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No. 88. Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Financial Department, dated 10th October 1862, No. 5,387.

Read the following Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, No. 148 of 1862, dated the 30th August.

I have to acquaint you that I have received a communication from the Bank of England, stating that a robbery has recently taken place of water-marked paper in course of preparation for Bank of England Notes, and also that some of the paper in process of manufacture for the Indian Currency Notes, has been abstracted from the paper mills.

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Governments of Madras and Bombay.
Deputy Auditors and Accountants General, Madras and Bombay.
Officiating Accountants General to the Government of India.
Head Commissioner of the Department of Issue of the Government Paper Currency.
Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Bengal.

Ordered that a copy of the above-mentioned Despatch be forwarded to the Governments and Officers noted in the margin, with a request that they will adopt such measures of precaution in reference thereto, as may be deemed expedient.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) EDMUND DRUMMOND,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Telegram from the Secretary to the Government of India, in the Financial Department; to the Chief Secretary to Government, Madras, dated 24th October 1862.

Duplicate.—Referred to Despatch from Secretary of State number one hundred and forty-eight, dated 30th August sixty-two, and to Financial Resolution, dated 10th instant, number five thousand three hundred and eighty-seven. It has not been thought advisable to issue any general public notice of the robbery of the Bank paper, lest it should be productive of panic. 24th 16-38.

No. 89. ORDER THEREON, 27th October 1862, No. 765.

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(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd F. Cartledge.

[For the Superintendent's Office]

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Secretary to the Government of India.

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