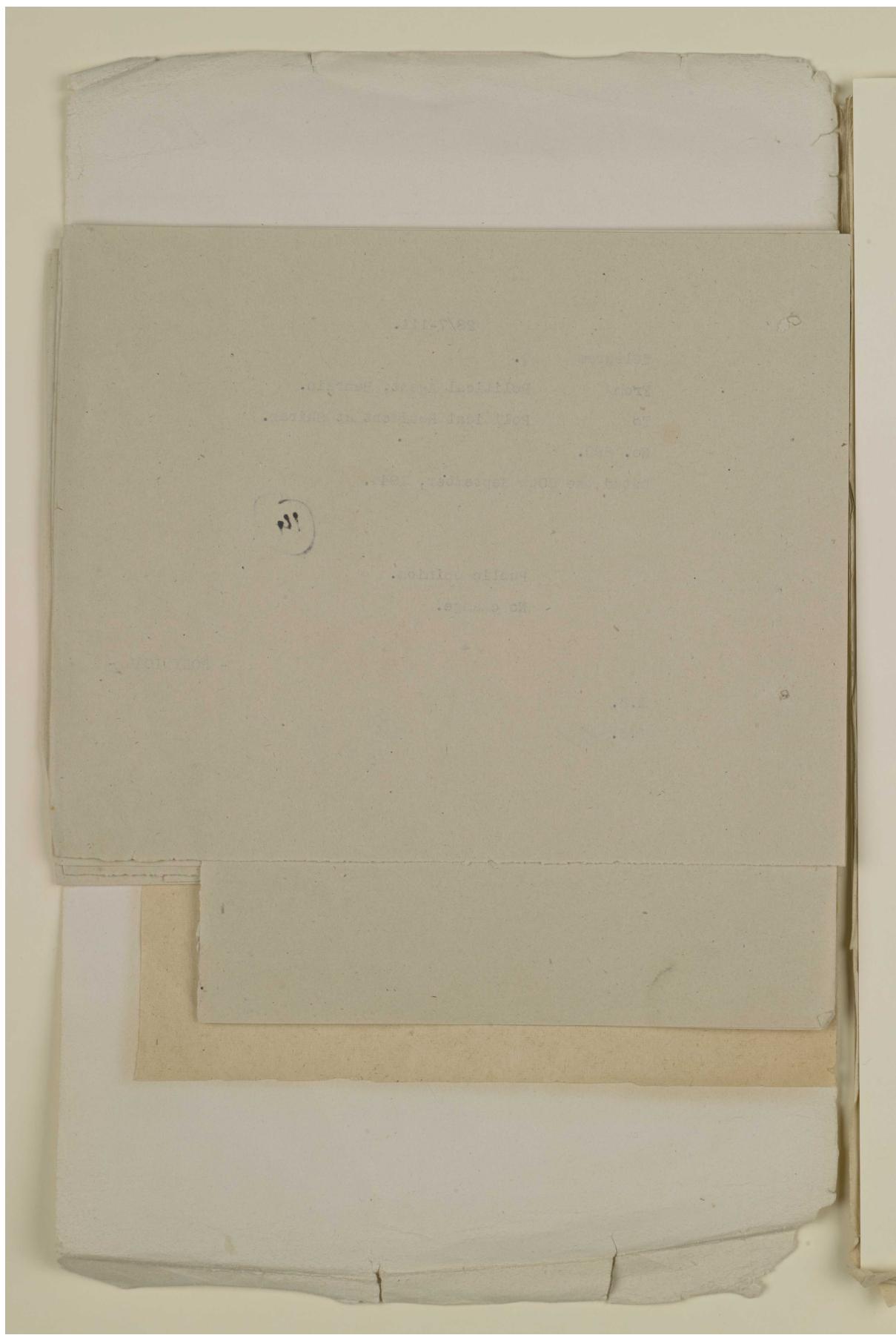
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Public opinion.
No change.

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" ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [١٥٤/٢٩] (١٥٤)

PUBLIC OPINION.

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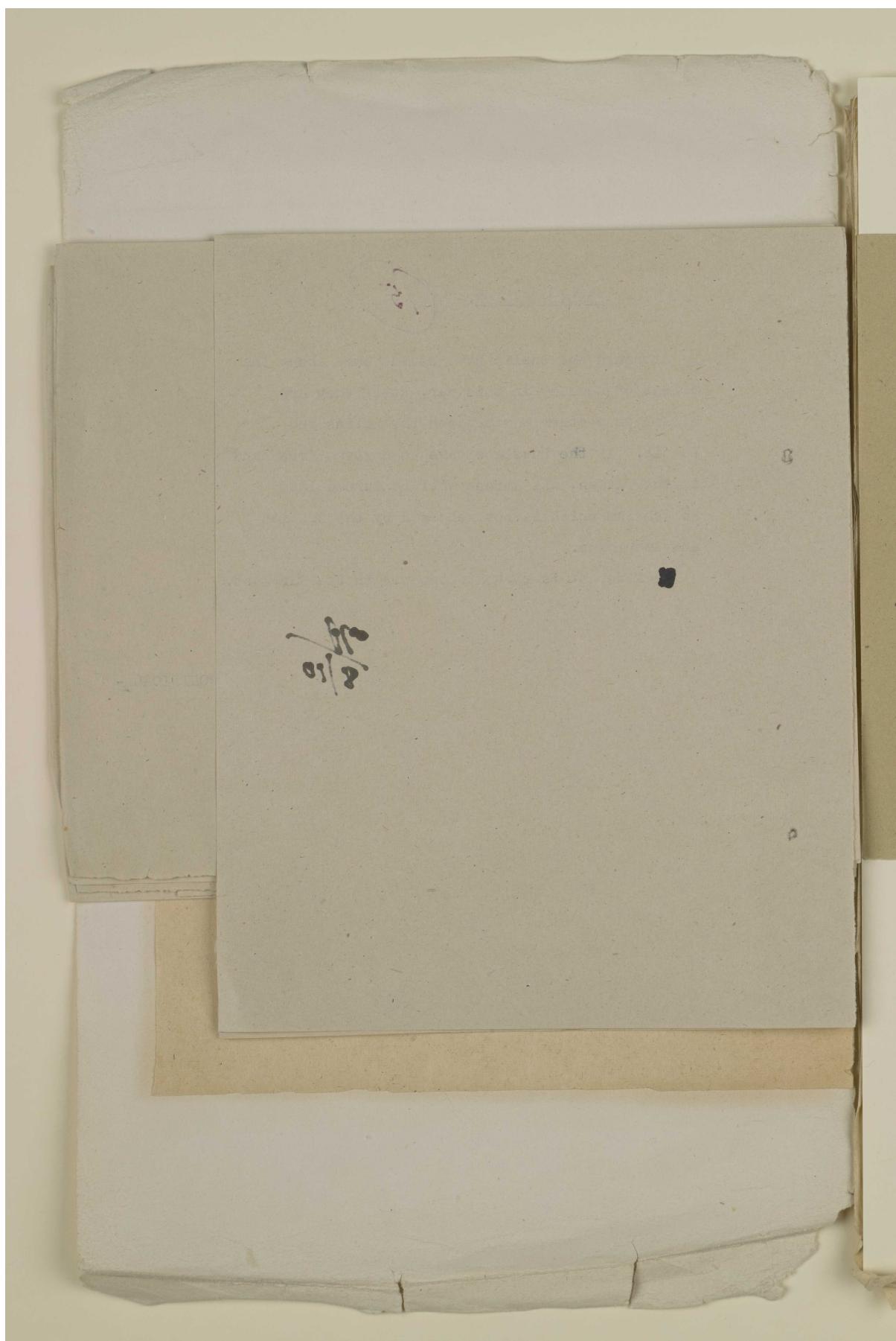
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Although the public have become sure about the defeat of Germany in this war, still they are afraid of another war between the Allies and Russia. If the Russians have been given free hand in the Balkan, all Europe will be turned into Boleshevism which is not welcomed by the British and Americans.

Interest is given to the war in the Far East.

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"ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [١٦٥] (٣١/١٥٤)

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28/7-iii.

Telegram Q.

From Political Agent, Bahrain.

To Britconsul, Bushire.

No. 917.

Dated the 8th October, 1944.

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Public opinion.

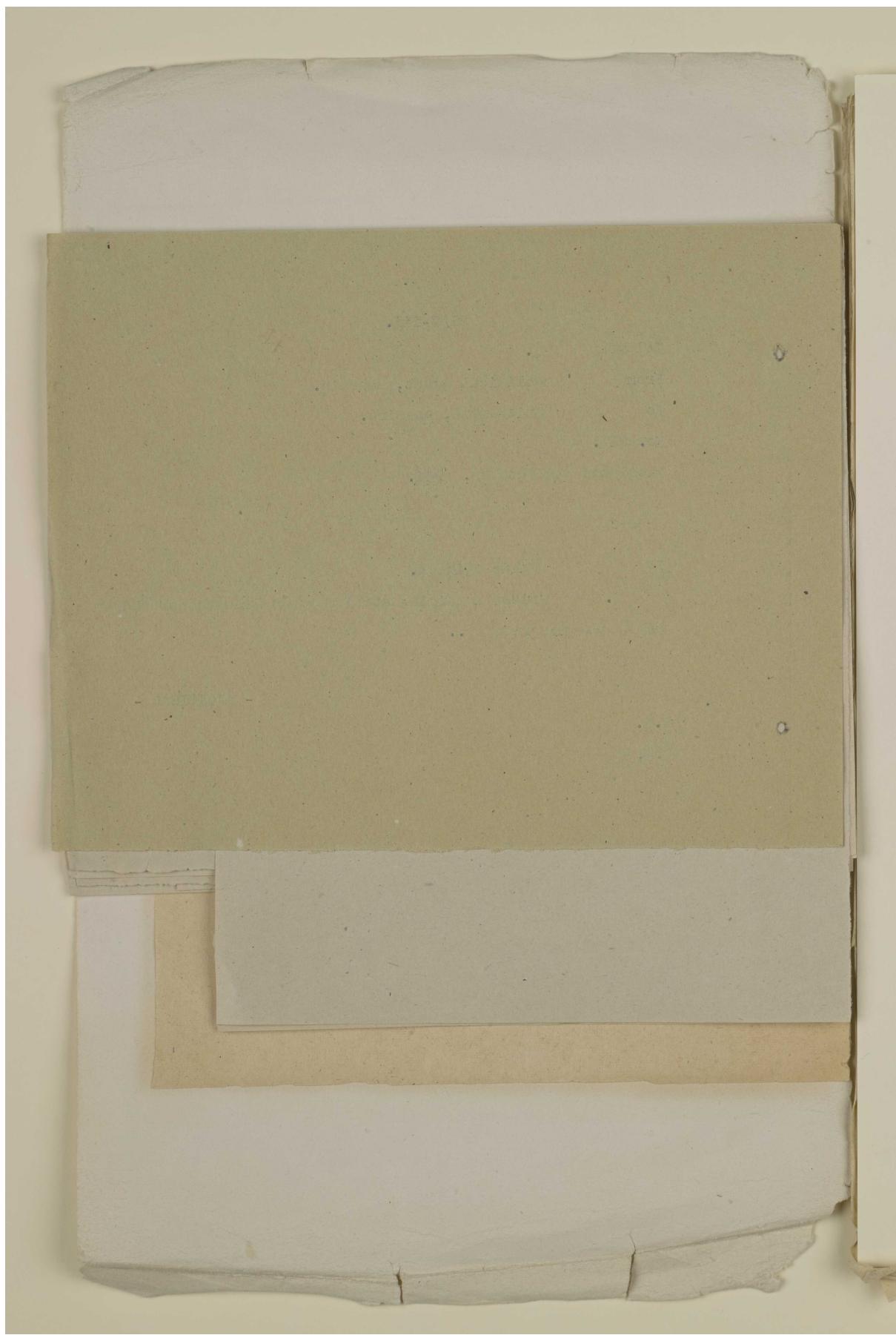
2. Prices remaining stationary as prospect of sudden end to the war recedes..

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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٦١٦] [٣٢/١٥٤]



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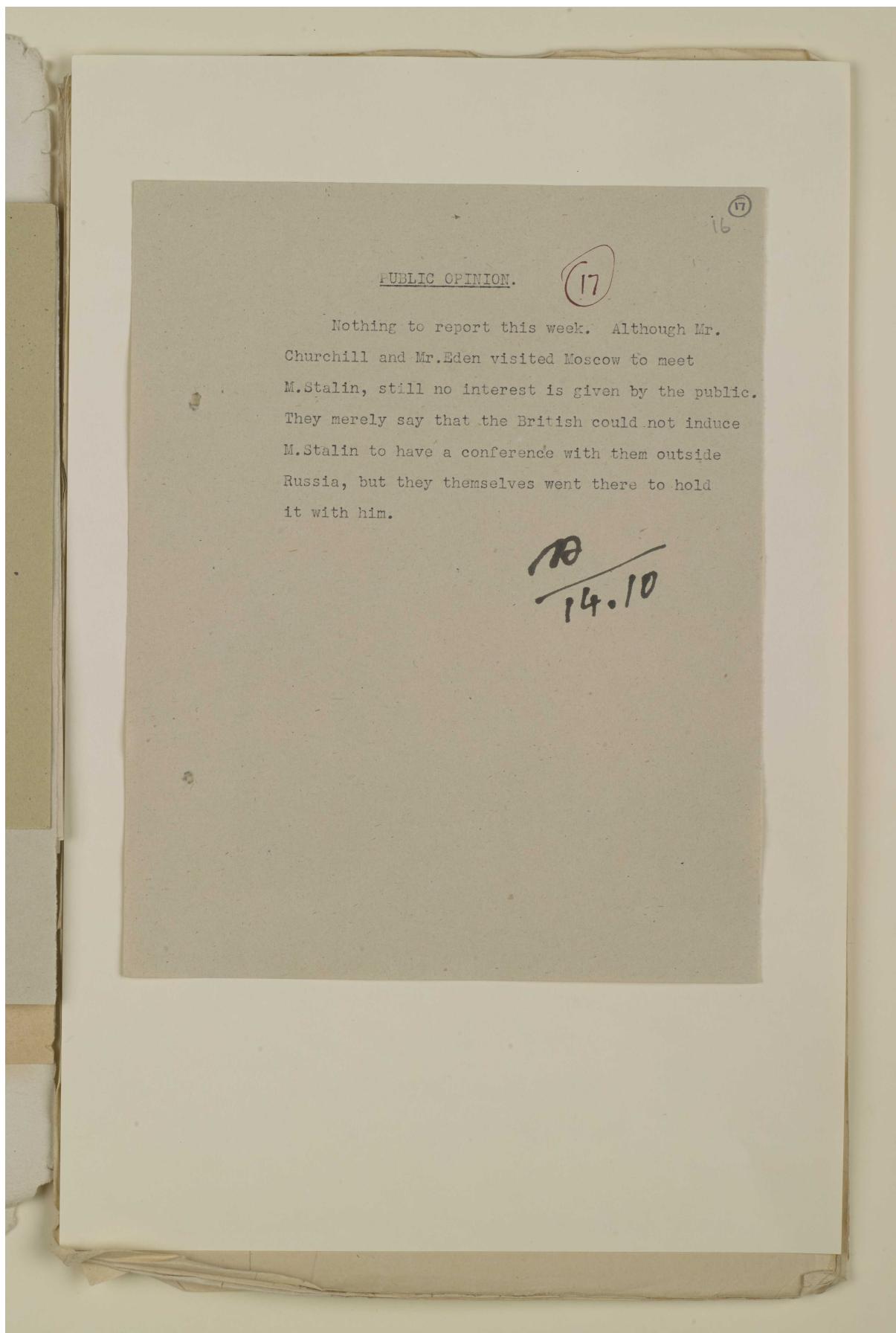
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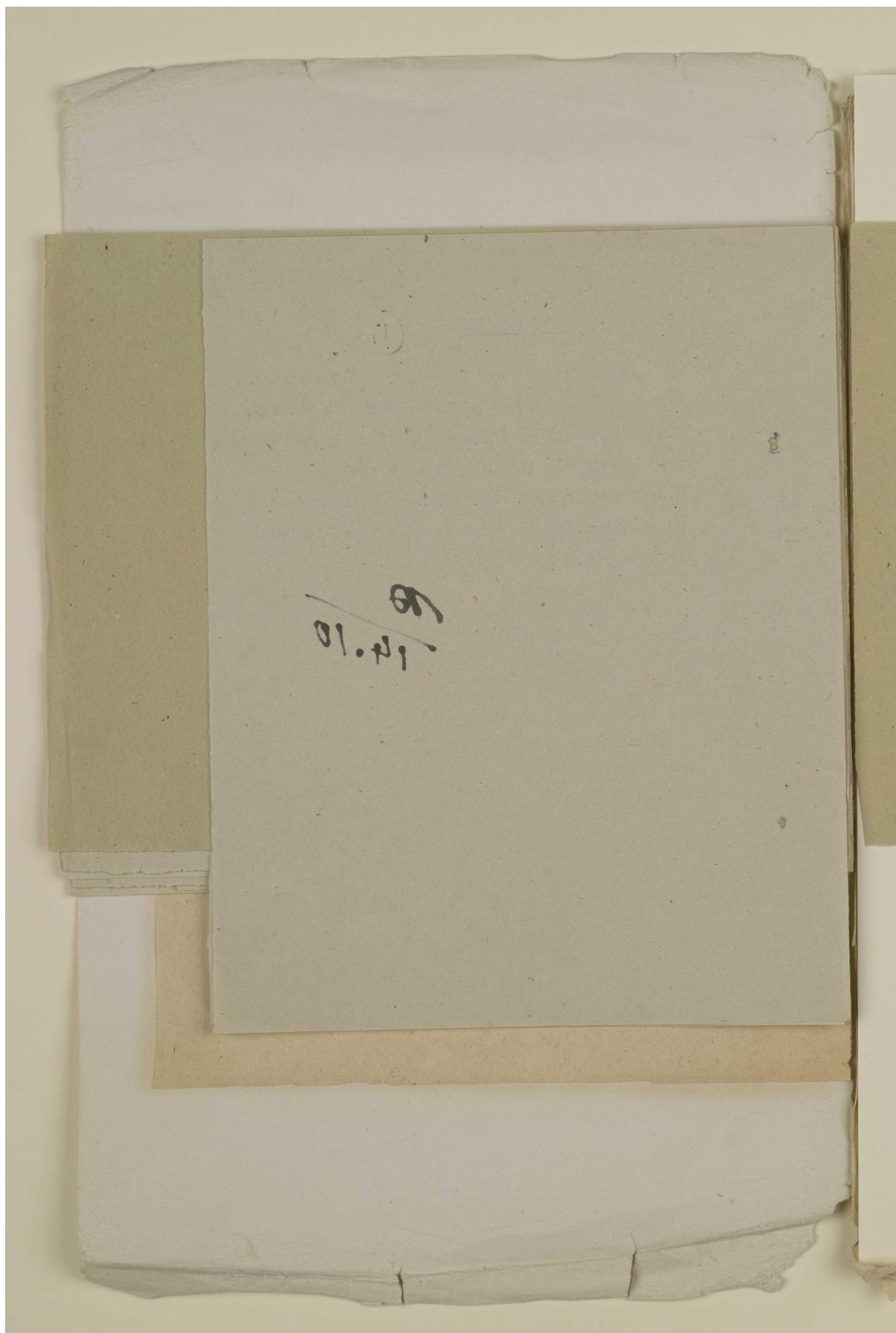
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Nothing to report this week. Although Mr. Churchill and Mr. Eden visited Moscow to meet M. Stalin, still no interest is given by the public. They merely say that the British could not induce M. Stalin to have a conference with them outside Russia, but they themselves went there to hold it with him.

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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [١٧٦] [٣٤/١٥٤]



"ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [١٨١و] [٣٥/١٥٤]

28/7-iii.

Telegram Q.
From Political Agent, Bahrain.
To Political Resident, Bushire.
No. 946.
Dated the 15th October, 1944.

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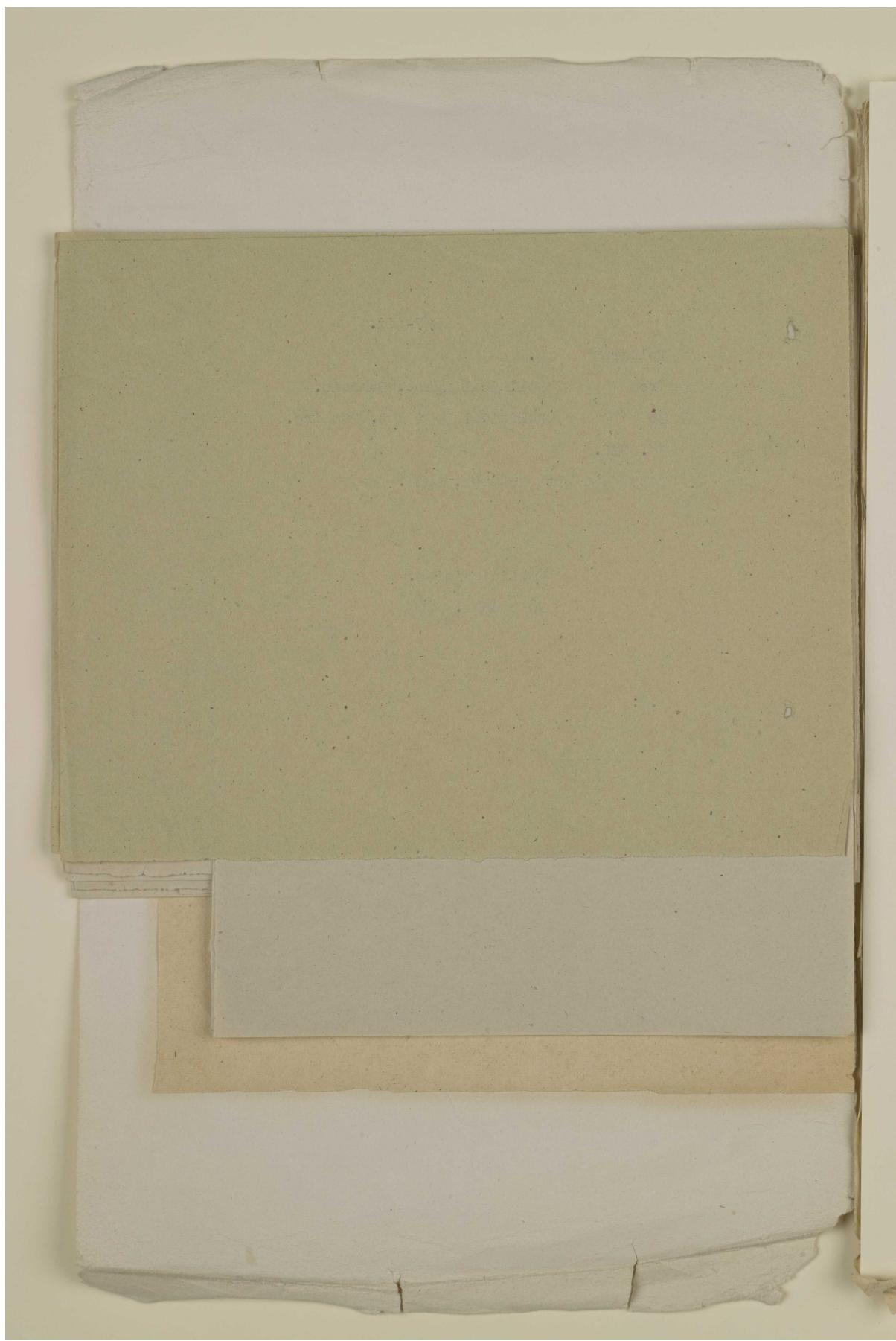
Public opinion.

No change.

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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعية العامة" [١٨٦] [٣٦/١٥٤]



" ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [١٩٦٠] (٣٧/١٥٤)

PUBLIC OPINION.

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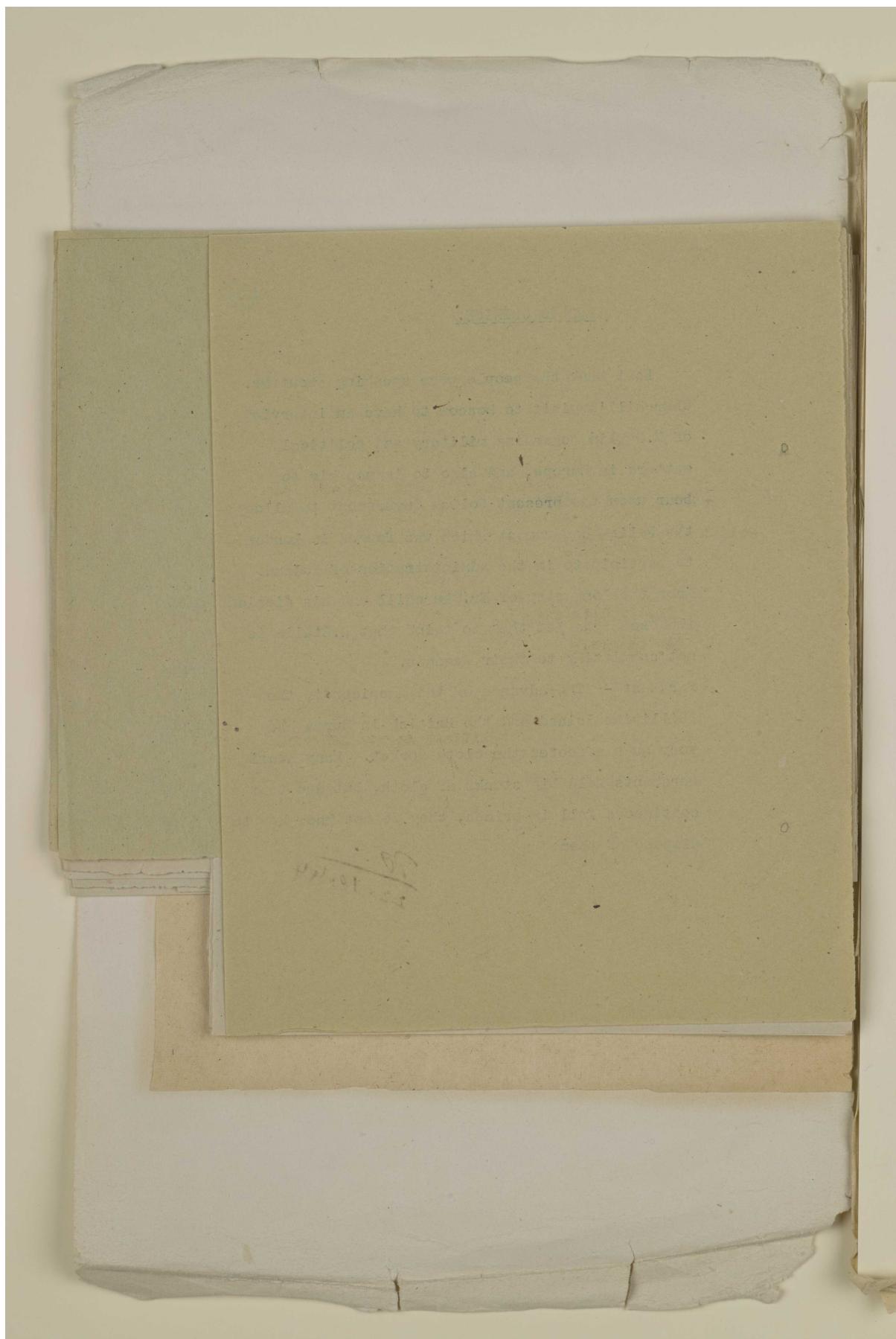
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Last week the people were speaking about Mr. Churchill's visit to Moscow to have an interview of M. Stalin regarding military and political matters in Europe, and also to induce him to bear upon the present Polish Government to allow the Polish Government which was formed in London to participate in the administration of Poland. From the long stay of Mr. Churchill and his mission in Moscow has led them to think that M. Stalin is not submitting to their demands.

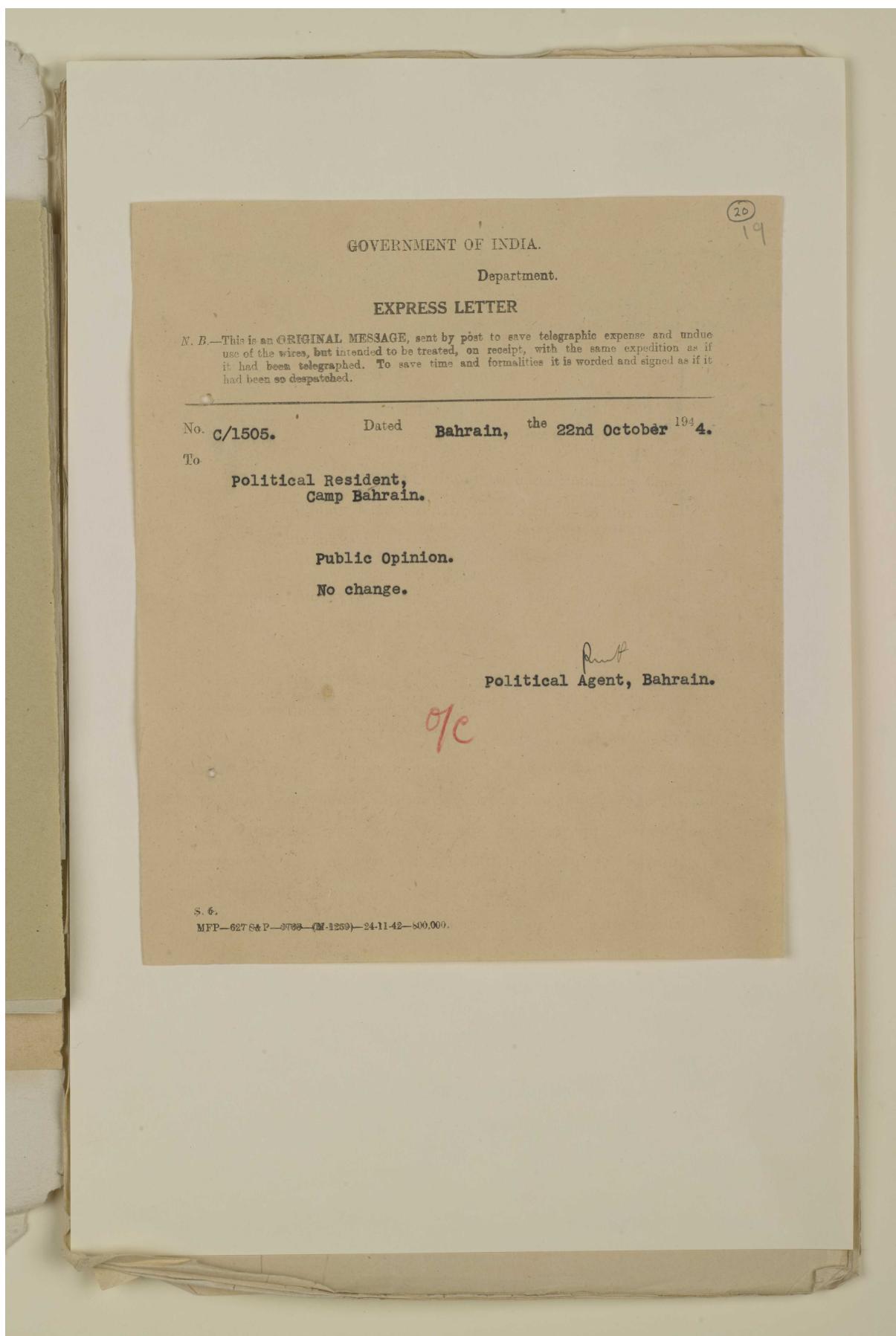
Far East - The advance of the Americans in the Phillipine Islands and the British in Burma has very much affected the cloth market. Many Awazi merchants hold big stocks of cloth, but due to the continuous fall in prices, they do not know how to dispose of them.

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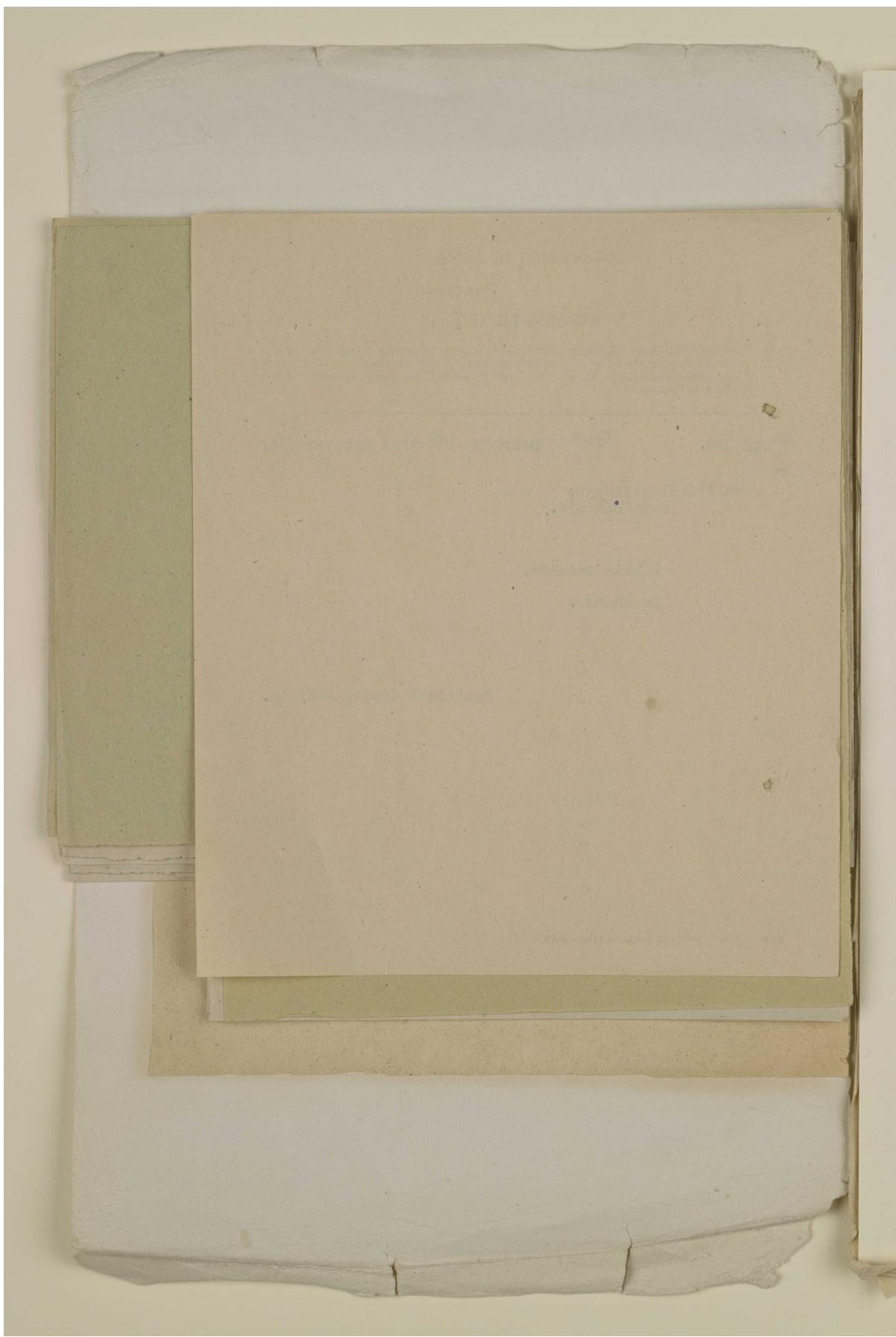
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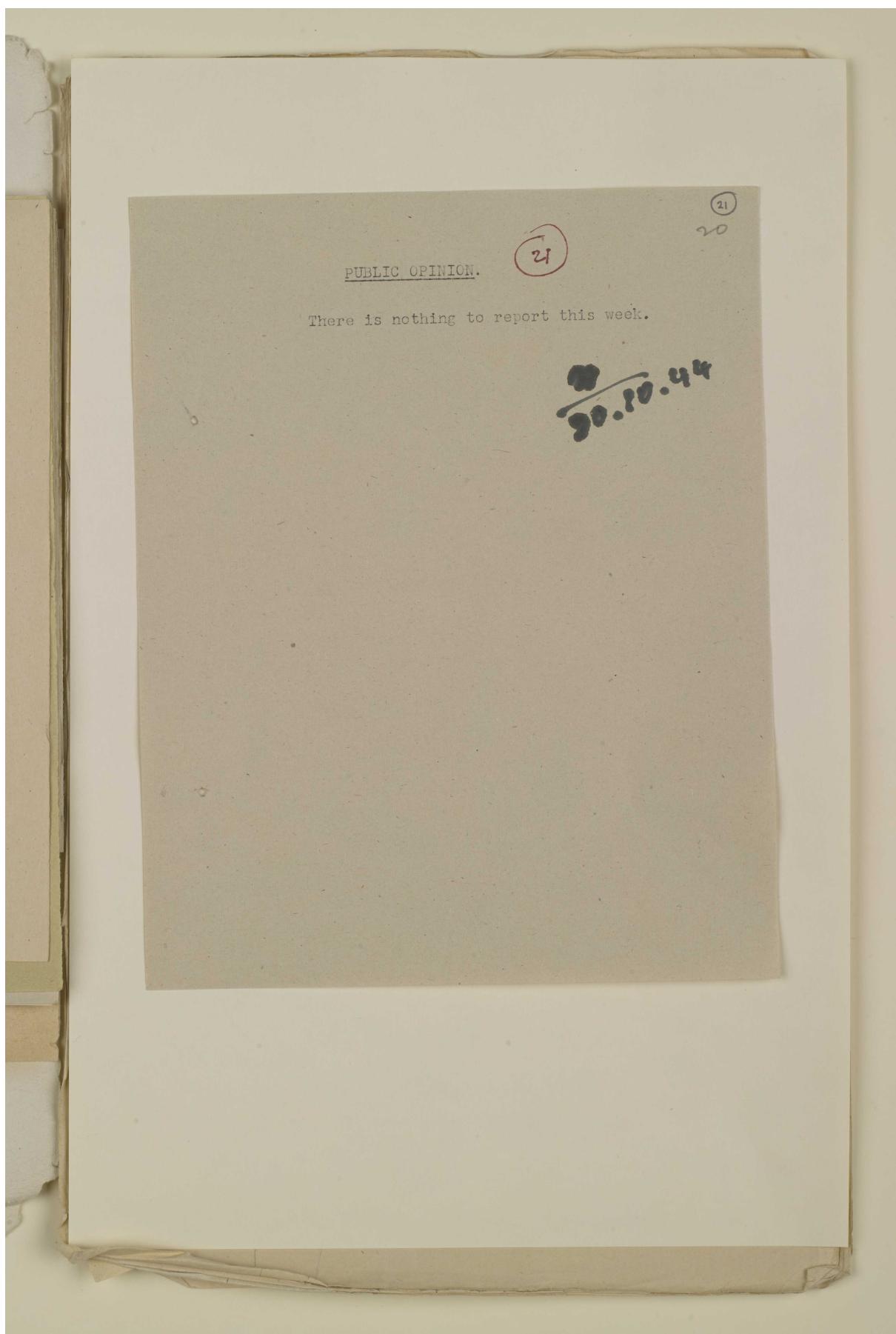
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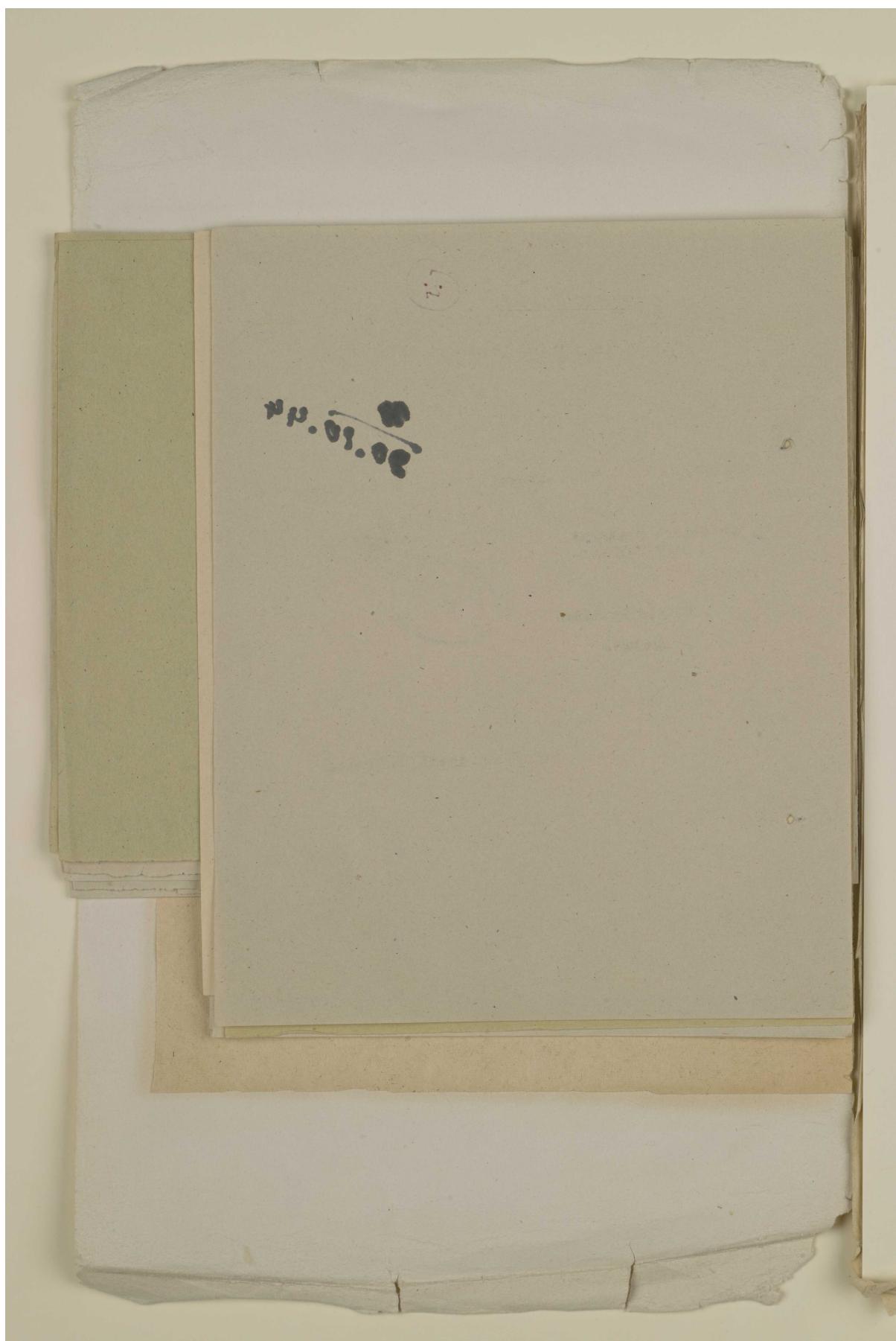


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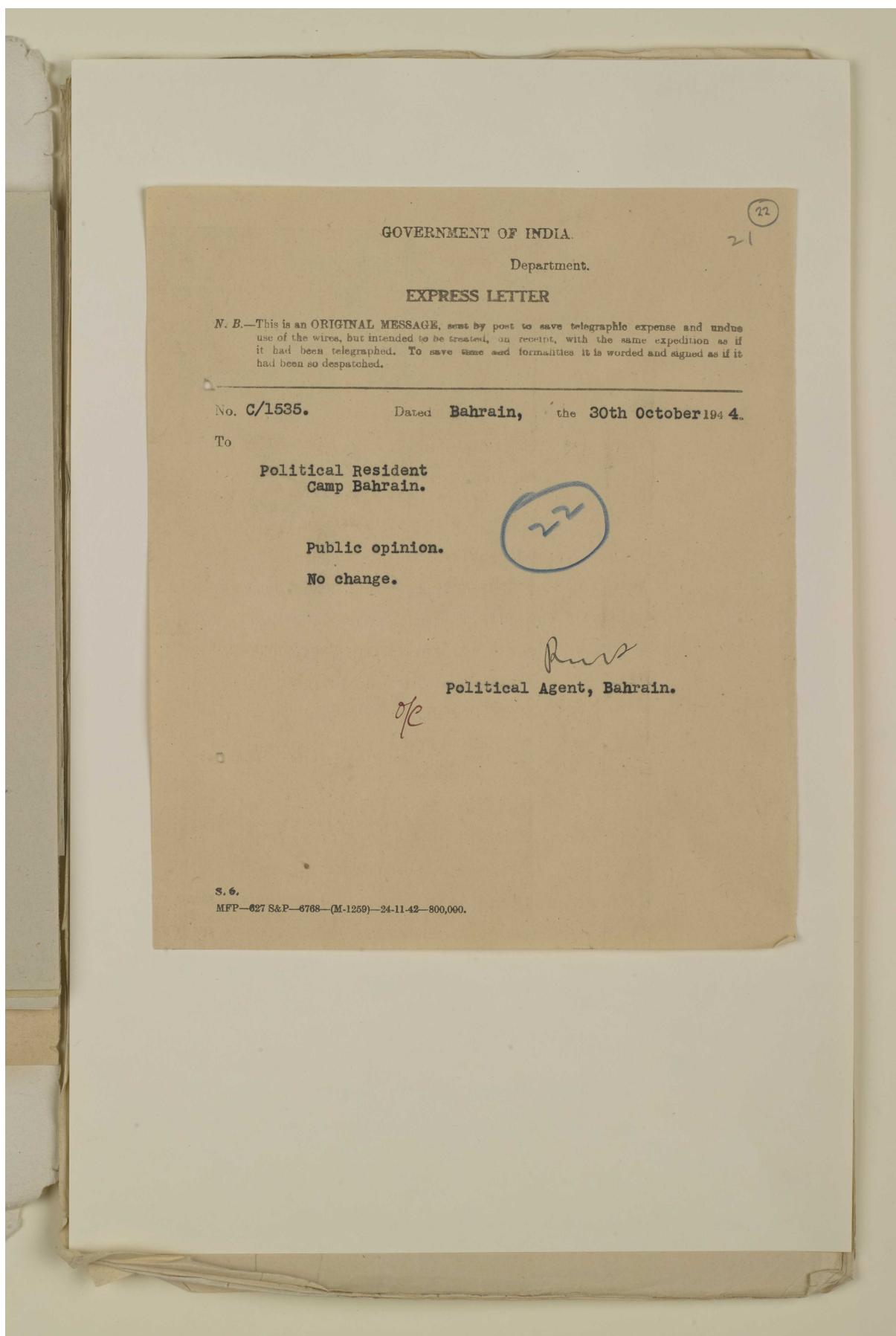


