Watercolour - Distant View of Bushire in the Persian Gulf

Object: Watercolour
Place of origin: Bushehr (city) (painted)
Date: 1822-1825 (painted)
Artist/Maker: Fraser, James Baillie, born 1783 - died 1856 (painter (artist))
Materials and Techniques: Water- and bodycolour over pencil, heightened with white, mounted on card
Credit Line: Purchased with the assistance of the National Heritage Memorial Fund, Art Fund, Shell International and the Friends of the V&A
Museum number: SD.393
Gallery location: Prints & Drawings Study Room, level D, case 85, shelf SC, box 13

Descriptive line
Watercolour, Distant View of Bushire in the Persian Gulf, 1821-1825, by James Baillie Fraser

Physical description
Watercolour drawing

Dimensions
Height: 15.3 cm, Width: 25.3 cm

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Object history note
According to Rodney Searight: - 'Bt Bonhams, Aug, 4th 1976, £5 the pair [SD.392 & 393] (+ a so-called 'Japanese' watercolour').'

Historical context note
The artist described his stay in Bushire (Bushehr) in August and September 1821 in his Narrative of a Journey into Khorasan..., 1825.

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