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## POLITICAL SENTIMENT OUT OF TOWN.

Very contradictory reports blow into town as to political Magazines :: Periodicals :: Newspapers sentiment up the Skeena. According to the Journal William Manson has strung up all the voters like colored beads on a CIGARS :: TOBACCOS :: FRUITS string. According to Truth, Clayton is playing the dickens up there with the alleged solid William Joliffe vote. As the Journal has nothing whatever to boast of Bella Coola, it must be taken for granted that the sentiment is strongly Liberal. We publish a letter today supporting this assumption. Also as to Stewart the Ring organ is silent, and as to Ocean Falls, Swanson Bay, Queen Charlotte Islands and other places. Alex. M. Manson will certainly poll the solid Liberal vote of the city and a large number of independent Conservative votes, and with the help of the Liberals and disgruntled Conservatives in the country districts his election can be safely predicted.

In his printed address to the electors of Skeena district William Manson says: "During my term of office I have been able to secure appropriations for public work in increased amounts annually. . . while for 1912 they have grown to nearly \$500,000." Just a little nearer the truth, but only a little, unless William Manson thinks the official figures of \$351,000 is near enough to \$500,000 to catch votes with.

### MISUSE AND ABUSE OF POWER.

John P. McConnell, long well known as the editor and part proprietor of the Vancouver Saturday Sunset, and now editorin-chief of the Morning Sun, is the Liberal candidate for Yale. In his address to the electors he says:

"Speaking generally, I think all thoughtful citizens must come to the conclusion that a government without an opposition cannot be the best kind of government. The spirit of the British institution of representation in parliament is that of a | THE Royal Hotel balance of control of power composed of the Government, the Crown and the Opposition. The Crown has certain circumscribed prerogatives, but it is necessarily not an active factor in legislating, a function which belongs to the majority in Parliament.

"If the Legislature is practically unanimous, each member being elected to support the Government, the tendencies must unevitably be toward the misuse of power and the gradual introduction of abuses which are equally to the disadvantage of the province and the government itself."

## WHY VOTE FOR A RUBBER STAMP?

The government of British Columbia consists of two men, who exercise as they please and to the fullest possible extent and in the fullest possible measure both executive and legislative powers. Back of these men is a compact and disciplined battalion of human rubber stamps.—Vancouver Sun.

William Manson was last session one of these rubber Lot on Second Ave., Section 1; \$2.50 stamps and you are again asked to vote for him. Why should Lots 1 and 2, Block 3, Section 2; \$2,70 you? You have yourselves heard his closest friends making excuses for him and asking you to view his many faults and \$1,900. Terms. failings with the eye of pity. Even as a rubber stamp he made the pair. 1/2 cash, bal. 1 and 2 years. but a faint and blurred impression. And in Alex. M. Manson Lot 11, Block 32, Section 5; \$1,000. you have the opportunity of voting for an able and courageous man as your representative. No one gifted with common sense will prefer the rubber stamp.

# 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:

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# More Reasons Why Wm. Manson Must be Defeated Stated by His Apologists

1. Alderman Douglas, one of William Manson's most able supporters, had to admit the spinelessness of his candidate at the Conservative smoker, and said: "I will put starch into his back and make him take it."

2. Mayor Newton, the latest leader of public opinion to be whipped into line by Ring domination, says: "All of us make mistakes. William Manson has made his." And Mayor Newton crawls down from his pinnacle of whilom independence and entreats us to return William Manson to continue his costly mistakes.

3. The political epitaph of William Manson can be written in the simple prayer: "And we have left undone the things that we ought to have done."

4. R. A. White, the chairman at the Conservative smoker, is another of the apologists for his candidate. He asks that William Manson be sent back to Victoria and thus "Give the devil his due."

5. The Ring morning newspaper frankly states that the level-headed electorate of this district will not be misled. No one, not even those of the Ring, are trying to mislead the electorate in regard to William Manson. His leading supporters frankly agree with everybody else that he is a proven incompetent. Then why vote for him?

6. That if William Manson was the only possible available candidate it would be better to send a proxy and dismiss the matter from one's mind. To lean upon a reed means constant worry and probable disaster.

7. William Manson has been weighed in the balance and found wanting. His Ring friends admit it, but they have no other available Ringster to take his place. 8. There being no argument, no valid reason whatever given even by his supporters to

show cause why William Manson should be again returned, why vote for him? 9. Why not try an entirely new man, one of known ability and fearlessness, such as

10. Common sense will prompt you to try this man of confidence and competence in place of the man of proven incompetence.

# LIBERALS OF BELLA COOLA ARE REMARKABLY SANGUINE

CONSERVATIVES SORE BECAUSE THEIR PROPOSITION FOR A RAILWAY TO CONNECT WITH GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC WAS COLDLY TURNED DOWN BY M'BRIDE.

letter from the Victoria Times they will do the rest. and printed it on Thursday, which Set your paper going on this shows the need of better mail point at once and have copies facilities between this port and sent to Namu, Ocean Falls and Bella Coola. We are also in re- Bella Coola and I am satisfied ceipt of a letter from another that we shall carry this election. Liberal of Bella Coola, Mr. B. Do not forget Rivers Inlet and Brynildsen, the leading pioneer Swanson Bay. merchant there. This is dated The northern part of this great March 10th and is addressed to province must be developed, and J. H. ROGERS, Agent A. J. Morris of J. Piercy, Morris in order to do this we must start Co., who has kindly handed it to in at once. The Conservatives

A. J. Morris, Esq., Prince Rupert, B. C. Dear Mr. Morris:

At this date I know nothing and friends. Yours very truly, about what the real platform is only that there is another railway scheme on hand and to give away some more of the public domain to grafters and hangers- Carry German Pocket Telephone on of the government.

Being that these railways are only for the southern part of this province and will not be of

I may here mention that a Mr. Verschoyle, who has bought largely land at Bella Coola and is now surveying it up into town lots, with the idea that he would get some government assistance for a railway from this place to the Peace River country, through Fort Fraser or Fraser Lake, has of course now been refused any assistance for this project from

McBride and his government. For this reason lots of the that the Liberal candidate come out strong and say that he will do his outmost to obtain a reasonable bonus for a road from Grand Trunk Pacific at Fort

This very point cannot be too strongly used in this part of the a friend home to dinner, all you district. Now at Ocean Falls, have to do is to connect your where there is quite a few voters, pocket instrument with the one and that company has large on the wall, call the exchange. 1911 | holdings at or in the Bella Coola get your party and talk to your valley, the only thing that will heart's content. appeal to them will be to come out and say that we will bonus a railway to Bella Coola, whether in government or opposition. we get a Liberal government at this election, which I earnestly block, Second avenue. hope, we can well afford to do something.

railroad by which to bring out Phone 4.

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Yesterday we received through their logs and I believe that they the mail a letter from Herbert are figuring on using this Bella L. Harris, a leading Liberal of Coola to Fraser Lake railway, and the only way that we can get Bella Coola, on the political sit- their vote will be to put up a uation there. We cut this same good proposition to them and

The News. It reads as follows: are making all sorts of bewilder-Bella Coola, March 10, 1912, ing and false statements.

I am working hard and so are all the Liberals here, and with many kind regards to yourself B. BRYNILDSEN.

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