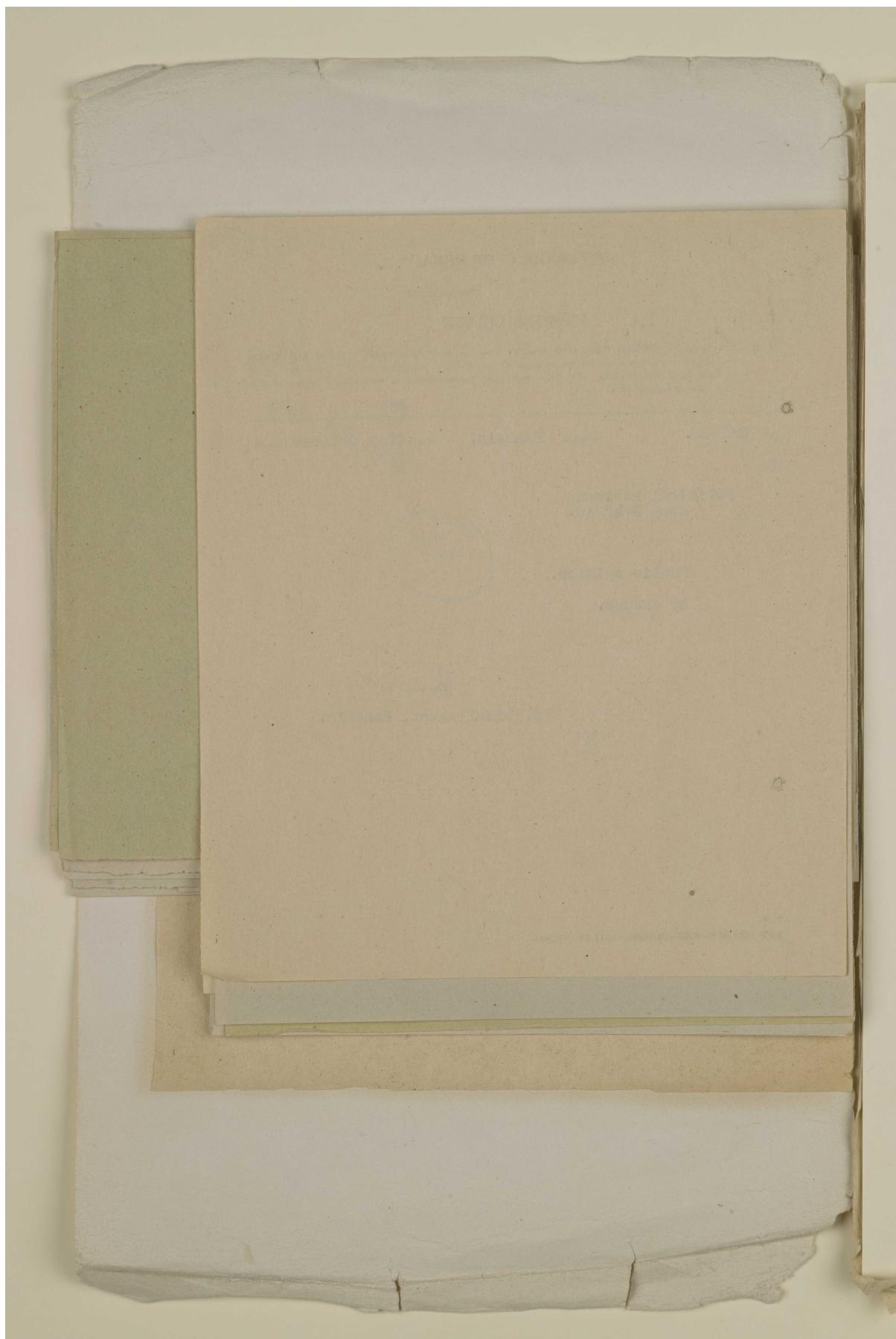
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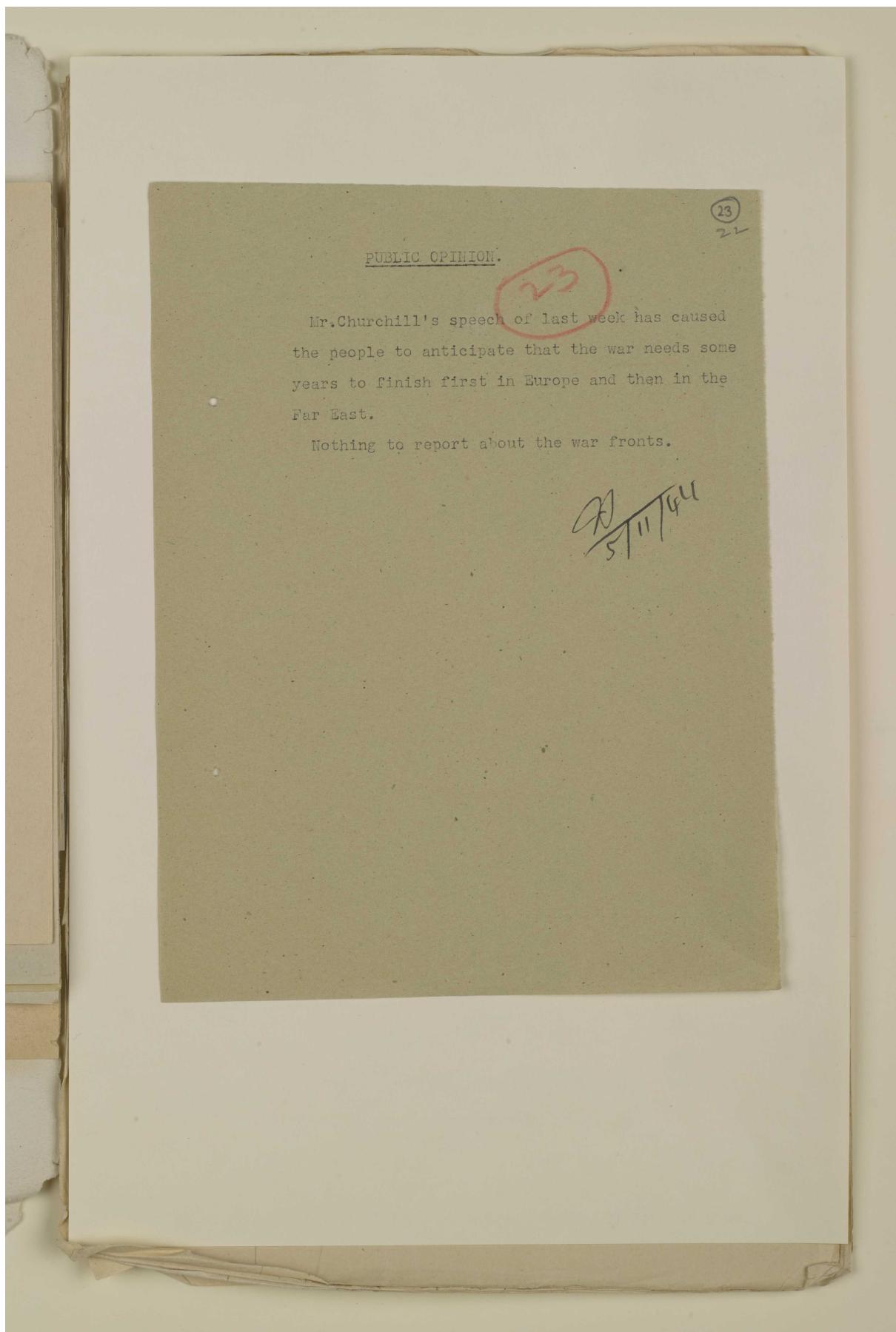


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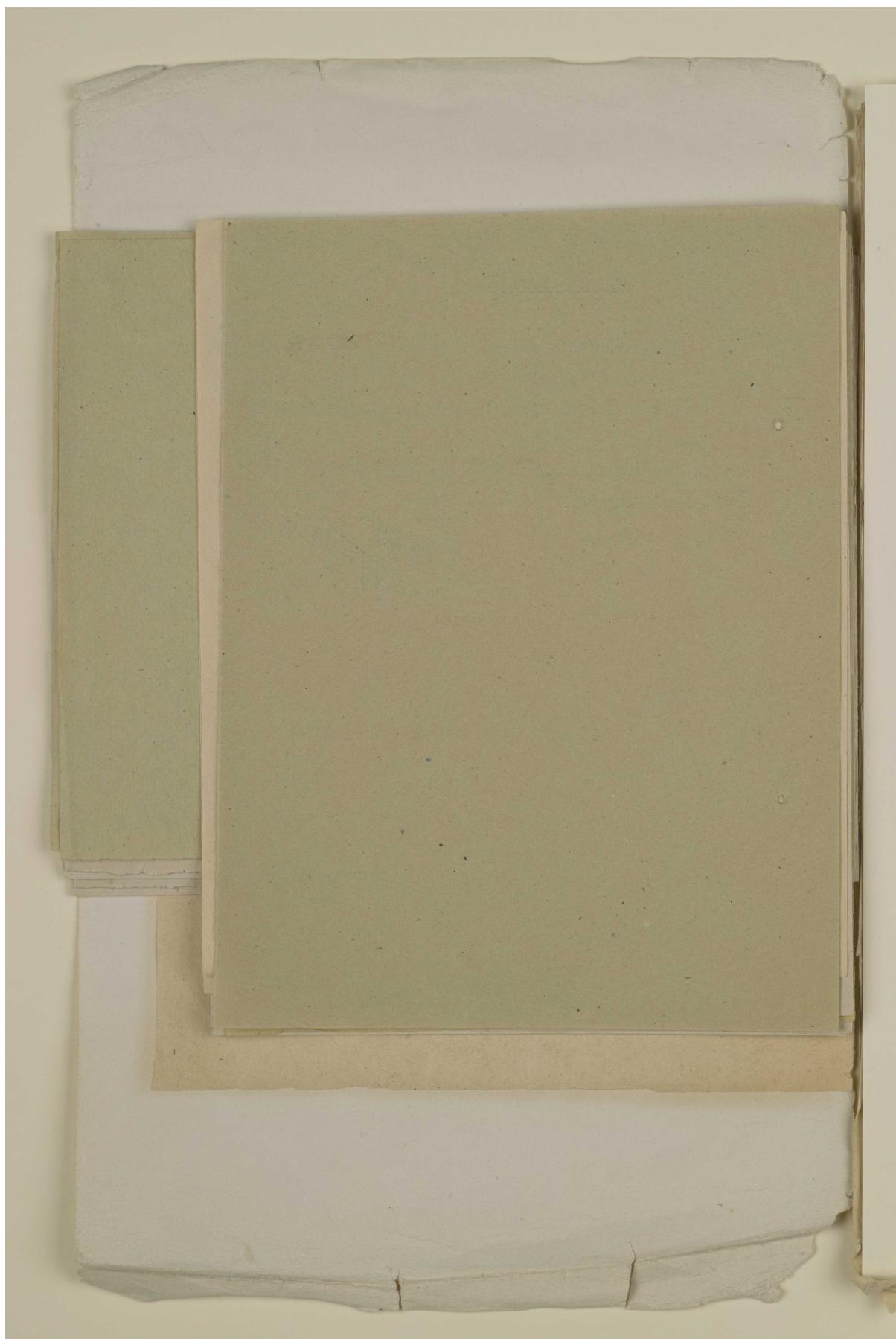




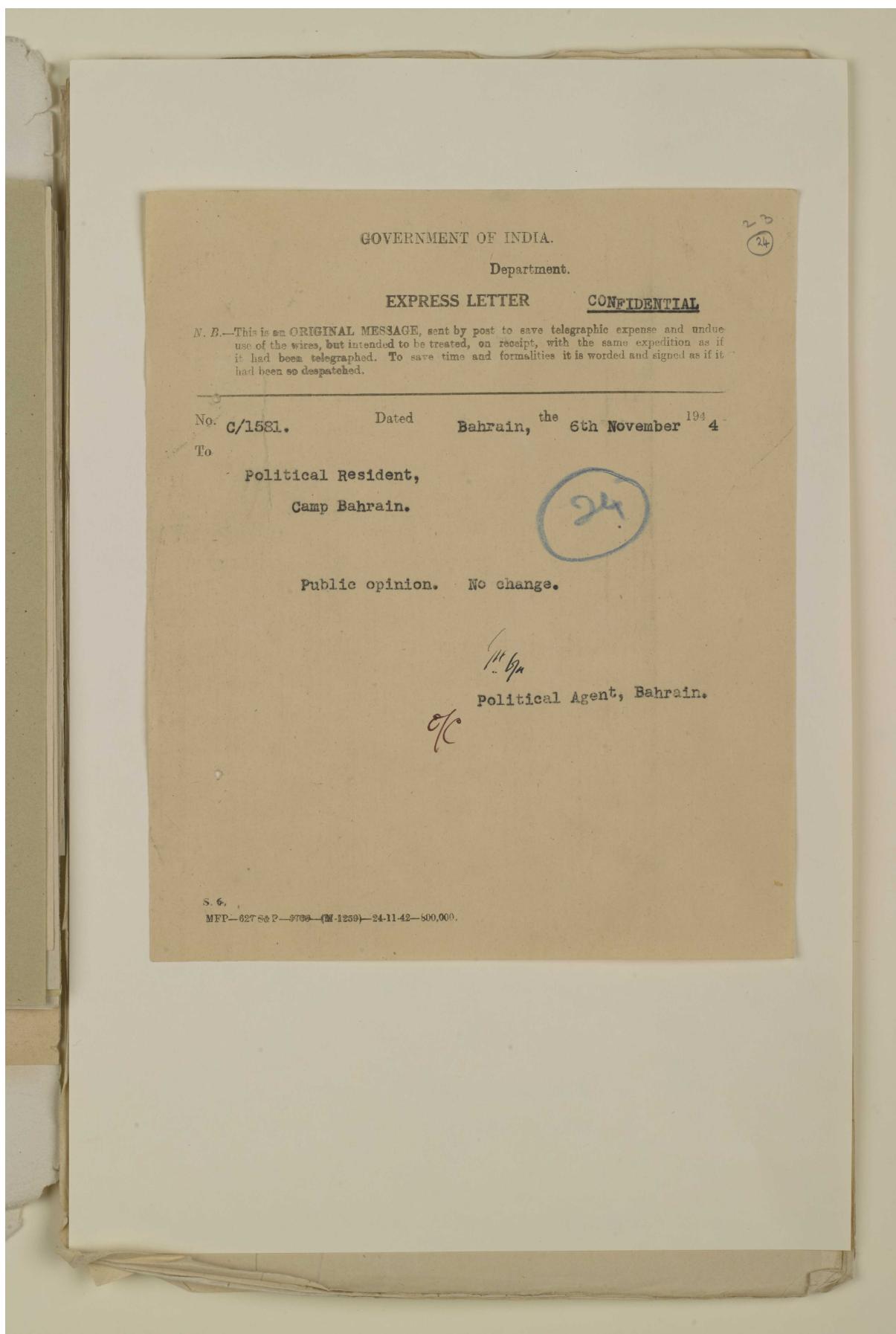
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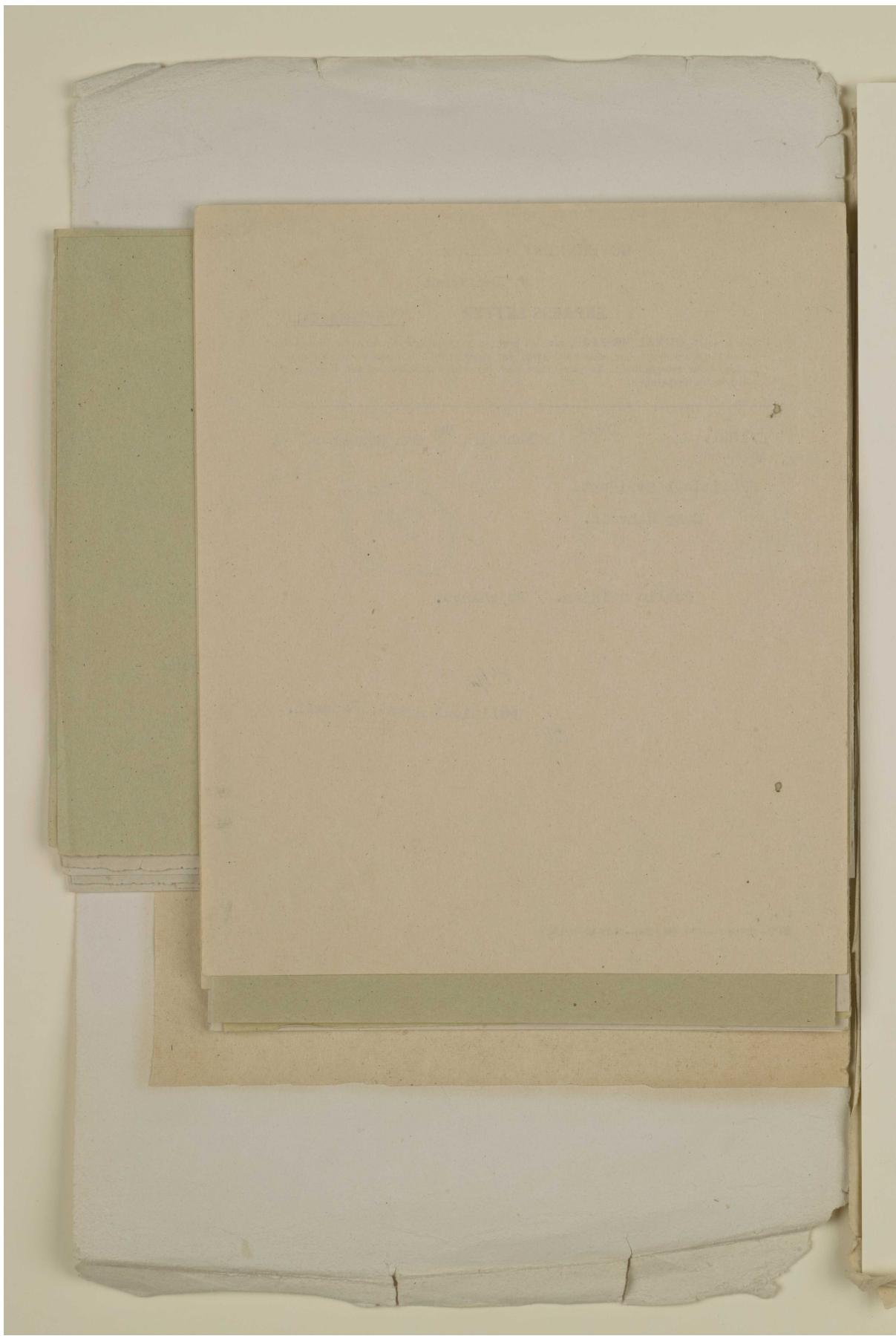
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" ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٤٢ و ٤٧] (١٥٤/٤٤)



"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٤٢٦] [٤٨/١٥٤]



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PUBLIC OPINION.

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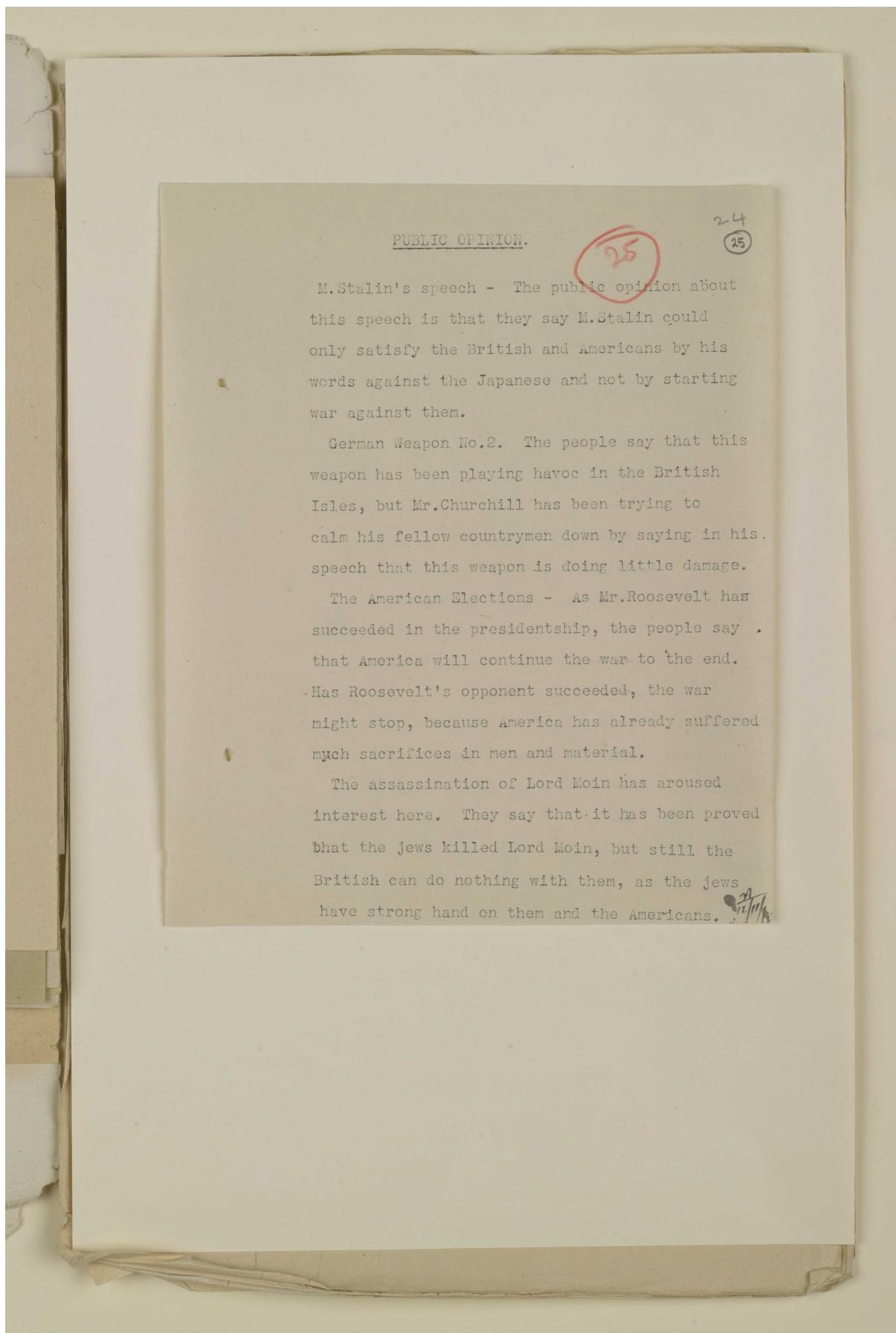
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M.Stalin's speech - The public opinion about this speech is that they say M.Stalin could only satisfy the British and Americans by his words against the Japanese and not by starting war against them.

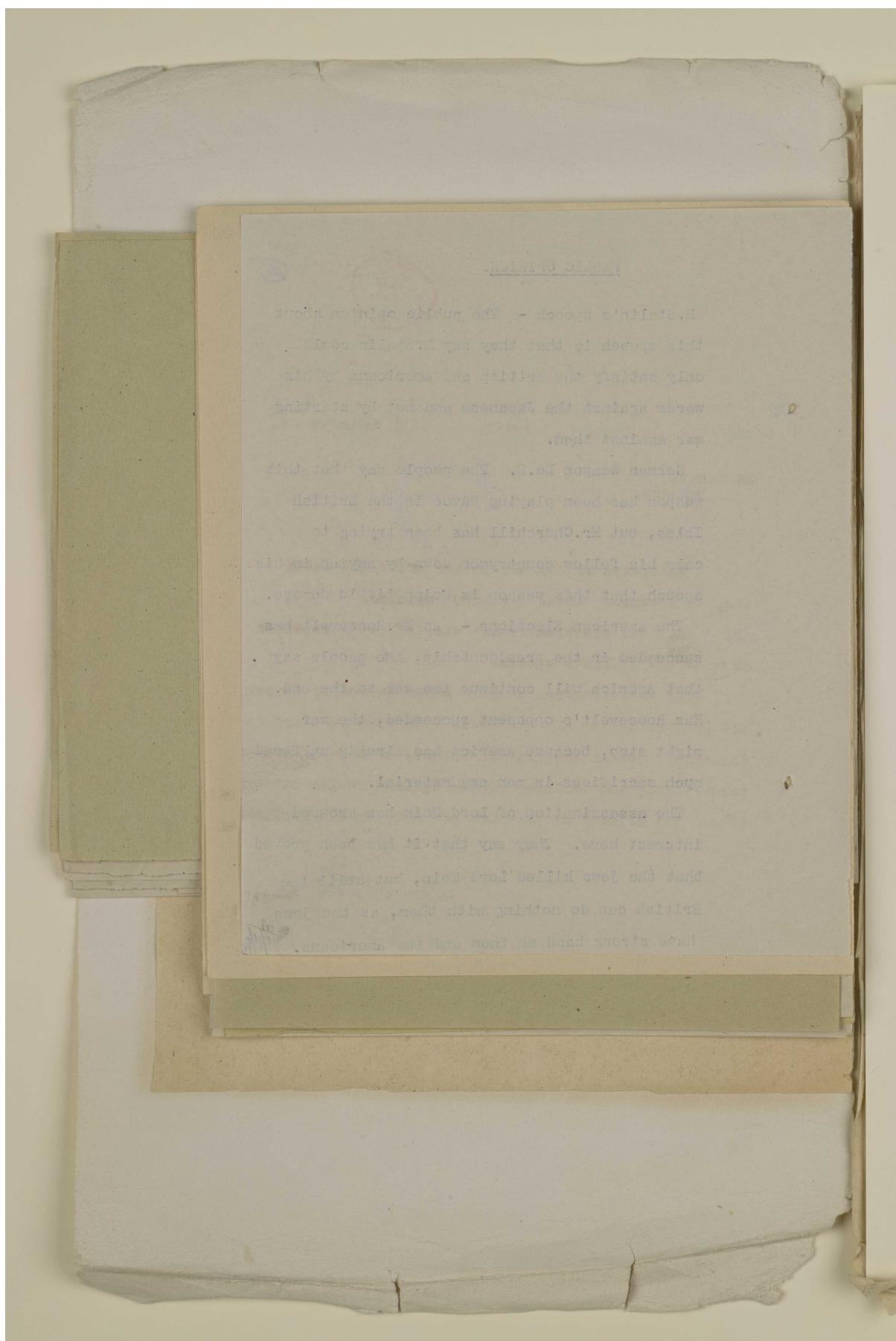
German Weapon No.2. The people say that this weapon has been playing havoc in the British Isles, but Mr.Churchill has been trying to calm his fellow countrymen down by saying in his speech that this weapon is doing little damage.

The American Elections - As Mr.Roosevelt has succeeded in the presidentship, the people say that America will continue the war to the end. Has Roosevelt's opponent succeeded, the war might stop, because America has already suffered much sacrifices in men and material.

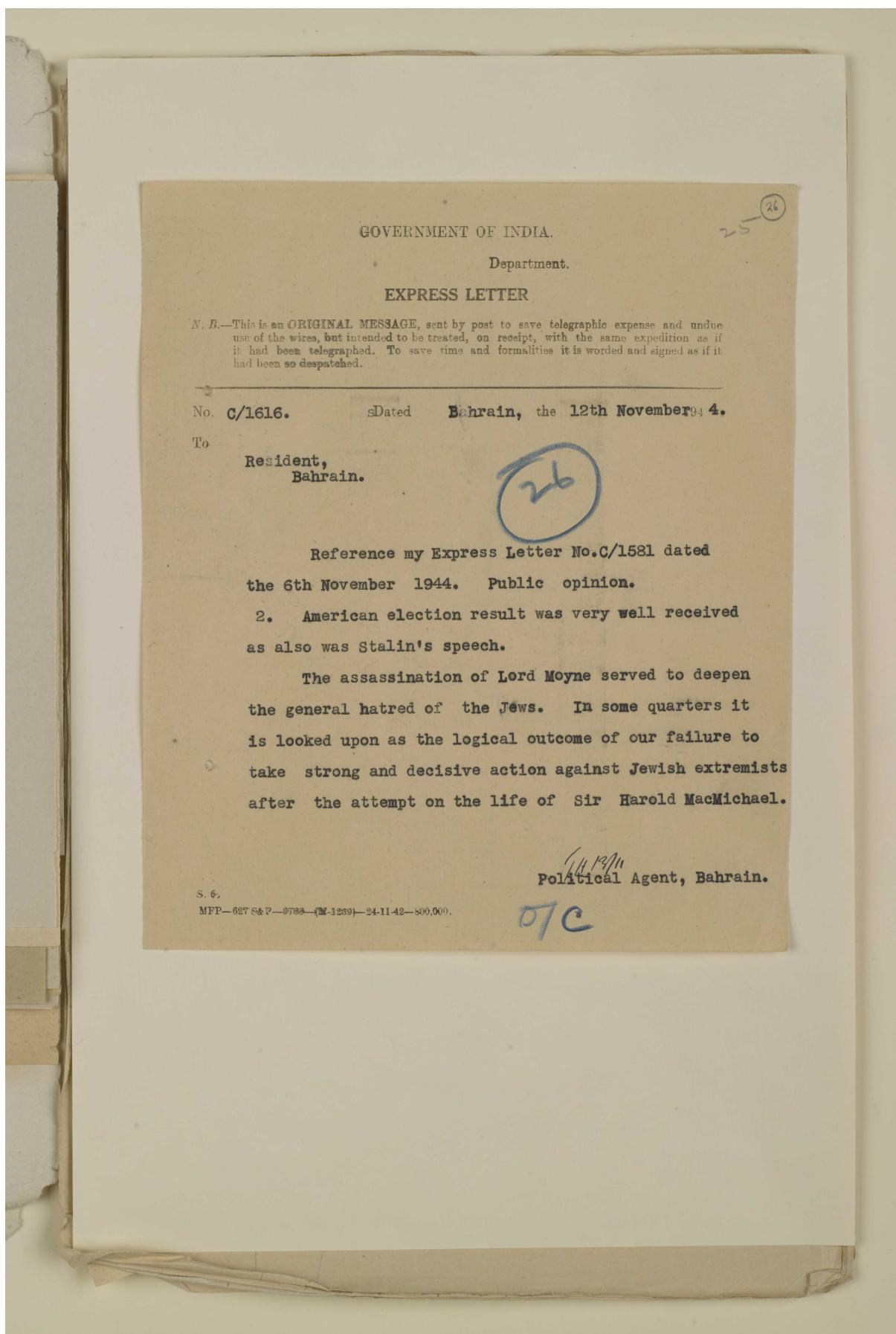
The assassination of Lord Moin has aroused interest here. They say that it has been proved that the jews killed Lord Moin, but still the British can do nothing with them, as the jews have strong hand on them and the Americans.



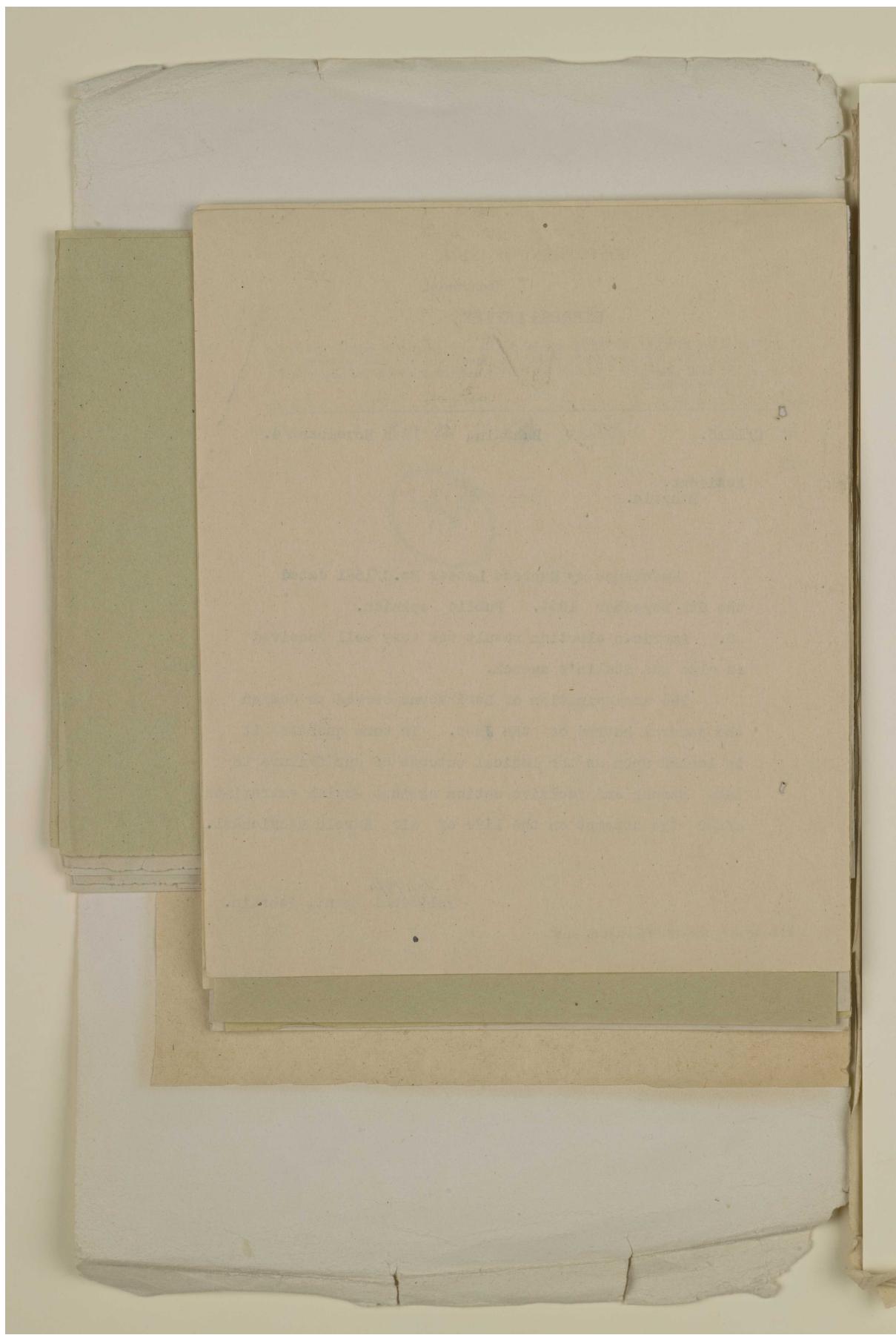
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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعية العامة" [٢٦٥] [١٥٤/٥٢]



" ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعية العامة" [٢٧ و ١٥٤/٥٣]

PUBLIC OPINION.

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Although the people believe that the war between the Allies and Germany needs a long time still they are of the opinion that when the Germans are defeated, another war will again start between the Democracy and Bolishvism for partition of the countries occupied by them during the war.

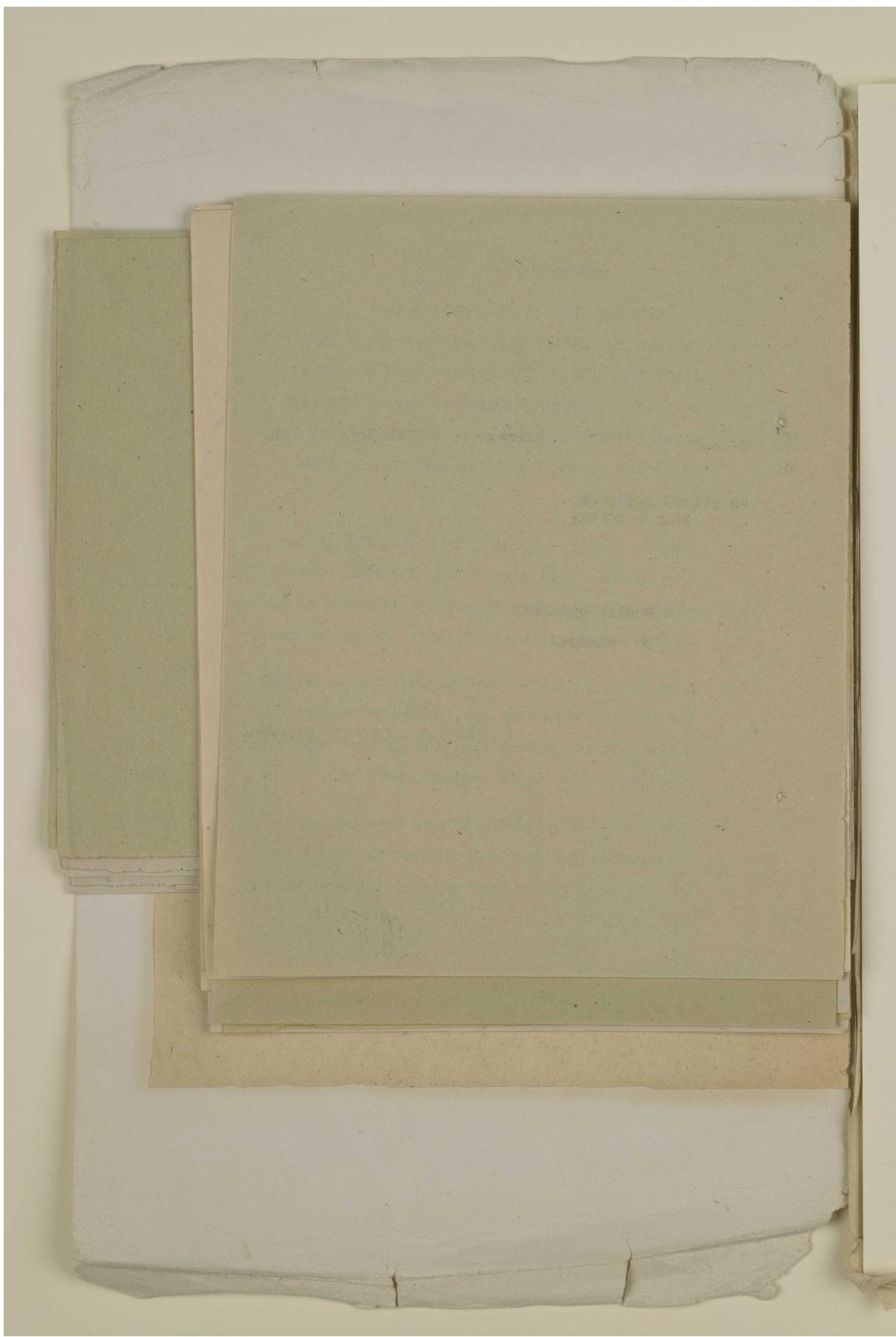
The war fronts - During this week the Allies have made an offensive on the Germans, but the people say that such offensive will have no effect on the Germans in view of their strong defences.

Long range weapon - The recently weapon used by the Germans has, they say, made much damage in England to the extent that the British people have started to show their anxiety about it.

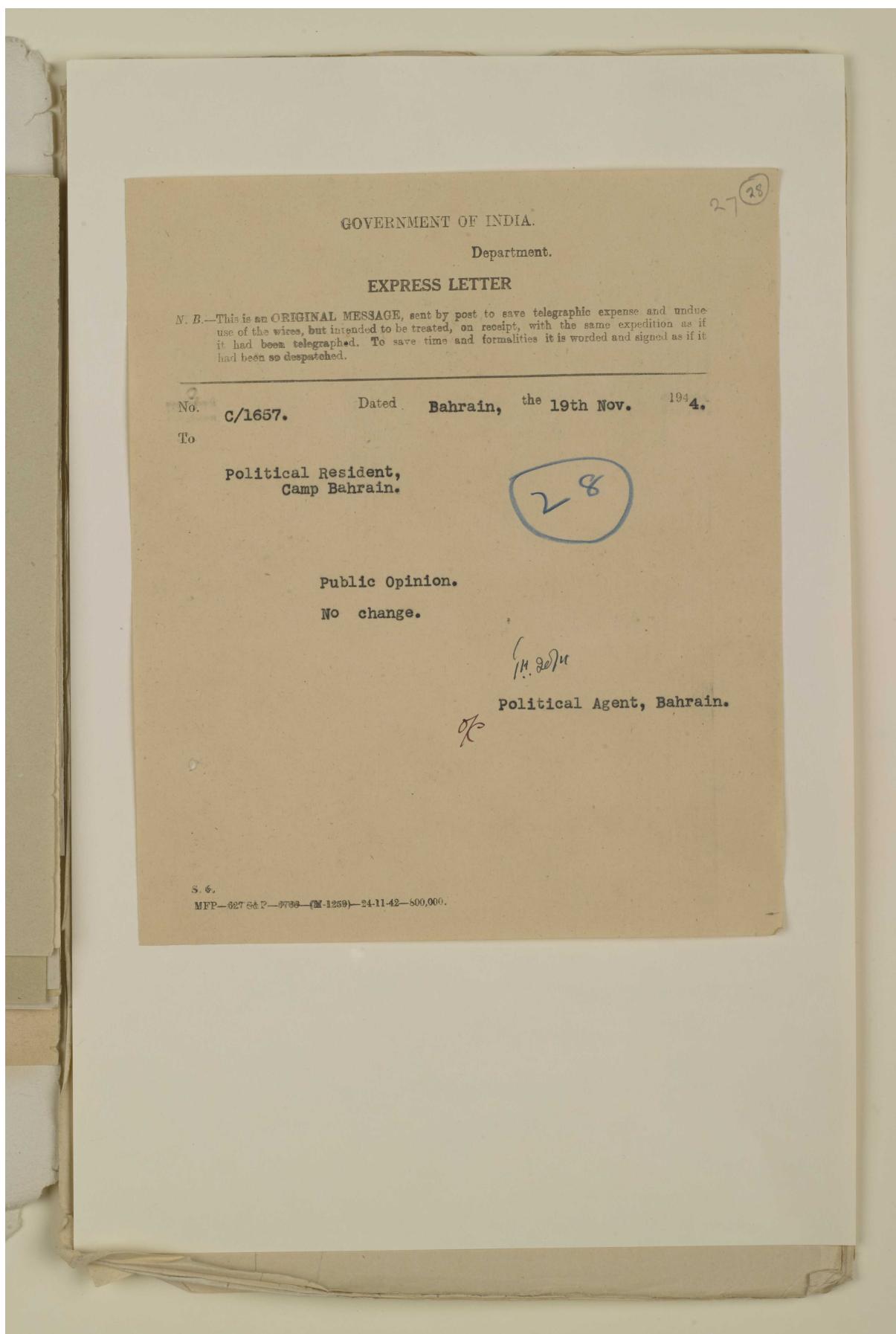
Far East - The Americans have been making advances in the Far East against the Japanese but these advances have made no interest among the people here.

