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Washington, Nov. 23 .- To Cana-

a pleasing novelty incidental to the

mament is the promiscuous display

of the British flag in Washington.

ture of the decoration scheme of hun-

dreds of stores and private houses

just to see the old Union Jack fly-

ing," said a member of the New

reflected in this hanging out of Brit-

ain's banner appeared to be the fea-

ed him most, "Back in New York,"

count Lascelles Is

Thirty-nine.

of Princess Mary only daughter of

Viscount Lascelles, was announced

Canadians will be keenly interest-

King George and Queen Mary,

adian Club."

last evening.

FRINCESS

born in 1897.

of them met in London during

Creates Much Praise.

newspapers express satisfaction with

married a member of foreign royalty.

Her choice, says one newspaper, will

suit the democratic and romantic

instincts of the British people and

London, Nov. 23 .- A new high re-

off divorce cases which was organized

by the Lord Chancellor in April and

The North York Liberals deny ask

"Give me the next five years

This statement is from J. M.

Campbell's nomination speech,

appealing for election as King-

and I will bring here the ter-

minals that will bring here and

ing Burnaby to quit.

ston's member.

the bethrothal of Princess Mary

Viscount Lascelles. It is

modern views of monarchy.

297 Divorces Were

sized that there would have

London, Nov. 23 .- The mornin

"It was worth coming down here

LAST EDITION

RUNNING FOR 235 SEATS as above stated, apportioned the whole of the locally chargeable portion of the cost of the work to the

The Leaders Face Three-Cornered Contests-How Forces Line Up In Each Province---Everywhere

Toronto, Nov. 23 .- Canada now In Ontario-recognized as the ciniows "who's who" in the line-up for | tleground in the contest-the parliamentary honors. The candi- ernment has a candidate in every riddates were named officially yesterday ing, except Prescott and Russell. and the campaign is in the last and Liberals have 66 and the Progres hottest stage. If the election, because sives have about 70 when their Labor of the long period between dissolu- allies are counted. In old Quebec tion and polling day, has not yet ap- every riding has a Liberal candidate. the parties, for never in general elec- and Independent 33. Down by the proved highways in the County of mora, who is the returning officer

Not all ridings in Canada had re- the Pacific coast. ported their nominations at a late In the 31 seats in the maritime towards Perth and Smith's Falls on ed the announcement of the returnhour last night, but so far as the 2e- provinces the Conservatives have 28 the east. The two island townships ing officer. spatches show, early this morning candidates, the Liberals 30, and the are so isolated that their participa- The meeting was then adjourned there is but one acclamation. That Progressives 13. It was expected that tion in the benfits of the system of for half an hour when Mr. Porter, occurred by technicality rather than the Progressives would have more improved highways is reduced to the member-elect for West Hastings, anconsent. In East Hastings E. Gus candidates in this part of Canada. In vanishing point, while the cost of fer- nounced he would speak. Porter, Conservative candidate, is de- British Columbia the government has rying imposes on the residents a spe- Mr. McIntosh inquired of the reclared by the returning officer to a candidate in each of the 13 rid- cial burden peculiar to their situa- turning officer wherein his papers have been elected by acclamation on ings, the laberals 11, and the Pro- tions. The abstention of the north, had been wrongly made out. He pers of the Progressive candidate, A. Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta operation with the other townships the affidavit were incorrect. D. McIntosh, were not properly made there are 123 candidates. Of the 43 of the county is confirmatory proof The announcement of Mr. Porter's out. This decision is likely to be chal- the government is tackling 39, Lib- that they get no benefit, and expect- election by acclamation came as a

Plethora of Candidates.

All three party leaders have to battle against two opponents. The Liberals of Manitoba at the last moment entered Liberal candidates represented, the electoral battle has "On the other hand, in view of the papers being offered, to declare E. against both Mr. Meighen and Mr. assumed features entirely new to policy of the Department of High- Guss Porter, K.C., elected by acclam-Crerar. In North York Mr. King is Canadian political campaigns. In ways, as declared in the revelant leg- ation. opposed by both Conservative and many cases there is no Conserative islation, and by administrative acts. Progressive. Few men who were in the field, and yet there is a hot and in view of the interrelation of CONFERENCE RESUMES chosen by conventions withdrew at campaign. In others there is no Lib- the provincial highways with the imthe last moment. The total number eral, and yet a stiff fight. In Ontario, proved highways of various classes of candidates far exceeds that in any in Russell, Prescot and North Water- constructed within the county

