

MED/16/12/11

Sir

His Majesty has continued tranquil and comfortable since our last report. His Majesty holds conversation with Persons whom He favours to be about Him; but it is in a mild good tempered manner and tone of voice.

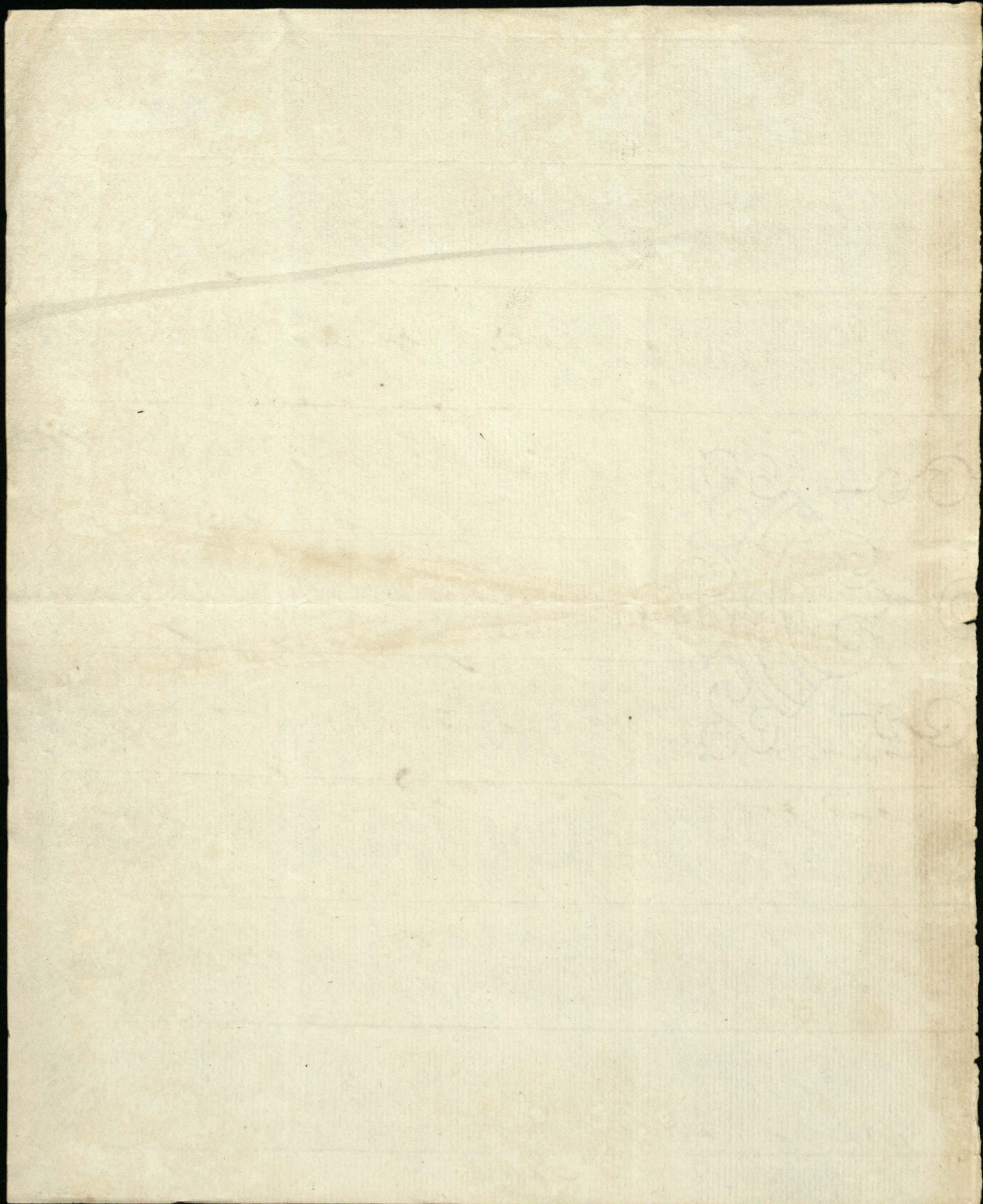
His Majesty slept two hours and a half yesterday morning, and four hours and a quarter last night.

I am Sir, most respectfully, your 'Royal Bessemer's' faithful servant

Windsor Castle

Henry Balfour.

Jan: 1. 1810.



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Sir

The King left almost five hours
last night, and His Majesty has fallen
asleep since breakfast in His chair.