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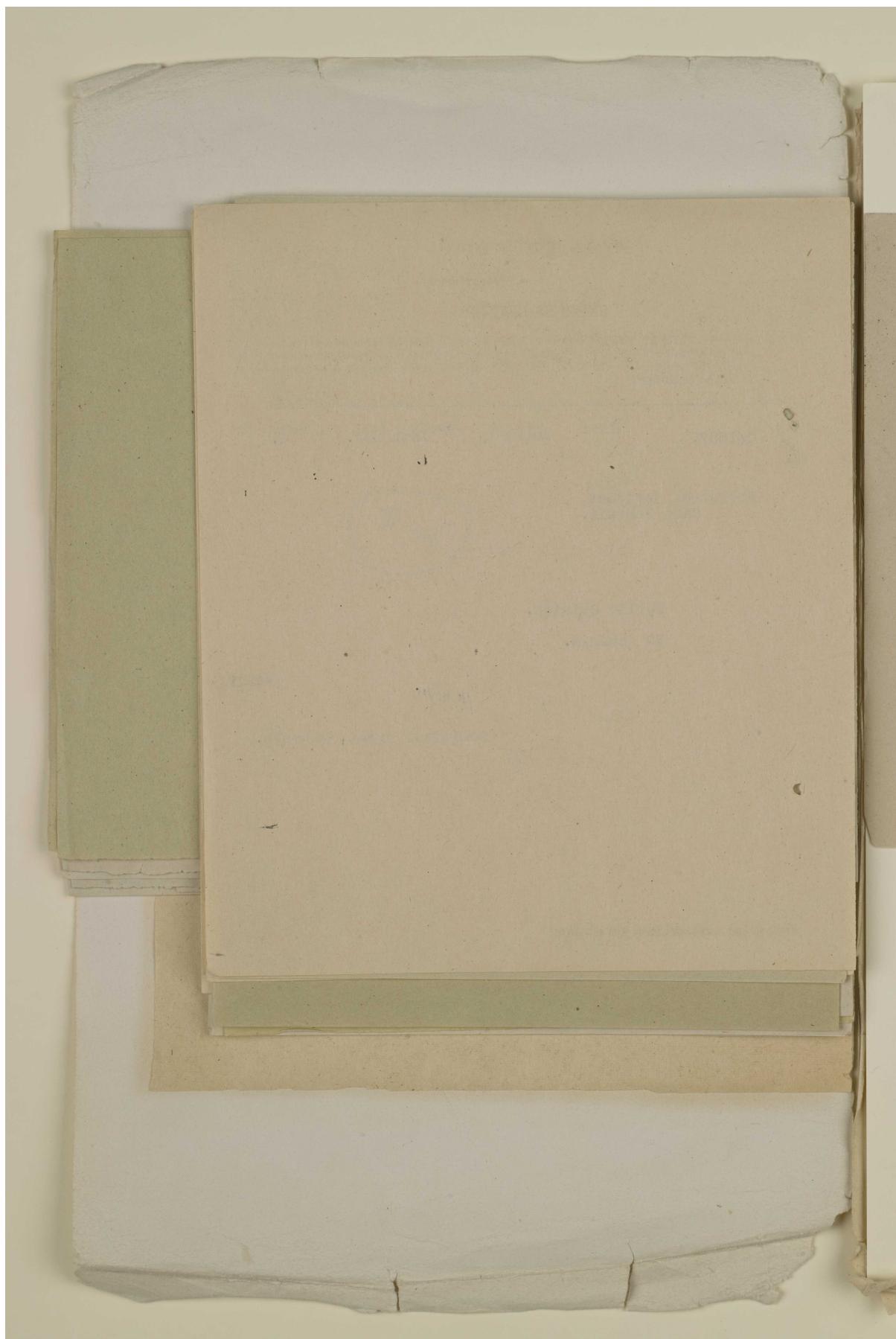
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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعية العامة" [٢٨٣] [٥٦/١٥٤]



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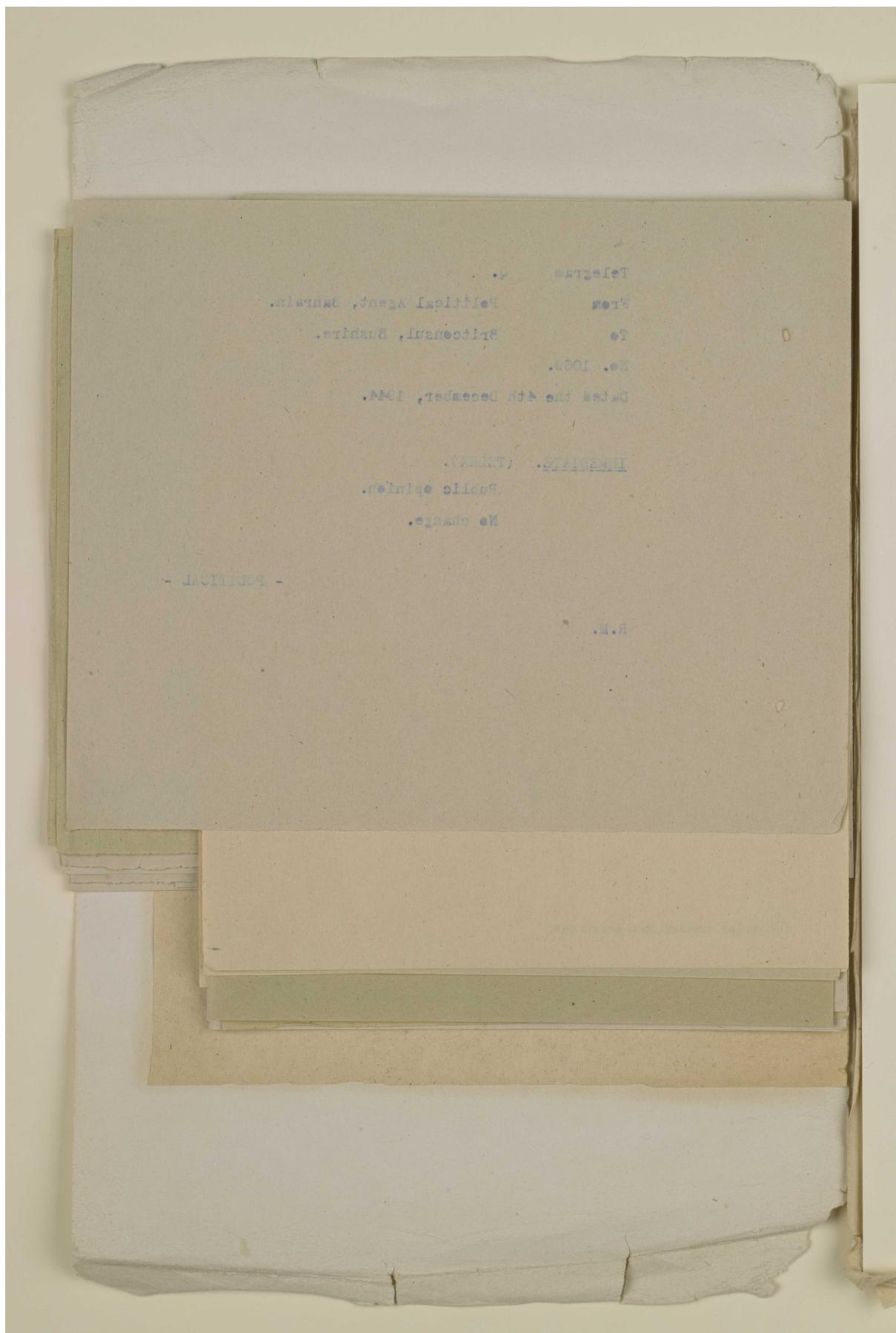
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To Britconsul, Bushire.
No. 1069.
Dated the 4th December, 1944.

IMMEDIATE. (TELEX).
Public opinion.
No change.

- POLITICAL -

R.M.

"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعية العامة" [٢٩٥] [١٥٤/٥٨]



" ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٣٠] [٥٩/١٥٤]

PUBLIC OPINION.

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The public are giving interest to the trouble which is going in Greece. They think that if it is not calmed down, trouble might arise between the British and Russians as each of the latter is supporting a party.

China - The people anticipate the fall of China to the Japanese as the latter have occupied large areas in China.

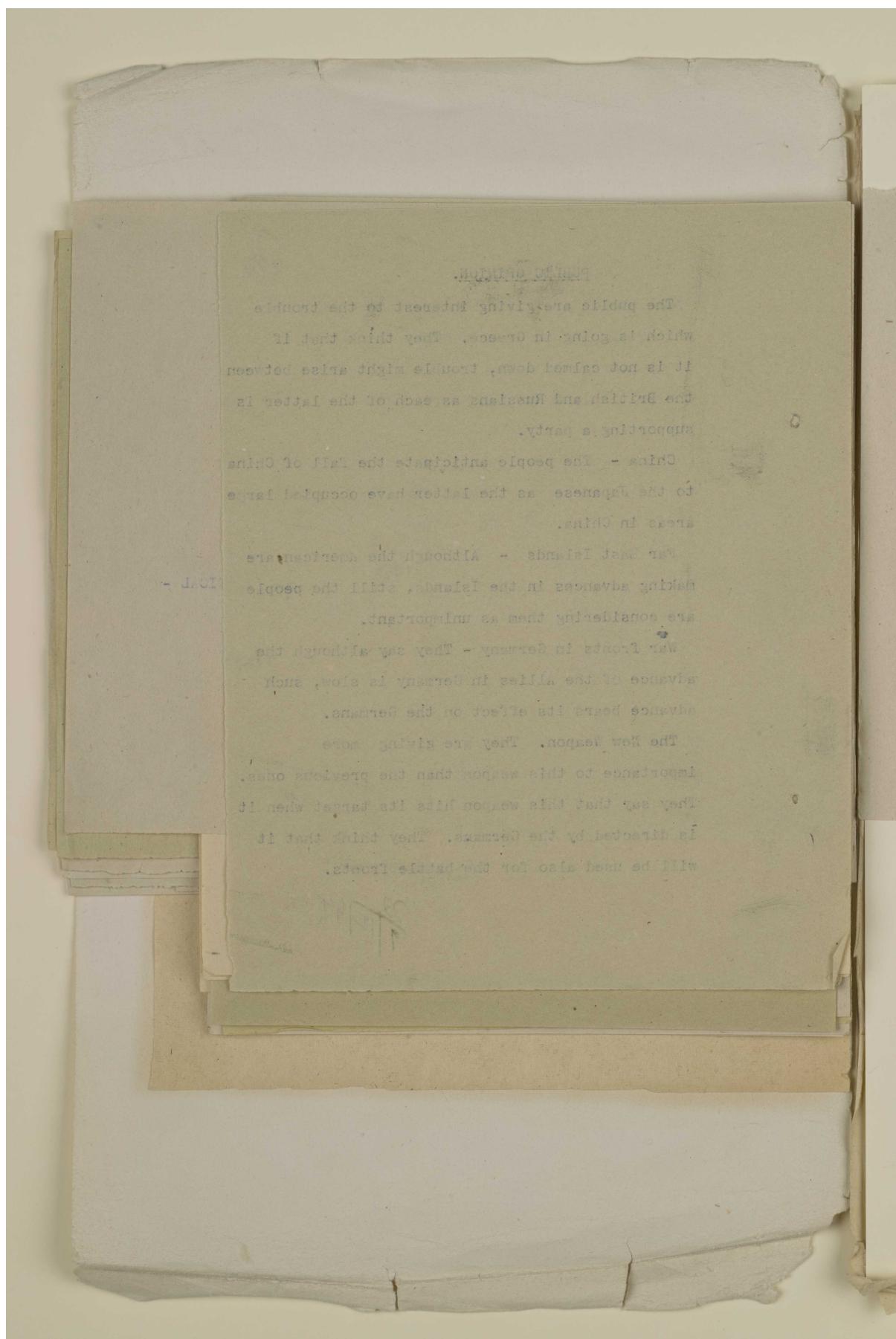
Far East Islands - Although the Americans are making advances in the Islands, still the people are considering them as unimportant.

War fronts in Germany - They say although the advance of the Allies in Germany is slow, such advance bears its effect on the Germans.

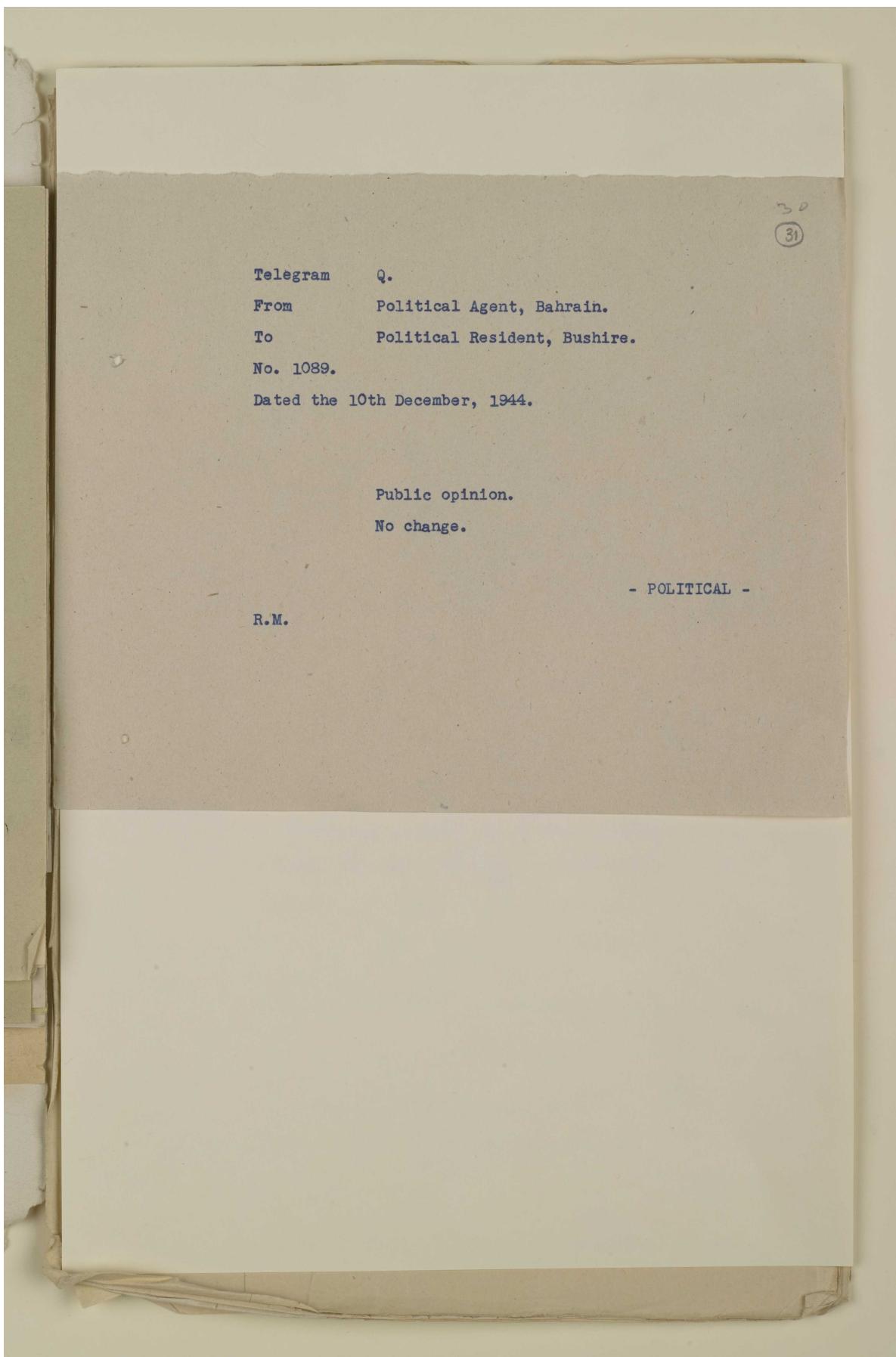
The New Weapon. They are giving more importance to this weapon than the previous ones. They say that this weapon hits its target when it is directed by the Germans. They think that it will be used also for the battle fronts.

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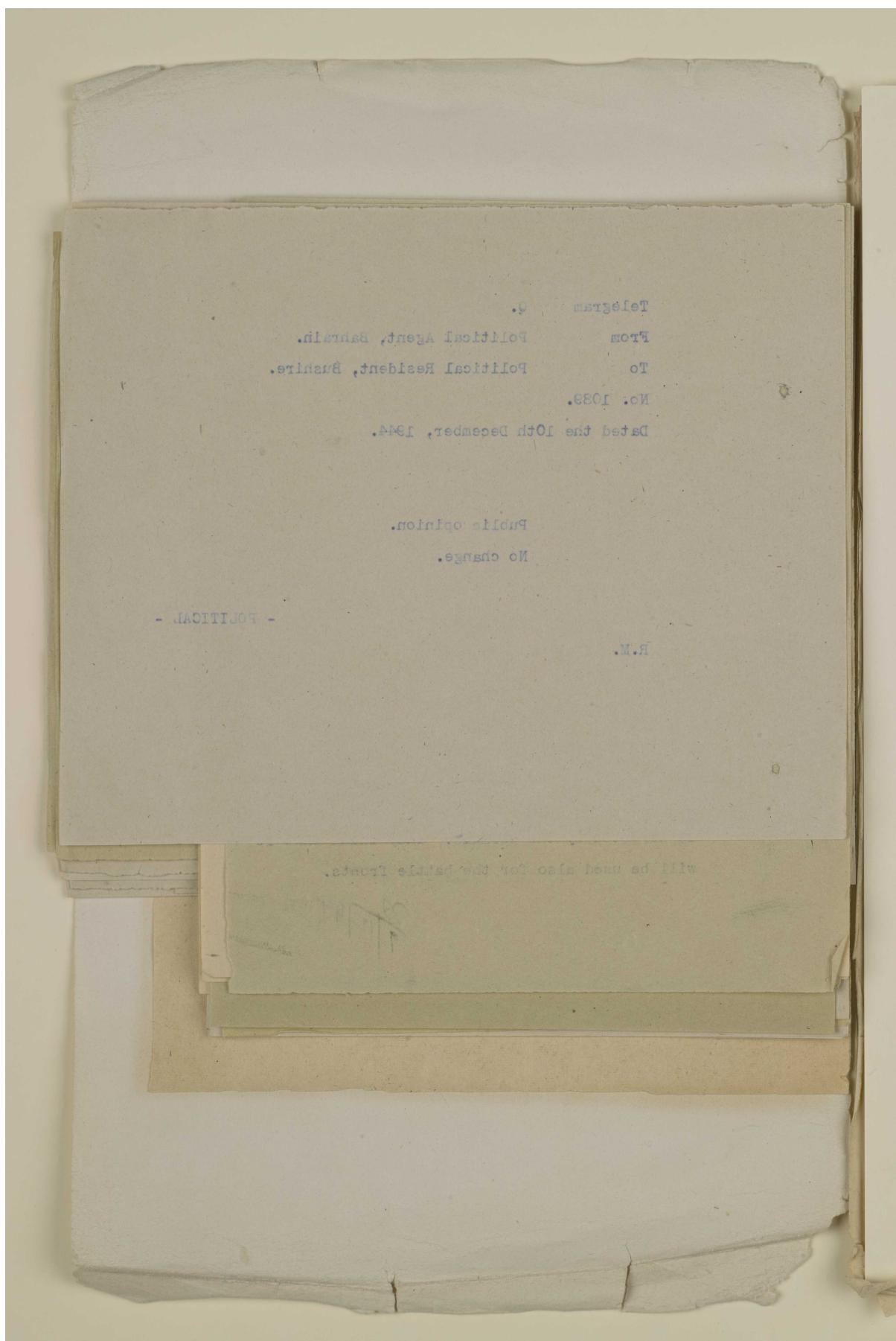
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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٣١ و ٦٤/١٥] (١٩٤٦)



"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعية العامة" [٣١٣] [٦٢/١٥٤]



" ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٣٢ و ٦٣] (١٥٤/٦٣)

PUBLIC OPINION.

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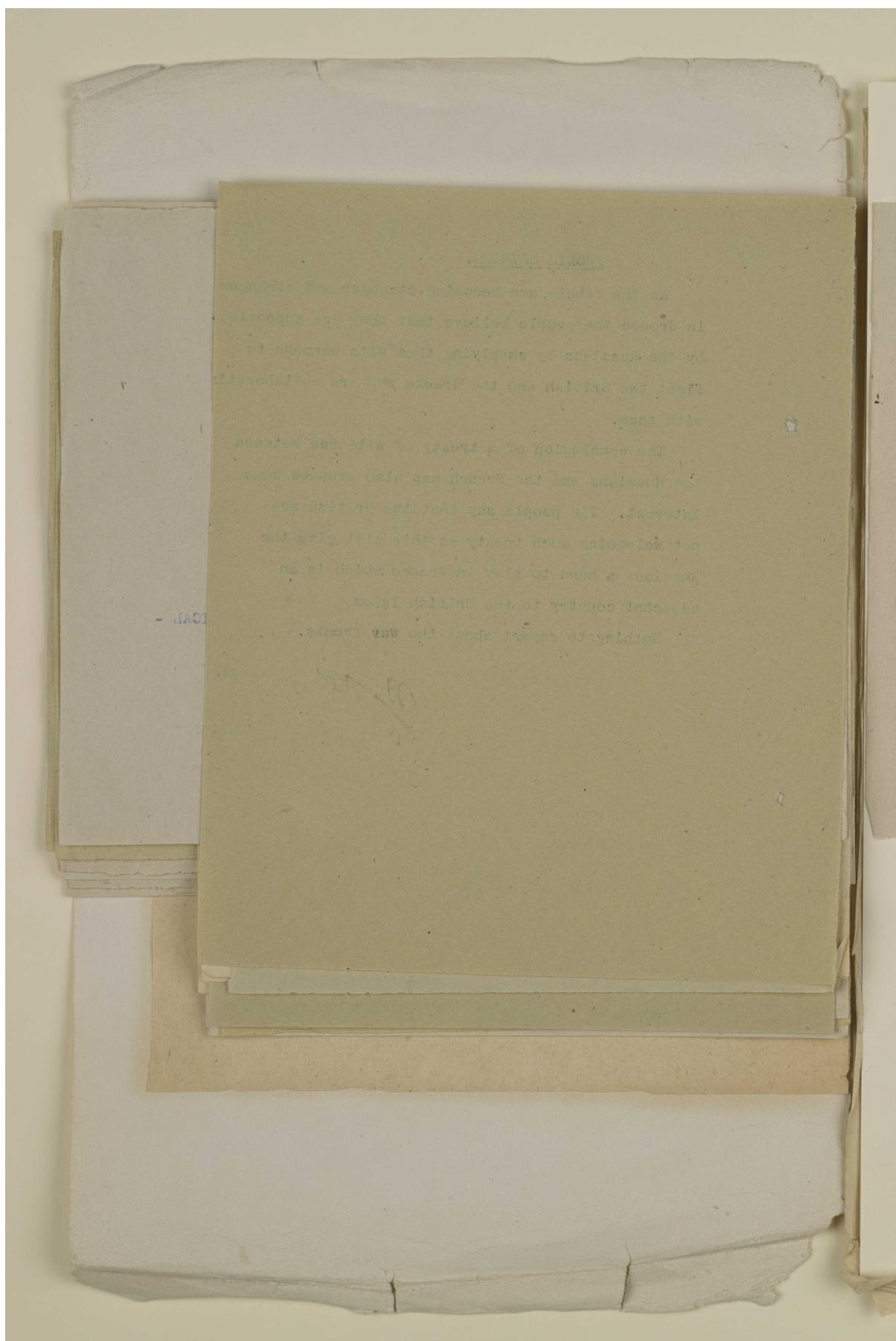
As the rebels are becoming stronger and stronger in Greece the people believe that they are supported by the Russians by supplying them with weapons to fight the British and the Greeks who are collaborating with them.

The conclusion of a treaty of alliance between the Russians and the French has also aroused some interest. The people say that the British are not welcoming such treaty as this will give the Russians a hand to play in France which is an adjacent country to the British Isles.

Nothing to report about the war fronts.

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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعية العامة" [٣٢] [٦٤/١٥٤]



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Dated the 17th December, 1944.

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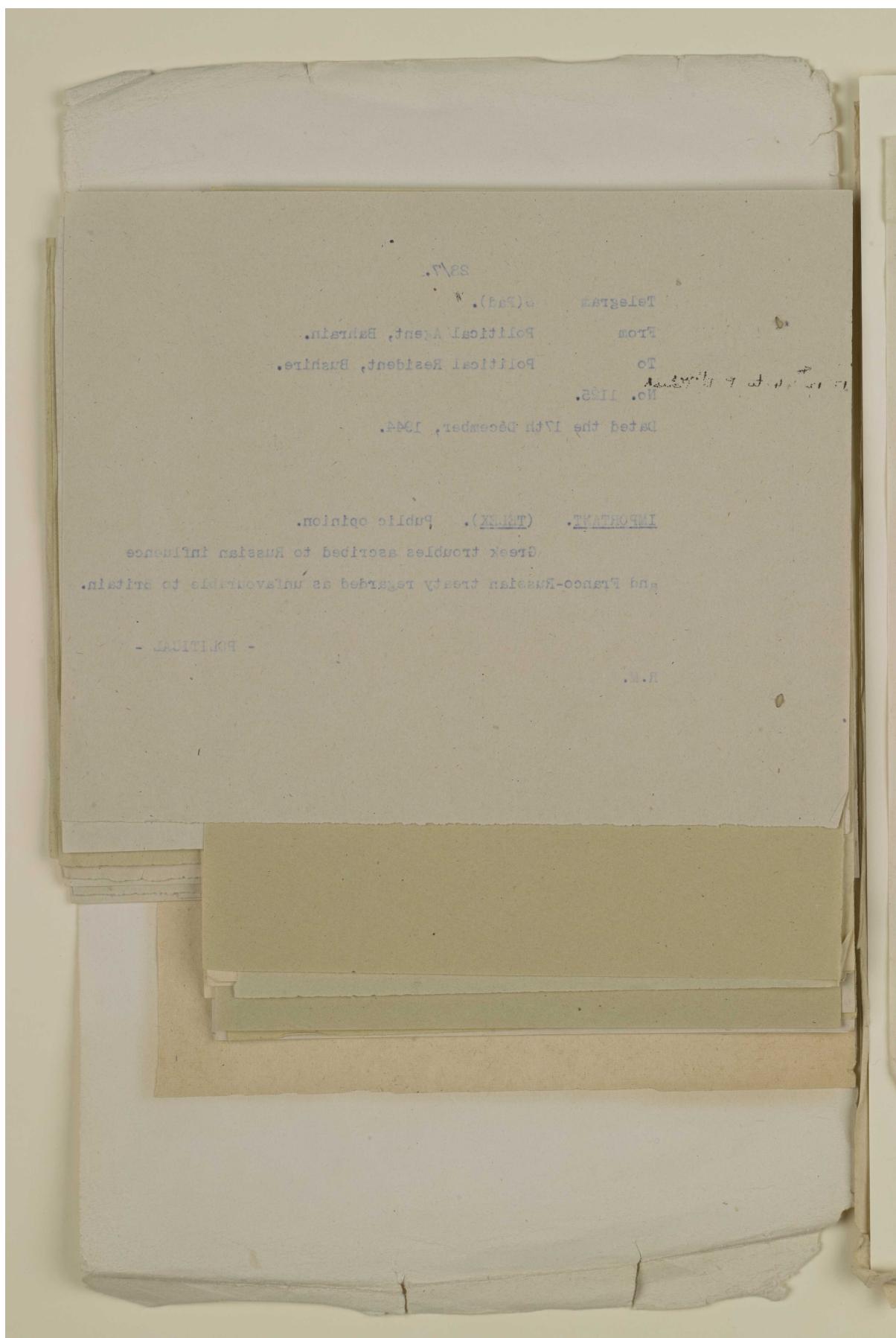
IMPORTANT. (TELEX). Public opinion.

Greek troubles ascribed to Russian influence
and Franco-Russian treaty regarded as unfavourable to Britain.

- POLITICAL -

R.M.

"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعية العامة" [٣٢٣] [٦٦/١٥٤]



"ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٤٣ و ١٥٤/٦٧] (١)

PUBLIC OPINION.

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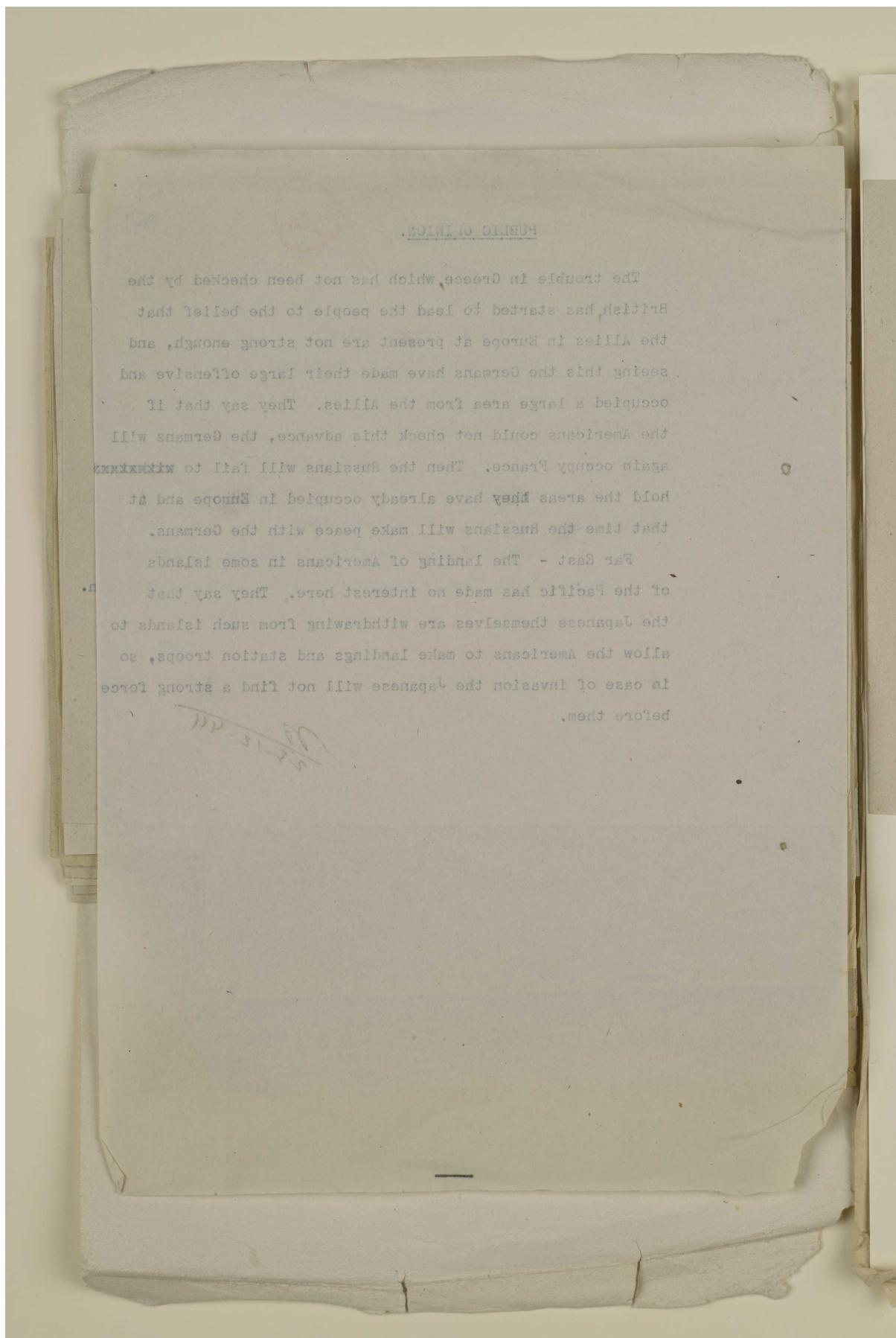
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The trouble in Greece, which has not been checked by the British, has started to lead the people to the belief that the Allies in Europe at present are not strong enough, and seeing this the Germans have made their large offensive and occupied a large area from the Allies. They say that if the Americans could not check this advance, the Germans will again occupy France. Then the Russians will fail to ~~withdraw~~ hold the areas they have already occupied in Europe and at that time the Russians will make peace with the Germans.

Far East - The landing of Americans in some islands of the Pacific has made no interest here. They say that the Japanese themselves are withdrawing from such islands to allow the Americans to make landings and station troops, so in case of invasion the Japanese will not find a strong force before them.

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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعية العامة" [٤٣٣] [٦٨/١٥٤]



" ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٣٥ و] [٦٩ / ١٥٤]

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From Political Agent, Bahrain.

To Political Resident, Bushire.

No. 1146.

Dated the 23rd December, 1944.

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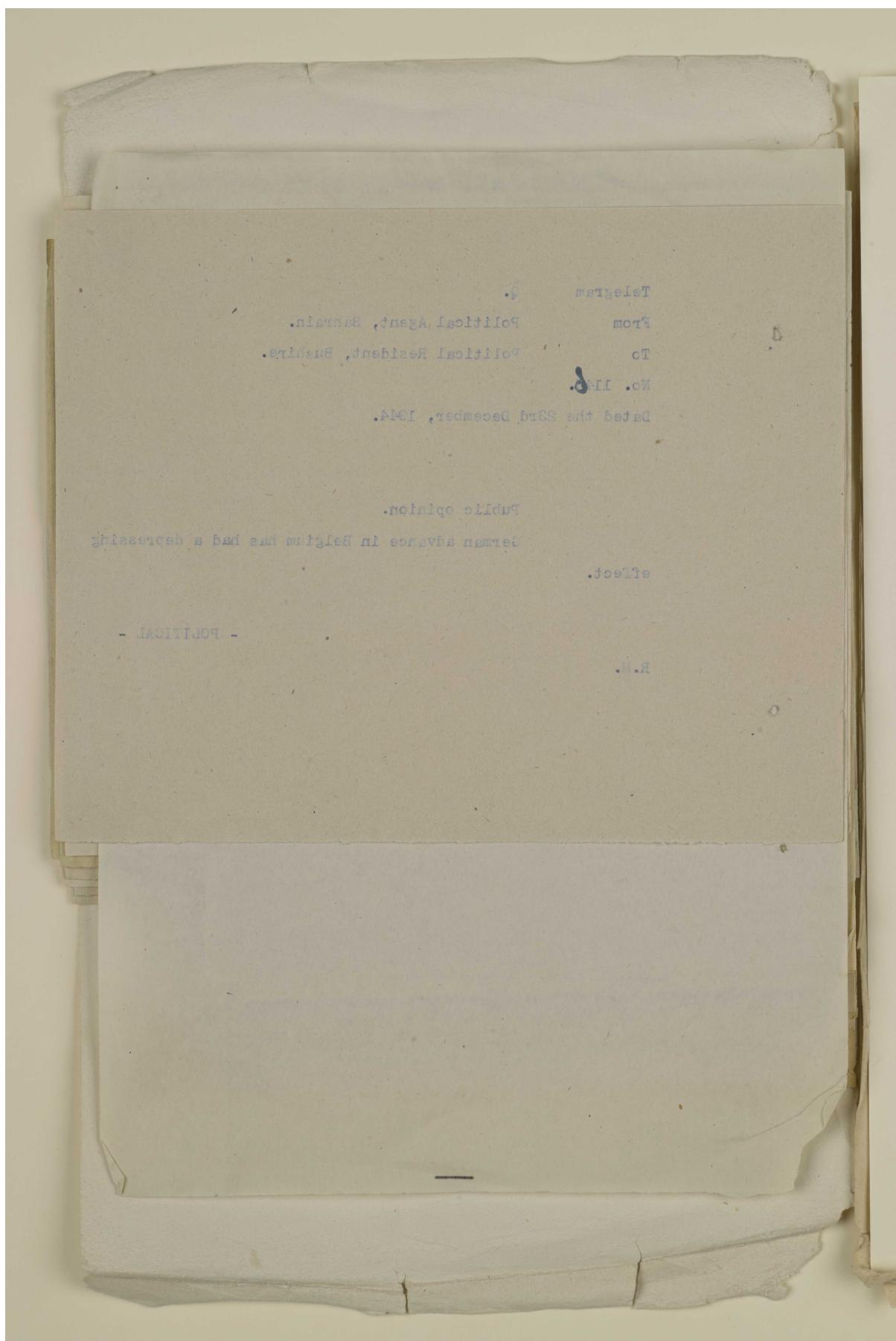
Public opinion.

German advance in Belgium has had a depressing effect.

- POLITICAL -

R.M.

"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٣٥٦] [٧٠/١٥٤]



"ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٣٦و] [١٥٤/٧١]

PUBLIC OPINION.

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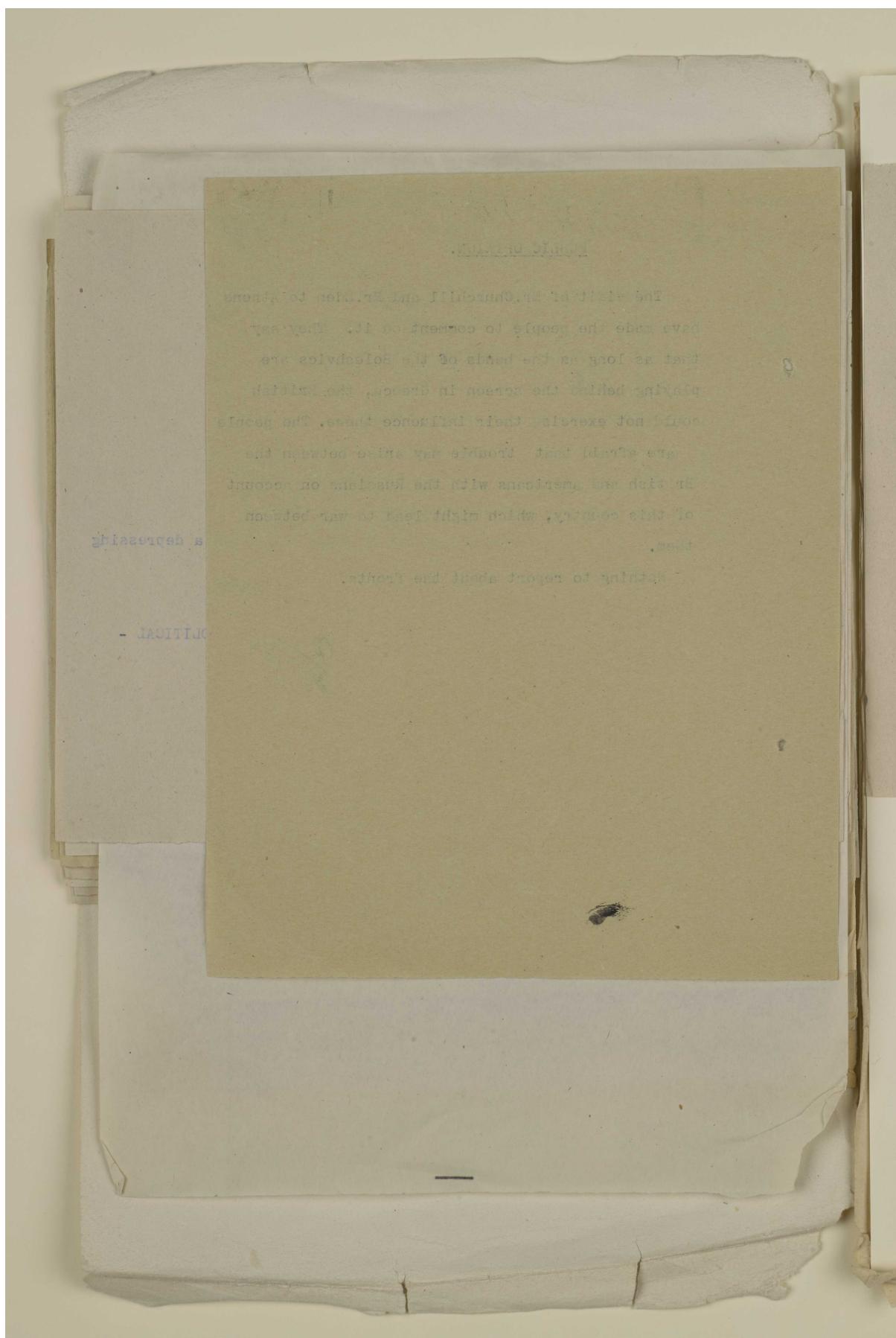
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The visit of Mr.Churchill and Mr.Eden to Athens have made the people to comment on it. They say that as long as the hands of the Bolesheviks are playing behind the screen in Greece, the British could not exercise their influence there. The people are afraid that trouble may arise between the British and Americans with the Russians on account of this country, which might lead to war between them.

Nothing to report about the fronts.

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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعية العامة" [٣٦٥] (١٥٤/٧٢)



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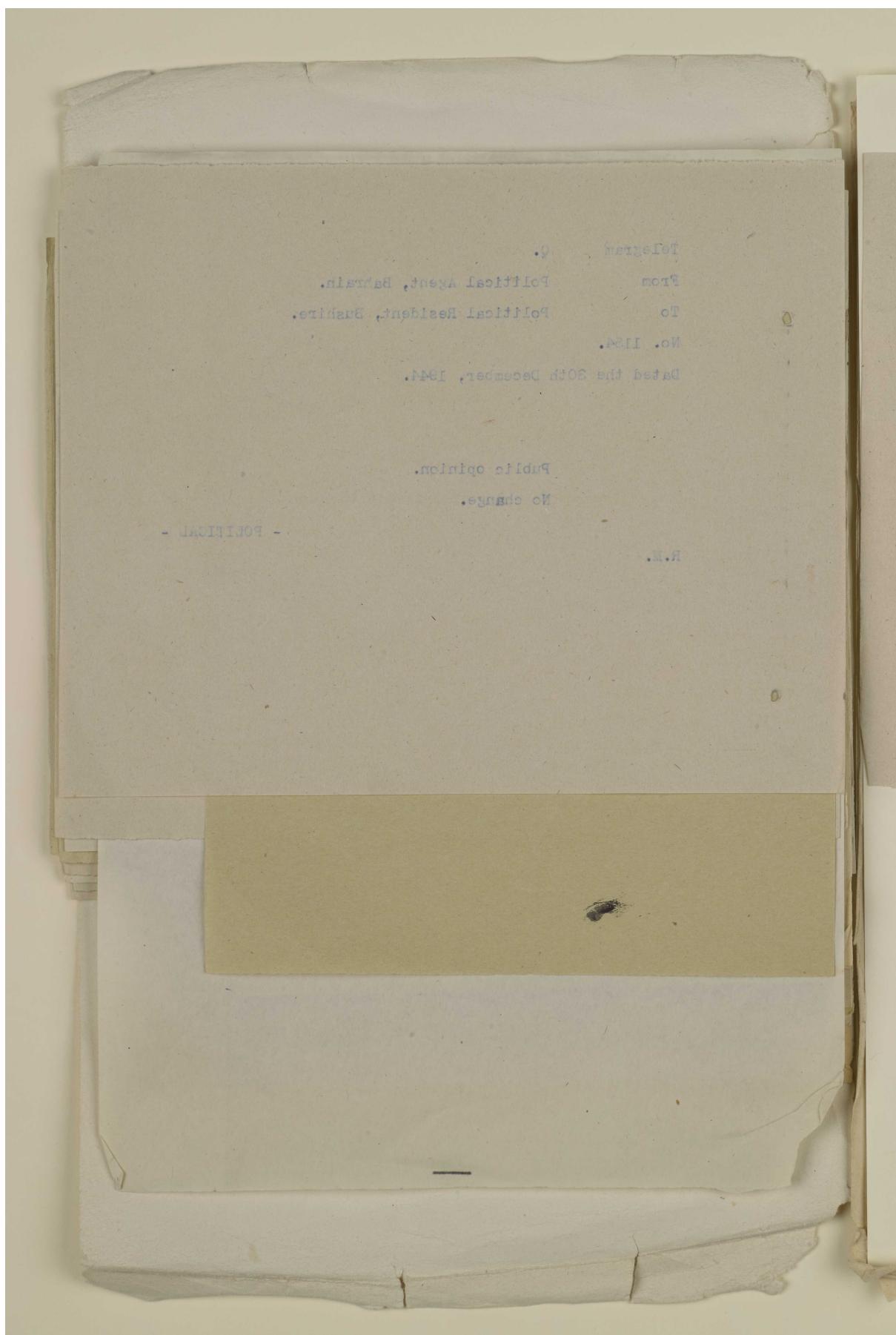
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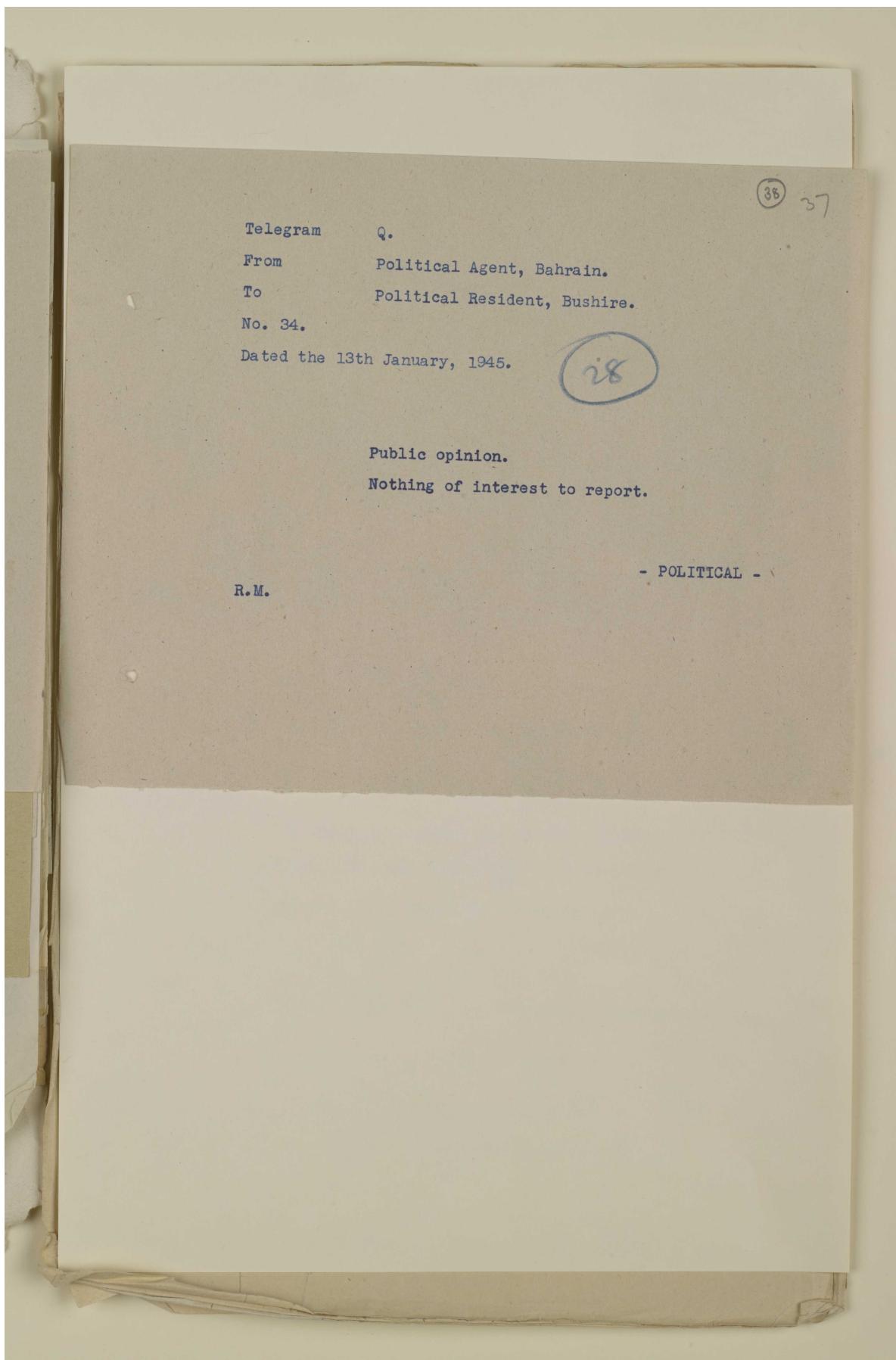
Public opinion.
No change.

