

Department of Agriculture and Mines.

The following extract from the CROWN LANDS ACT, 1903, is published for general information:—

MINERAL LANDS.

Any person may search for minerals and on discovery of a vein, lode or deposit of mineral, may obtain a license thereof in the following way:

(1) Driving a stake not less than 4 inches square into the ground, leaving it 18 inches over ground; name of person and date to be written on stake. Application for license to be filled with affidavit (see Act for particulars) within two months. Cost of license for first year is \$10 for each location. Subsequent rentals: Ist year, \$20; 2nd, to and including 5th year, \$30; for next period of five years, \$50; and for following years, \$100.

Upon expenditure of \$6,000 within five years, lessee shall be entitled to a Grant in Fee Simple.

Idenses for larger areas may also be granted upon terms set forth in the Act.

Further information may be had on application to

S. D. BLANDFORD,

Minister of Agriculture and Mines.

Department of Agriculture and Mines, St. John's, Newfoundland.

NOTICE.

In accordance with Act 10 Edward VII., Cap. 37, Entitled "An Act for the raising of a sum of money by Loan for the Public Service of the Colony" the Minister of Finance is hereby authorized to raise by Loan upon the credit of the Colony the sum of

Four Hundred and Thirty Thousand Dollars.

by sale of Debenture Bonds with Interest Coupons attached. Interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum payable half-yearly on the first days of January and July in each year.

M. P. CASHIN,

Minister of Finance.

St. John's, March 14th, 1911.