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cooking qualities. This point however can be settled satisfactorily only by practical tests.

I do not know that there is more that I can add to this brief sketch of an important, but still almost unknown district, but will feel satisfied if I have been able to convey to you, and ultimately to the general public, any information which will serve to draw attention to the resources of our Province, and to place on record data which may possibly be utilized by future explorers