- POLITICAL -
R.M.

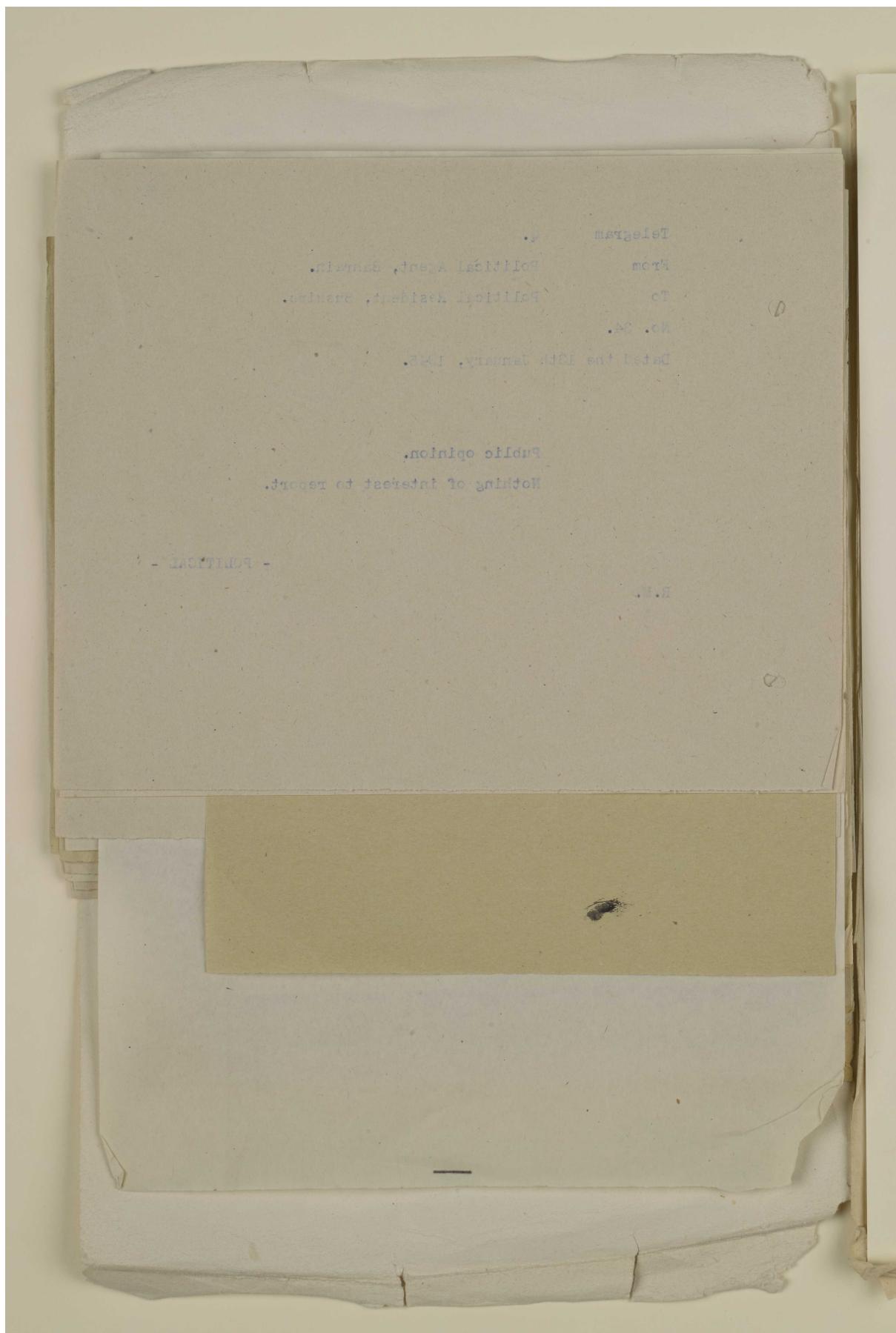
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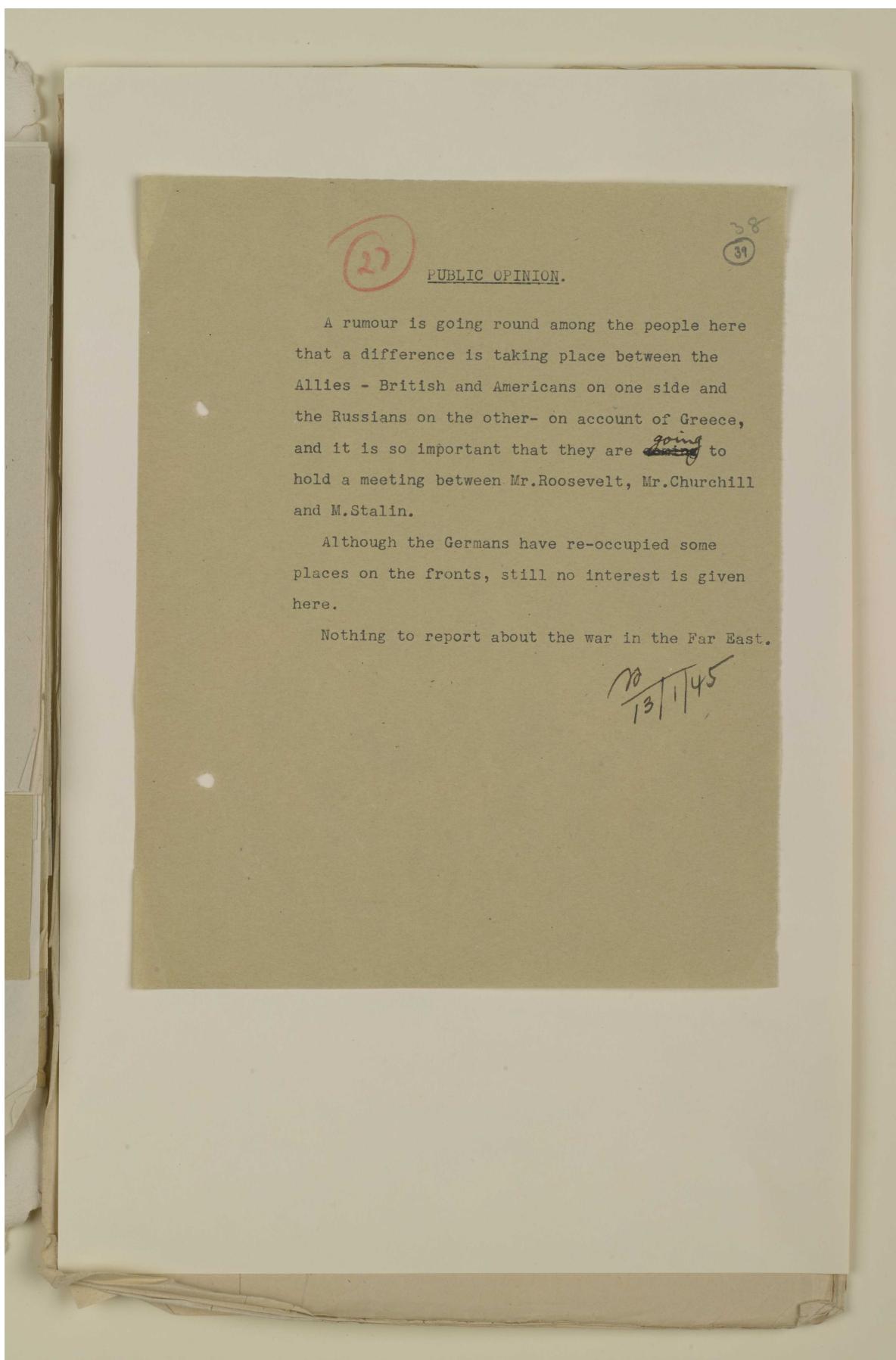
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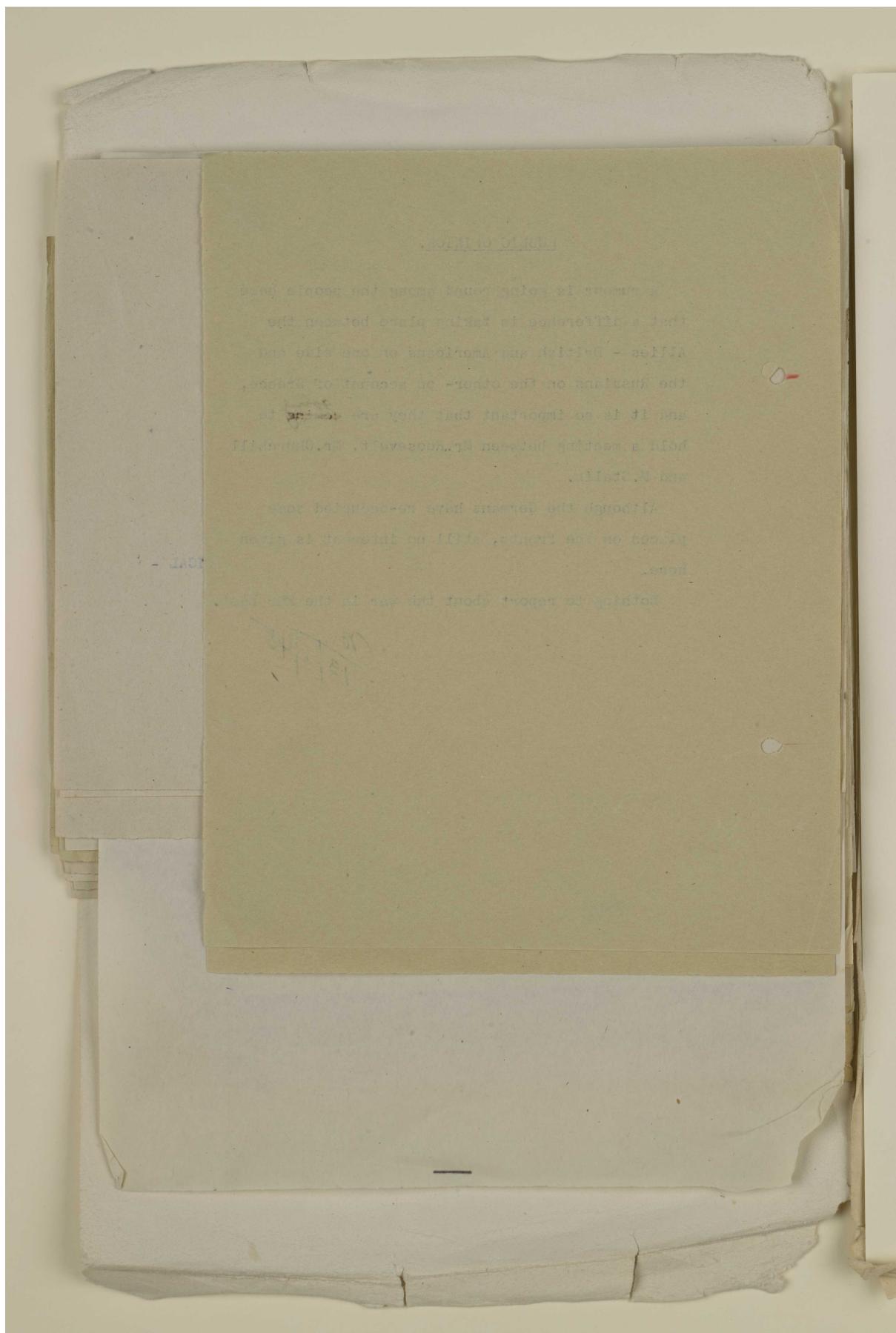
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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعية العامة" [٣٩] [٧٨/١٥٤]



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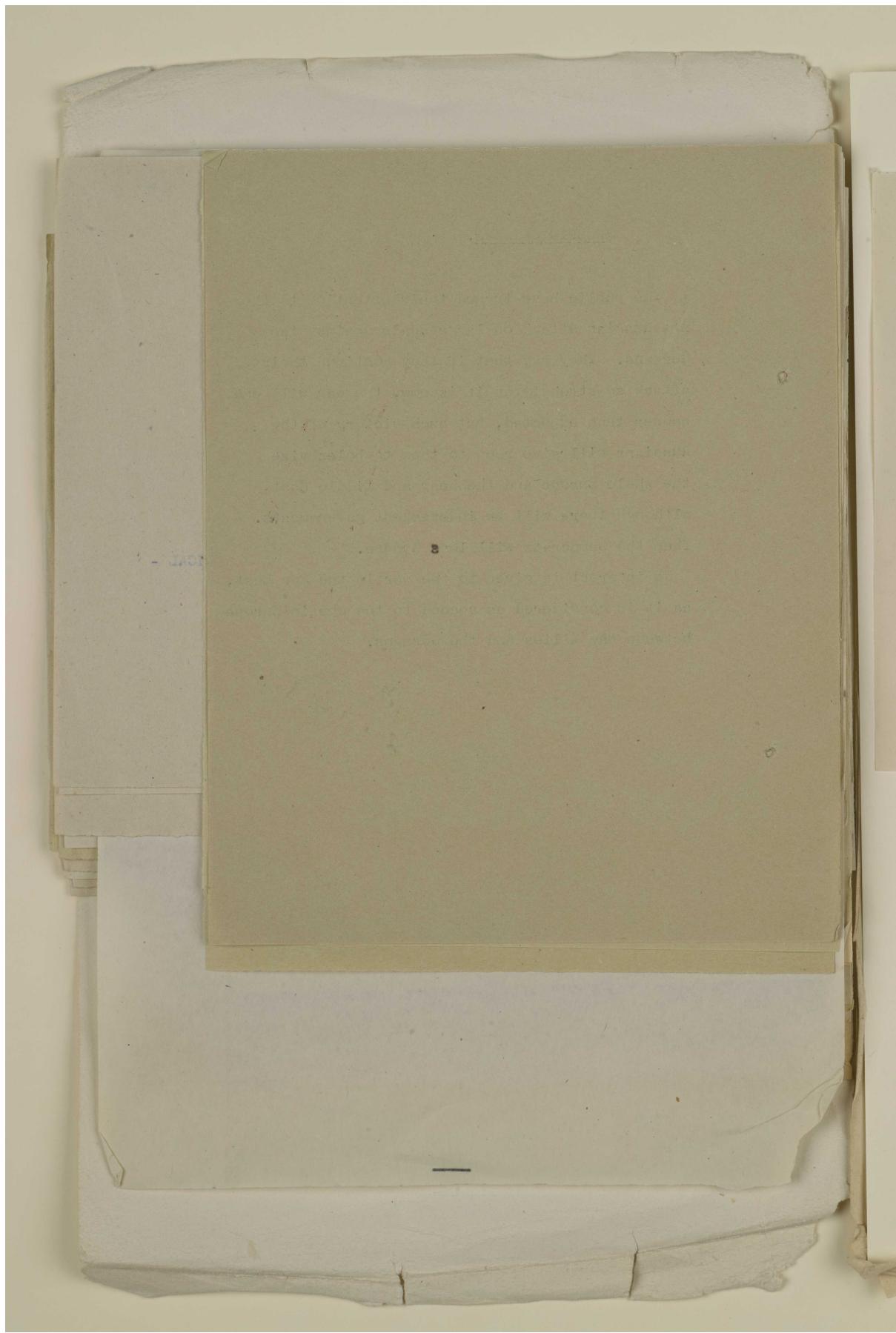
PUBLIC OPINION.

The public have turned their attention to the new Russian attack on large scale against the Germans. They say that if they continue their attack so strongly as it is now, the war will end sooner than expected, but such victory of the Russians will give room to them to boleshvize the whole Europe and the Near and Middle East, although theye will be independent governments. Then the Democrats will los~~e~~ Europe.

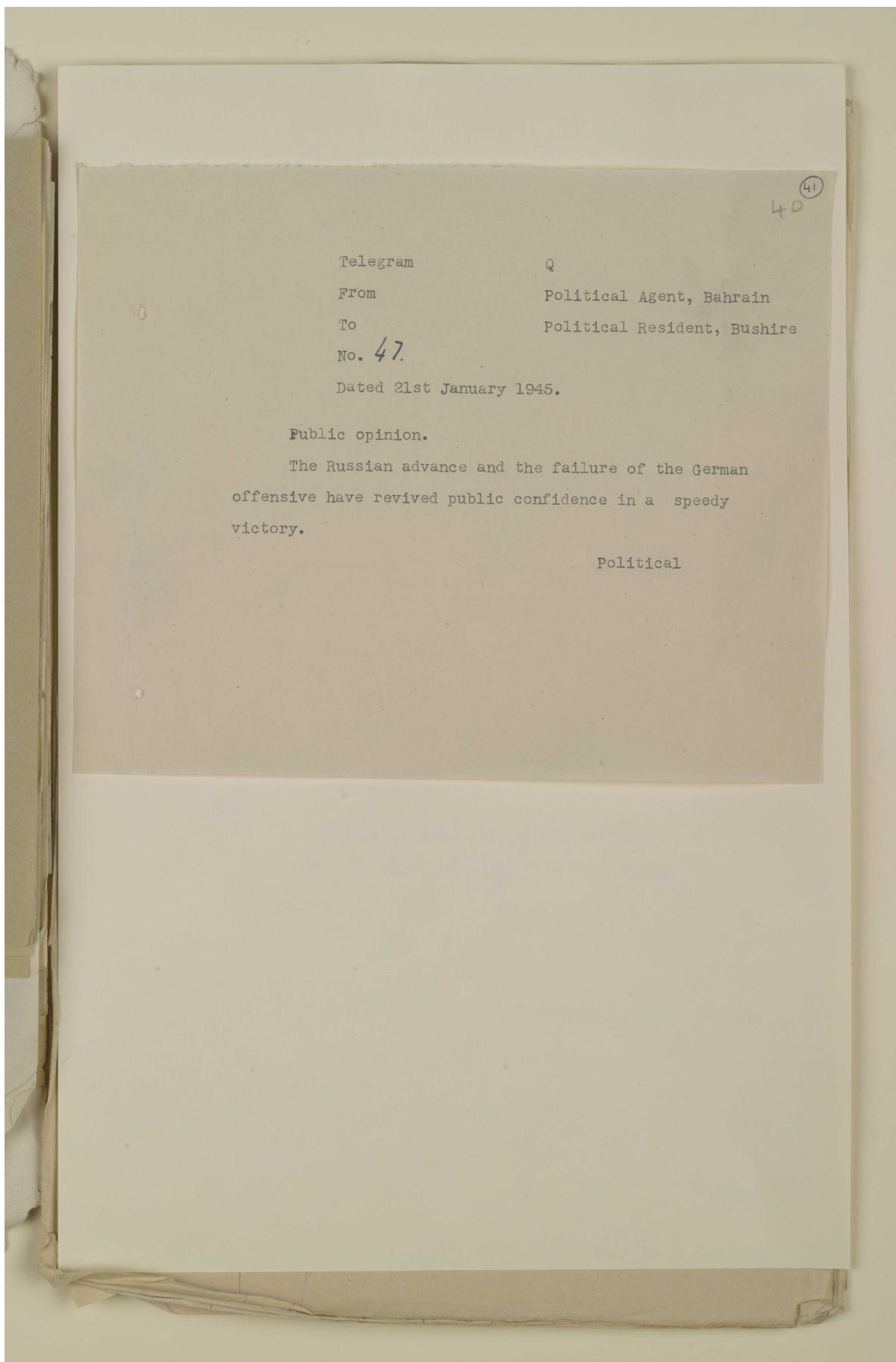
No interest is given to the war in the Far East, as it is considered as second to the one in Europe between the Allies and the Germans.

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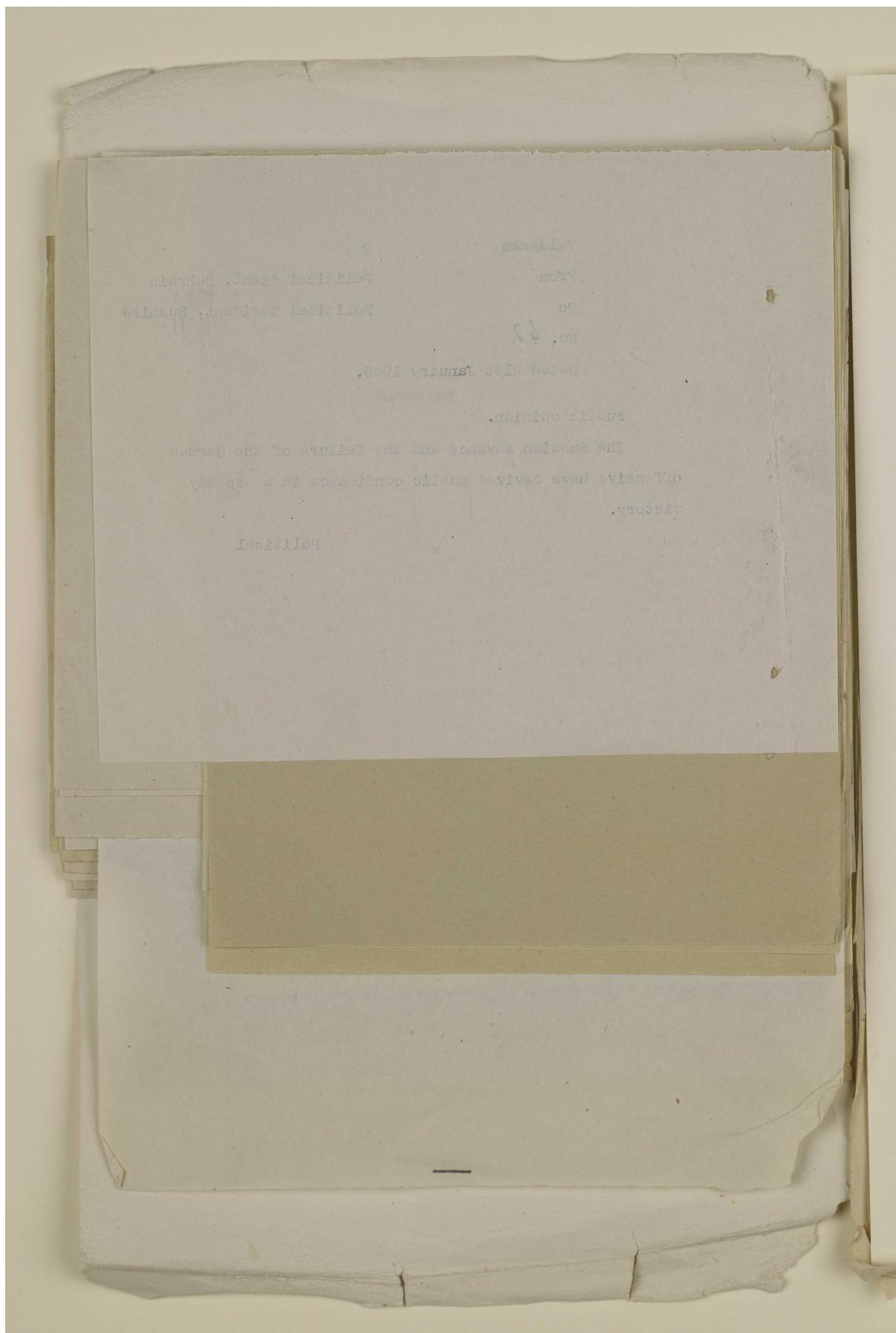
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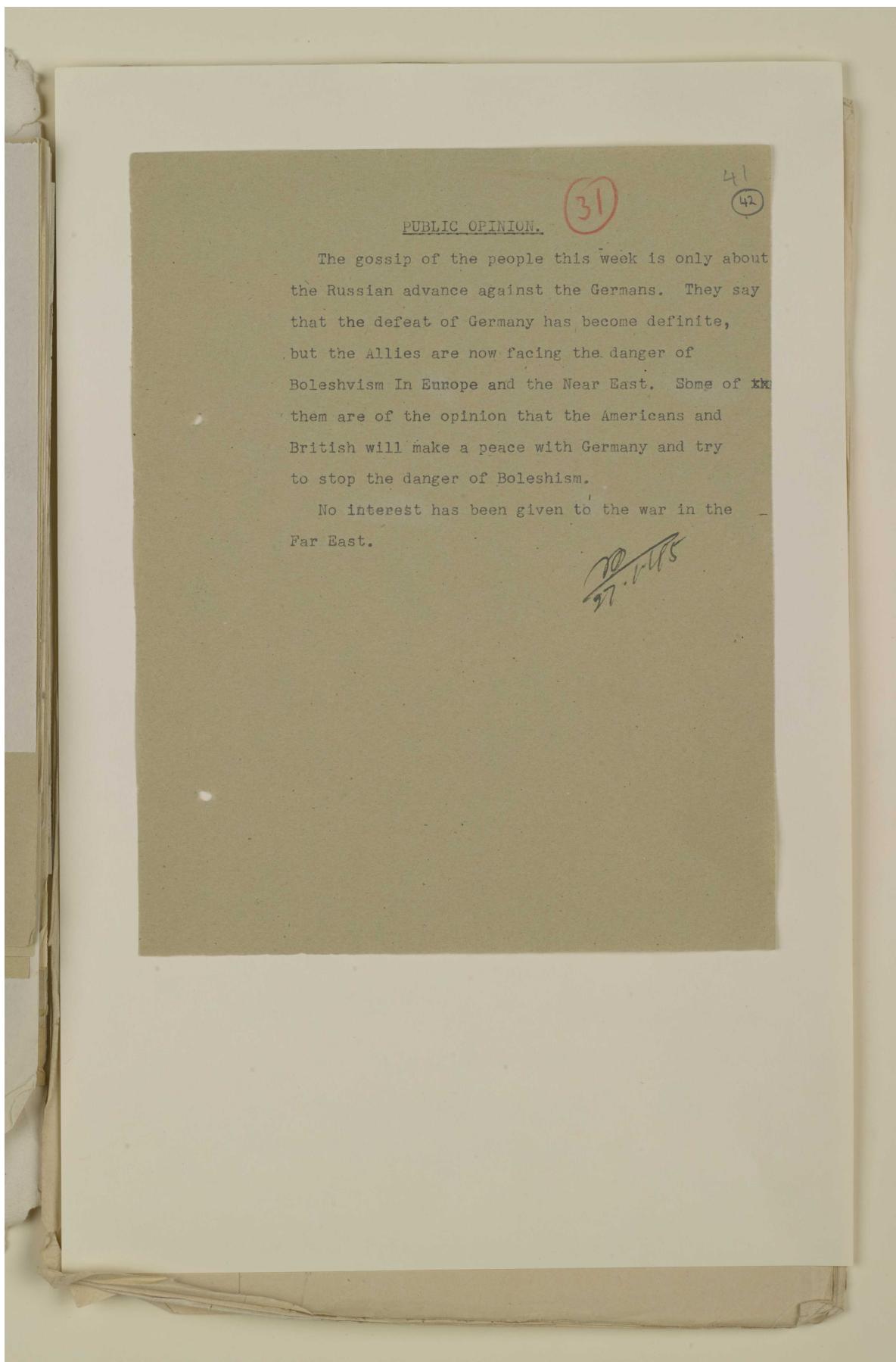
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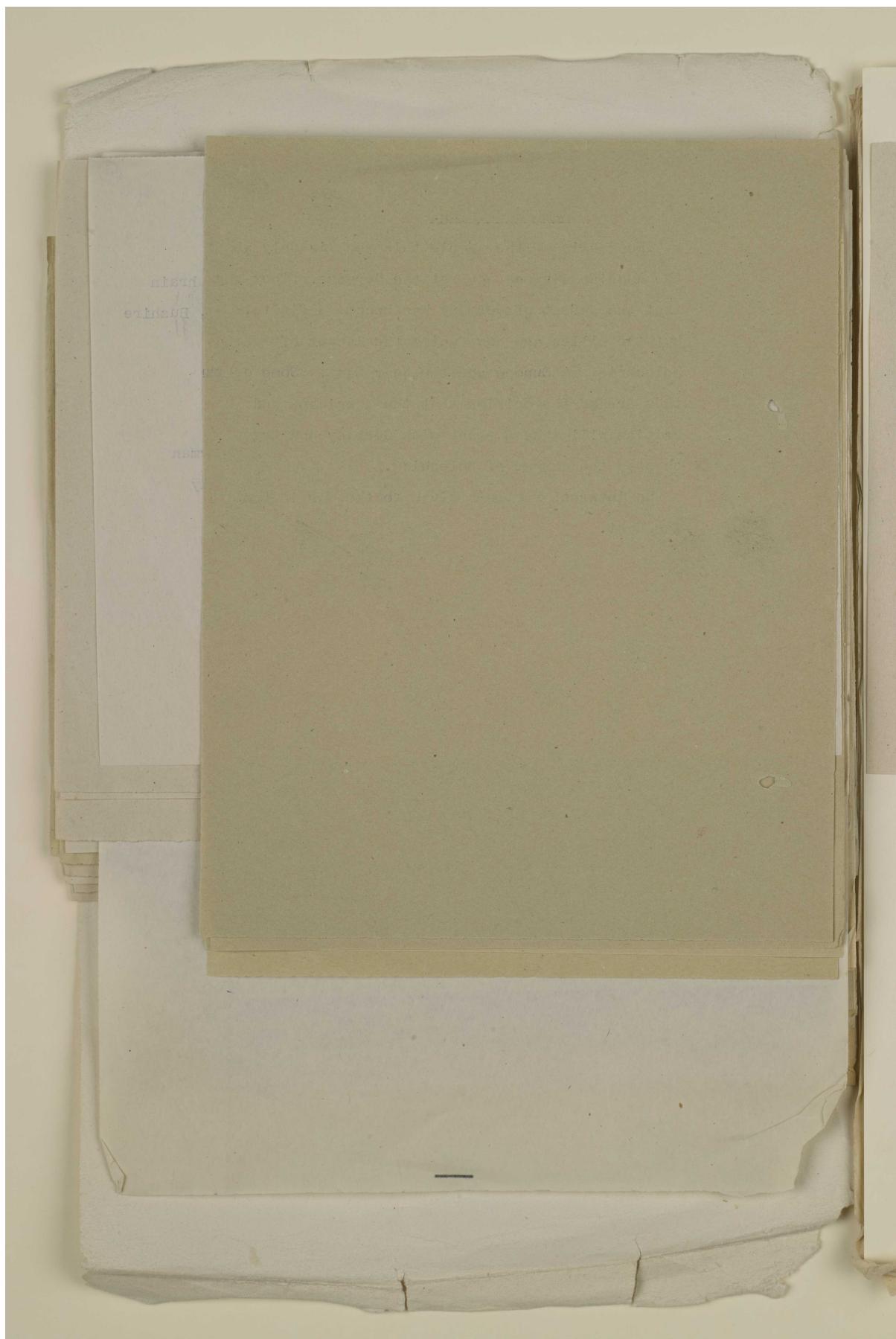


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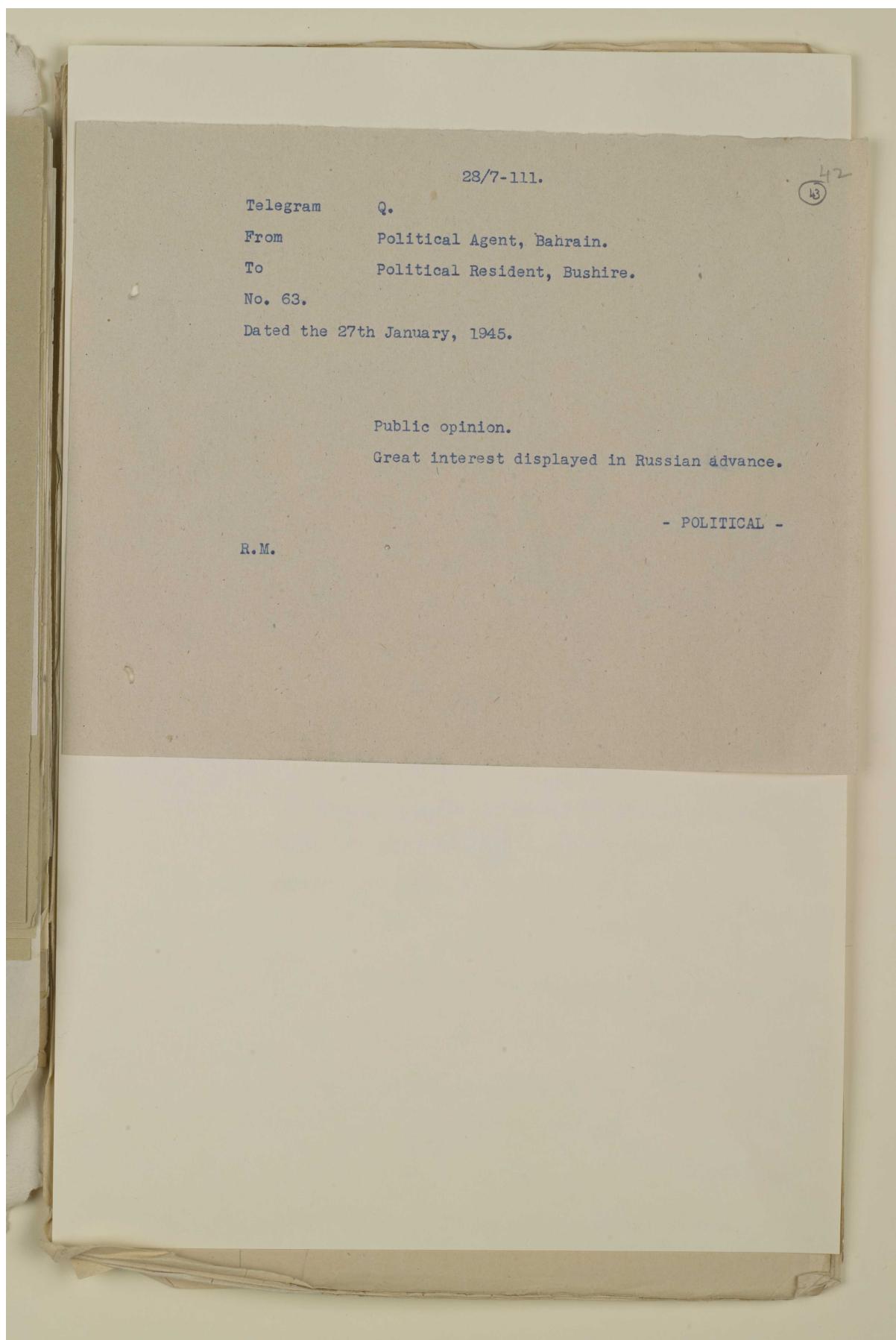


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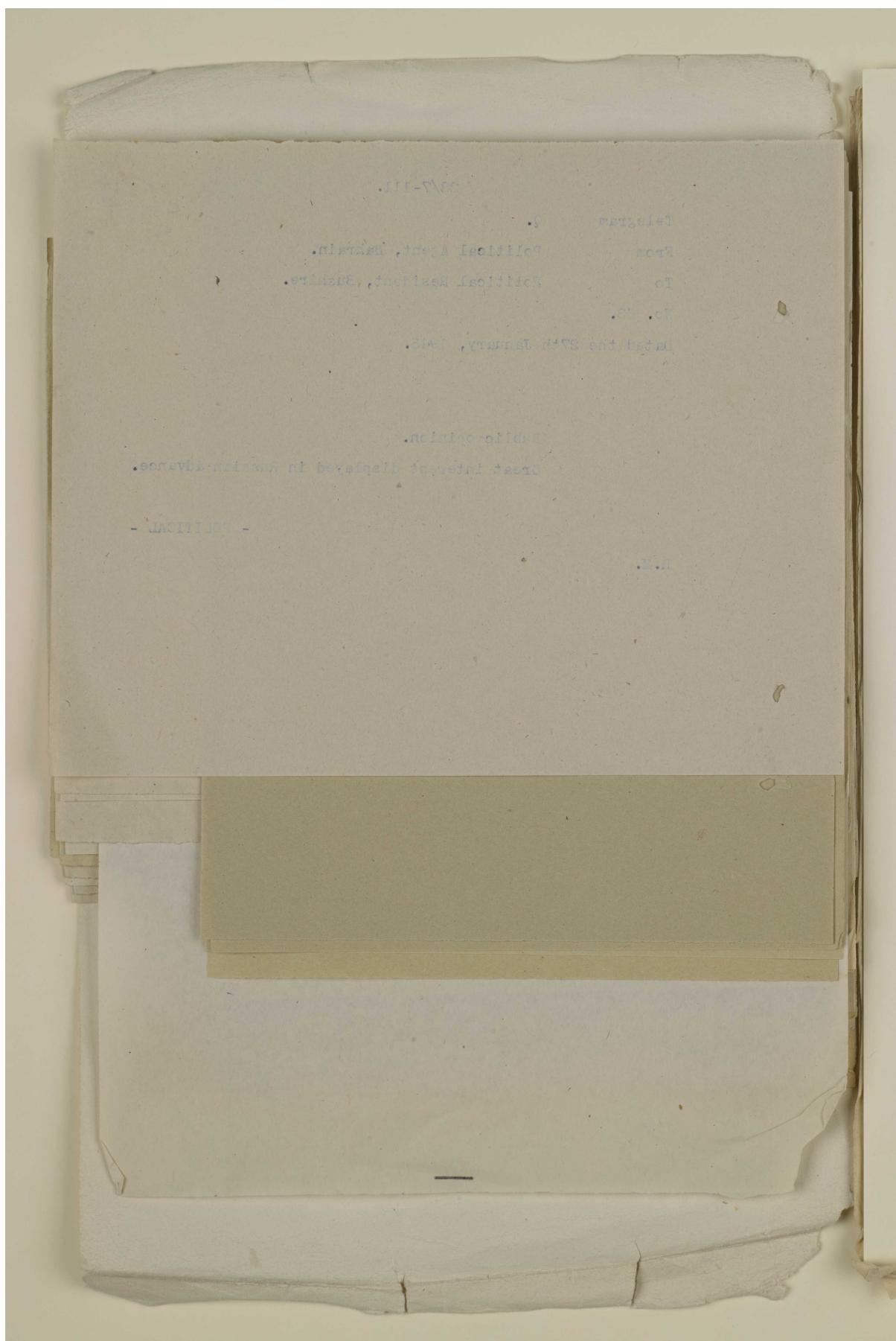




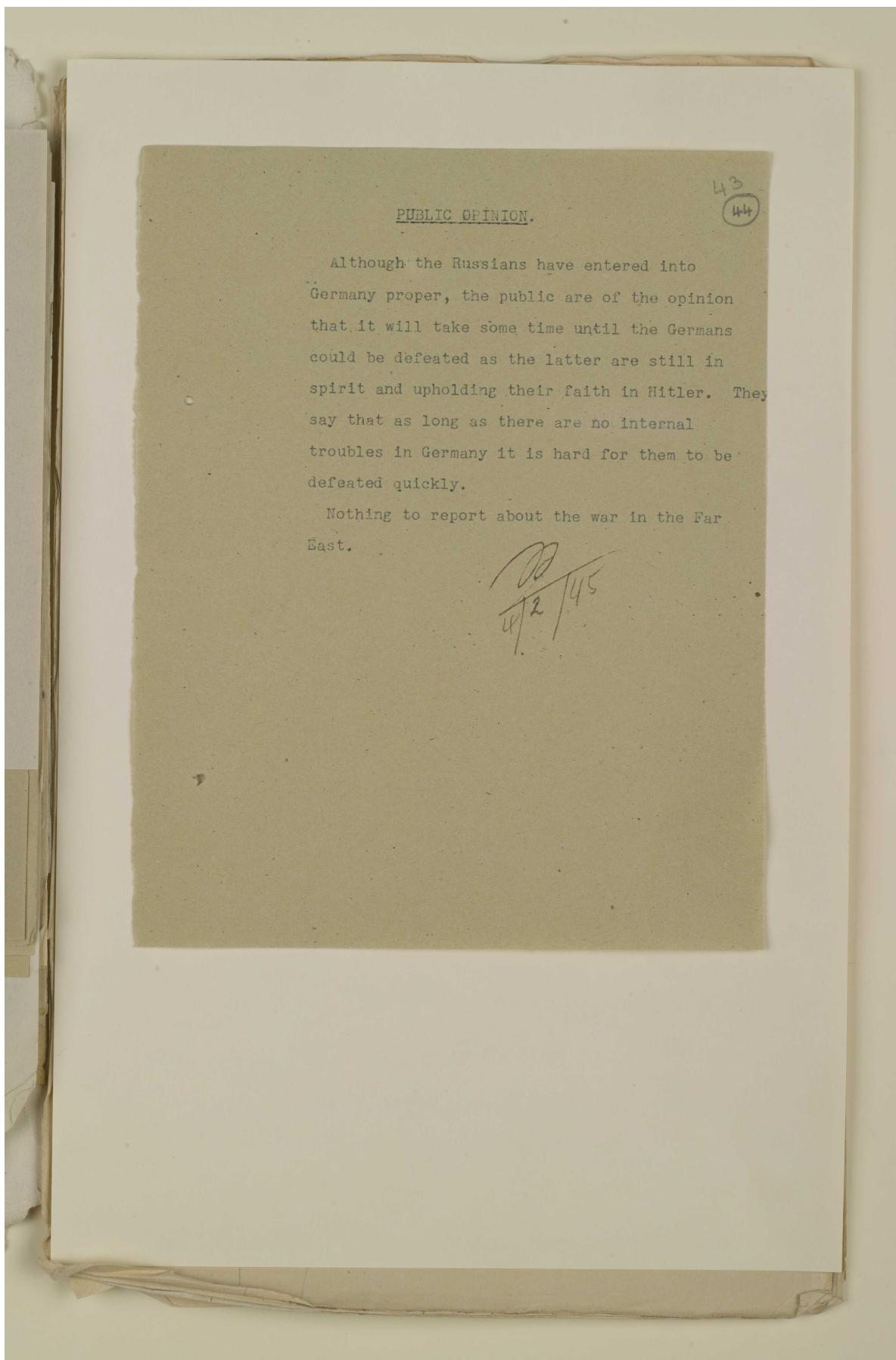
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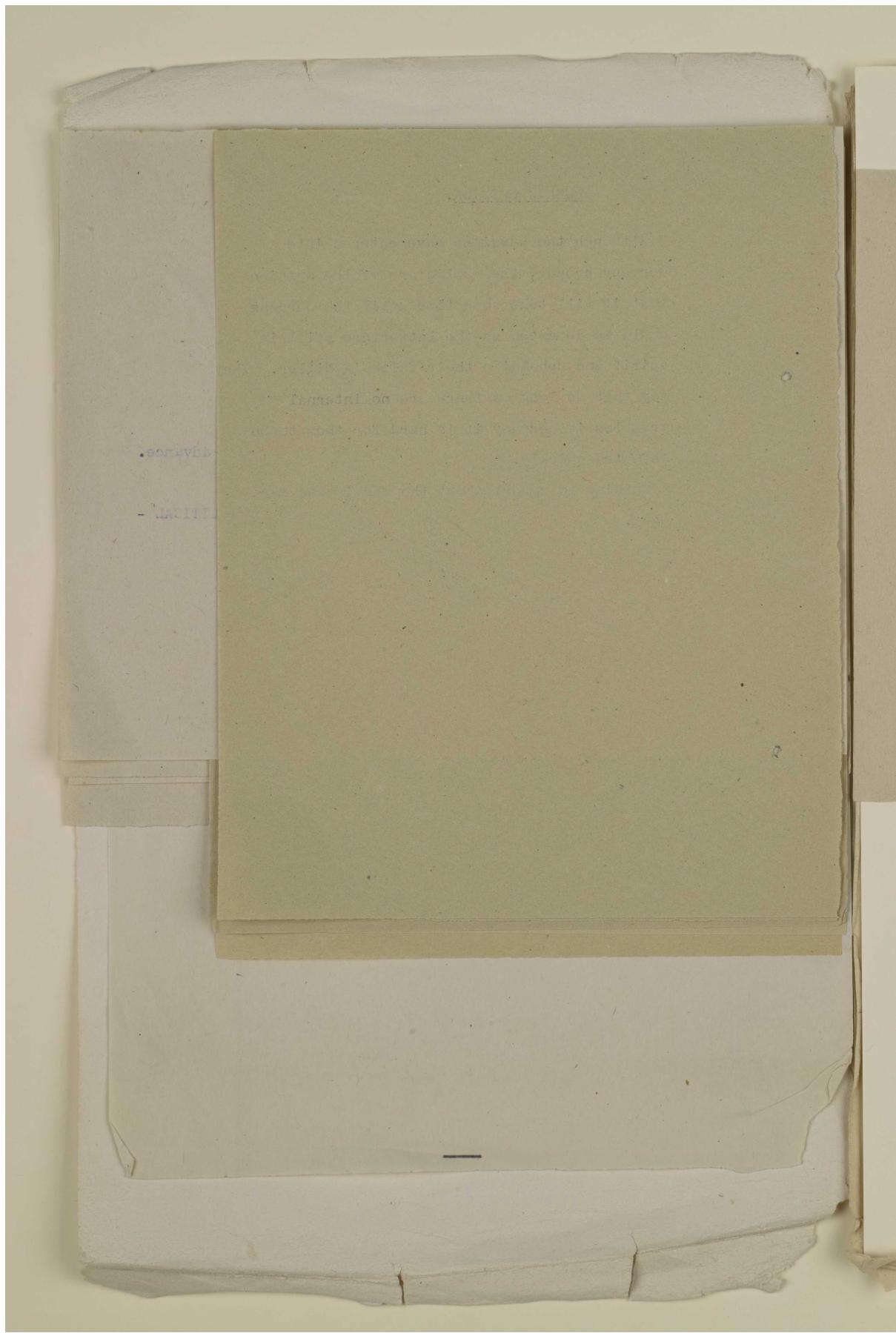
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To Political Resident, Bushire.
No. 84.
Dated the 5th February, 1945.