dates are in the field for 235 seats. by Progressive or Labor men. This may vary one or two in the final Never before, either, have so many entire cost of these provincial highreturns. Of these the government members of a dissolved parliament have 211 candidates, Liberals 202, failed to be candidates for its suc- the townships of Kingston and Pitts-Progressives 144 and Labor and In- cessor. In Ontario there are 23 memdependent about 74. For the first bers elected in 1917 who are not time in history women candidates candidates in this election. In Quemake their appearance in a domin- beconly two or three of the last don election, and five have been nom- members have not been renominated. inated, representing different politi- In the maritimes some members fade cal opinion. Three of them are in from the political horizon because of Ontario-running as Liberal, Labor appointment to permanent positions and Progressive and one is in Mon- in the west several Progressive memtreal and one in Winnipeg. Miss bers failed to carry their conventions MacPhail (Southeast Grey) is the for this election, and numerous govonly woman candidate in a rural con- ernment supporters, apparently fearstituency. No woman is running as a ling the consequences, have been con-Conservative candidate in any part | tent to be known hereafter as ex-M.P. without showing signs of fight. of the dominion.

Not Benefited.

isfied the board that the townships other than those which through the council of the county have taken advantage of the provisions of The Highway Improvement Act to adopt a plan for the improvement of the not benefited by the provincial hightions have there been so few acclam- sea there is a contest in every riding Frontenac is negligible, convenience for West Hastings. as there is on the prairies and on determining such travel towards The opera house in Trenton was Tweed and Napanee on the west and well filled with ratepayers who cheererals 31, and the Progerssives 37. ed none from the plan for improved complete surprise to all. There are 16 Independent and Labor highways, and in this the other town- Returning officer Wiggins said ships seem to have acquiesced and that under the circumstances he had worked out their application of the no other recourse than to refuse to Highway Improvement Act on that accept the nomination paper of Mr. With three, and often more parties assumption.

loo there are no Conservative candi- through the co-operation of the De- British Government Suggests In the nine provinces 631 candi- dates. Liberals in each are opposed partment of Highways and the county, the board does not think that the ways should be apportioned against action seems to recognize the exist- tonomy ence of a community of interest beterprise for their common benefit.

the action of the legislature in making grants from time to time of the northerly group of townships under the Colonization Road Act, is a reason for apportioning against them or any of them, any part of the expenditure in question on this appeal. A perusal of the latter act shows that although the principle of cooperation between the province and development of the motor driven car lined up as Conservative and Liberal and its application to various forms candidates. Mrs. Henderson is run-

Portsmouth Held Liable.

"The evidence submitted has sat- And E. Gus Porter Elected By Acclamation in West Hastings.

Belleville, Nov. 23 .- E. G. Porter. highways throughout the county, are K.C., of this city, is elected by acclamation in the West Hastings ridways in question here. The evidence ing and the nomination papers of A. warrants the conclusion that while D. McIntosh, Stirling, who was the the shipment of the products from Farmer-Labor candidate, were dethe northern townships is by rail clared improperly made out at the chiefly east and west from local ship- nominations which took place at pealed to any great extent to popular The Conservatives had put 51 in the ping centres, the vehicular travel Trenton yesterday. This declaration imagination, it has at least stirred field, the Progressives 17, and Labor from those townships over the im- was made by Hugh Wiggins, Mar-

gressives seven. For the 43 seats in ern and island townships from co- was informed that the signatures of

ON IRISH QUESTION

That Ulster Be Let Alone Temporarily.

London, Nov. 23-The first formal burg in which alone this work has conference between the government been done. The six townships, Bed- representatives and the Sinn Fein ford, Portland, Loughborough, Stor- ince meetings between the Ulster rington, Kingston and Pittsburg, tabinet and the British cabinet was with the approval and financial co- held to-day at Downing street. The operation of the province, have government presented various alterthrough the medium of the county native proposals for meeting Ulster's council joined together under enabl- objections to an all-Ireland parliaing legislation to adopt a plan of im- ment as well as the suggestion that proved highways within the territory Ulster be let alone temporarily while comprising those townships. This the rest of Ireland receives fiscal au-

The Sinn Fein strongly objects to tween these townships which has any proposals which would leave moved them to launch this joint en- Ulster out of the all-Ireland system. Thus, to-morrow, it appears, that Lloyd George will have to inform Premier Craig of Ulster that the Sinn Fein will not concede this

Three Contesting in Ontario Constituencies-Two Labor and One Liberal.

