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‘Persian Gulf. Refund of Extra duty exacted by the Custom Master of Bunder Abbass in excess of established duty-’

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The item consists of copies and extracts of correspondence cited in, or enclosed with, a Political Letter from the Government of Bombay to the East India Company Court of Directors, 13 November 1847. A copy of this Political Letter can be found at IOR/F/4/2238/112322, alongside details of further enclosures. The item is the thirty-seventh in a series of fifty-nine items on events in the Persian Gulf.

The item contains a letter from Major Samuel Hennell, Resident in the Persian Gulf, to the Government of Bombay, dated 12 July 1847. Hennell reports that His Highness Syed Soowenee [Sayyid Thuwaynī bin Sa‘īd Āl Bū Sa‘īd] has instructed the Custom Master at Muskat [Muscat] to refund some of the duty charged against British subjects who recently exported wool from Bunder Abass [Bandar-e ‘Abbas]. The item also contains the Government of Bombay’s response, dated 11 October 1847.

The title page of the item contains the following references: ‘Bombay Political Department’, ‘Draft No. 345/48’, ‘Collection No. 2 of No. 139, Vol: 37.’ and ‘Examiner’s Office’. The title page also contains a note that relevant correspondence can be found in Collection No. 3 accompanying despatch from the Government of Bombay, 16 June No. 78 of 1847.

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Political Department

Letter from, dated 13th November 1847.

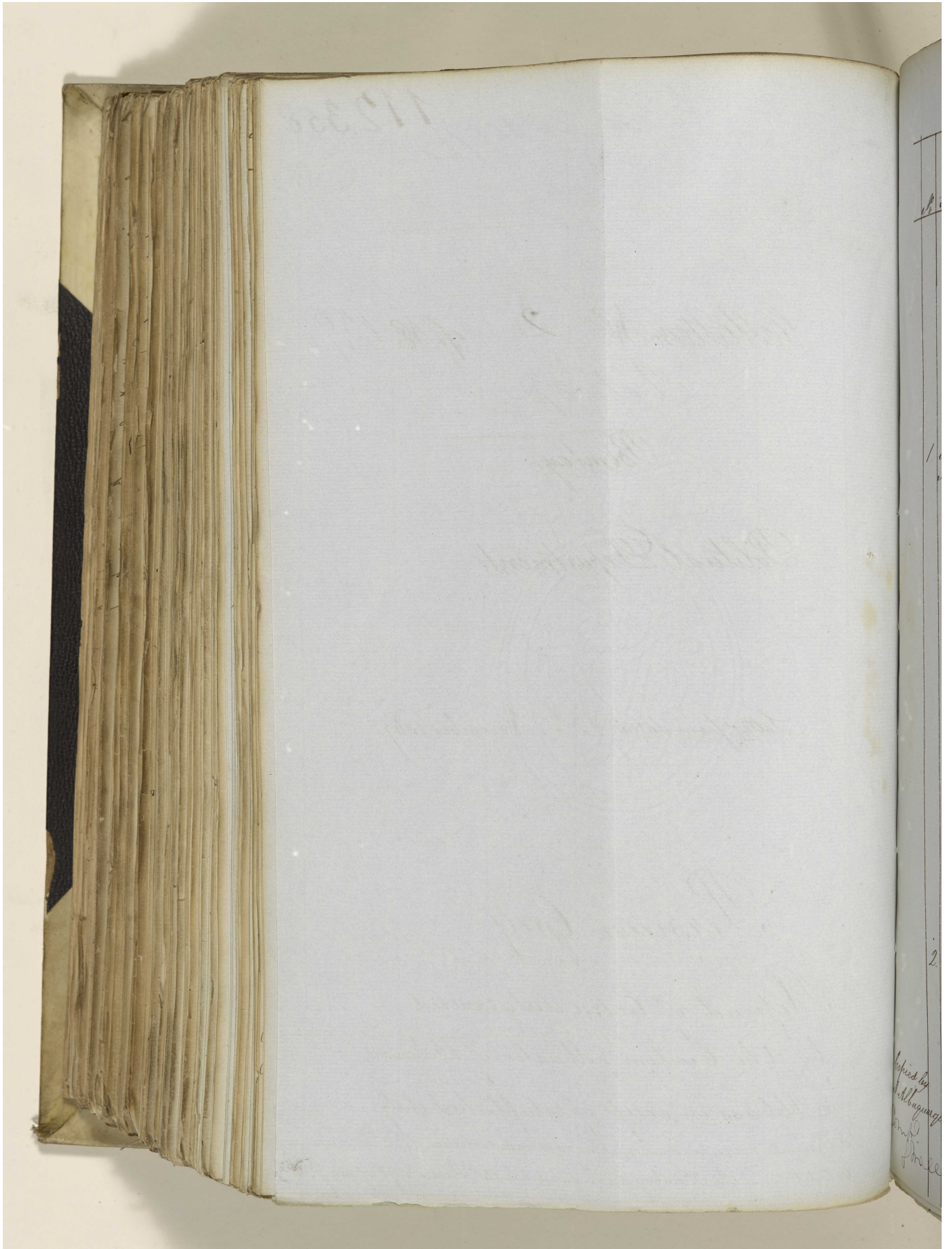
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Refund of Extra duty exacted
by the Custom Master of Bunder