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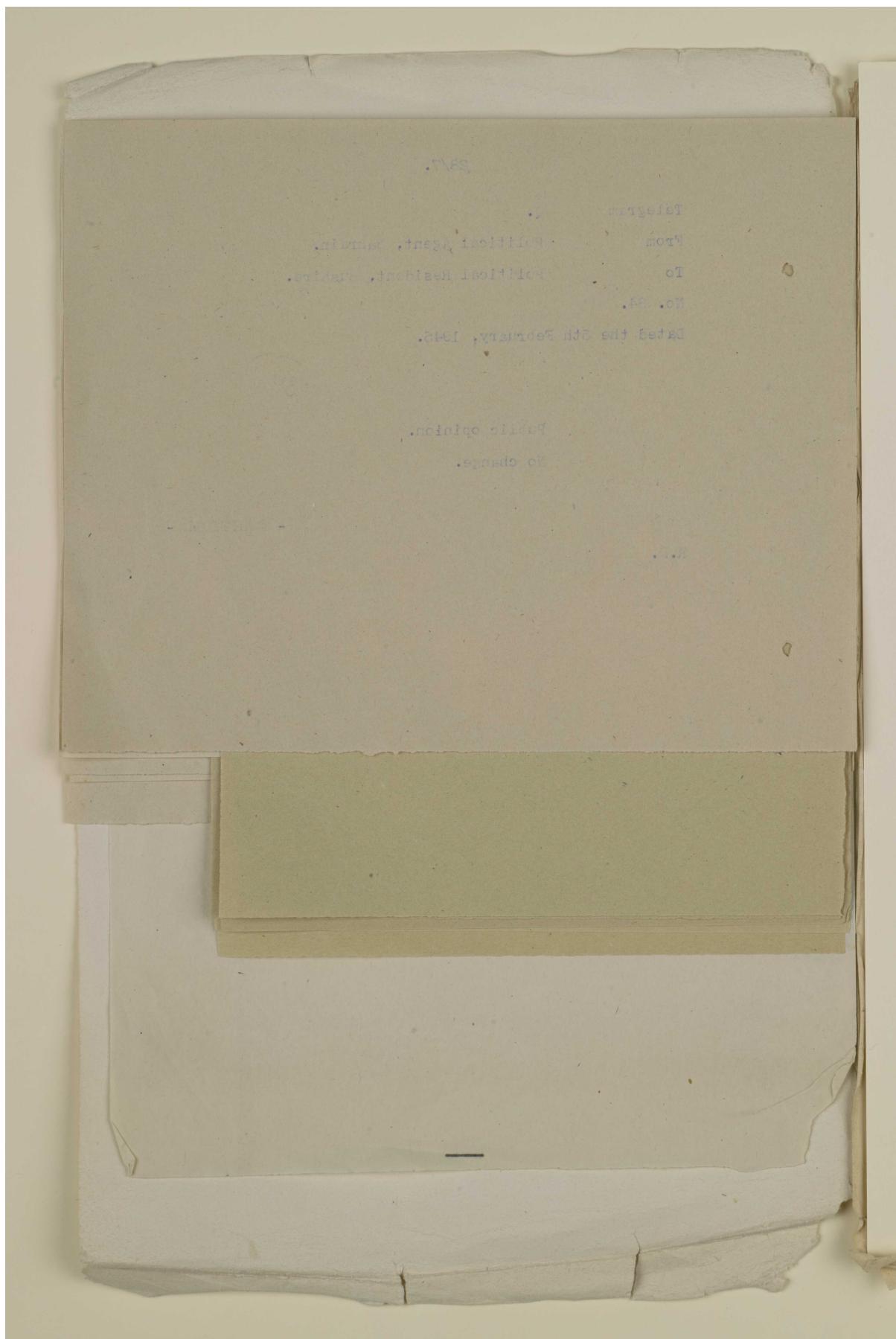
Public opinion.

No change.

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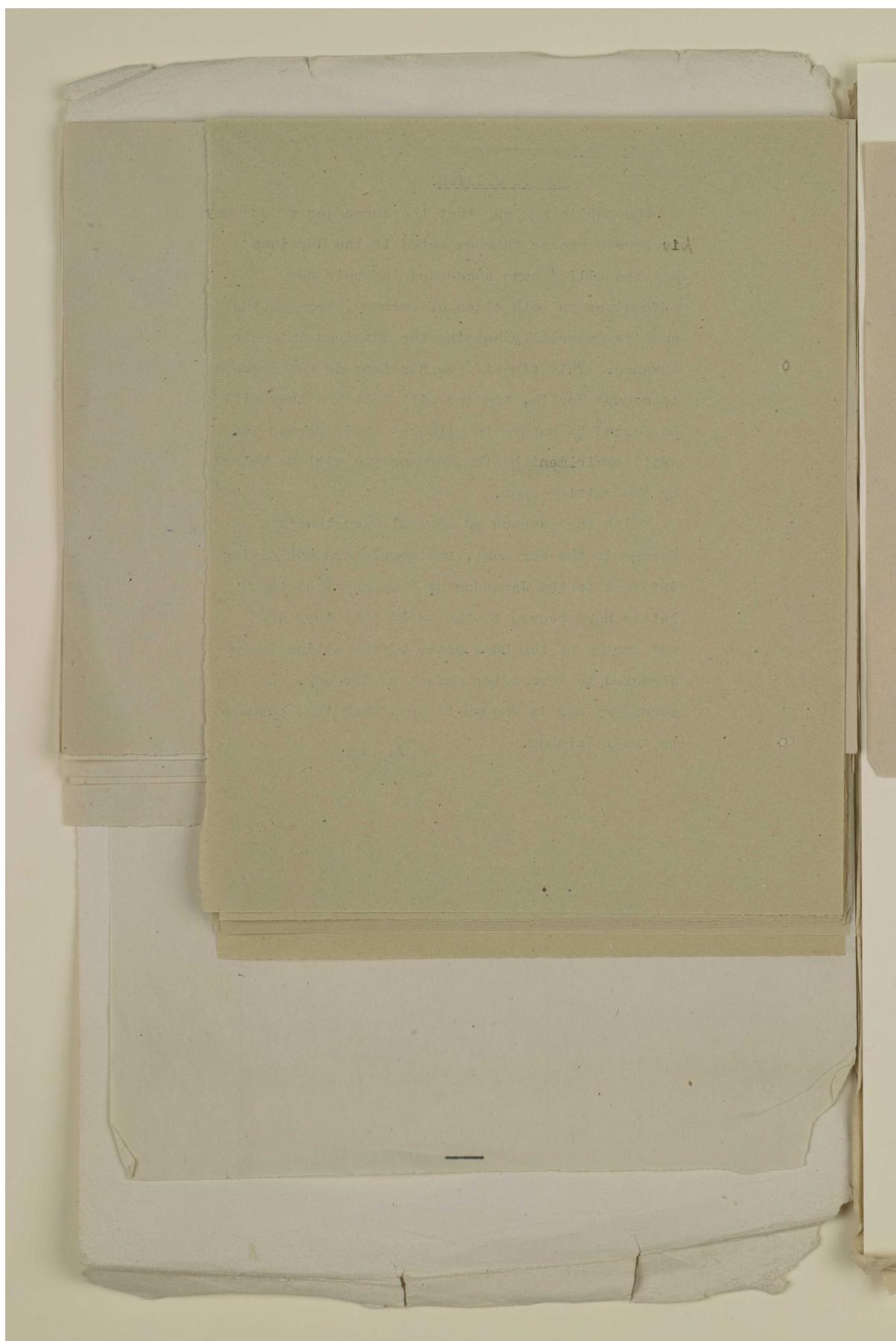
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PUBLIC OPINION.

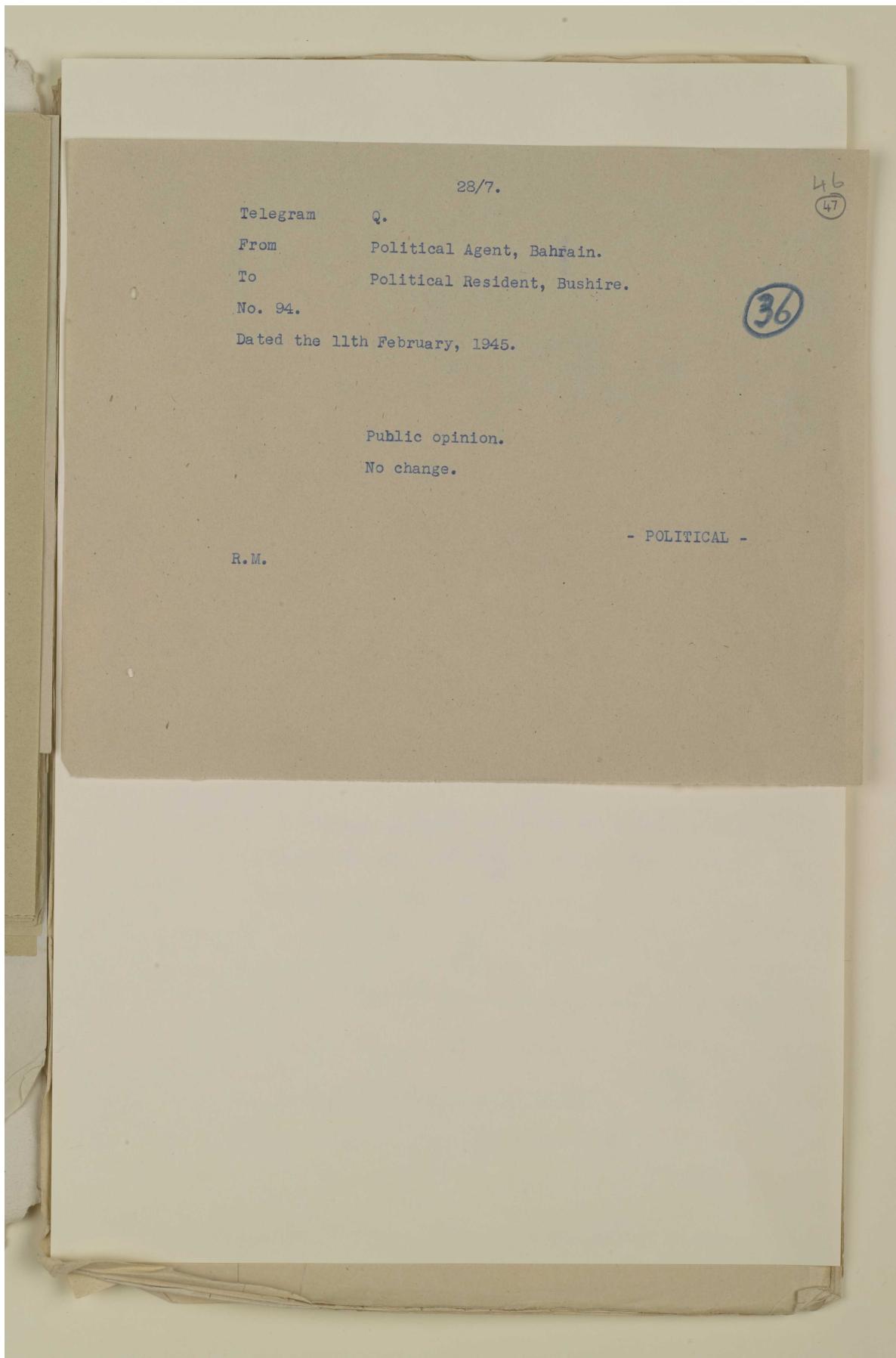
The public now say that the surrender of Germany has become nearer than expected if the Russians and the Allies have succeeded in their new offensives on both sides of Germany, because the snow is materially helping the Russians in their advance. This time if the Russians do not succeed to occupy Berlin, the ice will melt and they will be forced by nature to withdraw their forces and avoid encirclement by the Germans who will be helped by the melting snow.

With the advance of General MacArthur's forces in the Far East, the people are not giving interest to the Japanese as they say that the latter have proved to the world that they are not worthy of the huge power of the Allies to be directed to them after defeat of Germany. A secondary war is enough to send back the Japanese to their Islands.

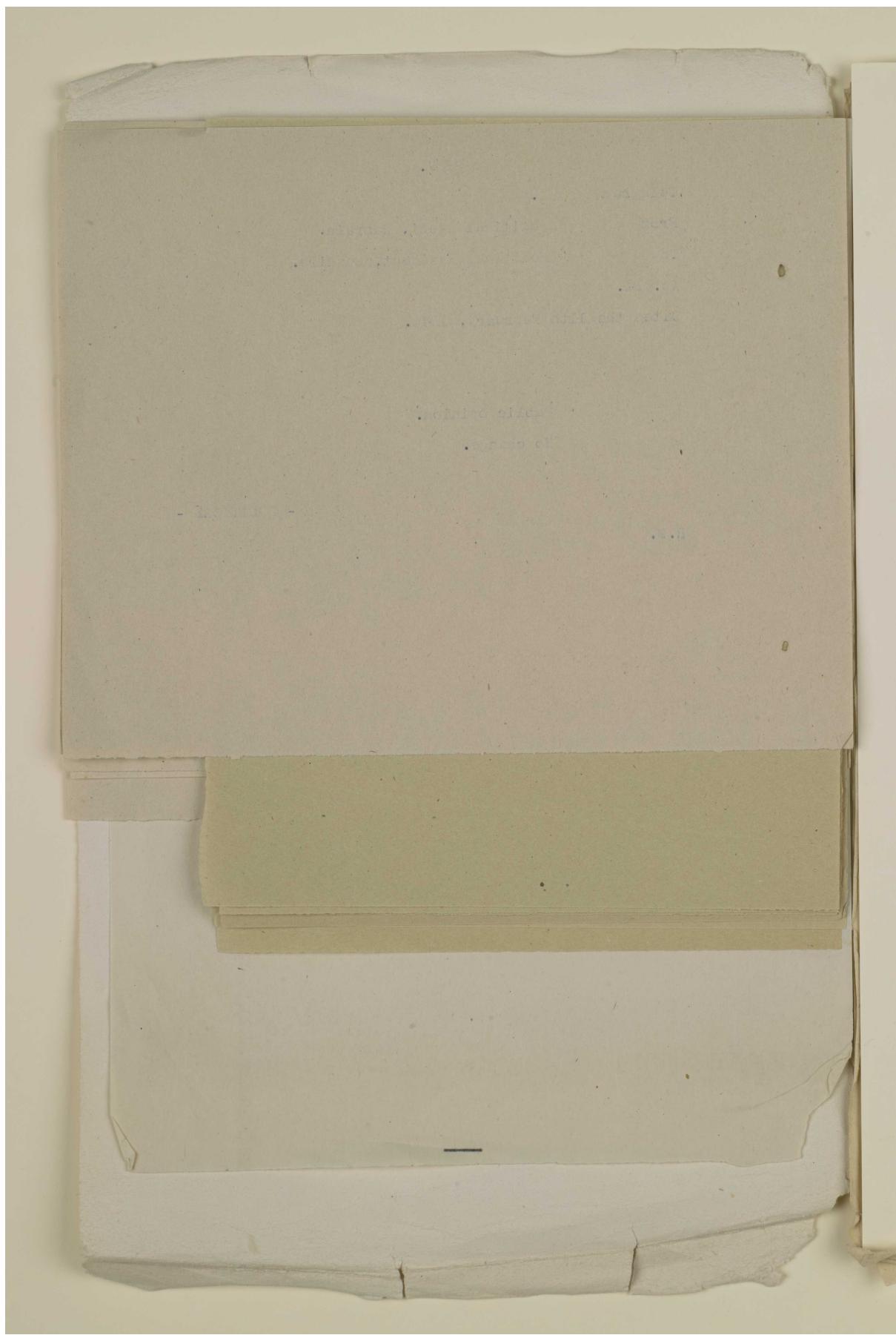
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"ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٨٤ و] [١٥٤/٩٥] (١٥٤)

PUBLIC OPINION.

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How intelligent!!

As the Germans are continually withdrawing before the Russians in the Reich proper, the public are of the opinion that the Germans will not win the war and they have to surrender unconditionally to the Allied powers.

Far East - This sector is of less importance than that of Europe so no interest has been given to it.

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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٨٤٨] [٩٦/١٥٤]



"ملف 28/7 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٩٤ و] [١٥٤/٩٧] (١)

Telegram

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From

Political Agent, Bahrain.

To

Political Resident, Bushire.

No. 115.

Dated the 18th February, 1945.

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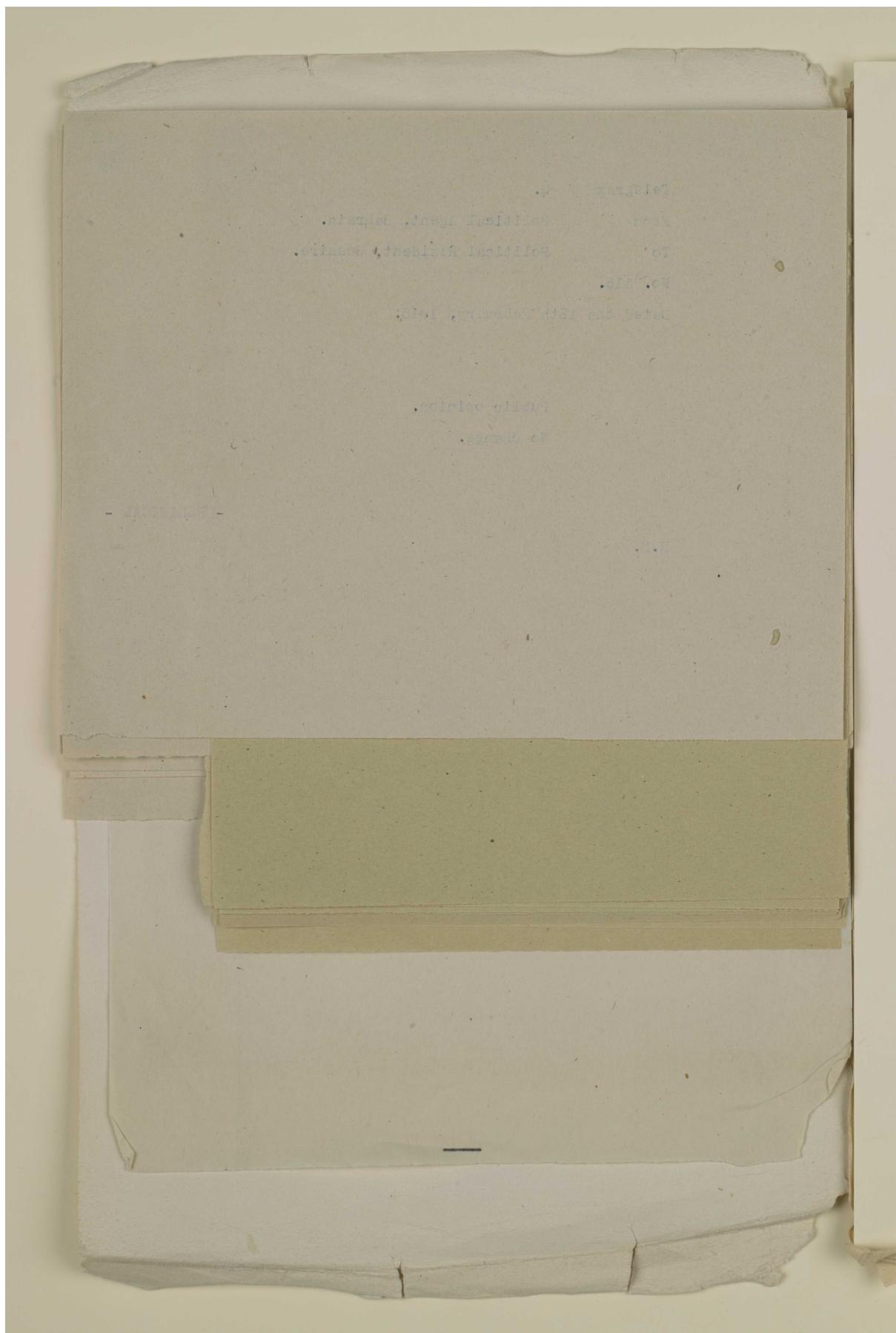
Public opinion.

No change.

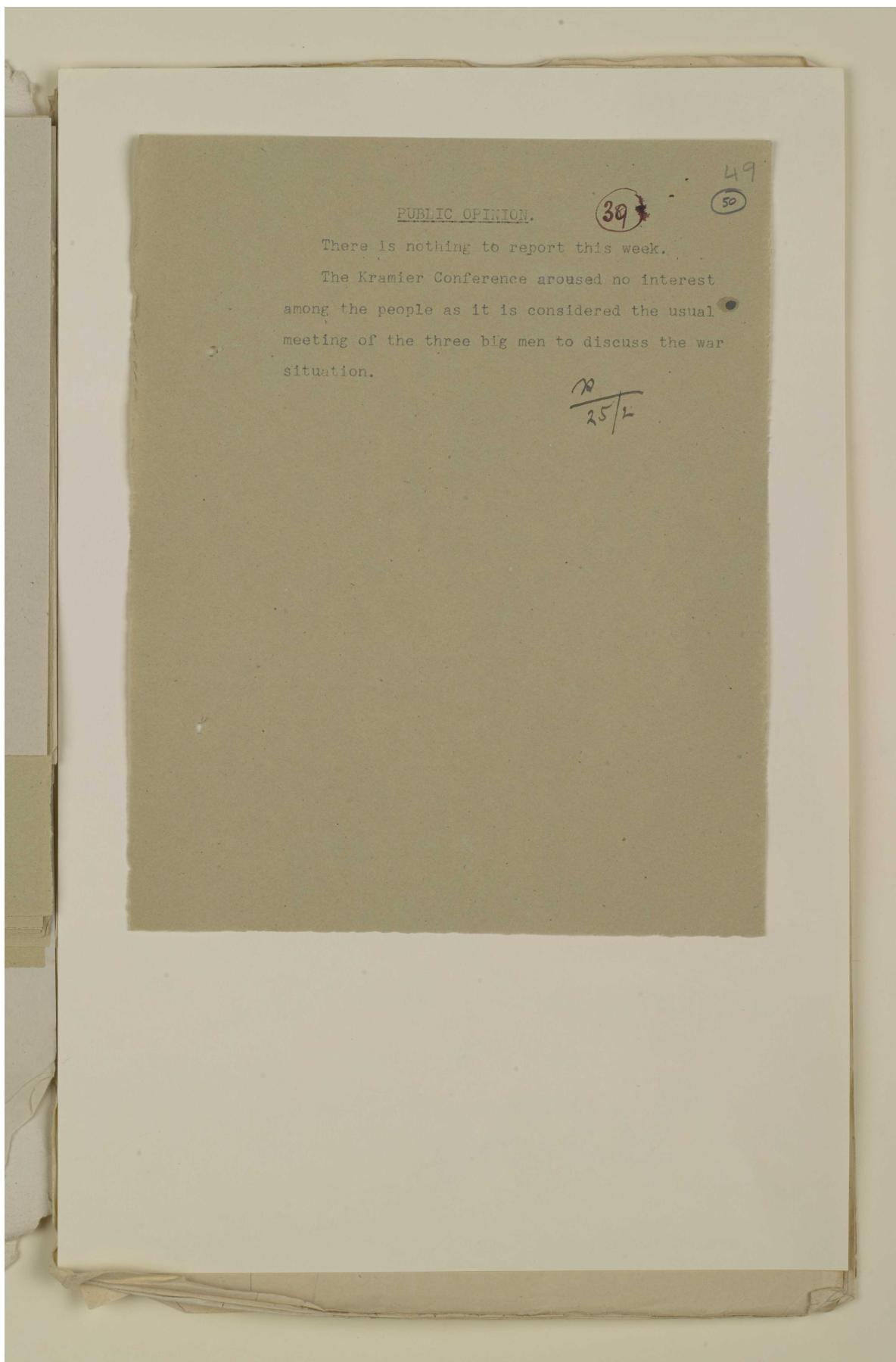
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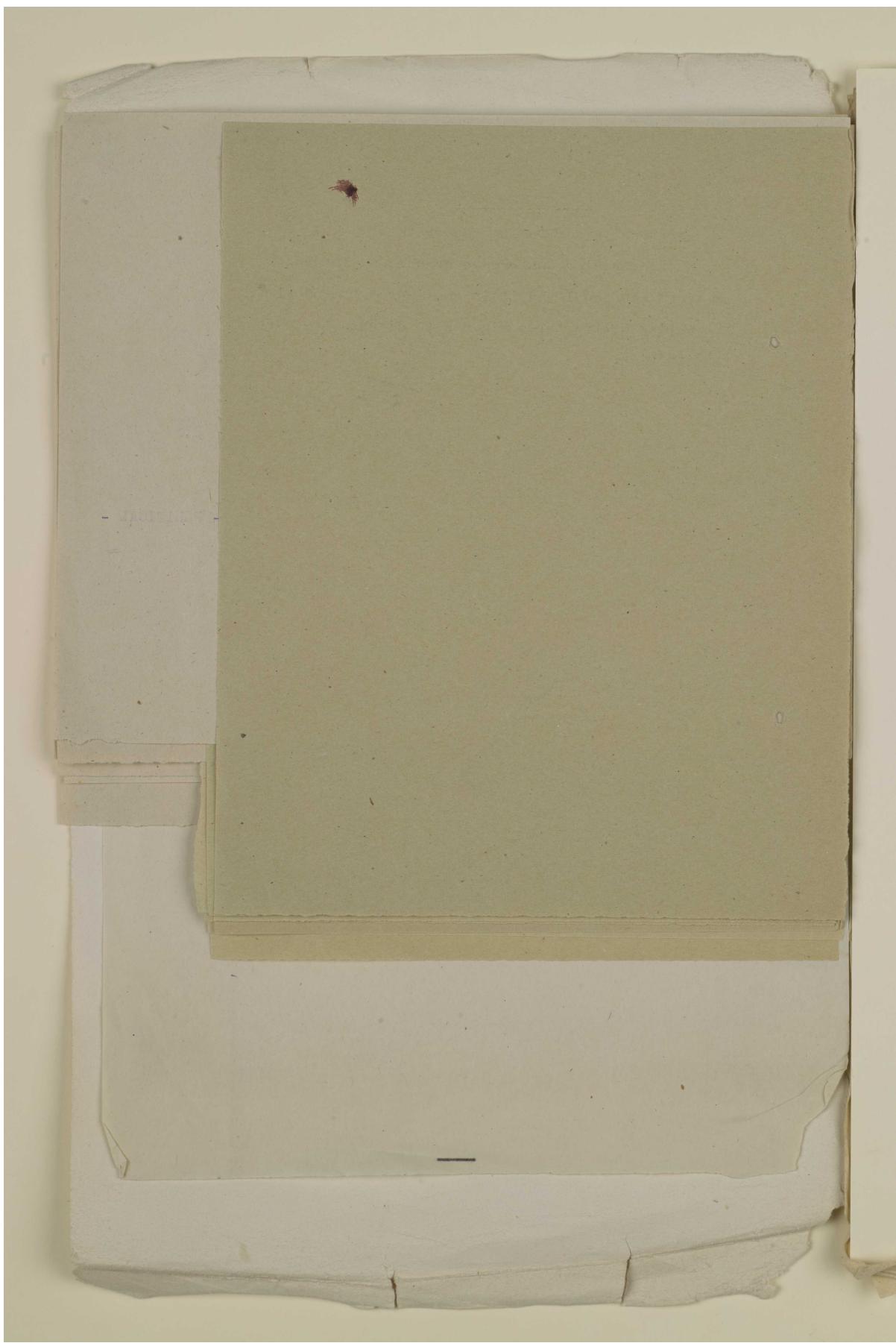
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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٥١] [١٠١/١٥٤]

PUBLIC OPINION.

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About the declaration of war by the Arab States against the Germans and Japanese, the public define it that this declaration was dictated by the masters - the three big men - to their subjects, and as such they have given little interest to it.

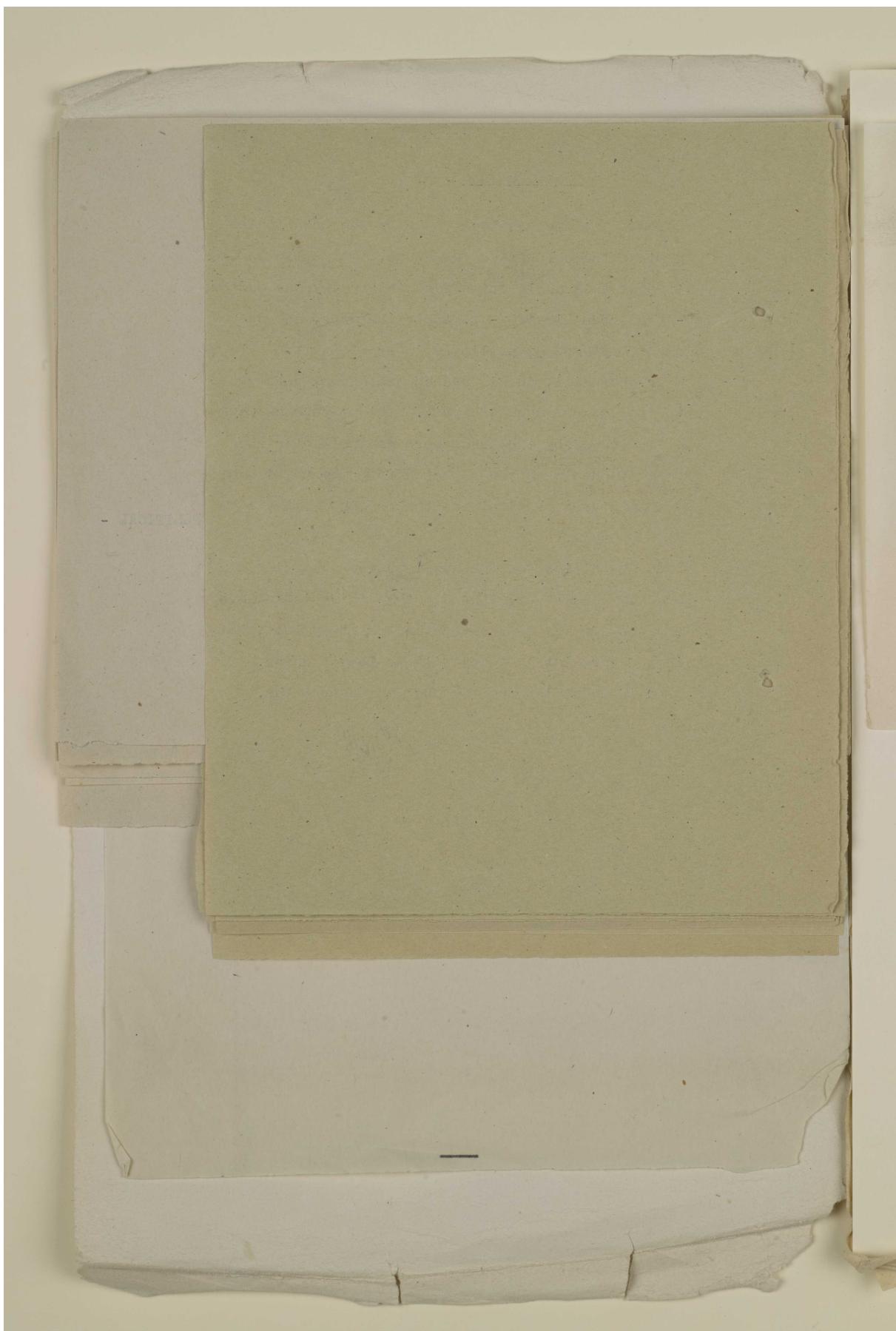
Mr. Churchill, in his speech last week, referred to the independence of Syria. This reference was not welcomed by the Arabs here as the latter say that it should not be expected from the British and Americans to displease the French for the sake of the Arabs.

As the Allies and the Russians are occupying more grounds in Germany, they say that there is no hope for the Germans to recover the area they lost, but in their resistance they will prolong the war.

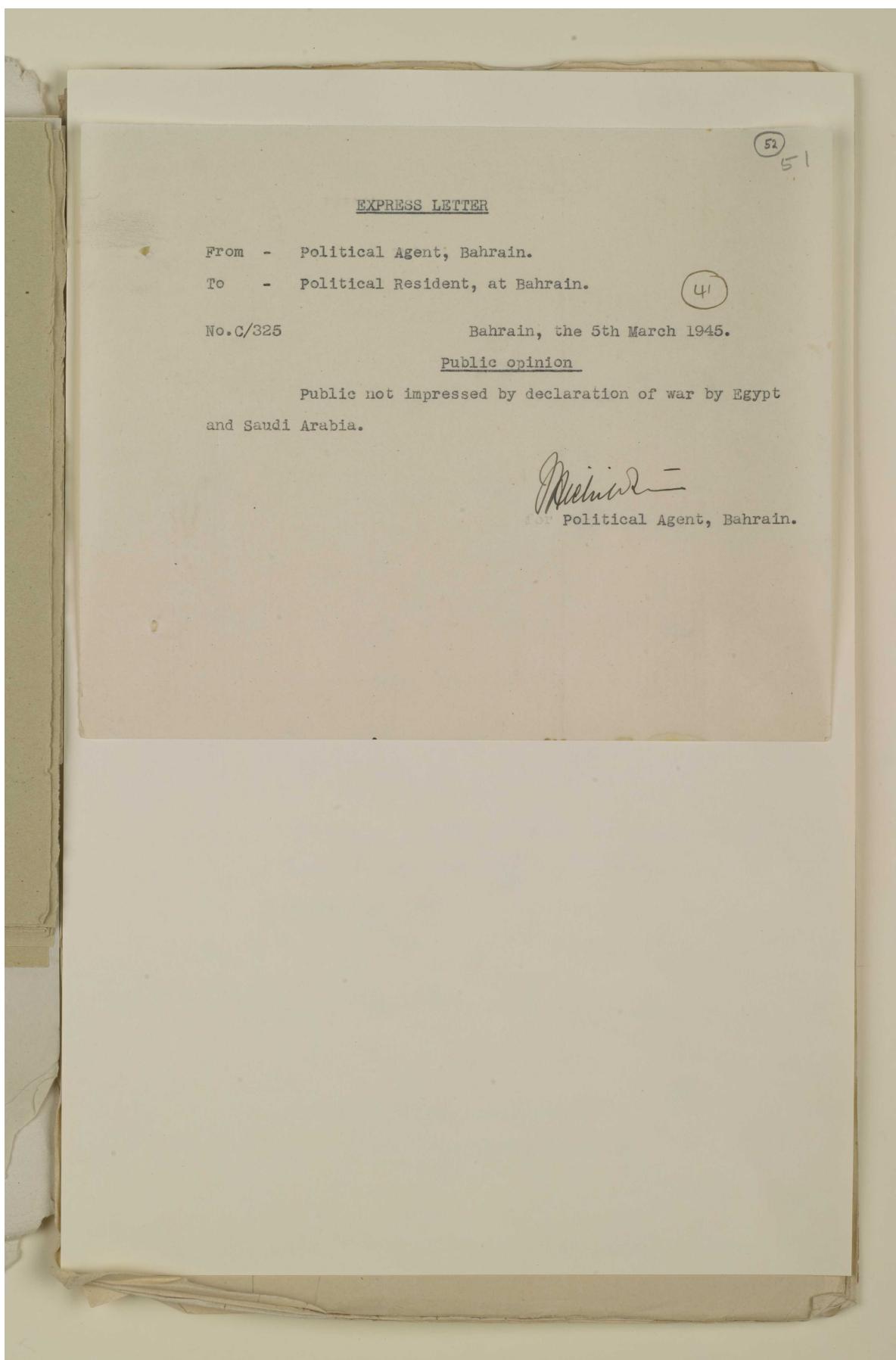
No interest is given to the Far Eastern war.

