

# The Minerals of Nova Scotia

## The Mineral Province of Eastern Canada

COAL, IRON, COPPER, GOLD, LEAD, SILVER, MANGANESE, GYPSUM, BARYTES, TUNGSTEN, ANTIMONY, GRAPHITE, ARSENIC, MINERAL PIGMENTS, DIATOMACEOUS EARTH.

Nova Scotia possesses extensive areas of mineral lands and offers a great field for those desirous of investment.

### Coal

Nova Scotia is the leader among the coal producing provinces of the Dominion.

### Iron

The province contains numerous districts in which occur various varieties of iron ore, practically at tide water and in touch with vast bodies of fluxes. Deposits of particularly high grade manganese ore occur at a number of different locations

### Gold

Marked development has taken place in this industry the past several years. The gold fields of the province cover an area approximately 3,500 square miles. The gold is free milling and is from 870 to 970 fine.

### Gypsum

Enormous beds of gypsum of a very pure quality and frequently 100 feet thickness, are situated at the water's edge.

High grade cement making materials have been discovered in favorable situations for shipping.

Government core-drills can be had from the department for boring operations.

The available streams of Nova Scotia can supply at least 500,000 h.p. for industrial purposes.

Prospecting and Mining Rights are granted direct from the Crown on very favorable terms.

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