

The Minister of Justice - Robert of Montreal - makes the appointment - and he is guided by what the B.C. members tell him. It strikes me that you might be thrown in with him sometime socially or some other way and might have an opportunity to tell him that your friend Sampman is the best man in B.C. for any appointment - in his to the bench.

Clement before being appointed to the Supreme Court was a County Court Judge in Kootenay and last June in England Judge Acton of the County Court was made a Supreme Court Judge and in connection with that I have had a copy made of an extract from the London Times and I enclose it - the cutting I sent to Dr. Johnnie. If there are any other members of the Cabinet to whom a word might be careful not overlook them. Cooper one of the members for Vancouver while probably supporting a Vancouver man will I think speak well of me.

We have had a cold spring here. Tommy is getting along all right in Kingston and likes it - very much.

With kind regards to duty time I am

Sri Ass. Currie

Montreal Que.

Sincerely yours

P. J. Sampman