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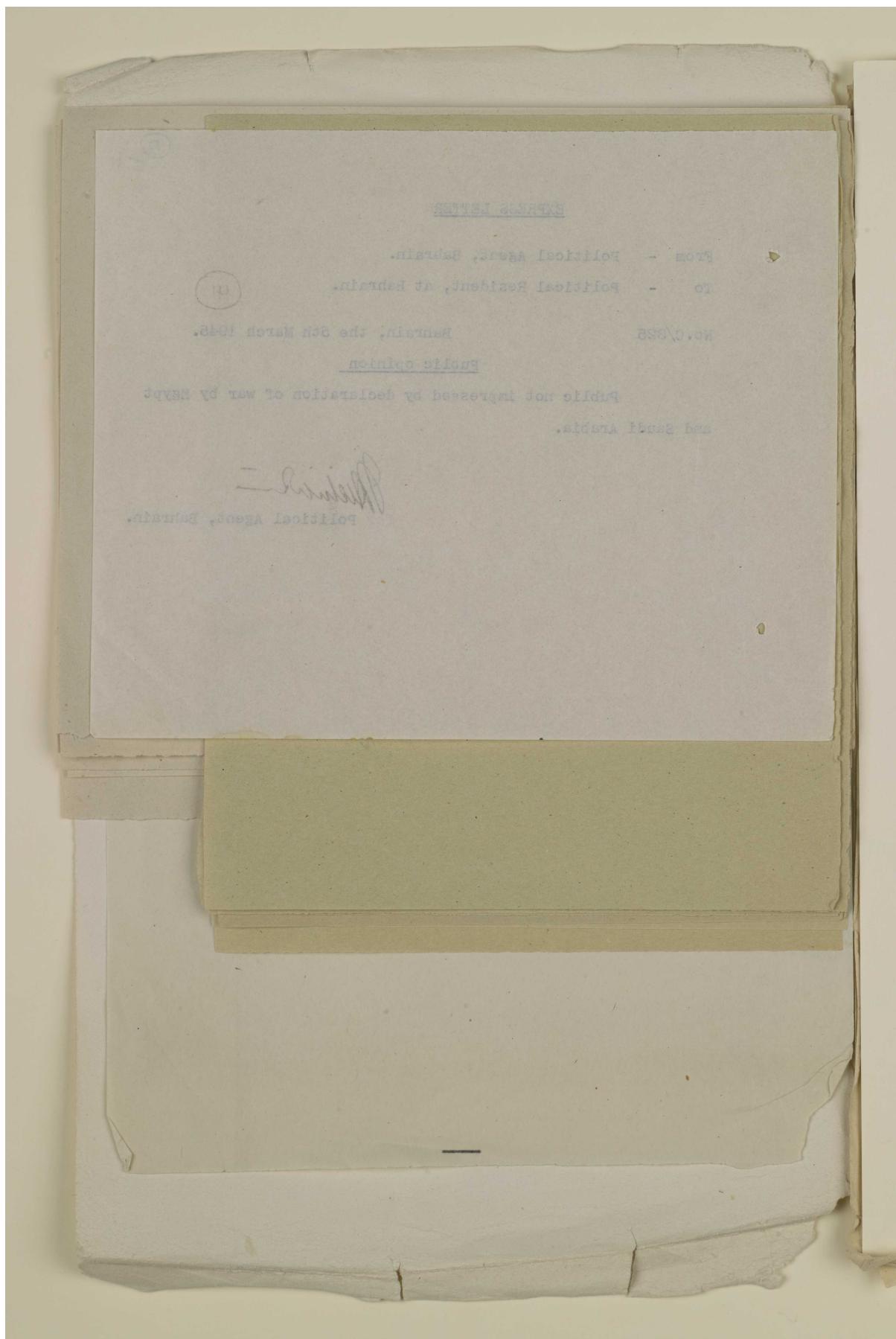
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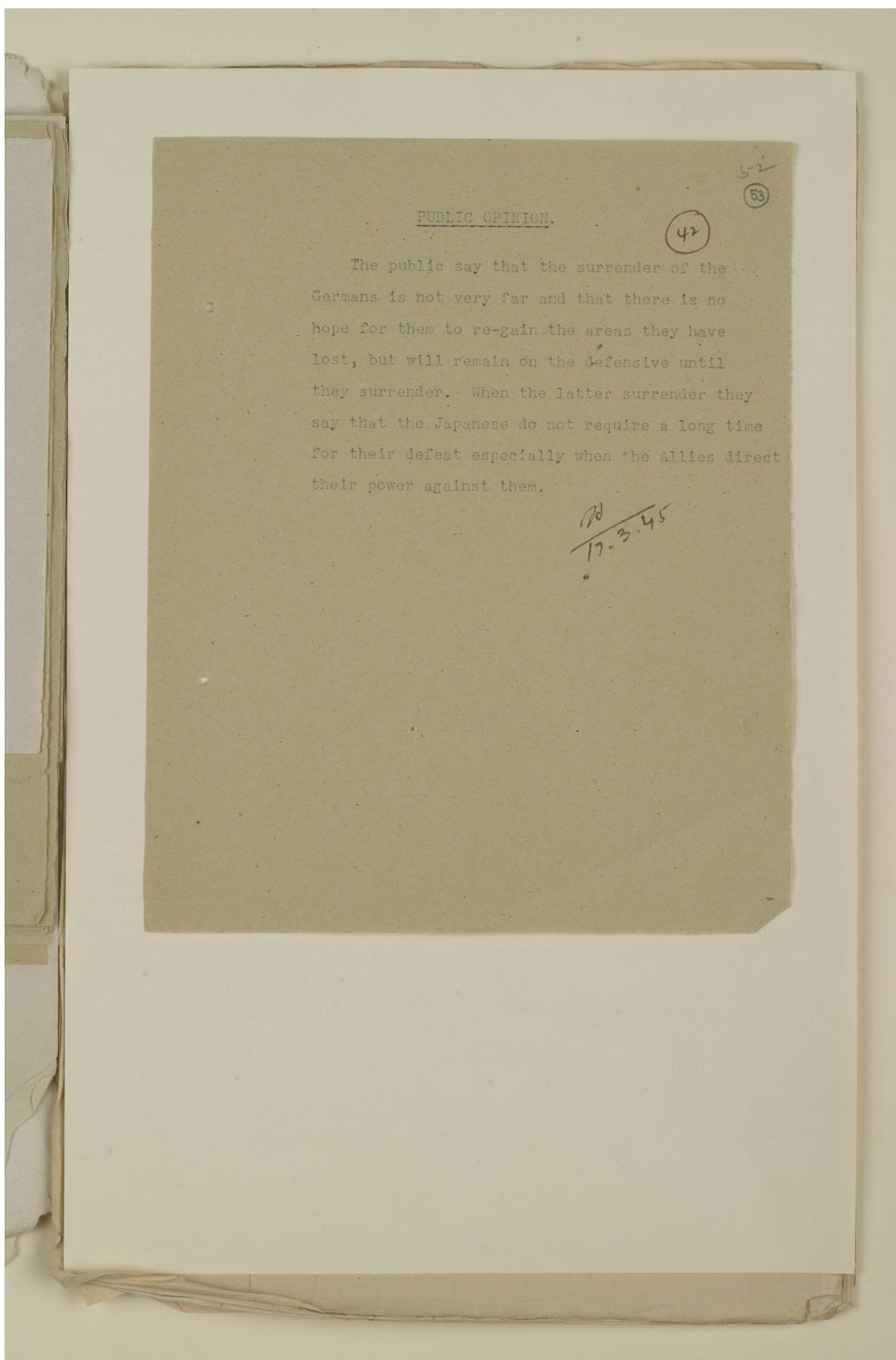
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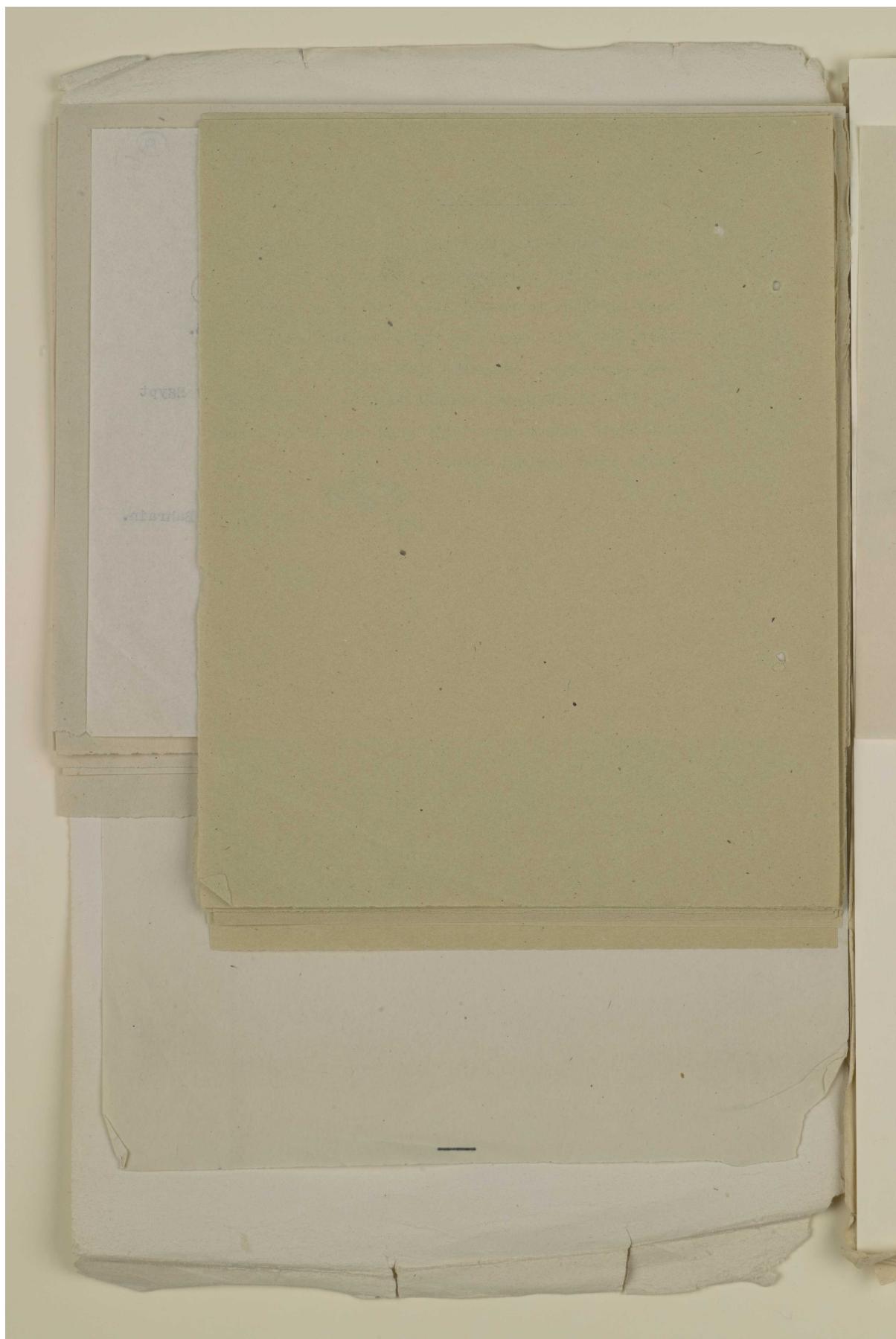
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"ملف 7 28/III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٥٣] [١٠٦ / ١٥٤]



"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٤٥٠] (١٥٤/١٠٧)

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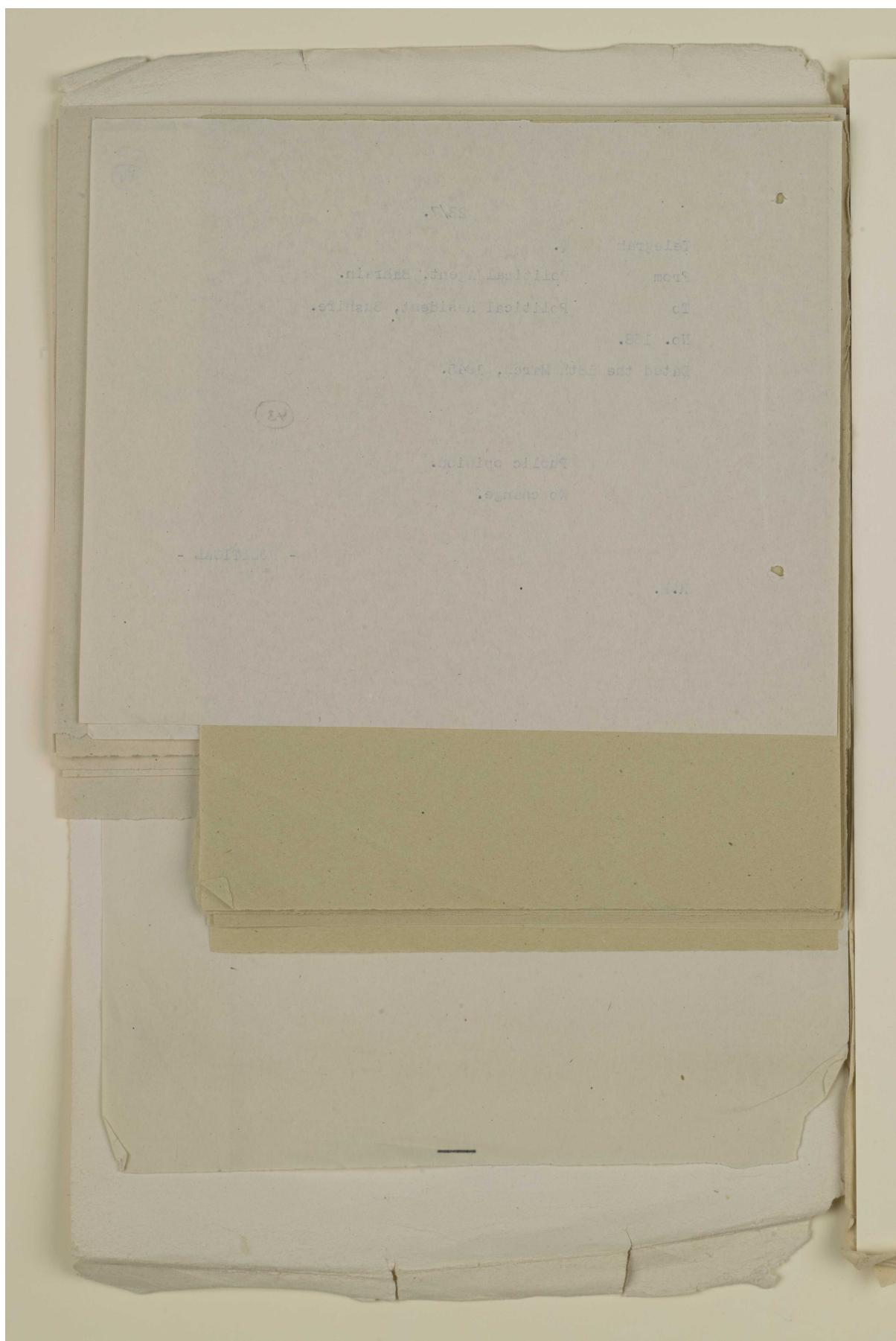
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No. 168.
Dated the 18th March, 1945.

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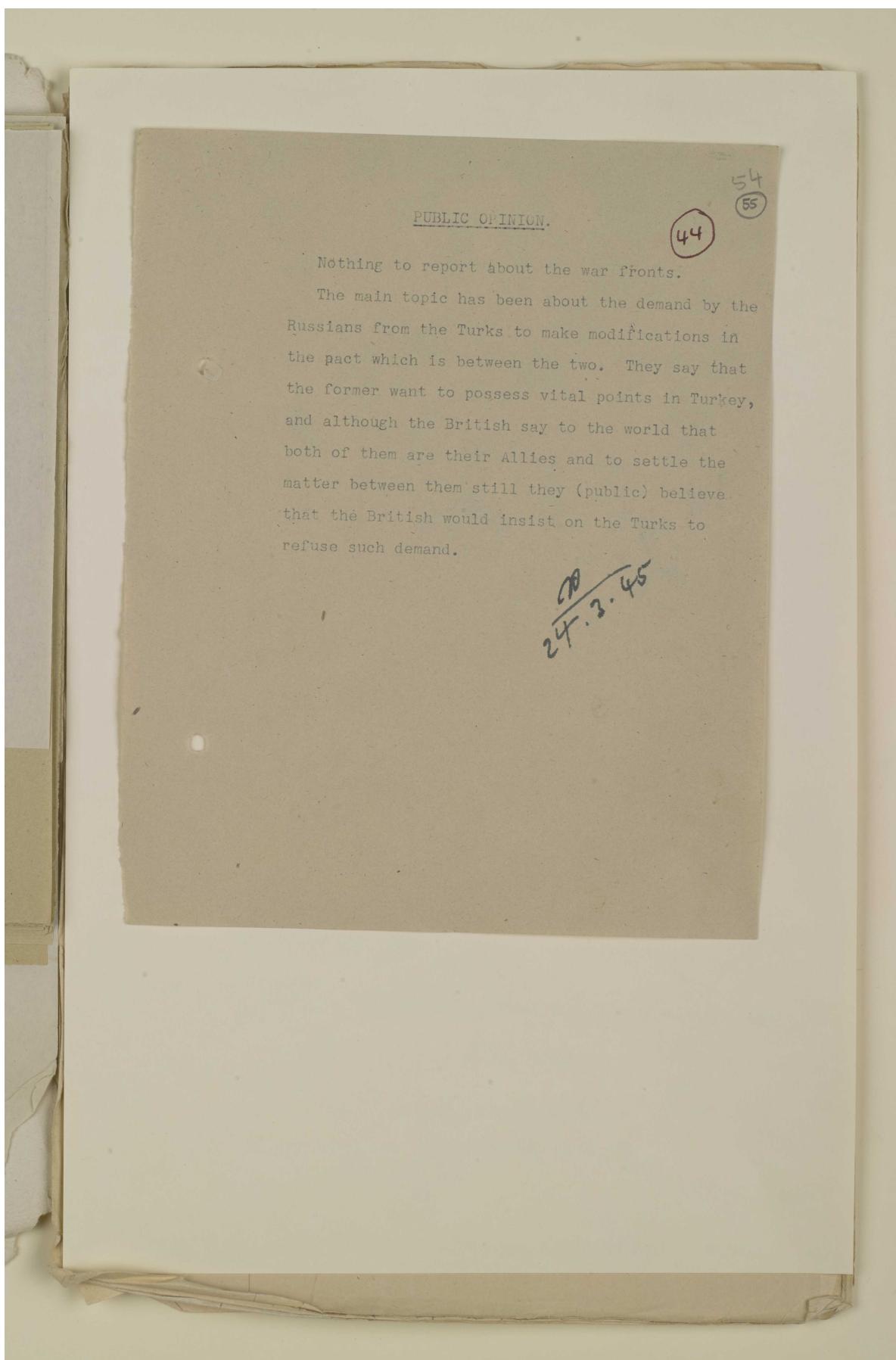
Public opinion.
No change.

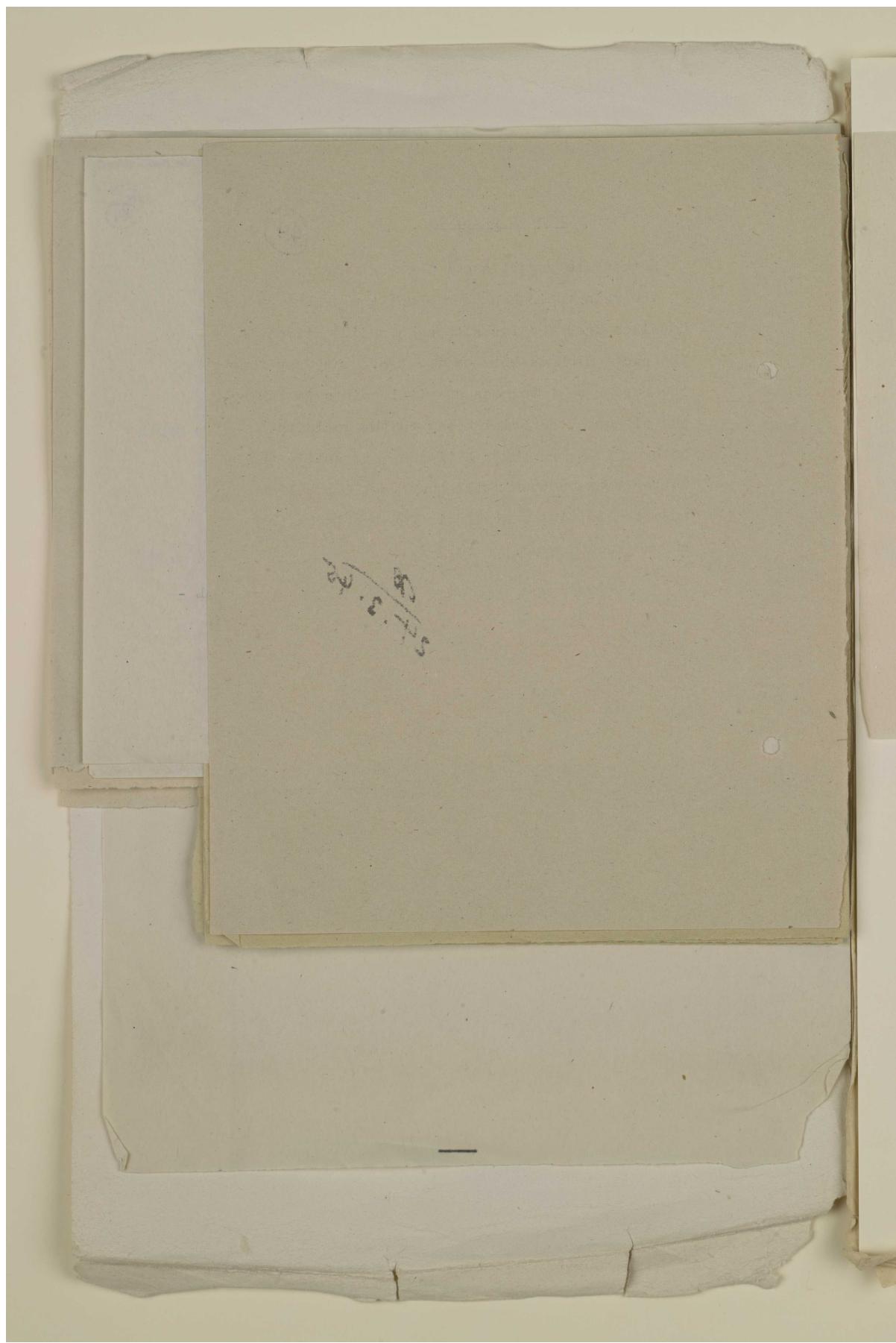
- POLITICAL -
R.M.

"ملف 7 28/III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٤٥٥] [١٠٨/١٥٤]



"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٥٥و] (١٠٤/١٠٩)





"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٦٥٦و] (١١١/١٥٤)

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Telegram Q.
From Political Agent, Bahrain.

To Political Resident, Bushire.

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Dated the 24th March, 1945.

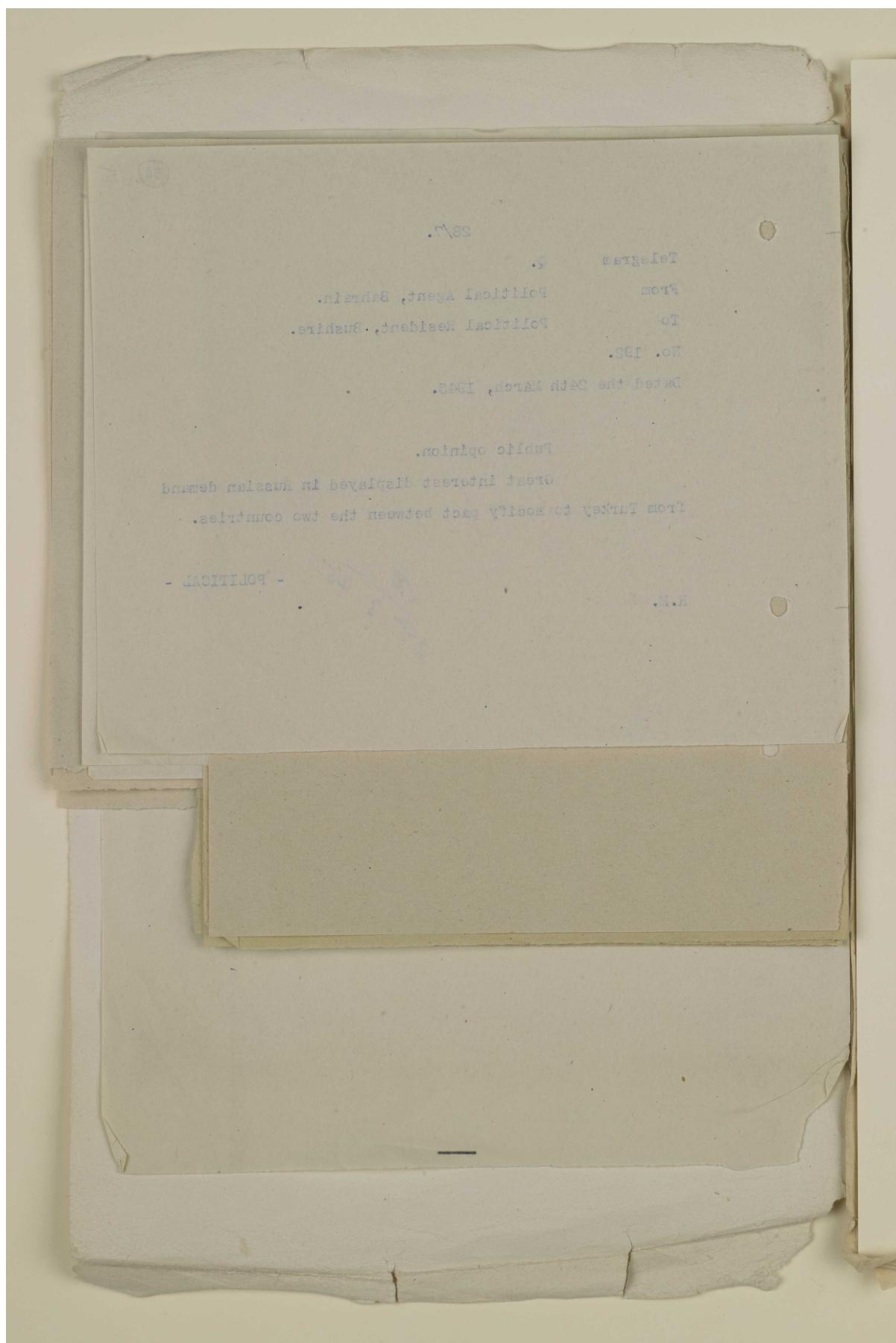
Public opinion.

Great interest displayed in Russian demand
from Turkey to modify pact between the two countries.

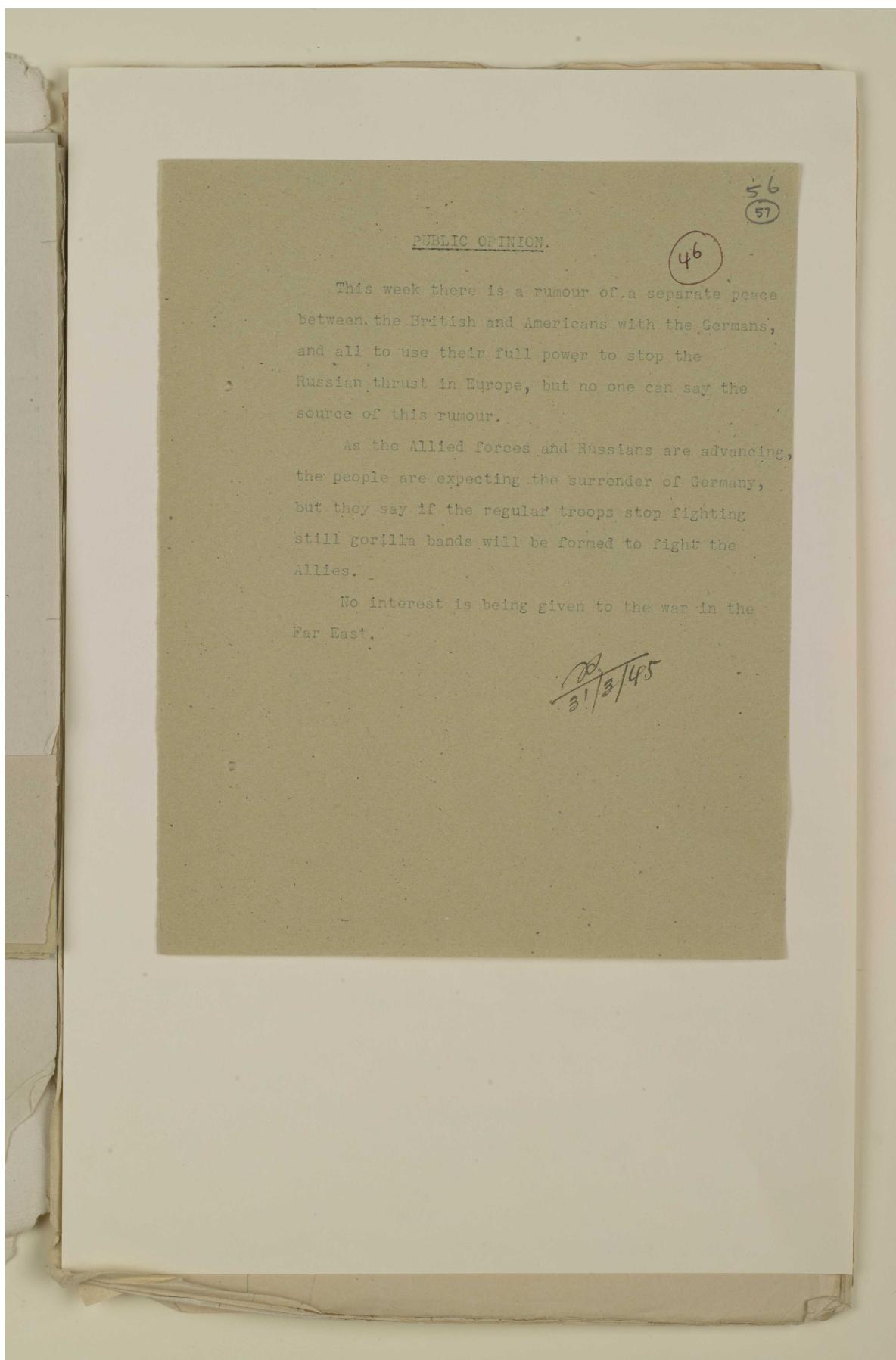
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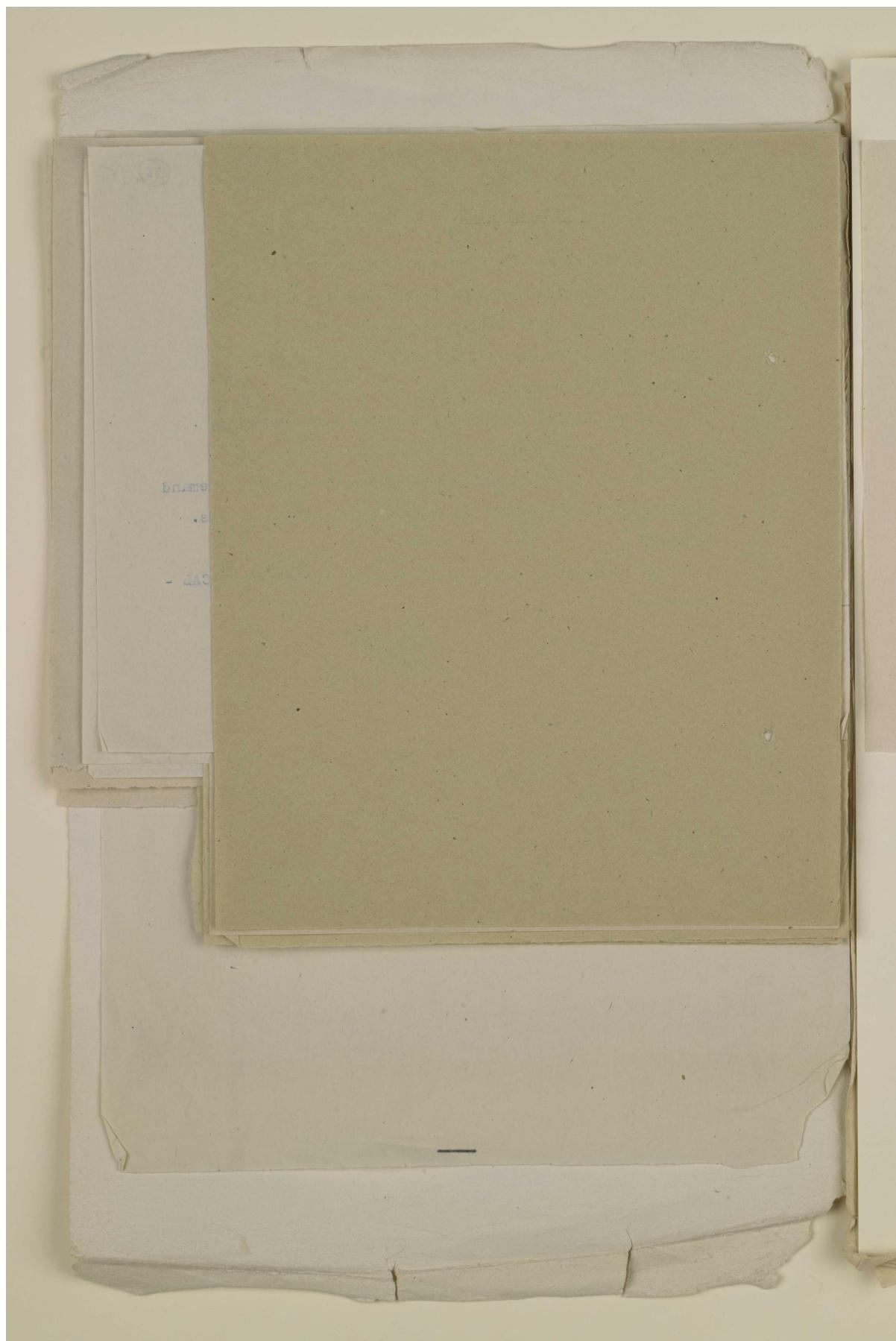
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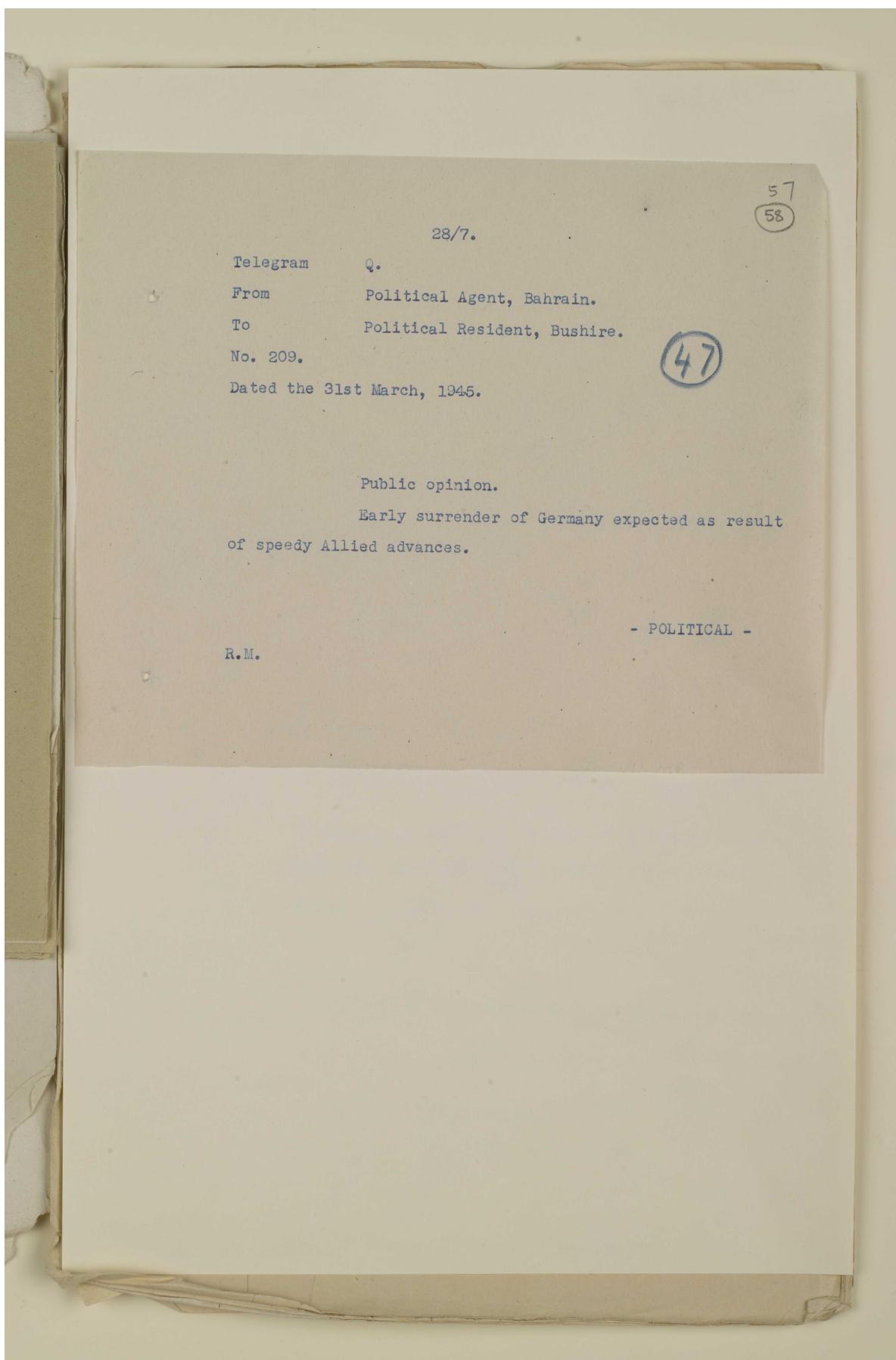


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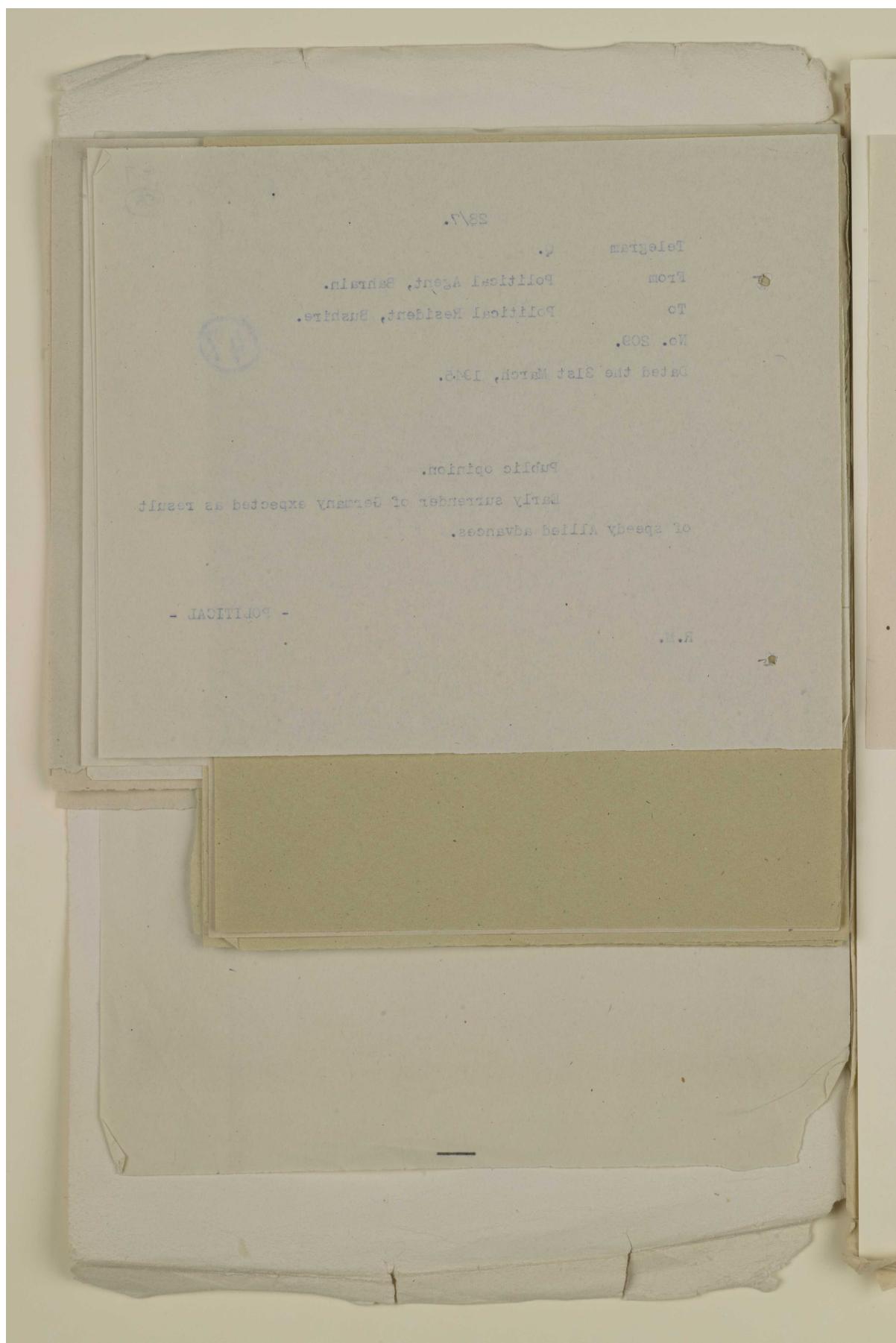




