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## PREFACE.

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MY "PRACTICAL TREATISE ON BANKING," which was at first published as a half-a-crown pamphlet, has, in the course of five editions, grown into two volumes octavo, and is sold to the public for twenty-four shillings. **Whatever** additional merit it may thus have acquired, **it has lost all claim** to be regarded as a mere elementary work. Hence has arisen the present volume. It consists chiefly of selections from the "Practical Treatise," arranged expressly for the use of those readers who are desirous of obtaining, with a small expenditure of either time or money, a general knowledge of the business of Banking. Those who desire further information are referred to the larger work.

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