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#### DO WE WANT "A FRIEND AT COURT"?

In 1908 the Liberal member for the Skeena district secured Magazines :: Periodicals :: Newspapers for his riding an apropriation of \$28,000.

In 1909 the Liberal member succeeded in increasing this CIGARS :: TOBACCOS :: FRUITS appropriation to \$75,000, or nearly three times the 1908 appropriation.

At the same rate of progress the Liberal member would processes the same rate of progress the Liberal member would have secured for Skeena district for 1910 an appropriation ? of \$200,000.

But William Manson managed to get only \$150,000.

In 1909 the Liberal member secured nearly three times the 1908 appropriation, but in 1910 William Manson managed to get barely double the 1909 appropriation.

In 1911 William Manson's influence at Victoria had so slackened that he fell \$75,000 short of doubling his own 1910 appropriation. Had he been able to represent the needs of the riding as the Liberal member did before him William Manson should have secured in round figures at least \$401,700.

Aware, no doubt, of the indignation aroused throughout the constituency by his neglect and failure to secure a proportionate appropriation for Skeena for 1911, William Manson managed to get for 1912 \$551,000, or a little over \$100,000 more than double the disproportionate pittance he secured for 1911. The very fact proves his neglect of the previous year.

Had William Manson progressed at the Liberal member's liberal rate in appropriations he should have secured in round figures at least \$602,000, so that this year he is still over \$150,000 short of where he should be even at a much slower rate in securing appropriations than that of the last Liberal member.

Had William Manson had backbone enough in representing the needs of his constituency to secure appropriations steadily for Skeena during his years of representation, at the same pace set him by the Liberal member in 1909, he should have scured for the riding for this year an appropriation of \$1,074,000 instead of his paltry \$551,000, so that his representation of the needs of the district has really resulted in a loss to Skeena of more than half a million dollars.

And yet it is contended by the heelers that we must have "a friend at court" to get anything at all.

At the beginning of this year the general idea was "Anything to beat Manson for mayor." But Manson did not run for a second term. He and his friends all knew that such a course was hopeless. Again there is the same cry, "Anything to beat Manson for the legislature and give us a real representative. And it is bound to win.

A friend at court, forsooth. Alberni swapped a friend at court for a manly man named Brewster. And what did Alberni get as a consequence in the way of appropriations? Just look it up and consider what she might have expected if she had had Friend-at-Court Manson in the legislature. hSe tried Manson Lot on Eleventh St., Block 28; \$2,800. for one term and dropped him cold.

## Remember

There will be two Manson names on your ballot paper. careful to make the distinction between the McBride Manson, who has been tried and found wanting, and ALEX. M. MANSON, the people's candidate, and a true representative of Skeena riding. To save confusion at the polls put your cross opposite the name of ALEX. M. MANSON, which is the second name on the ballot, exactly as indicated thus:

#### CLAYTON

William Barratt Clayton, of Prince Rupert Dentist

### MANSON, ALEX. M.

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# Reasons Why Wm. Manson Must be Defeated

1. The growth and prosperity of Prince Rupert is being hampered and retarded by the attitude of the McBride government in direct opposition, in order to serve the interests of the rival port of Vancouver.

2. That Prince Rupert can raise no voice of protest so long as she is represented in the legislature by the silent and obsequious William Manson.

3. That the said Silent William did once or twice gently purr in mere explanation of what this city was seeking from the legislature, but never sufficiently loud to wake up any other member of McBride's huge majority.

4. That even on Prince Rupert matters he always voted with the government.

5. That when a respectful petition was sent to him asking when the government wharf would be completed he never brought the matter before the house at all, and that this matter was brought directly before the house by the Liberal representative of another constituency, H. C. Brewster.

6. That with an able and energetic Liberal from Prince Rupert in the house, such as is Mr. Alex. M. Manson, the Liberal nominee, this city might shame the monopolists of political representation into giving at least a certain measure of justice.

7. That the Silent William never brought before the house the subject of the sale of government lots in Prince Rupert, but in default gives us his interpretation of what the premier is alleged to have said, namely, that the government was in the real estate business good and hard and as it had passed laws exempting taxation on these lots it could hold them without expense until the people had made them enormously valuable, and the people could go to.

8. That the Silent William is alleged to have presented a petition from the people of the city for a government wagon road around Kaien Island, and that as an ante-election statement he is now promising the road will be built, but he whispers in an aside that he does not know the amount of the appropriation.

9. That these are the things the Silent One claims to have attempted to do in the interests of this city.

10. That what he ought to have done and which he didn't even try to do would take from now until election day to enumerate.

### WOMAN, FREED OF ONE MURDER, IS TO BE HELD FOR ANOTHER ONE



MRS. LOUISE VERMILYA.

#### SUPPOSED VICTIMS OF MRS. VERMILYA.

Richard T. Smith, Illinois Central March 11, 1911. railroad conductor; boarder. Frederick Brimmerkamp, her first husband.

Frank Brimmerkamp, aged 23 years, her son.

Charles Vermilya, her second husband.

Lillian Vermilya, her relative by Cora Vermilya, 8 years old, her daughter.

Florence Brimmerkamp, 4 years old, her daughter. Harry G. Vermilya, her stepson.



MISS LYDIA RIVARD.

on the charge of murdering Po- ney Burnham said the state was liceman Arthur Bissonette, Mrs. not ready and asked Judge Ker-Louise Vermilya, known as the sten to enter a nolle prosequi, modern Lucretia Borgia, who which was done.

charging her with the murder o Richard T. Smith, the railroad conductor who died at her home

Her few minutes of liberty con-



PATROLMAN BISSONETTE.

sisted merely of the time consumed in taking her in a wheeled buyer. chair from Judge Kersten's court room to the hallway of the Criminal Courts building, where the warrant was served.

As the case now stands, Mrs. Vermilya must appear for a hearing before Judge Honore, who issued the warrant, when a sharp legal battle is expected.

Joseph Burreas, attorney for Mrs. Vermilya, demanded an immediate trial in the Bissonette Chicago, March 15 .- Released case, but Assistant State's Attor-

fairly revels in death, was imme- Mrs. Vermilya smiled when the -: Agents International Stock Food diately rearrested on a warrant warrant charging her with the

murder of Smith was read. J. O. Smith, North Henderson, Ill., a brother of Richard T. Smith, is the complainant. specifically charges that she ad-

ministered arsenic and "rough on rats" to Smith.

### BILINGUAL **EDUCATION**

Long Looked For Report on Important Subject in Ontario Has at Last Been Presented for Consideration.

The long awaited report of Dr. F. W. Merchant on the English-French schools of Ontario has been tabled by Hon. Dr. Pyne, minister of education. The report is a comprehensive one, covering the bilingual schools in Twelve Tables the counties of Essex, Kent, Russell. Prescott, Stormont and Glengarry, the unorganized dis- +---tricts of Ottawa.

In all 269 schools, with a total of 538 teachers, were visited by Dr. Merchant. These schools had a total enrolment of 20,465 pupils, 18,833 being French. Only 76 schools were left unvisited three-quarters of them being in the unorganized districts and difficult of access.

Briefly summed up, Dr. Marchant's report shows that in the junior grades the instruction in a large majority of cases of the schools is given either entirely in French, or both French and English. It shows that English more than holds its own as the language of instruction in the senior

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