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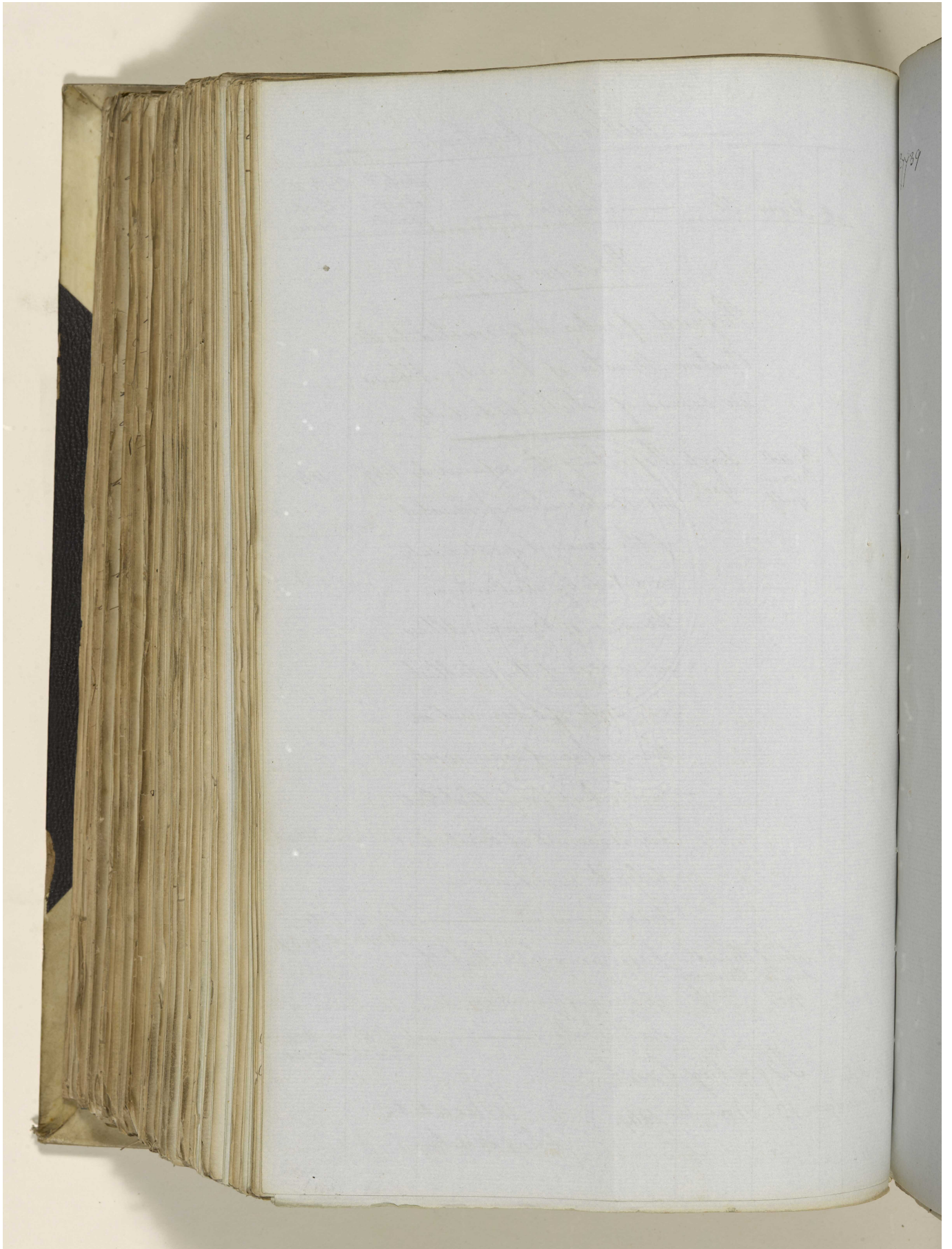
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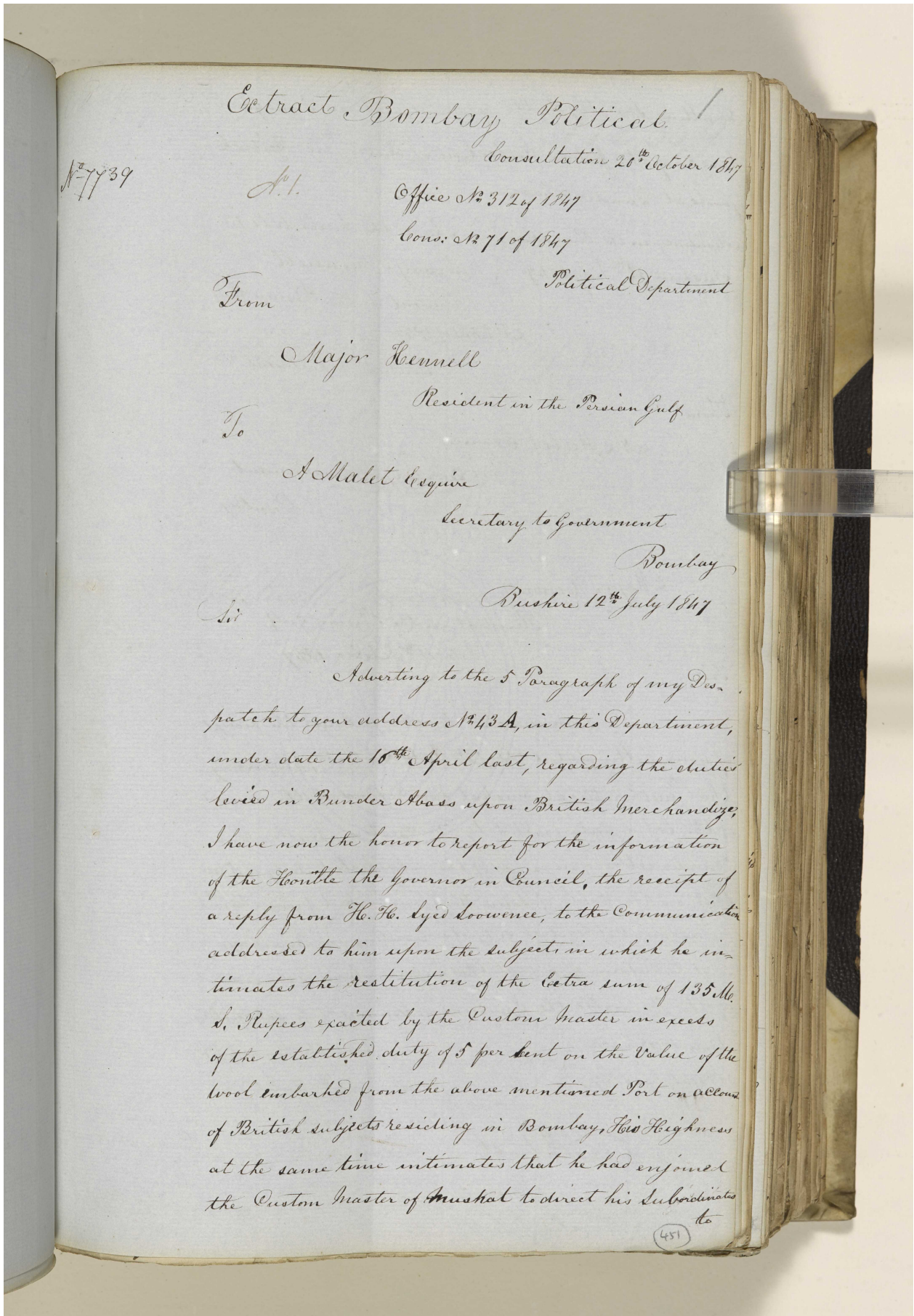
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<u>Persian Gulf-</u>					
Refund of extra duty exacted by the Custom Master of Bunder Abbas in excess of established duty.-					
1.	Resid ^t Persian Gulf	Secy to Gov ^t	Reporting the refund by the Authorities of Muskat of the amount of extra duty exacted by the Custom Master of Bunder Abbas in excess of the established duty of 5 per cent on the value of some wool embarked from that Port on account of British Subjects residing in Bombay	July 12. No. 71.	1847.
2.	Chief Secy. to Gov ^t	Resid ^t Persian Gulf	Informing him that the above information is satisfactory	Oct 21. No. 3831	Oct 20. No. 7739
Bombay Castle				Oct 21. No. 3831	Nov 4. No. 7740
Copied by Albuquerque 13 th November 1847.					
J. Wallace			Wheat Chief Secretary		

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Abbass in excess of established duty-' [451r] (5/6)



'Persian Gulf. Refund of Extra duty exacted by the Custom Master of Bunder Abbass in excess of established duty-' [451v] (6/6)

to attend strictly to the recommendation I had given touching the future Collection of duties on British goods at Bunder abass.

Residency in the Persian Gulf } I have the honor to be
Muskat 12th July 1847 } Signed J. Hennell
Resident in the Persian Gulf

N^o. 3831 of 1847

Political Department

From

N^o. 2

A Malet Esquire

Chief Secretary to Government

Bombay

To

Major J. Hennell

Resident in the Persian Gulf

Dated 11th October 1847

Sir

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 12th July last N^o. 71, reporting that ^{the} authorities at Muskat had refunded the amount of the extra duty exacted by the Custom Master of Bunder Abbass in excess of the established duty of 5 per cent, on the value of some Wool embarked from that Port on account of British subjects Residing in Bombay, and to inform you that this information is considered by the Honorable the Governor in Council to be satisfactory.

Bombay Castle }
11th October 1847 }

I have the honor to be

Signed A. Malet

Chief Secretary

True Extract -

W. Malet
Chief Secy.

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For the
Collection
Bombay
1847