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Local and Other items.

TATAMAGOUCHE OYSTERS.—About one thousand barrels of oysters have been shipped from Tatamagouche Bay this season and the industry is in its infancy only, having been started but a few years ago.

ISLAND WORK ABROAD.—The St John Sun says it is expected that the boiler and engine for the new dairy school building at Sussex will be put into place this week by the builder, Mr T A McLean, of Charlottetown.

NOVA SCOTIA'S MINERALS.—That Nova Scotia is rich in mineral deposits no one having a knowledge of mineralogy will deny. Scarcely a week during summer but a mine of some description looms up. This time it is beside a small rivulet known as silver brook, in the Winchester mountain, and adjacent to the well known Sugar Loaf mountain. A few years ago a prospecting party sunk a tunnel or drift into the side of the mountain, from the brook, about 25 feet, and left the place fully impressed that there was gold enough in sight to warrant the developing of the mine on a large scale. But new fields of labor, with fewer risks, induced the parties interested to abandon the project. Recently, however, mining experts have visited the place and assured Mr William H Ripley, on whose land the find has been made, that if he would not be too exacting a company would develop the place ere long as there were good indications of gold about it.—Halifax Herald.

CONSERVATIVE MEETING HELD.—On Monday afternoon last a meeting was held at Egmont Bay, the speakers being Messrs J F Arsenault, M P P, A A Lefurgey, the Conservative candidate, Hon John Yeo, Edward Hackett and Gilbert DesRoches. In the evening a meeting was held at Fifteen Point, the speakers being same as above, with the addition of Mr A C Rogers. Both meetings were largely attended, considering the state of the roads, and those present were enthusiastic in their support of the Conservative nominee, whose prospects are bright for a very large vote in the above district. The electors were loud in their applause as the speakers scored point after point against the present government. The same evening, a well attended meeting was held in the Miscouche Hall, the speakers being Messrs David Rogers, B D McLellan, M P, and Neil McQuarrie. The feeling in Miscouche may be judged by the fact that, in all that large and intelligent audience, there were only two Liberals present. The Conservative speakers gave fine addresses, making an excellent impression, and it is hoped that, on the 14th inst., Miscouche will do even better than ever before.—Agriculturist.

What About the West Indies.

OTTAWA, Dec. 6.—The department of trade and commerce is advised that Edgar Tripp, the commercial agent for Canada in the West Indies brought up at the last meeting of the Trinidad chamber of commerce the question of the incorporation of the British West Indies with the Dominion. The subject was fully discussed and the conclusion unanimously reached that it was worthy of the serious consideration of the government.

Judiciary in Cuba.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, December 6.—The opening of the recently organized supreme court yesterday morning was an impressive ceremony. Chief Justice Echeverria and the associate justices, prior to the opening called at the palace, where they were received by General Wood and aides and others were driven to the supreme court chamber. Here the judges donned their robes of office—long silk gowns trimmed with white lace—and accompanied by the attorneys practicing in the court, who were similarly dressed formed in procession and passed into the court room, the chief justice escorting General Wood. The procession having divided into semi-circles, General Wood, in a few tactful and forceful words, opened the proceedings, delivering the court, in the name of the United States government to the chief justice and his associates, and demanding from the public implicit obedience to the courts' decisions and decrees. His address was translated by Captain Mendoza into Spanish.

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SIR,—About two and a half or three months ago Mt. Stewart Bridge was in a most disgraceful condition, and needed repairing badly. It was sold by Mr J S McDonald, supervisor of this district, and bought in by one of Mt. Stewart's prominent merchants. Now I was in hopes that some of the residents of Mt. Stewart, would say something as to how the work was accomplished, and I think I have waited long enough. It seems that the people fear the p man and therefore they seem to be in the silent dreams of morpheus. Of course I have not got the gift of Pinetarch or Demosthenes, but I have the gift of crying down and snowing under the grit methods of repairing public works. This prominent merchant bought this piece of work, and agreed to do it to the satisfaction of the public; but instead of this he fulfilled it to the dissatisfaction of the public. Perhaps he, (p. m.) bought this bridge for a place to make compost, for it was swamp mud which he hauled to bed it with. Now, this is the way the Grits are expending money, which is of no use or benefit to the country. It goes to show what narrow-headed individuals are reigning. Let me tell the public in general, without exaggerating in the least, that if they want to see one of the most abominable pieces of botchery imaginable they should visit Mount Stewart and be convinced, that the honorable gentlemen who have got the reins of power in their hands are not dealing with the country and the people justly.

SINGAPORE. Mt. Stewart, Dec. 5th, 1898.

Flying Foxes.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 6.—The following advices from New South Wales have been brought by the steamer Miowera:—The Hunter River valley, like all other coastal districts of the colony, is every year visited by thousands of flying foxes, which play havoc with fruit of all kinds. Already this season the pests have arrived, although last year it was not till March that they came. On two or three different occasions the Government made attempts to cope with this great enemy of all fruit-growers, but without success. There is a reward of several thousand pounds awaiting the discoverer of a specific that will kill out this curse of the farmer and the orchardist.



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