

Police Officer Found Lost Bank Notes

A great loss of property, and a lucky recovery of the same, took place in this district last week. Mr C Vines, yeoman, of Spirthill, was returning from Chippenham market when he lost nine £10 Bank of England notes. The next morning, after discovering his loss, he at once went to the police office of the district, and informed P C Gidding of his loss, when he was at once informed by that officer that a sum of money had been found by him on the road during the night, and after giving the police officer a proper description of the notes and other particulars required, he at once handed to him that which he had lost. We trust that the policeman has been generously rewarded.

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