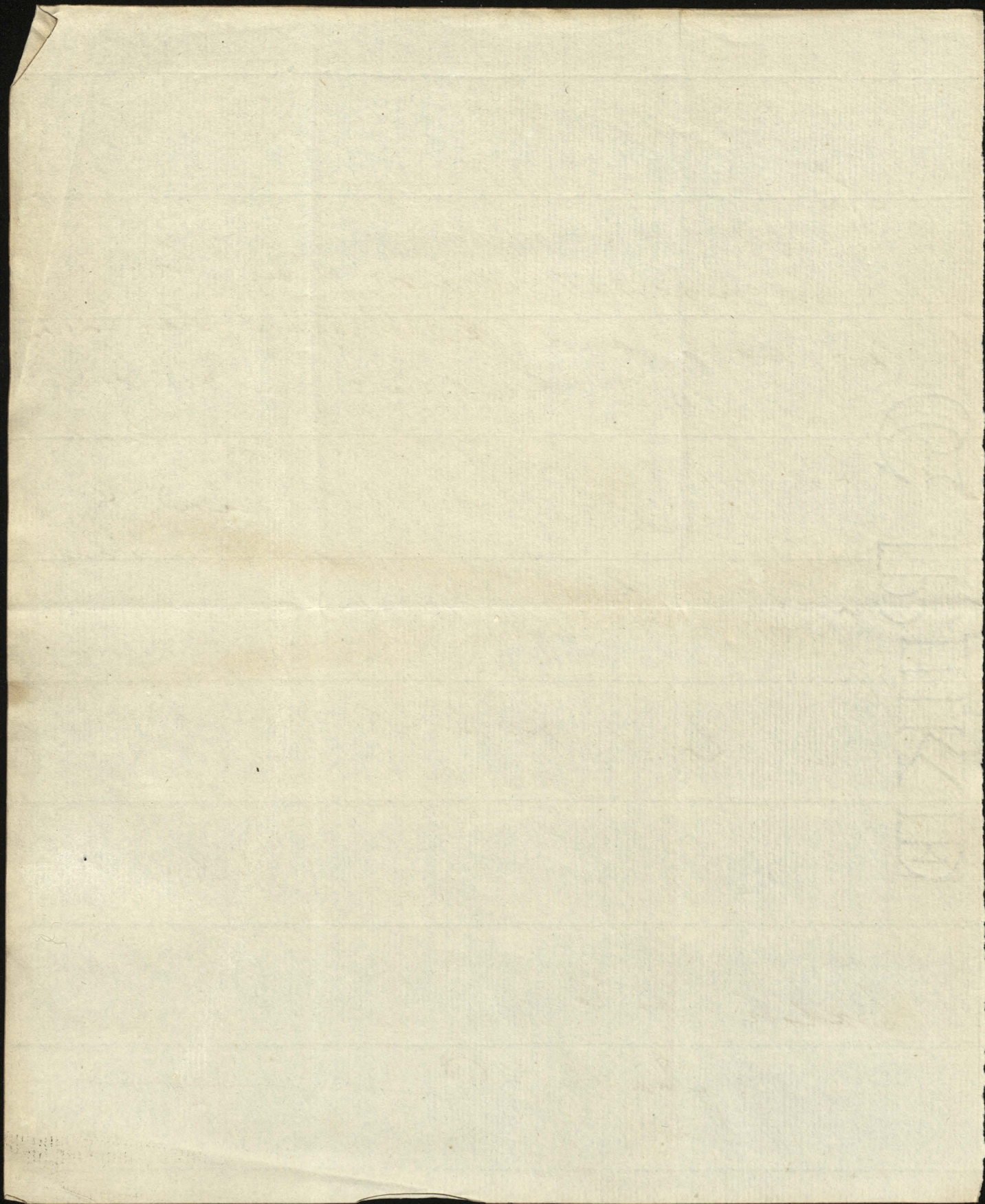
His Majesty passed yesterday well -
but was inclined to slumber - and His
Majesty did not sleep all day.

I am, Sir, most respectfully
Your Royal Highness's faithful
servant

Henry Balfour.

Windsor Castle

Jan: 2. 1878.



Sir

The King slept three hours uninterruptedly in the early part of last night, and is now asleep in His chair.

His Majesty talked a good deal in the forenoon yesterday, and often with some vehemence of manner, but His Majesty slept an hour, and became more still and calm in the afternoon.

The state of His Majesty's mind is exactly what it was.

I am, Sir, most
respectfully, Your Royal Highness's
faithful servant

Henry Balfour

London Castle

— Jan: 3. 1810.

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The present State of His Majesty's Health is not such, as to enable him to resume the personal Exercise of His Royal Authority. His Majesty's bodily Health continues to be good: His Majesty's Mind is in the same State of disorder in which it has long remained. His Majesty's Physicians do not expect his Recovery, and they represent that they do not absolutely despair of his Recovery only because it is not impossible that His Majesty should recover.

3^d January 1818

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