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**Royal Manifesto or Proclamation, without Signature,  
Cypher or seal, probably an Office Copy, kept for  
record, dated 23rd July 1857**

To—All the Inhabitants of the Town of Rohtāk.

Proclamation is made. That one man is not to stretch out the hand of violence against another, and that all are to continue in full subjection to the Authority of the principal landholders, who are known to be the well-wishers of the State. Civil Establishments and a sufficient Military force will very soon be sent to make all necessary arrangements. Anxious concern for the welfare and comfort of his subject is cherished by His Majesty; but all such as shall be guilty of acts of turbulence or disobedience against lawful authority, will be most severely punished. This Proclamation is therefore issued for public information.