

APPENDIX A

TO ENCOURAGE SETTLEMENT ON FARM LANDS IN NOVA SCOTIA

THE following interesting measure became law during the 1912 session of the Nova Scotia Legislature. Further particulars respecting its operation may be obtained from Mr. Arthur S. Barnstead, Secretary of Industries and Immigration, 197 Hollis Street, Halifax, and Mr. J. Howard, Agent-General, 57A Pall Mall, London, S.W.

AN ACT FOR THE ENCOURAGEMENT OF SETTLEMENT ON FARM LANDS

Whereas, it is desirable that agricultural settlement should be further promoted in this Province, and that facilities should be afforded whereby settlers will be encouraged to purchase or acquire for themselves farm holdings :

And whereas, there are in the Province farms unoccupied and untilled, arable tracts not yet brought under cultivation, and other lands available for settlement and suitable therefor :

And whereas, it is desirable to settle on those lands selected farmers from the British Isles or elsewhere, who wish to acquire lands of their own, but are unable to do so, and it is further desirable to give assistance in the purchase of farms to those who are already engaged in or desire to engage in agriculture within the Province who possess the necessary qualifications :

And whereas, there are in the British Isles and elsewhere many men with practical experience in farming, who might be induced