

Daûphin ; Chaloûpe River 8 miles west of South Point. There is a good river on the North side called Salmon River. The salmon found in these rivers average from 8 to 12 lbs. weight. I have no doubt that in a few years hence, the West end will be transformed into a pretty district. There is every facility for the extension of productive land behind English Harbour. The places to look after at present are where the people are settled. They are the best judges of harbours, fishing stations and home comforts. It was a mistake to select Ellis Bay last summer for storehouses, as it is too far from the settled portions of the Island. English Harbour, in my opinion, is the place destined for the first progress. It is easily reached by vessels, and the harbour can be improved. Vessels have to pass it, on their way to the North shore ; and it is a place of call by traders. The management should be in the hands of a skilful man, who has had experience in marine products, and the wants of the people.

(Signed), "WM. COUPER."