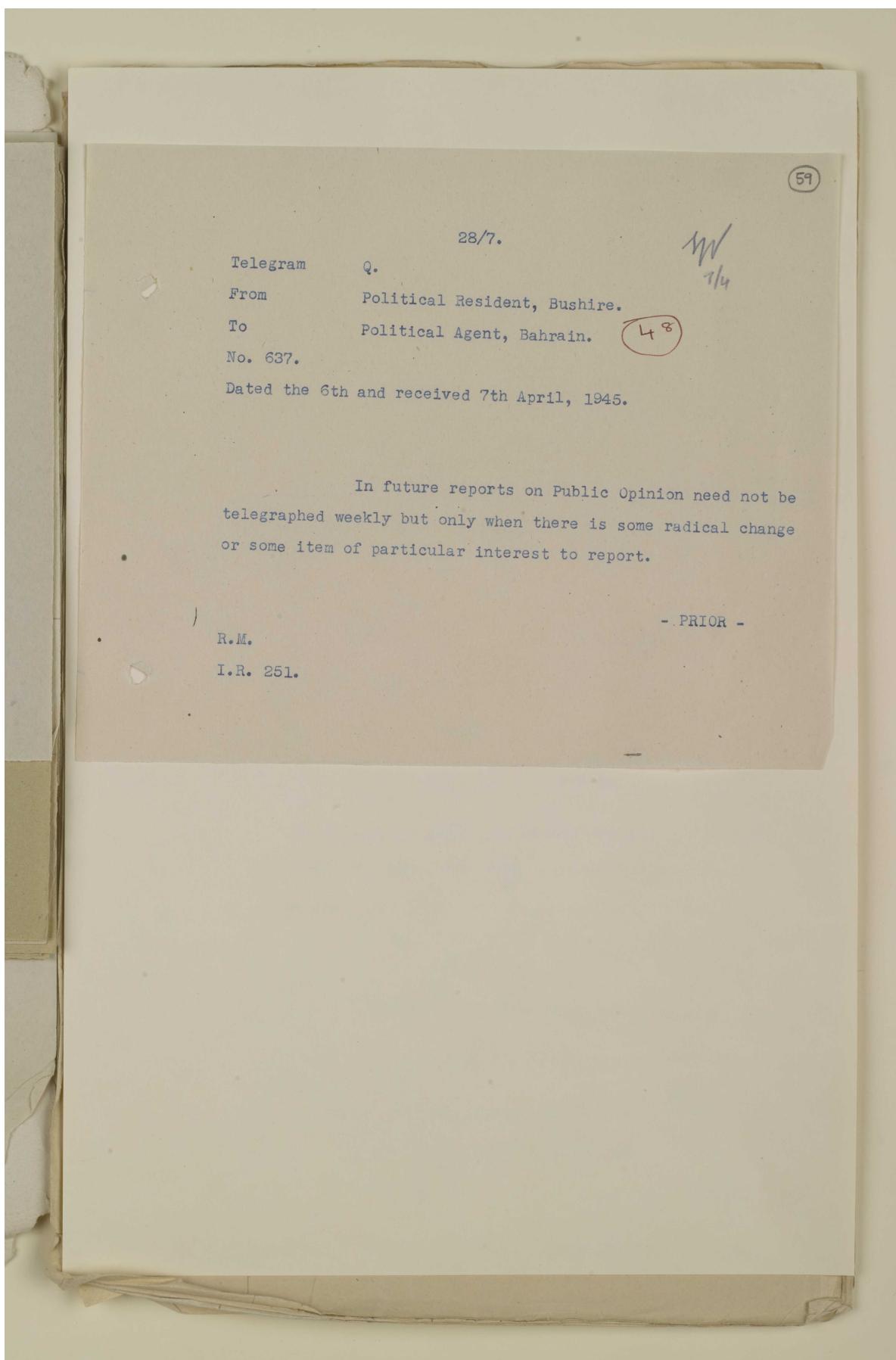
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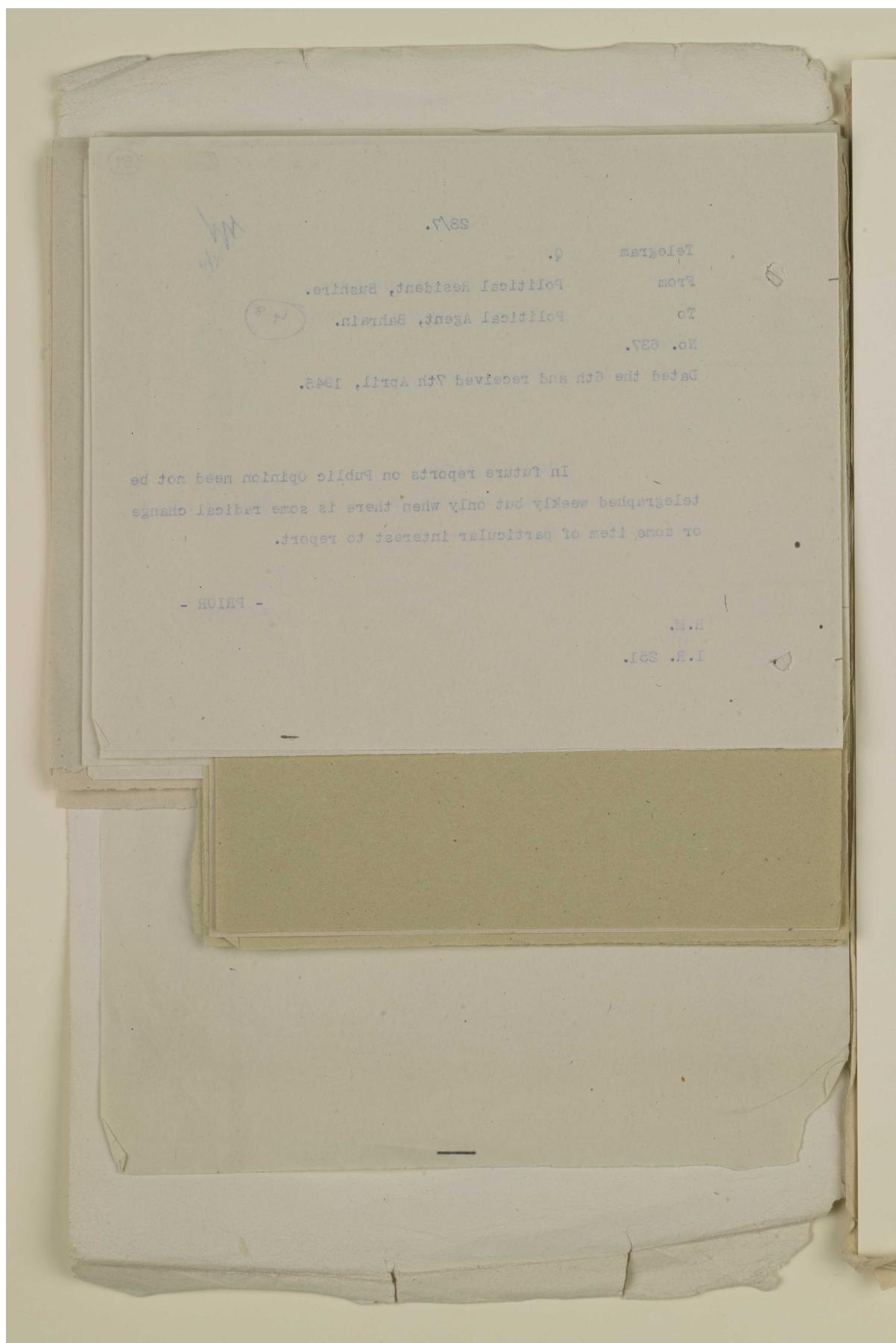
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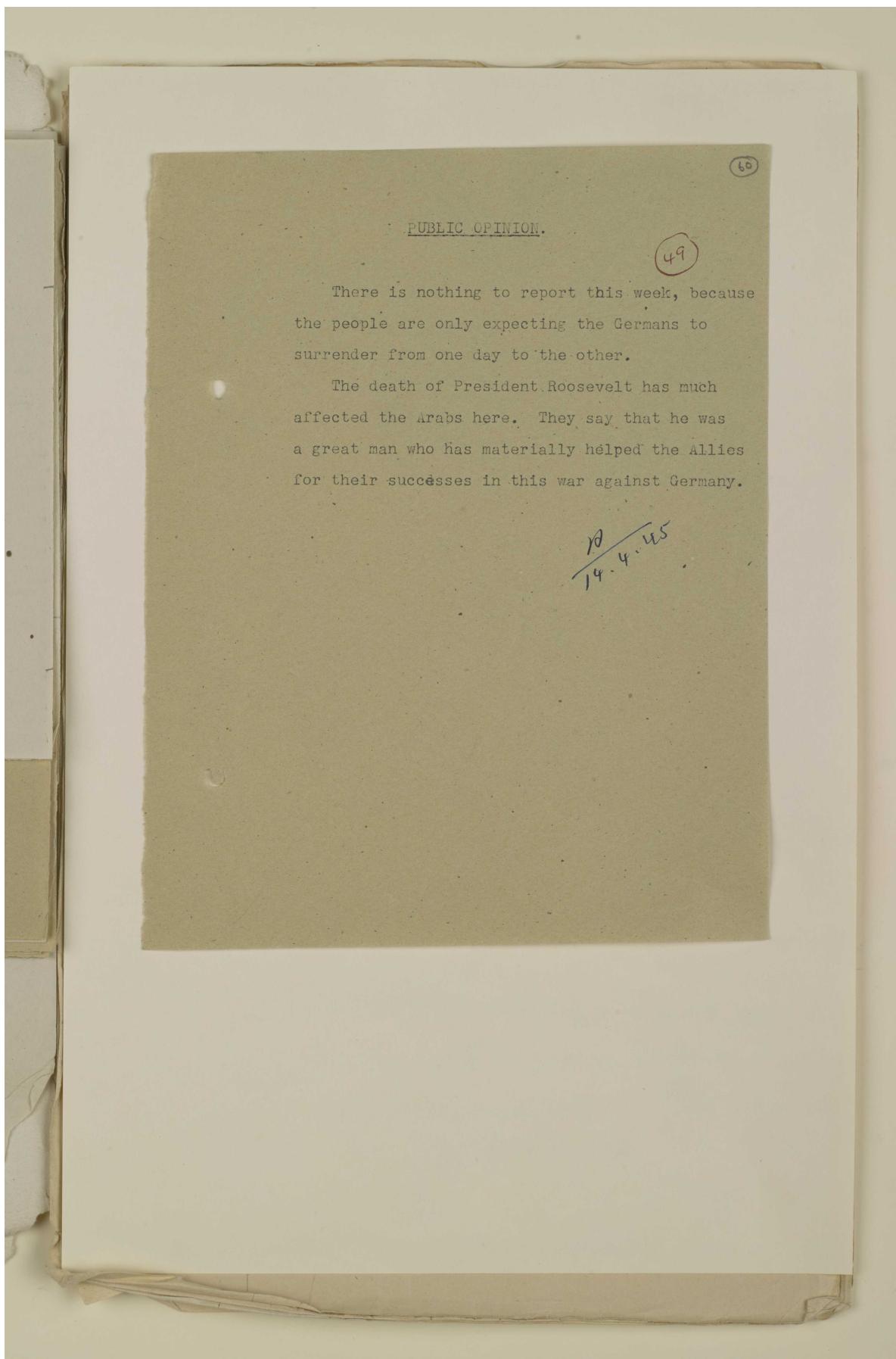
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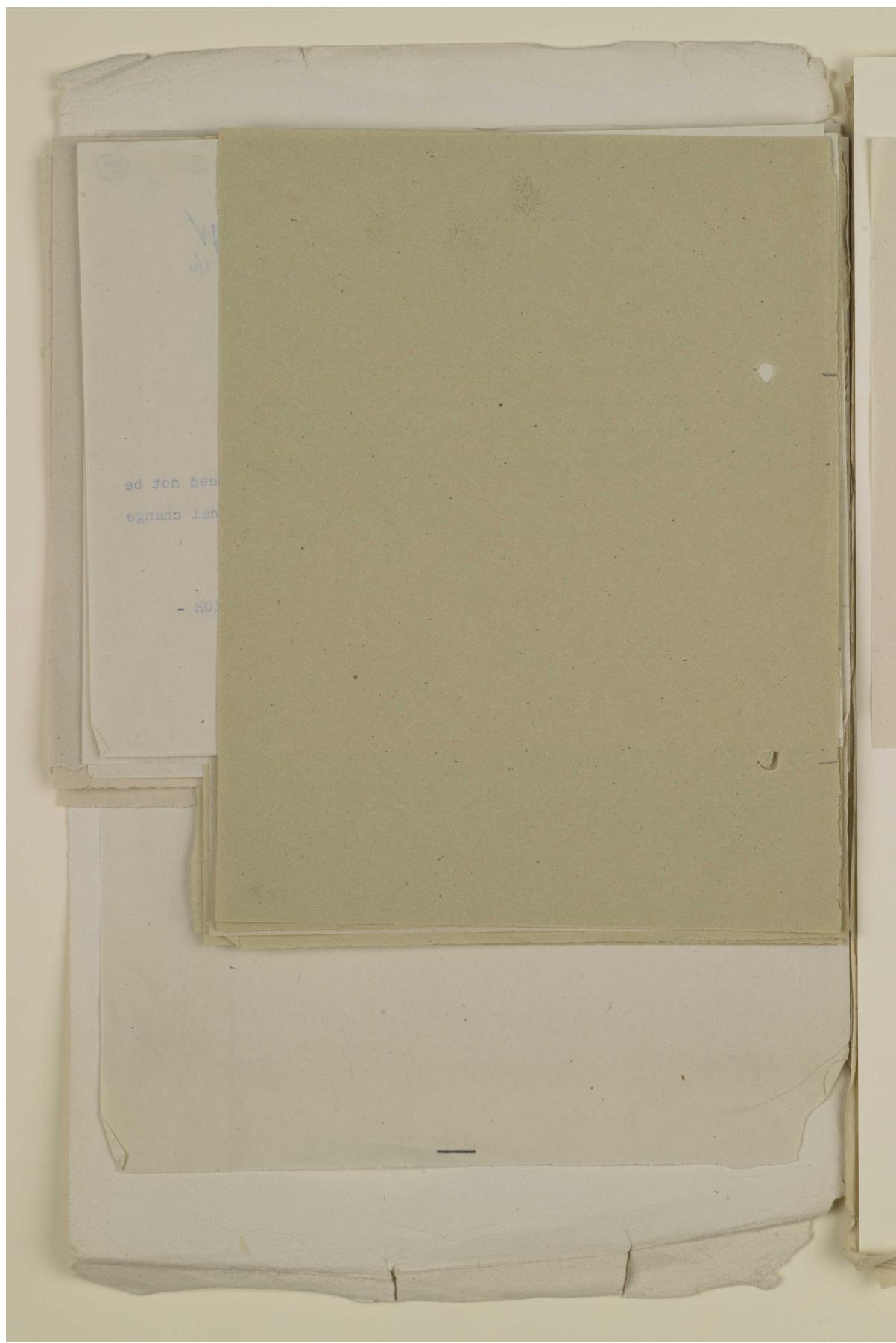
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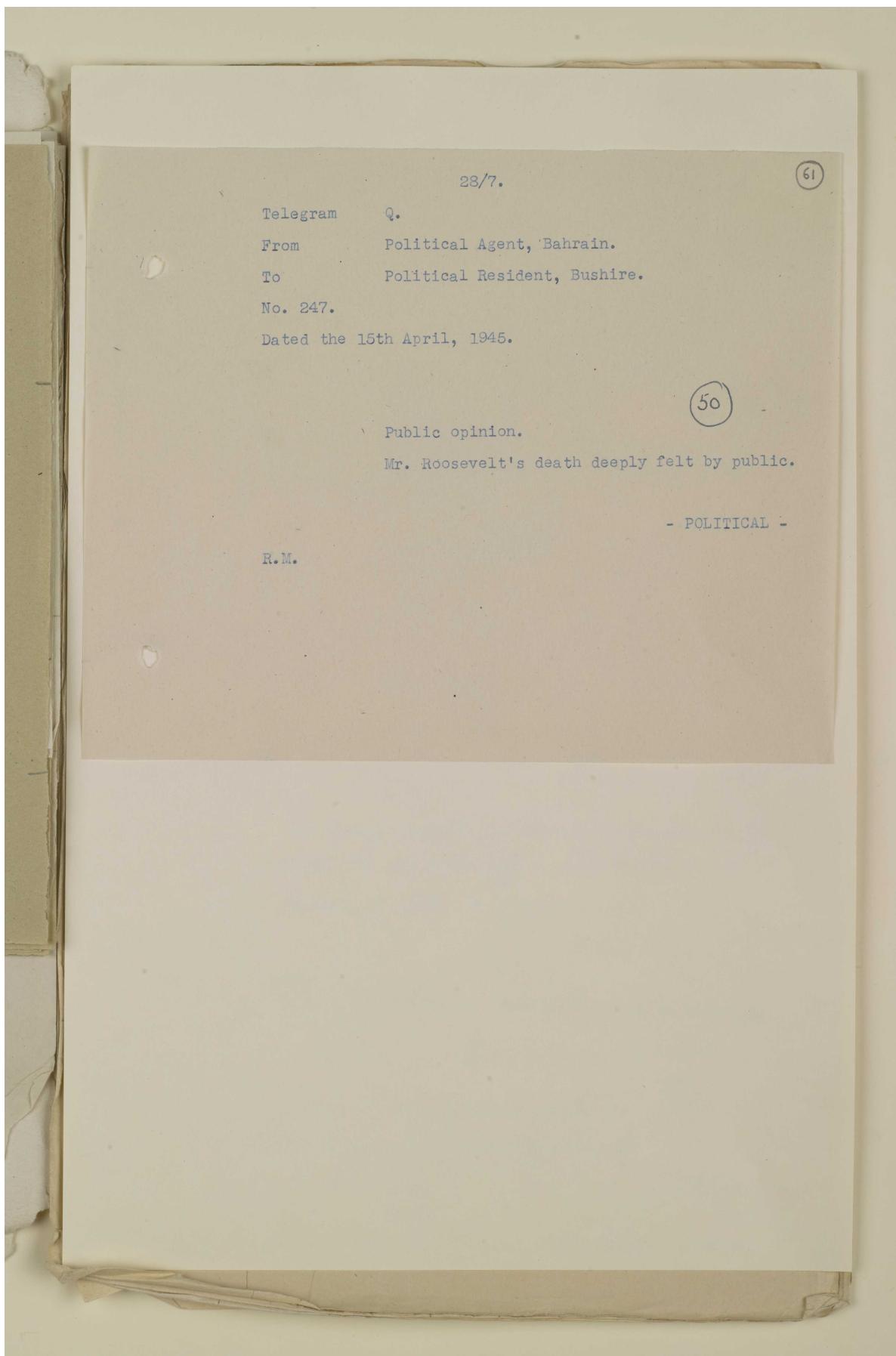
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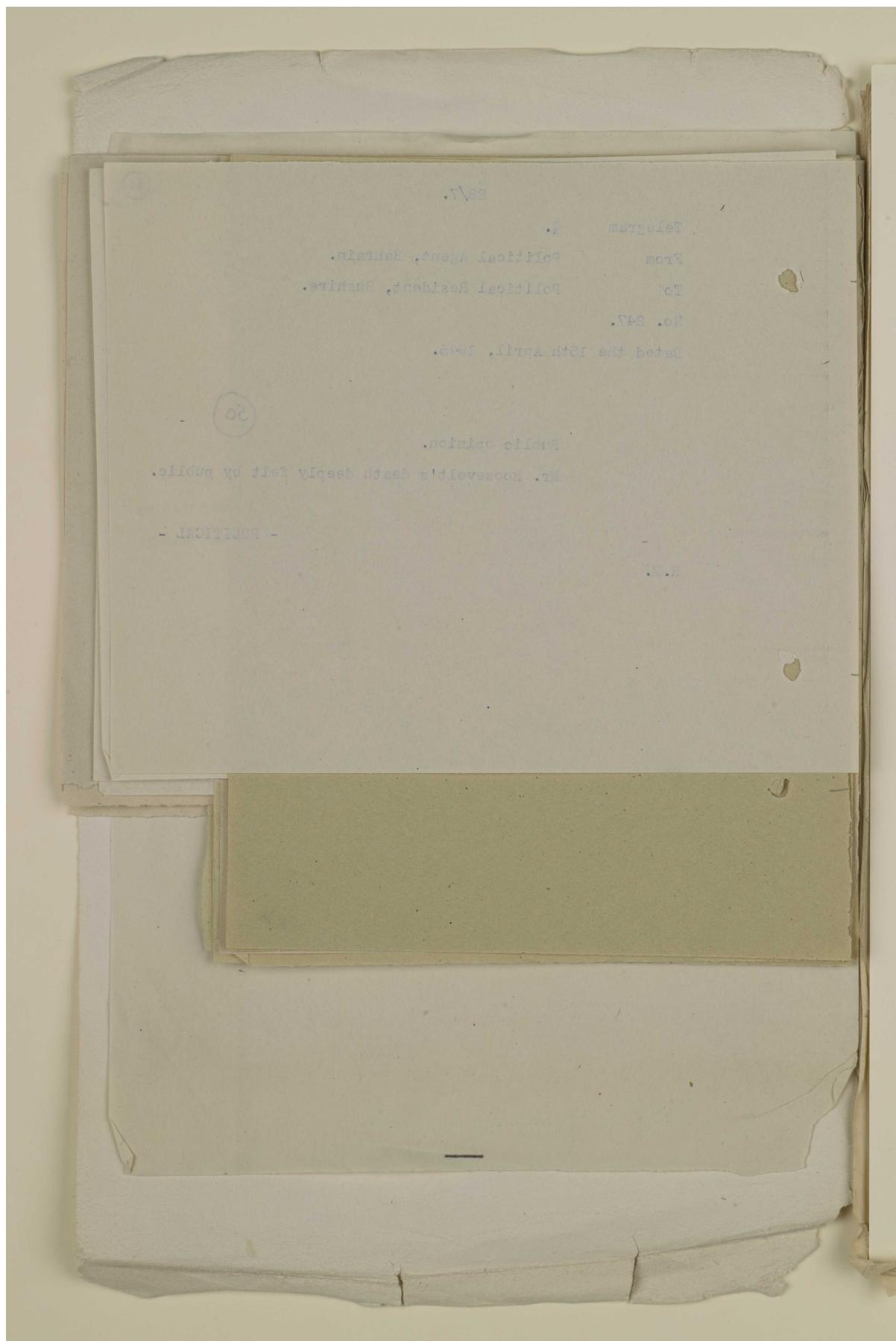
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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [١٦١] [١٢٢/١٥٤]



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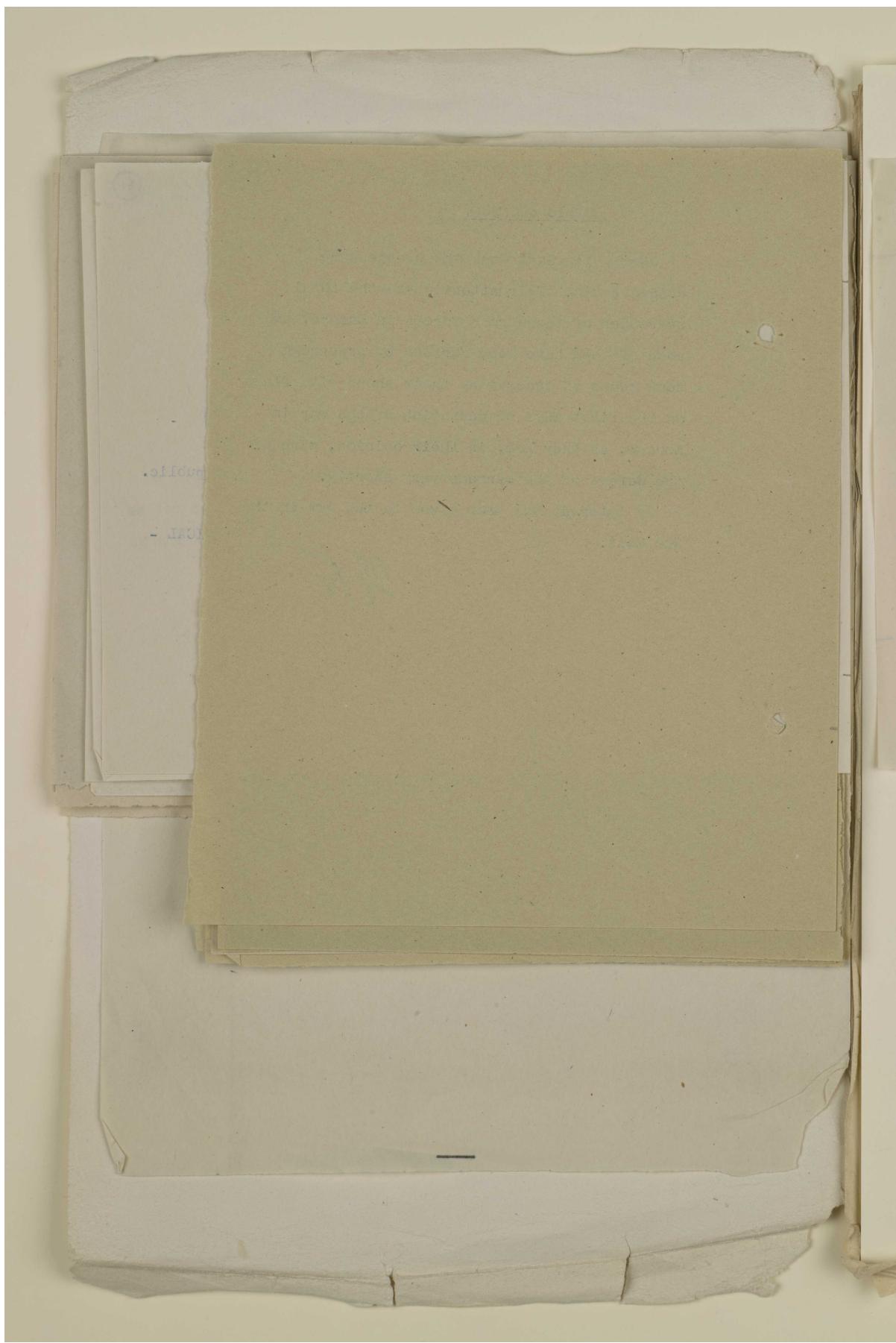
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PUBLIC OPINION.

During the last week the people were concentrating their attention to the total surrender of the German forces in Europe, and some of them have gone further by preparing some means of decorating their shops with flags on the first days of cessation of the war in Europe, as they are, in their opinion, sure of the defeat of the Germans very shortly.

No interest has been given to the war in the Far East.

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Telegram Q.
From Political Agent, Bahrain.
To Political Resident, Bushire.
No. 304.
Dated the 7th May, 1945.

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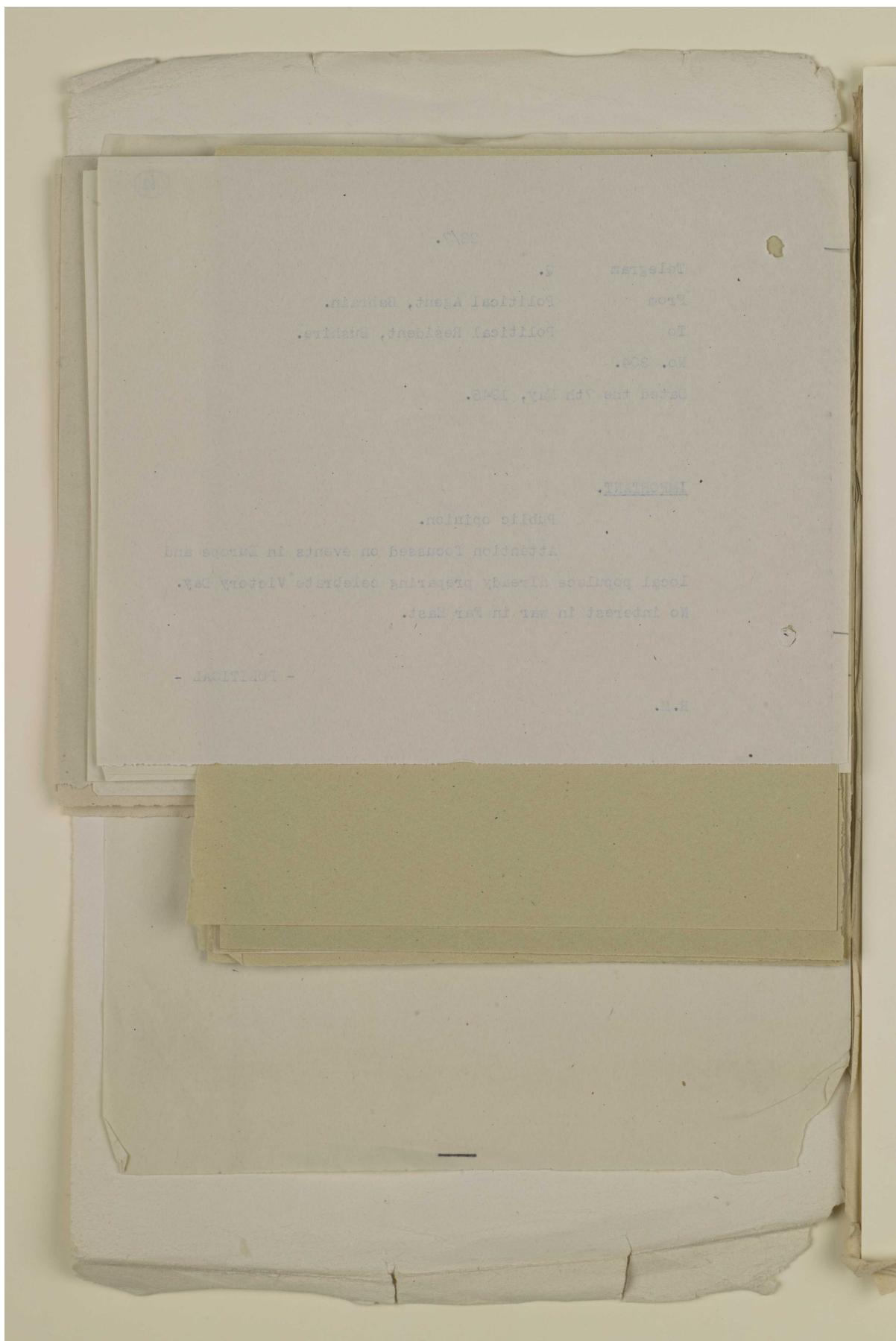
Public opinion.

Attention focussed on events in Europe and
local populace already preparing celebrate Victory Day.
No interest in war in Far East.

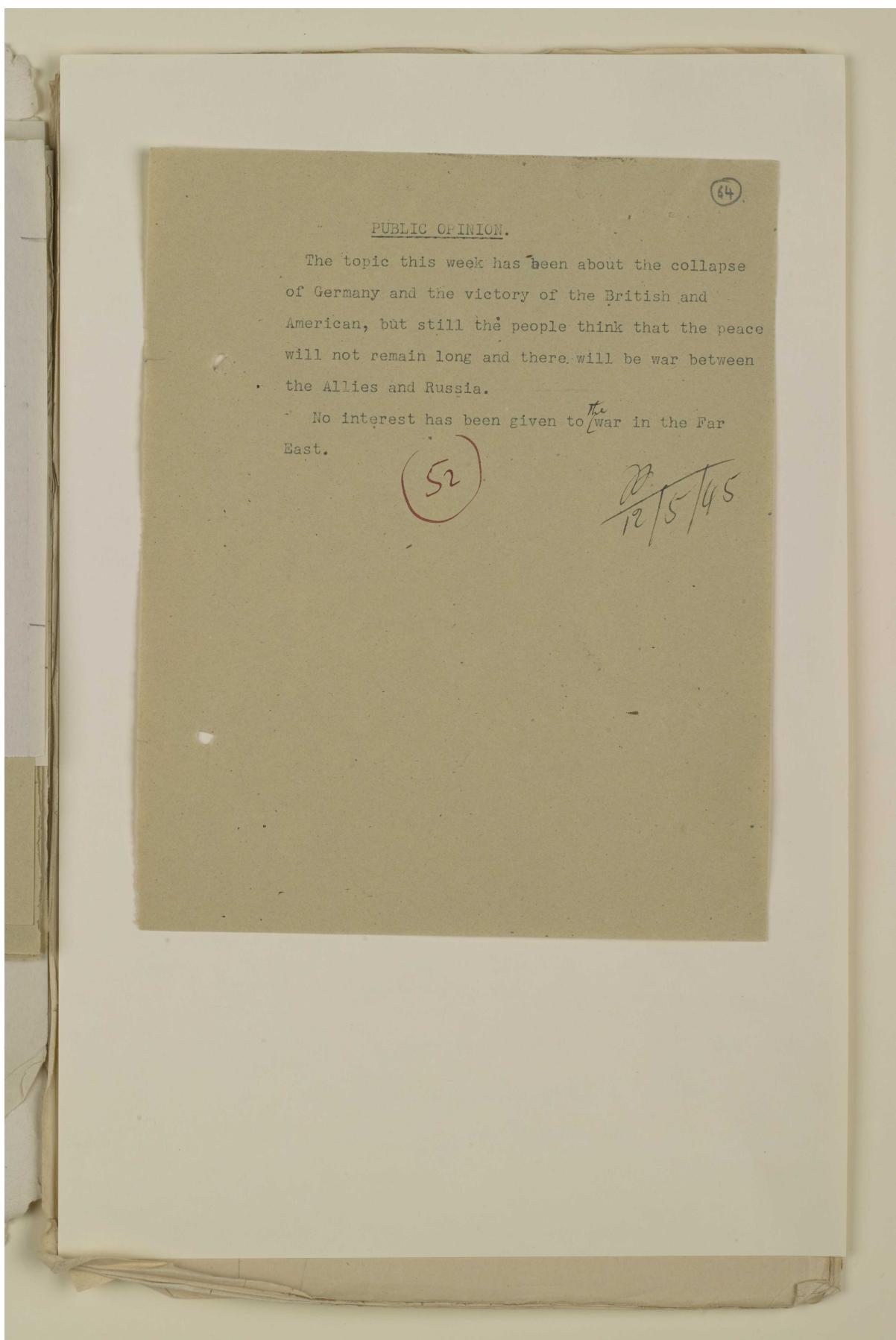
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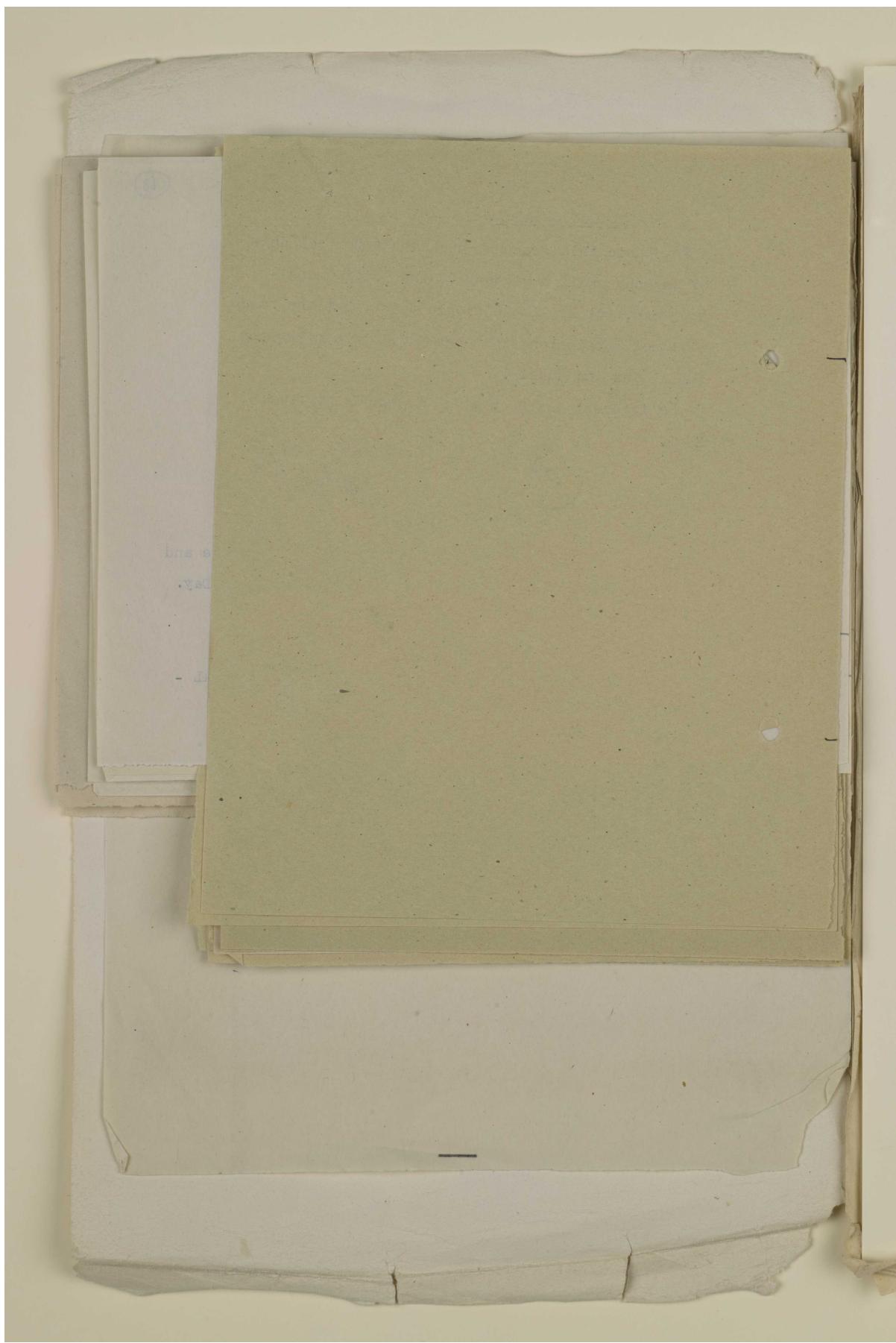
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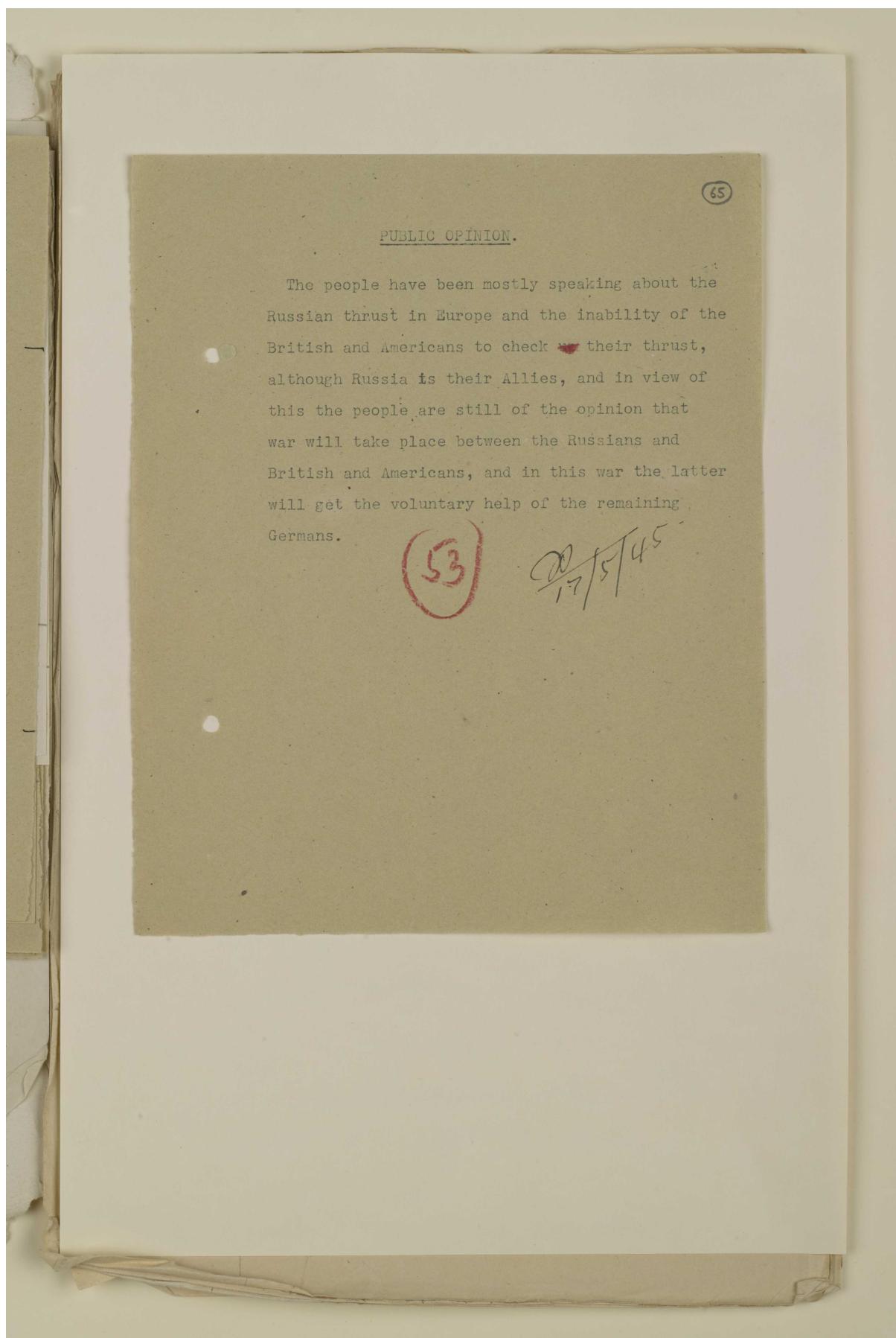


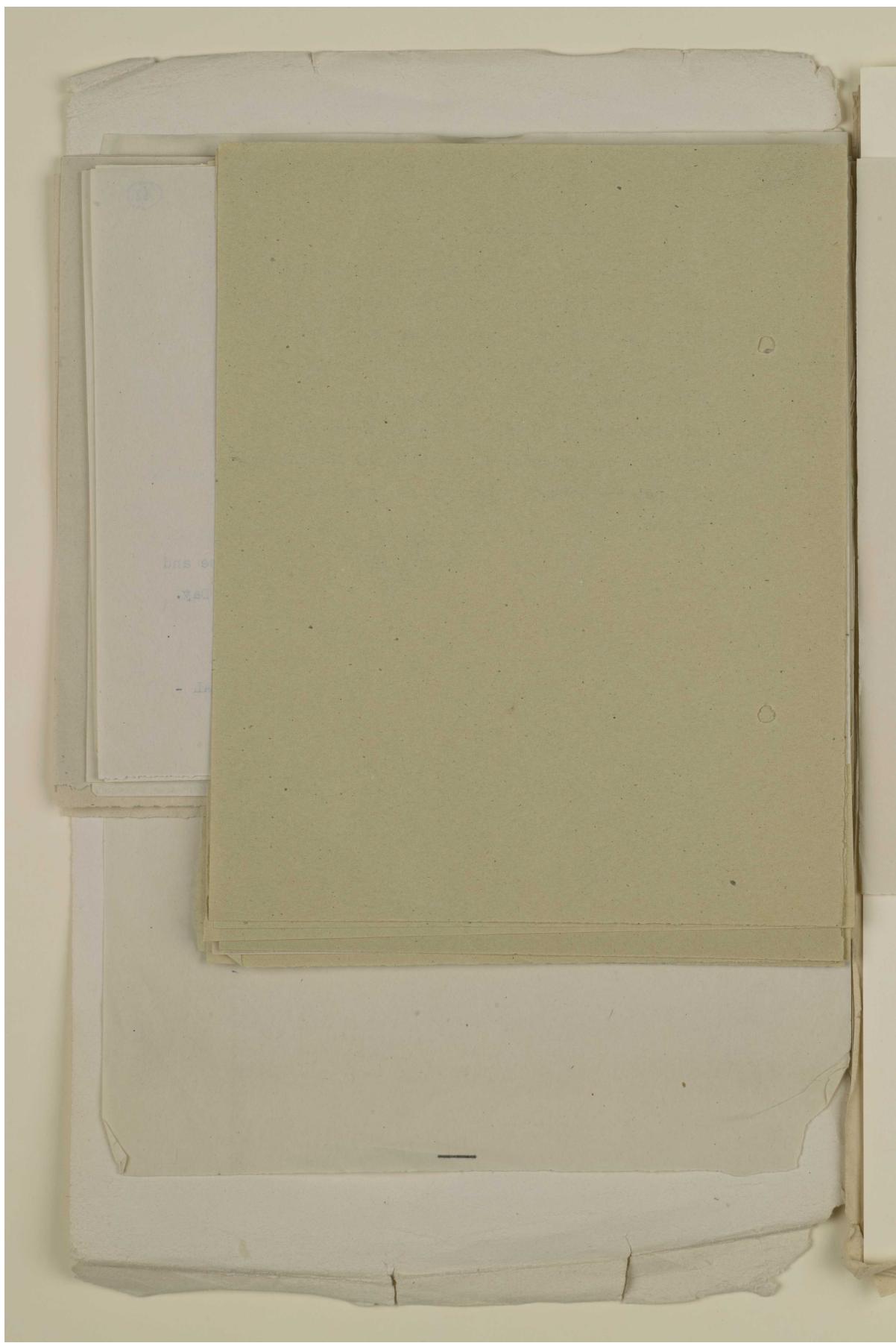
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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٦٦و] [١٣١/١٥٤]

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Telegram S(Pad).
From Political Agent, Bahrain.
To Political Resident, Bushire.
No. 334.

Dated the 20th May, 1945.

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IMPORTANT.

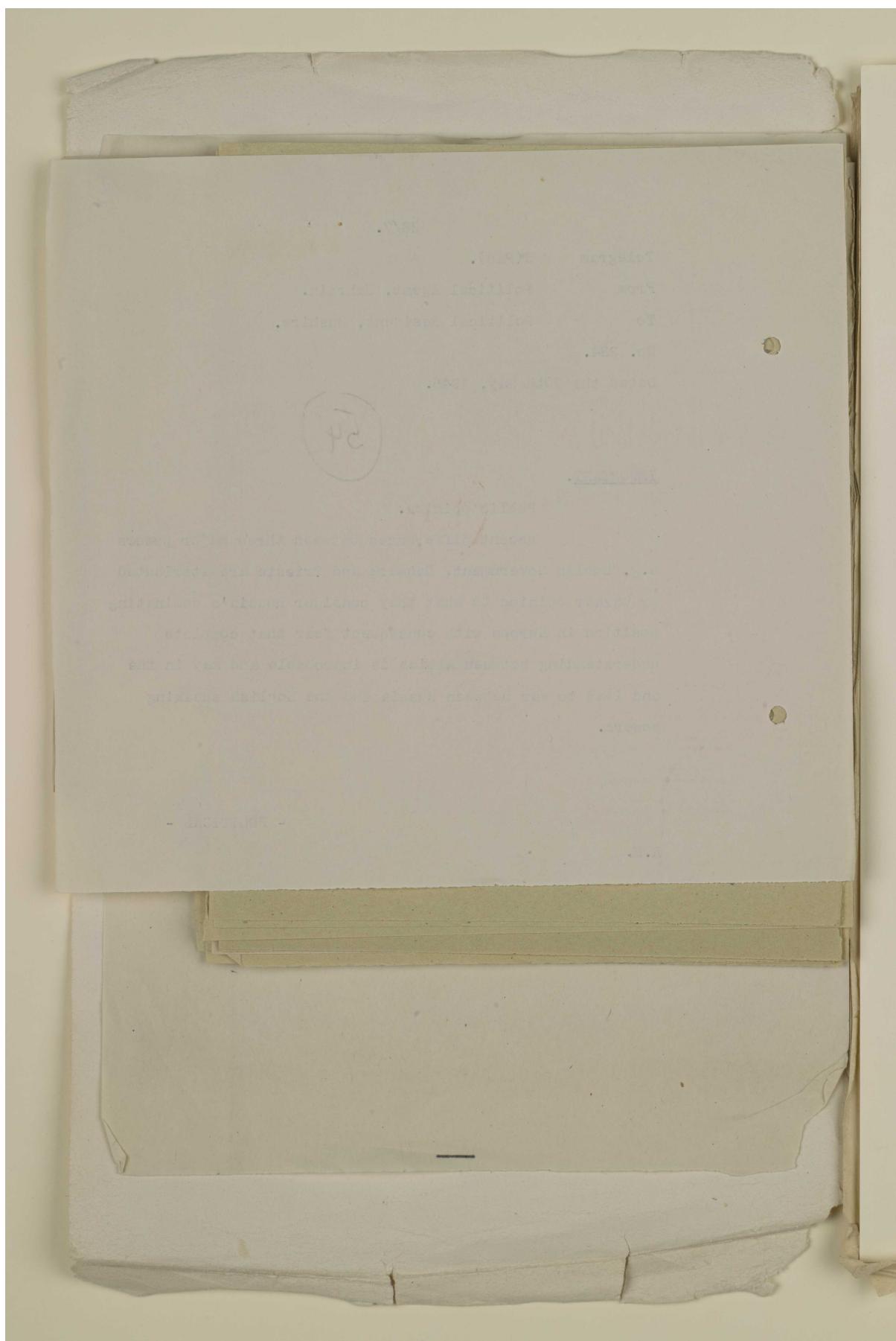
Public opinion.

Recent differences between three major powers e.g. Lublin Government, Denmark and Trieste are attributed by bazaar opinion to what they consider Russia's dominating position in Europe with consequent fear that complete understanding between Allies is improbable and may in the end lead to war between Russia and the English speaking powers.

