

year being over two and a quarter millions of tons. Gold deposits are found in almost every county of the Province, the yield of the past year being more than half a million dollars in value. Besides coal and gold Nova Scotia has large deposits of iron ore of the finest quality, copper, lead, manganese, limestone, marble, gypsum, freestone. The lumber interests of the Province are also extensive and valuable. In addition to all these valuable and varied resources, and before them in intrinsic value, is the great primal industry of Agriculture, to which this pamphlet is intended more particularly to direct attention of intending emigrants, and which can be conducted here with as reasonably profitable results and under as agreeable circumstances and associations as in any portion of the earth's surface.

The dikelands around the Bay of Fundy are admirably adapted for the growth of hay. The intervalle lands all over the Province are rich and productive. The upland is of varying degrees of fertility. Wheat, rye, buckwheat, beans, peas, indian corn, together with almost every variety of roots and vegetables, are produced abundantly. Apples, pears, plums and cherries and all the small fruits of temperate climates are largely cultivated. The wildwoods, barrens, and pastures are full of strawberries, raspberries, blackberries, blueberries, whortle berries and cranberries. Cranberries have recently become an important article of profitable cultivation, not only for home consumption, but for export, in sections of bog land which is valueless for any other purpose. Away from the sea grapes ripen in the open air, and in the world famed fruit region of the Cornwallis and Annapolis Valley, where the apple crop now reaches the vicinity of a million barrels annually, and is destined in the lapse of a decade or so to reach ten or twenty millions, pears and even peaches are successfully cultivated. Great attention is now given to the cultivation