NOVA SCOTIA.—Continued.

The Crown, \$1.25; the half Crown, \$0.621; the florin, \$0.50; the shilling, \$0.25; the six pence, \$0.12½; the four pence, \$0.08.

No other silver coin is legal tender, but the American "quarter" passes current at 221 cents. The copper coin of the Province is the only legal tender in copper, and then only to the extent of

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and cents The Province has issued no silver coins. It has called in its old issue of pence and half pence, and substituted an issue of bronze cents and half cents to the face value of \$17,903, of which about \$2,000 is in half cents.

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PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

The currency of Prince Edward Island is more complex than that of any of the other North American Colonies.

By 12 Victoria, chapter 24, the British sovereign is a legal tender at thirty shillings island currency, and British silver in proportion.

The American Eagle (\$10) is legal at £3 currency, aliquot parts in proportion. British gold is therefore more abundant in the Island than American.

The gold doubloon of not less than 415 grains is legal at £4 16s.

The United States, Peruvian, Chilian and Spanish milled dollars and the dollar of Central America being of not less weight than 412 grains are legal at 6s. 3d. Island currency, and aliquot parts in proportion.

The French five franc piece is legal at 5s. 6d.; and its subdivisions at the same rate.

Copper coins legally current in the United Kingdom, Canada and New Brunswick are legal in Prince Edward Island, penny for penny. But a British half penny is not legal for more than a half penny, though worth nearly as much as an Island penny.

The Public Accounts are kept partly in Island currency, partly in sterling.

The Prince Edward Island Government has coined no money, unless we take into account its Treasury bills of 5s, and multiples. The Banks have issued a few copper coins. For an account of the paper currency of the Island see "Banks."

NEWFOUNDLAND.

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The Doubloon, legal tender for...... \$15.35 сштепсу.

The American, Peruvian, Mexican, Columbian, and old Spanish Dollar, legal tender for

100 cents. Provided that no tender in silver to a greater amount than Ten Dollars shall be valid.

Island Coinage.

Bronze Cents....

STAMP DUTIES.

CANADA.

On Bills of Exchange, Drafts, and Promissory Notes.

In computing the duty, it must be borne in mind that any interest payable at maturity with the principal, is to be counted as part of the amount.

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EXTRACT FROM ACT OF 1865. "The person affixing such adhesive stamp, shall, at the time of affixing the same, write or stamp thereon the date at which it is affixed, and such stamp shall be held prima facie to have been affixed at the date stamped or written thereon, and if no date be so stamped or written thereon, such adhesive stamp shall be of no avail; any person wilfully writing or stamping a false date on any adhesive stamp shall incur a penalty of one hundred dollars for each such offence."

MARITIME PROVINCES.

There are no Stamp Duties in any of the Lower Provinces.