

APPENDIX.

TO CONVERT NOVA SCOTIA CURRENCY INTO CANADA CURRENCY.

RULE.—Deduct $2\frac{2}{3}$ per cent. by the following method:—

Multiply the amount in Nova Scotia currency by 2 (without setting down the 2), and set the product under the given sum, two places to the right; divide this product by 3, setting the quotient directly under it; then add these two results together (carrying to the cents 2 if the mills amount to 15 or more, or 1 if the mills amount to less than 15 and more than 4) and subtract the sum from the given amount. The quotient will be the equivalent in Canada currency.

NOTE.—If care be taken to place the figures as directed above, the discount will come in a convenient place for subtracting, and no confusion will arise. The decimal points in all the numbers should be kept directly under one another. If this plan be practised a short time, there will be no need of currency tables.

EXAMPLES.

1. Reduce \$45.00 N. S. currency to its equivalent in Canada currency.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 .90 \text{ product by 2, set two places to the right.} \\
 .30 \text{ quotient by 3.} \\
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 1.20 \text{ sum—discount to be subtracted.} \\
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 \$43.80 \text{ remainder, Canada currency.}
 \end{array}$$

2. Reduce \$19.86 N. S. currency to its equivalent in Canada currency.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 .3972 \text{ product by 2, set two places to the right.} \\
 .132 \text{ quotient by 3 carried as far as necessary.} \\
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 .53 \text{ sum—discount to be subtracted.} \\
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 \$19.33 \text{ remainder, Canada currency.}
 \end{array}$$

3. Reduce \$573.98 N. S. currency to its equivalent in Canada currency.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 11.47.96 \text{ product by 2.} \\
 3.82.6 \text{ quotient by 3.} \\
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 15.31 \text{ sum. Carry 2 for 15 mills.} \\
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 \$558.67 \text{ remainder, Canada currency.}
 \end{array}$$