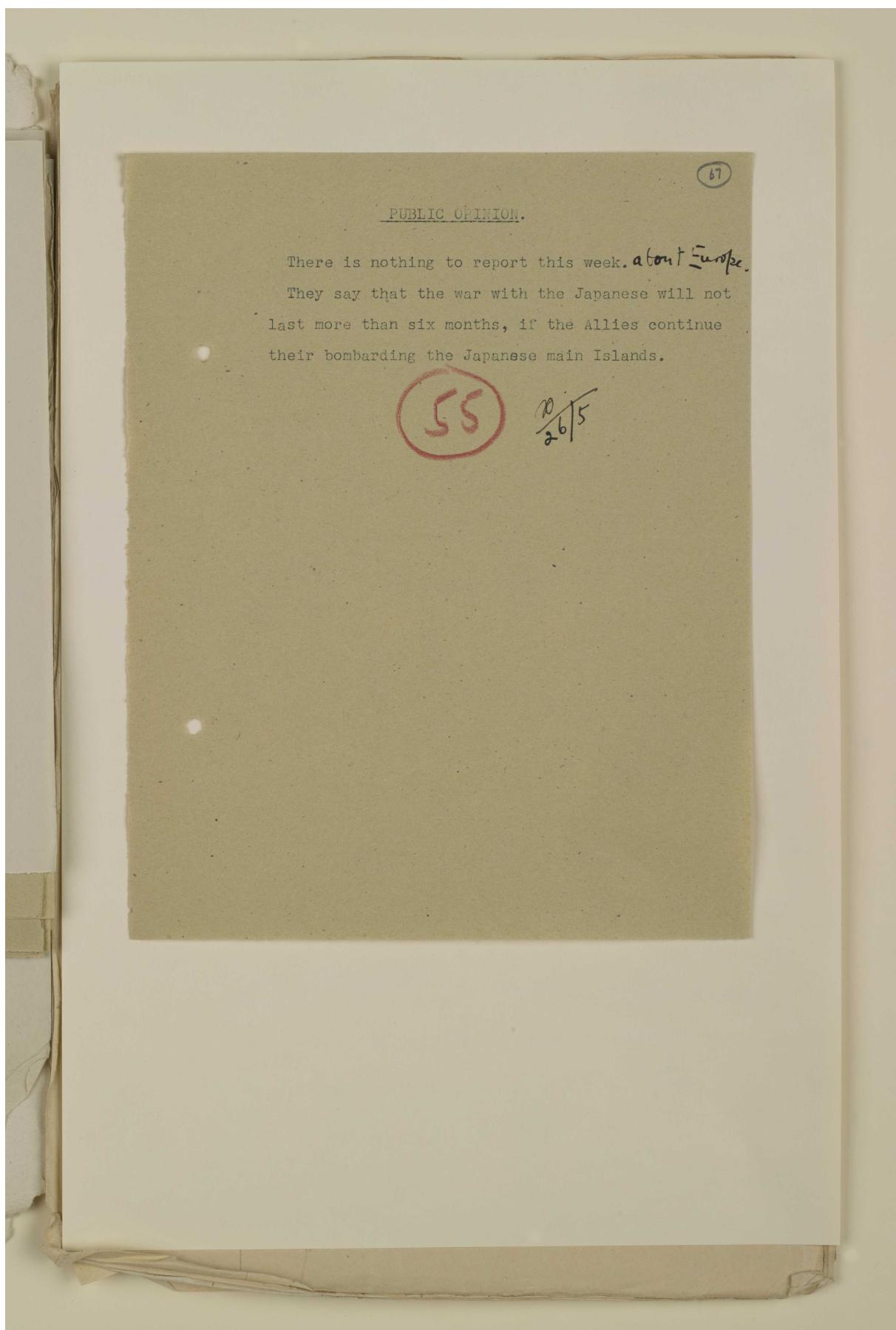
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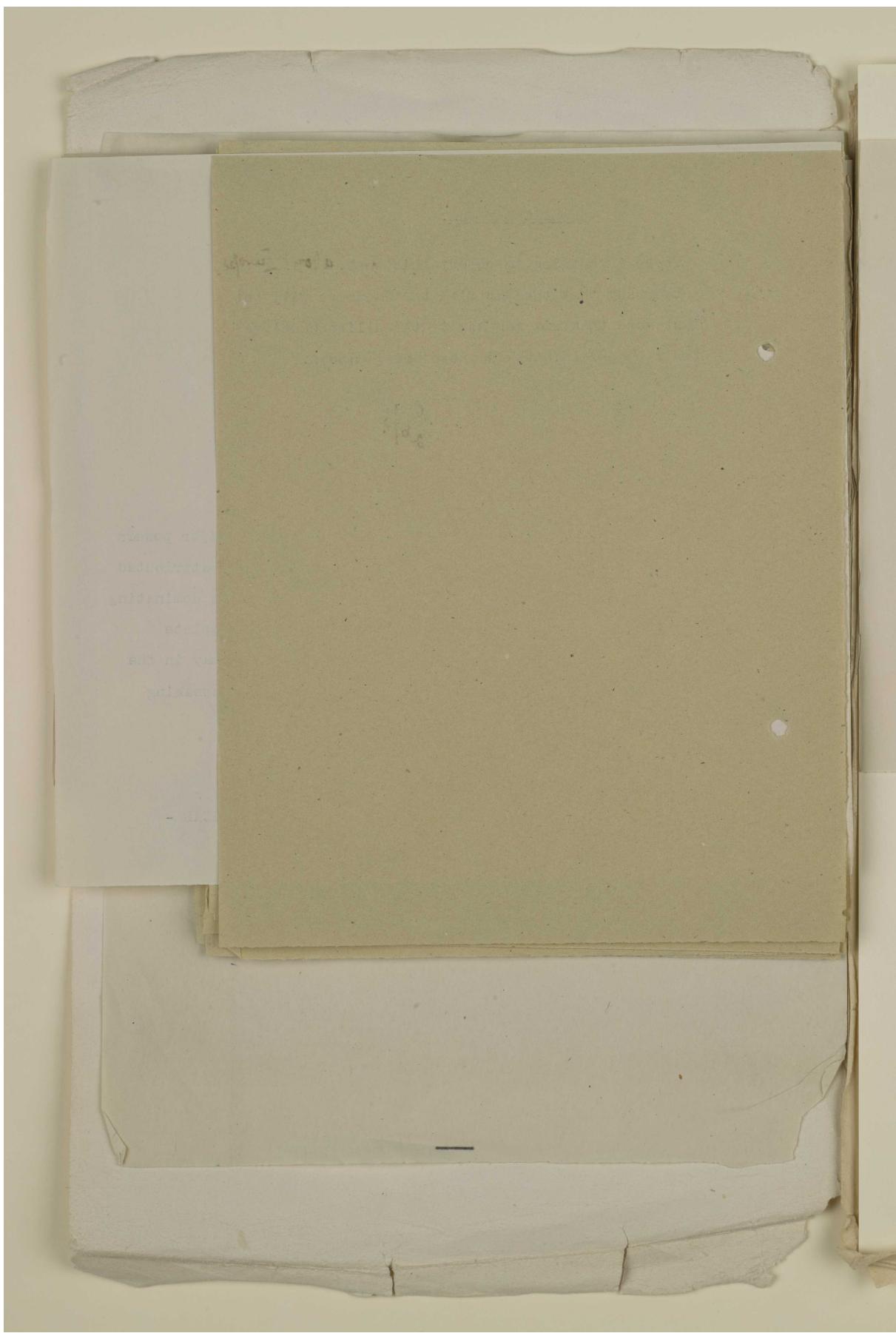
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"ملف 7 28/III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٦٧٥] (١٣٤/١٥٤)



"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٦٨و] (١٣٥/١٥٤)

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Telegram Q.
From Political Agent, Bahrain.
To Political Resident, Bushire.
No. 341.

Dated the 26th May, 1945.

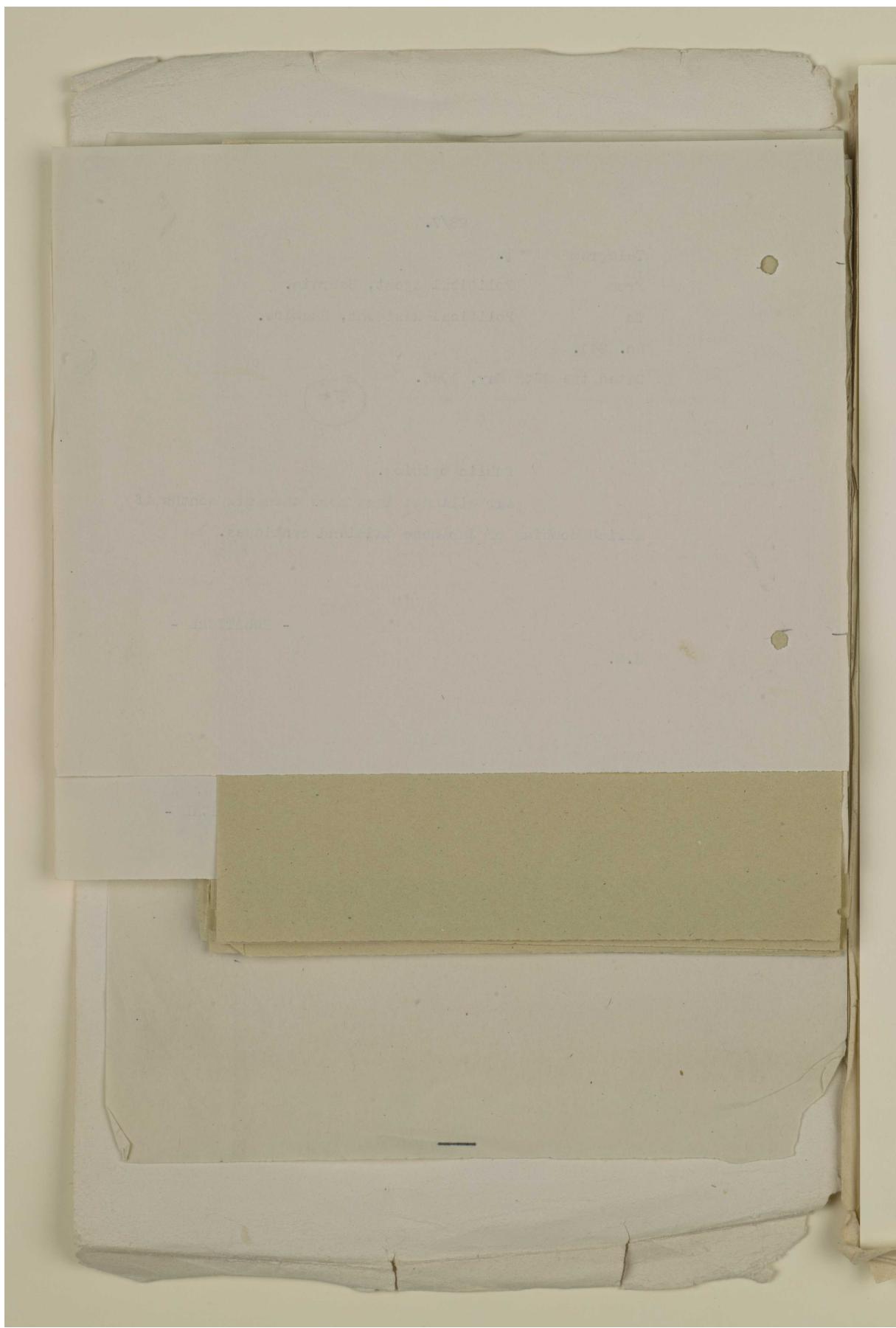
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Public opinion.

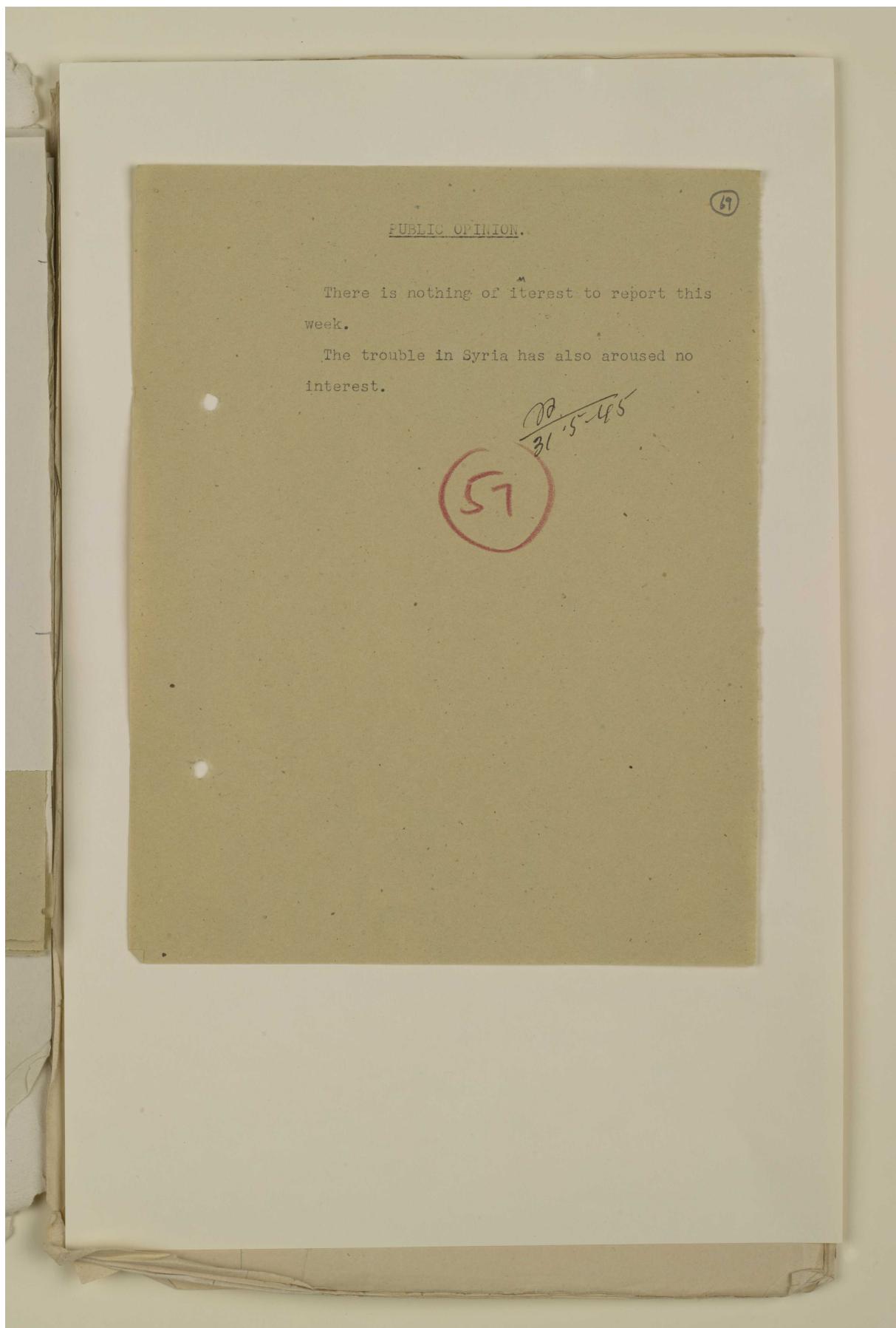
War will not last more than six months if
Allied bombing of Japanese mainland continues.

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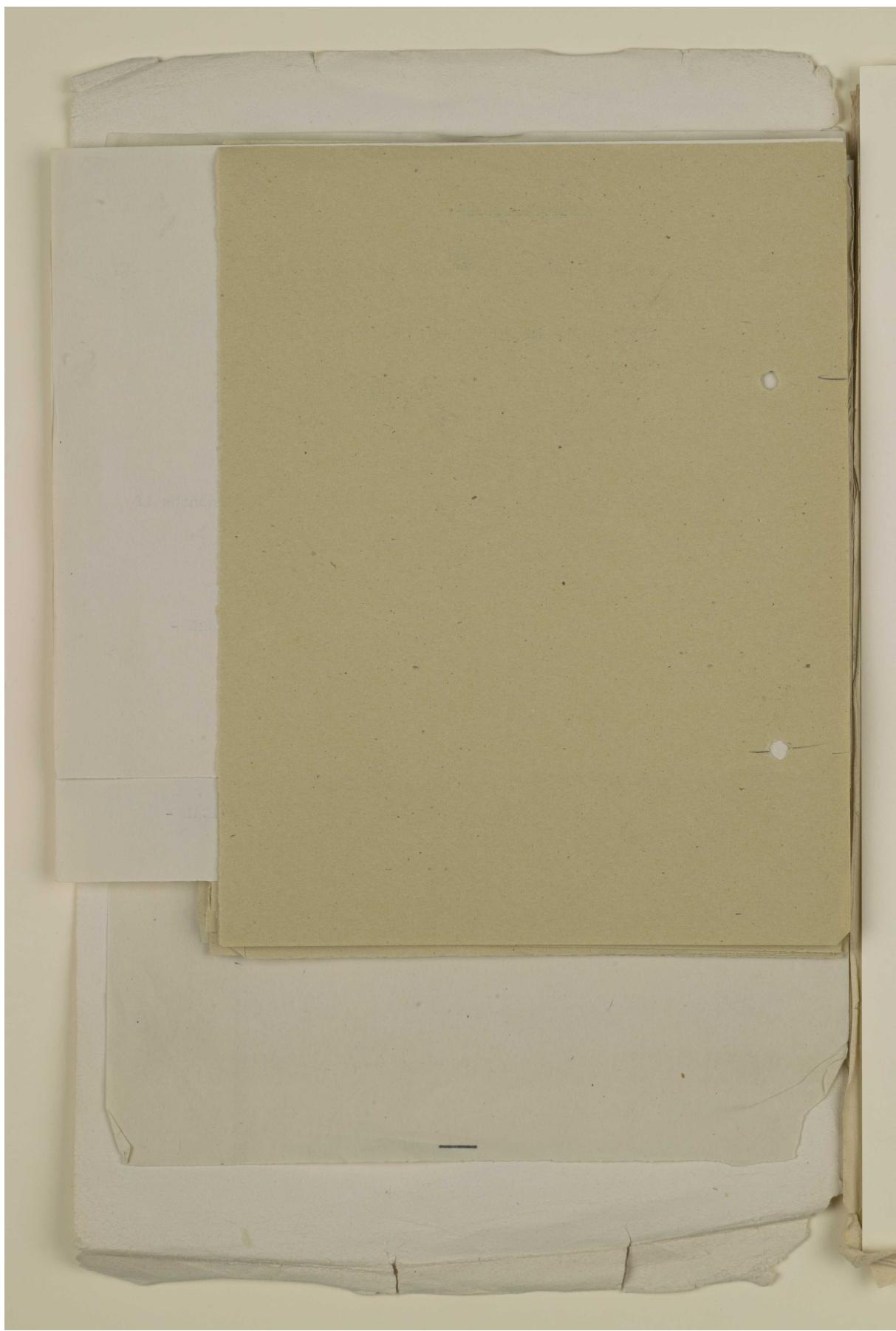
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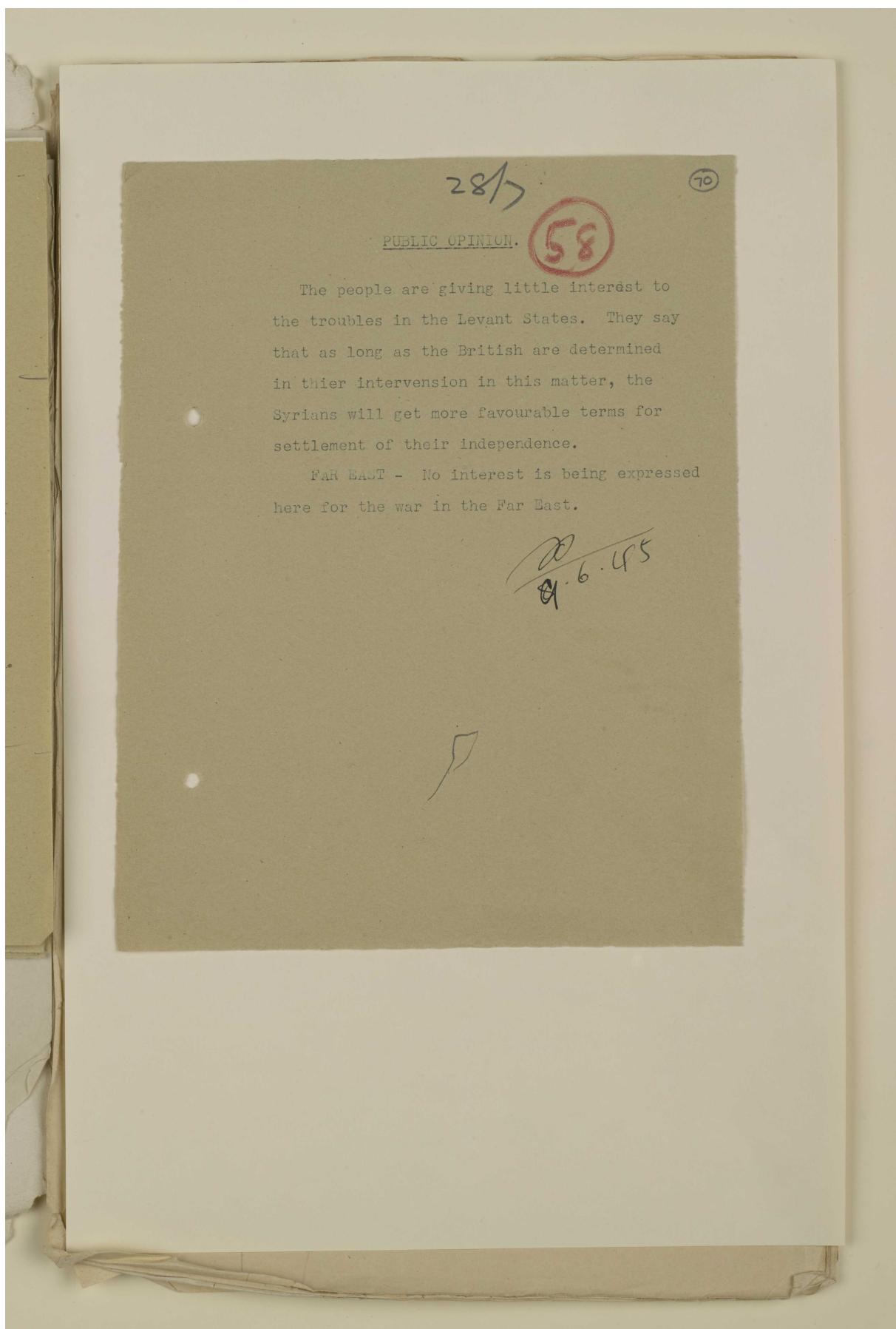
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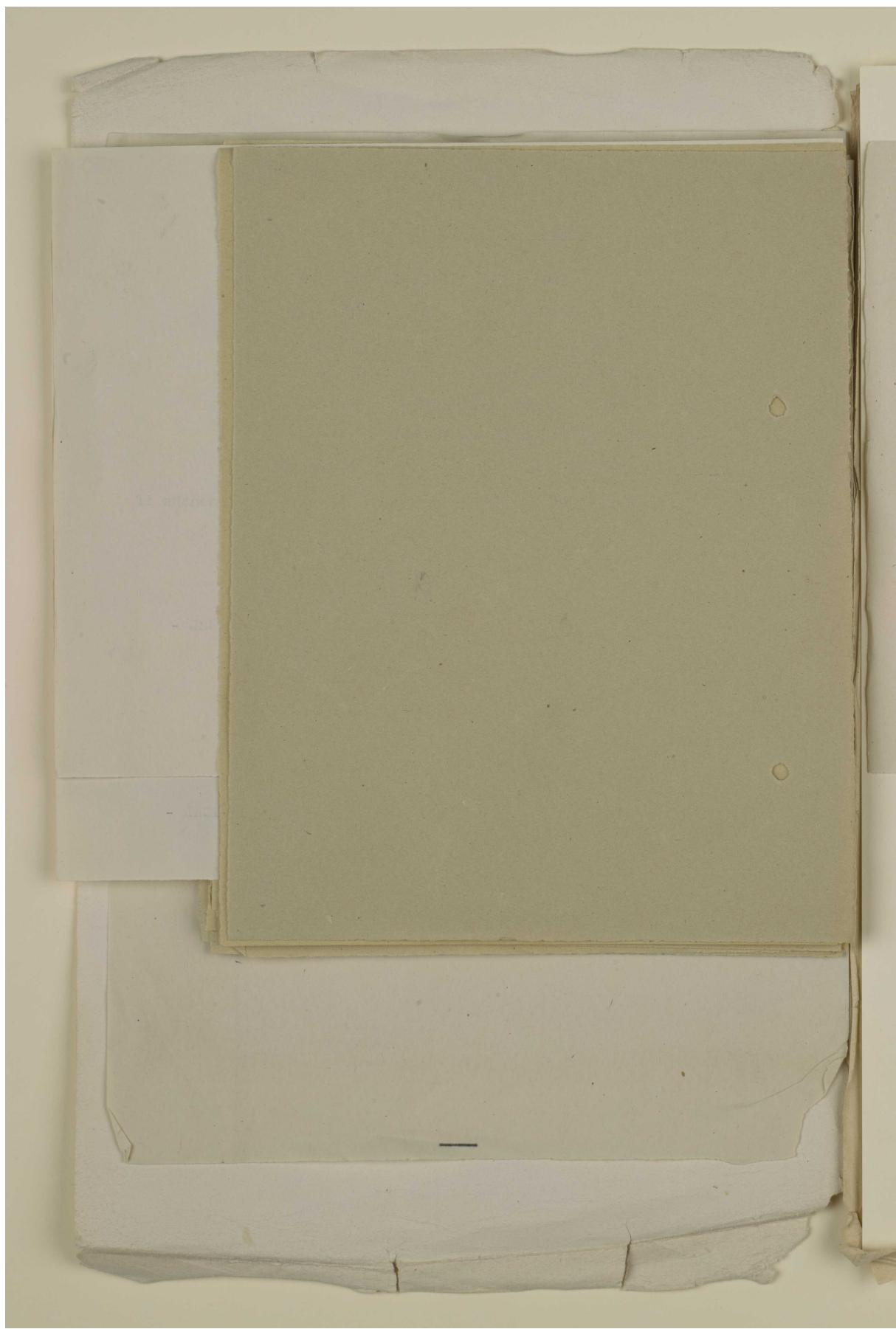


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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعية العامة" [٧٠ و] (١٣٩٤/١٥٤)





"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٧١و] [١٤١] (١٥٤/١٤١)

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Telegram S(Pad).
From Political Agent, Bahrain.
To Political Resident, Bushire.
No. 361.
Dated the 9th June, 1945.

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Public opinion.

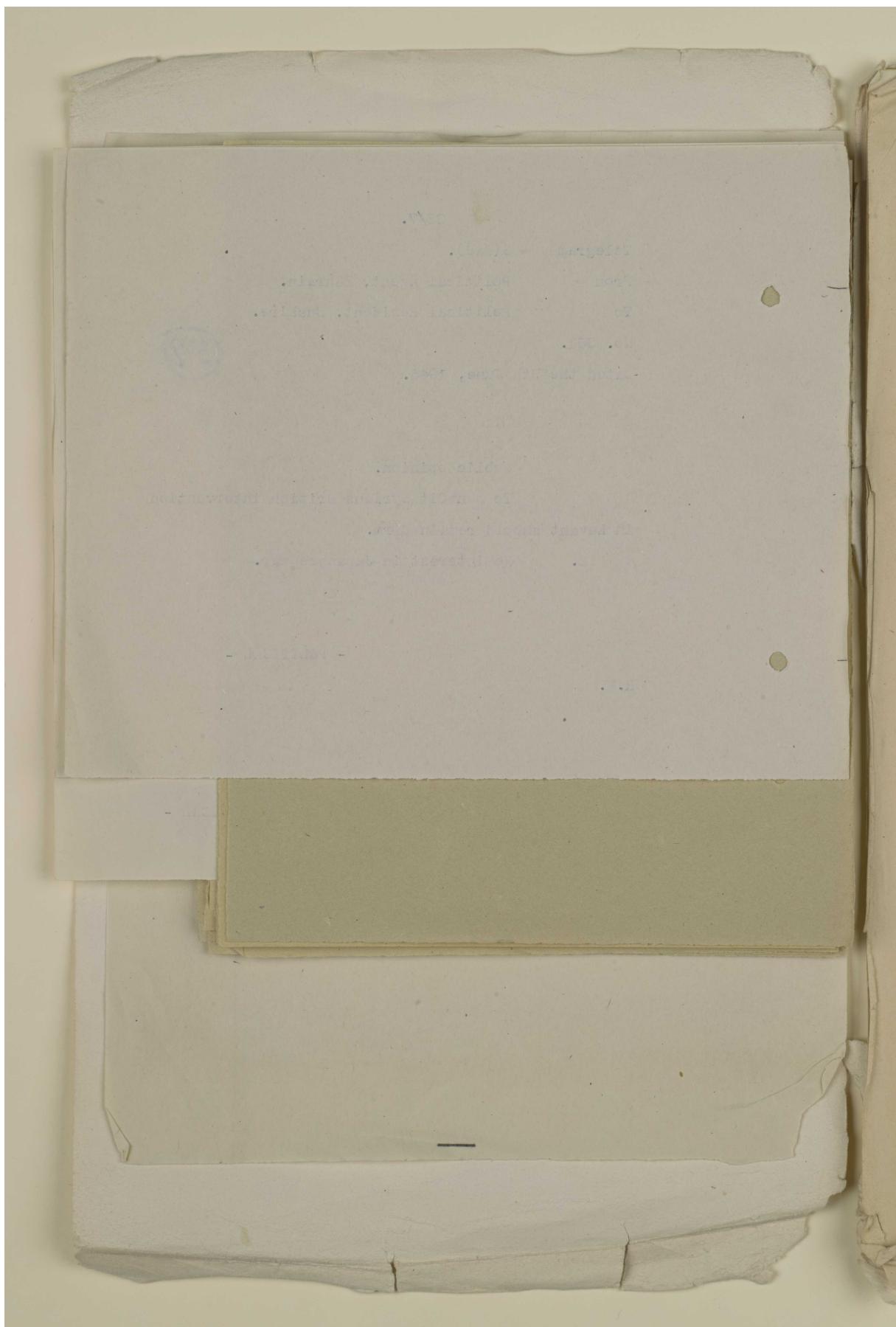
To benefit Syrians British intervention
in Levant should remain firm.

2. No interest in Japanese war.

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R.M.

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"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٦٢ و] [١٤٣] (١٥٤/١٤٣)

	R/15/2/689 28/7
1.	H.M's Note on Public Opinion dated 26-8-1944. 1/8/44 draft below. SAC 26/8/44
2.	Issued Telegram no. 754 26.8.44 to P.R. Shiraz.
3.	Telegram no. 18948 27.8.44 from D.O. London.
4.	Issued P.L no. c/1248 27.8.44 to P.R. Kuwait copy sent to P.R.B. no. 3 Resubmitted. SAC 28/8/44
	See. 28/8/44
5.	H.M's note dated 3-9-44 on Public opinion. May telegraph "confident optimism"? SAC 3-9-44. Mr. Hammad is either an ingenu or observe on the people he consults with a particularly hasty headed. Same as proposed. 14. 3/9/44
6.	Issued telegram No. 793 dated 3-9-44 to P.R. Shiraz
7.	H.M's note dated 9.9.44 on Public opinion. See. General satisfaction & SAC 9.9.44 a general downward tendency in prices" 14. 9/9
8.	Issued telegram No. 824 dated 9-9-44 to P.R. at Shiraz

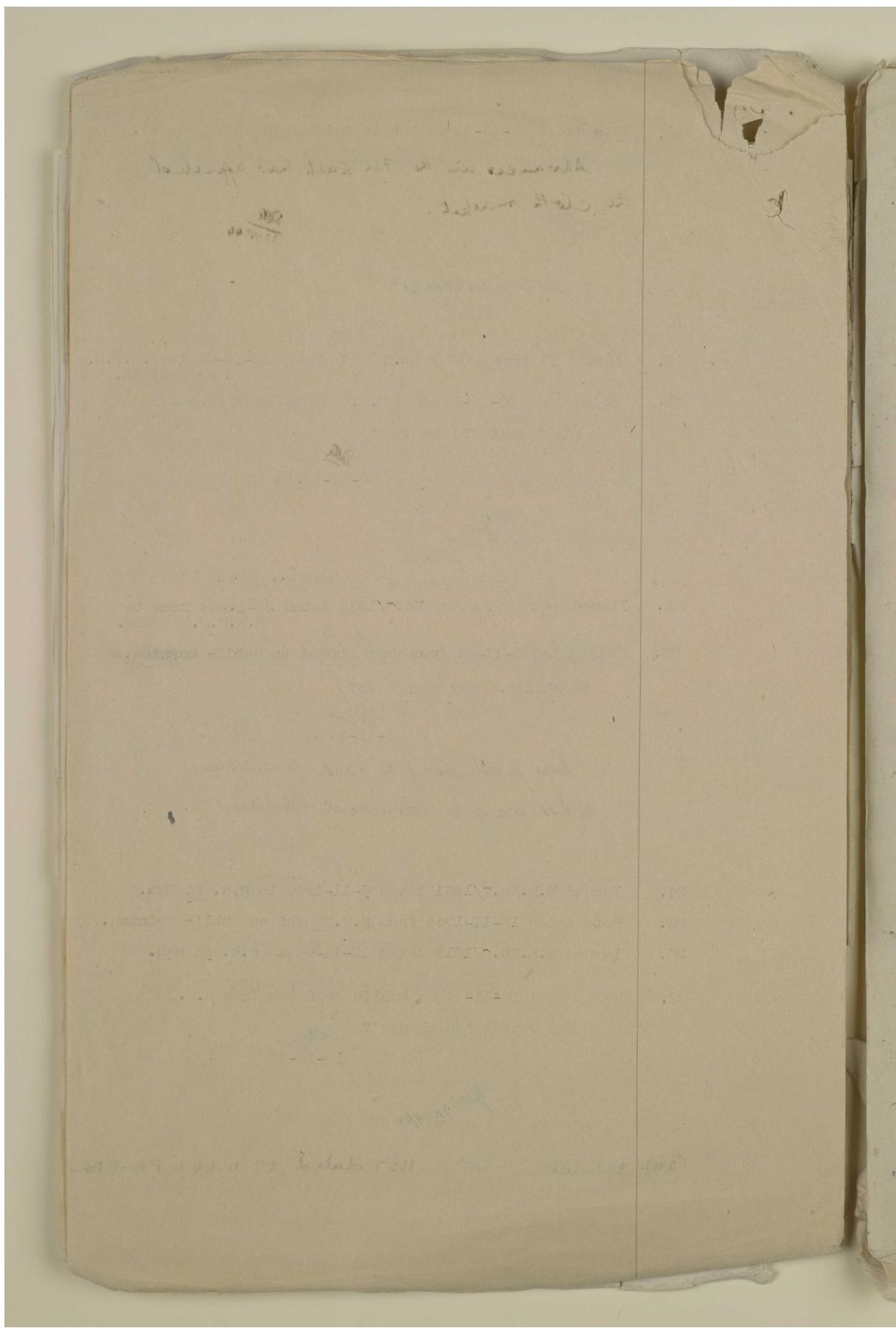
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Note on Public opinion of 16.9.44 from H.M.	9.
May telegraph "Public opinion very satisfactory"?	
<i>9/16 16.9.44</i>	
<i>Min.</i>	
<i>16.9.44</i>	
Issued telegram No. 845 dated 16-9-44 to P.R. at Shiraz	10
Note on Public opinion dated 24.9.44 from H.M.	11
General downward tendency in prices as a direct consequence of the improved war situation. May telegraph to P.R?	
<i>9/24 24-9-44.</i>	
<i>Inq (Tele)</i>	
<i>Continued optimism & fall in prices</i>	
<i>9/24/44</i>	
Issued tel. No. 870 to P.R. Shiraz D. 24TH. Sept. 1944.	12.
Note on public opinion dated 30-9-44 by H.M.	13.
May telegraph "No change"?	
<i>9/30 30-9-44.</i>	
<i>Min. 16.9.44</i>	
Issued tel. No. 890 to P.R. Shiraz D. 30. 9. 44.	14.
Note on Public opinion dated 8.10.44	15
May telegraph "Complacency prevails"?	
<i>9/8 8-10-44</i>	
Issued telegram No. 917 dated 8-10-44 to P.R. Bushire	16.
Note on public opinion dated 14th October 1944 by H.M.	17.
May telegraph "No change"?	
<i>9/14 14-10-44 T.E.Q. 15/10.</i>	
Issued telegram No. 946 dated 15-10-44 to P.R.P.G. Bushire.	

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19.	Note dated 22-10-44 on Public Opinion by Head Munshi. Advances in the Far East has affected the cloth market. Just say "no change." 3 73
20.	Issued Express Letter No.C/1505 dated 22-10-44 to P.R.P.G. Camp Bahrain.
21.	Note dated 30-10-44 from H.M. on Public opinion. May report "No change"? Yes 30/10 30-10-44.
22.	Issued Express Letter No.C/1535 dated 30-10-44 from to P.R.P.G. at Bhn.
23.	Note dated 5-11-44 from Head Munshi on Public Opinion: No change. May report so? 5-11-44 Now in light of the people considering the P.M. made a categorical statement 11-11
24.	Issued X.L.No.C/1581 dated 6-11-1944 to P.R. at Bhn.
25.	Note dated 12-11-1944 from H.M.Munshi on Public Opinion.
26.	Issued X.L.No.C/1616 dated 12-11-44 to P.R. at Bhn.
27.	Note dated 19-11-44 on Public Opinion from H.M. May report "No change"? 19-11-44 Yes 19-11-44
(28)	Issued X.L. No. C / 1657 dated 19-11-44 to P.R at Bhn.

"ملف 7 28/III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٧٣] [١٤٦] [١٥٤]



"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٤٧ و [١٤٧] (١٥٤/١٤٧)

Public opinion. - May telegraph "no change"? 4 74

OK
3-12-44

*Yes.
OK
3/12*

19. Issued tel No. 1069 dated 4-12-44 to P.R.P.G. Bushire.

20. Head Munshi's Report dated 9-12-44 on Public Opinion.

May telegraph?

"Public opinion - Concern at Japanese advances in China and trouble in Greece considered ominous"

OK
9-12-44

As before.

*OK
15/12*

21. Issued telegram No.1089 dated 10-12-44 to P.R.P.G. Bushire

22. Head Munshi's report dated 16.12.44 on public opinion.

OK
17-12-44

*Done & S
16/12*

23. Issued telegram No.1125 dated 17-12-44 to P.R.P.G. Bushire

24. Note on Public opinion dated 23-12-44 from Head Munshi.

The German offensive has cast a gloom over the much hoped for prospects of a pleasant X'mas and confident New Year.

OK
23-12-44

Issue as follows: -

*"German advance in Belgium has had a
depressing effect."*

*OK
14.12.44*

25. Issued telegram No.1146 dated 23-12-44 to P.R. Bushire

"ملف 7/28 III الرأي العام والدعائية العامة" [٤٨٧] [١٤٨/١٥٤]

<p><i>5</i></p> <p>Note on public opinion dated 30-12-44 from H.M.</p> <p>No change?</p> <p><i>SAC</i></p> <p>30-12-44</p> <p><i>Yeo H. M. S.</i></p>	<p>26.</p>
<p><u>Note on Public Opinion dated 13-1-45 from Head Munshi.</u></p> <p>May telegraph "No appreciable change"?</p> <p><i>SAC</i></p> <p>13-1-45.</p> <p><i>Nothing of interest to report</i></p> <p><i>H. M. S.</i></p>	<p>27.</p>
<p>Issued telegram No.34 dated 13-1-45 to P.R.P.G. Bushire</p>	<p>28.</p>
<p><u>Note on public opinion dated 21-1-45 from Head Munshi.</u></p> <p>Confidence in a speedy victory has been re-instilled in public mind by the Russian advances and the failure of the German offensive on the Western front. D.F.A.</p> <p><i>SAC</i></p> <p>21-1-45</p> <p><i>The Russian advance and the failure of the German offensive have revived public confidence in a speedy victory</i></p> <p><i>W.D.O</i></p> <p><i>21/1/45</i></p>	<p>29.</p>
<p>I issued telegram No. 47 dated 21-1-45 to P.R.P.G. Bushire</p>	<p>(30)</p>
<p><u>Note on Public Opinion dated 27-1-45 from Head Munshi.</u></p> <p>People are talking of a Bolshevik menace.</p> <p>May telegraph so to P.R?</p> <p><i>SAC</i></p> <p>27-1-45</p> <p><i>As. say "great interest displayed in Russian communism"</i></p> <p><i>G. 32/1</i></p>	<p>31.</p>
<p>Issued telegram No.63 dated 27-1-45 to P.R.P.G. Bushire</p>	<p>32.</p>

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- 28/2.
- (75) 6
33. Note on Public opinion d. 4/2/45 from H.M.
May telegraph "No change"? (Last Report)
at H.Q. 81572.
- P.A. Yes. 81572.
- Mr. Meenwalds
Pl. issue 81572 to be replaced by new one
34. Issued tel. No. 84 d. 5/2/45 to P.R.
35. H.M. Note d. 10/2/45.
May tel. "No change"? 81572.
- Yes. 81572.
36. Issued tel. No. 94 d. 11/2/45 to P.R.
37. H.M's Note d. 17/2/45.
May report "No change"? 81572.
- Yes. 81572.
38. Issued tel. No. 115 d. 18/2/45 to P.R.
39. H.M. Note d. 25/2/45.
May inform P.R.'s office that there is "Nothing of interest"? 812672.
- Yes. 812672.
- P.R.'s office informed. 812672.

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- H.M. Note d. 5/3/45. 40.
- D.F.A. 8/3/3.
- Same as last week*
- Issues X.L. No. 4325 d. 5/3/45 to P.R. 41.
- H.M. says that there's nothing to report on public opinion this week. May so inform P.R.'s office? 8/3/3.
- Yes. 8/3/3.
- P.R.'s office informed. 8/3/3.
- H.M. Note d. 17/3/45 on public opinion 42.
May report "no change"? 8/3/3.
- Issues Ref. No. 168 dated 18/3/45 to P.R. 43.
- H.M. Note dated 24/3/45. 44.
- D.F.A. 8/3/3.
- Approved. 14/3/3.
- Issued tel. No. 192 d. 24/3 to Basheer. 45.
- H.M. Note dated 31/3/45. 46.
- D.F.A. 8/3/3.
- Approved. 31/3.
- Issued tel. No. 209 d. 31/3 to P.R. 47.

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48. P.R. telegram No. 627 dated 6-4-1945.
H.M. says there's nothing of interest to report this week. File? 8/874. MP 8/874.
49. H.M.'s notes dated 14/4/45.
DFA. 8/1574. MP 8/1574.
50. Issued tel. No. 247 d. 15/4 to P.R. 1574
H.M. says there's nothing of interest to report in public opinion this week. 8/2274. MP 22/4
H.M. has nothing to report. 8/2874.
- H.M. has supplied a report. DFA.
PA 7/15. MP 7/15.
51. Issued tel. No. 304 d. 7/5/45 to P.R. 7/5
H.M.'s note dated 12/5/45.
H.M.'s report was received too late to be put up to P.A. As telegram issues on Saturday I am asking H.M. to turn in a report by ~~Monday~~ Thursday or to let us know on that day that there is nothing to report. JANC 14/5/45. MP 14/5/45. 1575-
P.A. PTO

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H. M's Note dated 17/5/45.

Cf. S. 52. D.F.A.
Jan 19/5

PA.

Before sending off a telegram as in
the modified draft (which should
go in "S" if it goes at all)
will A. P. A. (if I am not wrong)
pl. advise me of H. M. most
closely as to the sources of
the rumors. If it is confirmed
the telegram may well

17/5

I talked to H. M. and I think
public opinion is more as drafted
in my tel. herewith which
should issue.

Please show to PA on return

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20/5

Received telegram No. 334 dated 20/5/45 to
Bahrain

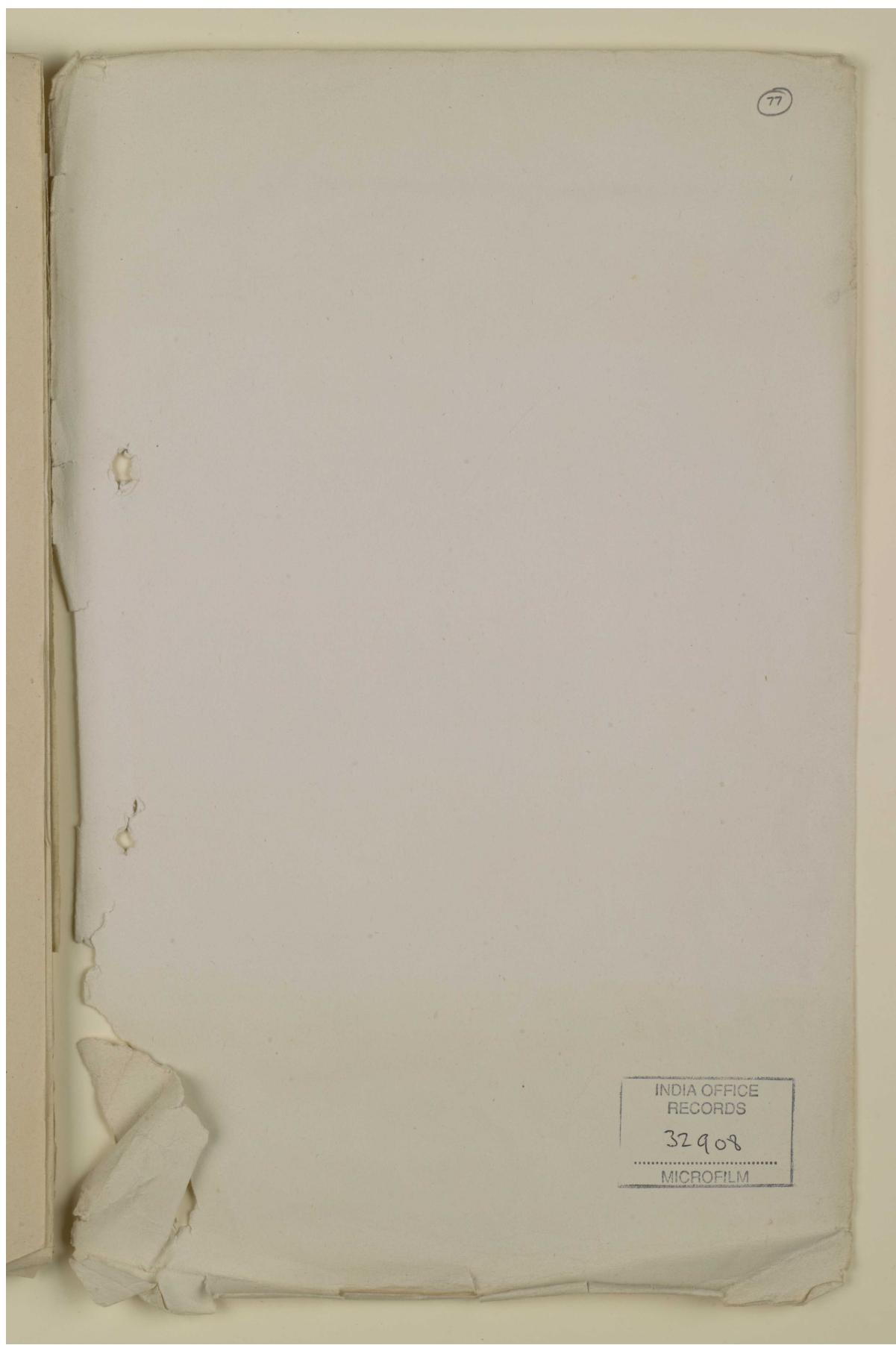
Submitted,
Jan 23/5

PA.

Thank you. H. M. is inclined to
simplify everything until it
becomes inaccurate.

25/5 E.W.

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