



## THE NOVA SCOTIAN TREASURY NOTES

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**I**N a paper read, in 1892, before the Royal Society of Canada, <sup>(1)</sup> I referred to the Treasury Notes issued by the Province of Nova Scotia in the following paragraph :  
“ Under the Act of 1812, to provide for larger coins, Treasury Notes were issued. These were gladly hailed by business men as a great convenience and passed current for all transactions within the Province. The notes were first printed from type, signed by the treasurer and countersigned by the Commissioners as provided by the Act. In 1820 regular notes, printed from engraved plates prepared by Mavricks, a Boston engraver, were issued. These notes, as the

(1) “ Annals of the Nova Scotian Currency ” in the Proceedings of the Royal Society of Canada. Vol. X, Section II, page 33.