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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The Honorable JOHN SMALE having reported his return to the Colony, has this day resumed his duties as Chief Justice of Hongkong.

By Command,

J. GARDINER AUSTIN,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 6th December, 1869.

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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

An *Index and Title Page* to the *Government Gazette* for 1869 will be published for binding with the Volume, with the first issue in 1870.

By Command,

J. GARDINER AUSTIN,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 11th December, 1869.

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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The following Account, duly certified, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES in Circulation in Hongkong, during the Month ending 30th November, 1869, is published for general information.

By Command,

J. GARDINER AUSTIN,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 11th December, 1869.

BANKS.	AVERAGE AMOUNT.	SPECIE IN RESERVE.
Oriental Bank Corporation,.....	\$ 701,377	\$ 233,793
Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China,.....	664,546	250,000
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,.....	328,050	133,000
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,.....	1,005,201	300,000
TOTAL,.....\$	2,769,174	1,416,792