Toronto, Nov. 23 .- Canada has five women candidates for parliamen

ning on the Labor ticket. "It is clear that the system of In Manitoba Mrs. John Dick has decrees nisi-the highest number in

Whitby man died from injury sus- | May last.

keep here the great grain business."

"D. M. McINTYRE.

WASHINGTON IS GAY WITH UNION JACKS Any Anti-British Demonstra-CROWD RUSHES PLATFORM tion Would Evoke Repressive Measures.

dians who are residents of U.S. cities Hon. Dr. J. W. Edwards And R. J. Bushell Have An En-Conference on the Limitation of Arcounter---Mr. Bushell's Face Scratched---Nomination Meeting Very Noisy. With the flags of the other powers

represented at the big international meeting, it hangs from all of the public buildings and is a prominent fea-York Canadian Club the other day. He had run down to Washington to

get a close-up view of the conference. The free display of the British flag and the sentiment of friendliness tothrown into disorder, and there was ward the British Empire which was a near panic. Mr. Bushell occupied Dr. Edwards said he was ready to a seat on the platform. Some words defend his actions in and out of the passed between Mr. Bushell and Dr. house of commons during the thirture of the gathering which impress-Edwards and as the two came close | teen years he had served as member together, the people in the hall for Frontenac. He was also ready he added, "I have not seen the flag crowded around and pandemonium to defend the government of which for several years, except at the Canreigned for ten minutes or more, he was a member. He declared that Seats were knocked over and friends there had been a great deal of misof both Dr. Edwards and Mr. Bushell representation in this campaign, and crowded to the platform. Several that it was time to get down to facts, women occupied seats on the plat- There had been misrepresentations form and they had a close call from about the public debt of Canada, and being trampled on. In the melee, it the speaker went into figures. The is claimed that Dr. Edwards' fist government had been charged with came in contact with the side of Mr. extravagance, and bad handling of She Is Twenty-four and Vis-Bushell's nose which was scracked, money of public funds. He said that

Rode the Doctor Hard.

London, Nov. 23 .- The betrothal chairman, but he was unable to keep war. order. There were three speakers, Dr. Edwards, W. S. Reed and J. R. McMillan, Huron county, who spoke for the U.F.O. candidate. It was penditure of the country had been agreed that Dr. Edwards should have carefully handled, and said that the an hour, and the U.F.O. speakers the public accounts committee composed same amount of time. Dr. Edwards of men on both sides of the house got through his address without any had no adverse reports to make, not serious trouble. but the audience even a minority report against the 'rode" him very hard throughout and expenditure and surely would not several times he had to stop his this corroborate his statement that speech and wait until order had been the money had been well handled.

three hundred people, had over five quired more money to run a business hundred people jammed into it, while today than it did a few years ago, a crowd of about two hundred people and it was the same way with the were left on the outside. Dr. Edwards government. The expenses of the was interrupted with questions every government increased just the same few minutes, and did his best to ans- as the expenses of the individual. at that he got a better hearing than terrupted by Mr. Bushell, who asked Mr. Reid, the candidate, only spoke stated that an agreement had been

ito Mr. McMillan.

How the Row Started. The big row occurred when Dr. Edwards arose to reply to statements made by Mr. McMillan, he having been granted fifteen minutes, according to arrangements made before the ed in this royal betrothal, for many neeting started. Dr. Edwards started to speak, but he was greeted with government at Toronto. He said one only daughter of the reigning soveryear period, 1907-1911, Viscount C. to the then Governor-General Earl Grey and as such came into intimate contact with people all over the doniinion. He is the eldest son and helr of the Earl of Harewood, a creation dating from 1796, and was born in 1882, being thus fifteen years older than the Princess Mary, who was classed asf a man with red blood in be the champions of the farmers. his veins had he not defended him- Dr. Edwards also attacked Mr. general disappointment if she had

A Political Hotbed.

If the feeling of this meeting can be taken as a criterion, then Fronte-Granted in One Day nac county must be a regular political hotbed at the present time. Residents of the county state that not in forty years has there been such a bitter contest as is being waged throughout this riding at the present time. All through the meeting, the chairman did his best to keep order. but feeling ran so high that a large section of the audience could not be prevailed upon to be quiet, and allow the speakers to have the floor. one stage, one man rose in the audience and appealed to all present to give the speakers a fair deal. "We have come here to listen to what the speakers have to say," he said, "and I would appeal to you to let them go on." Quiet would be restored for a time, and then would come the interruptions again.

All roads led to Harrowsmith for federation. the meeting. Even the snow storm "What part of Canada?" said a that set in during the morning did voice in the audience. not dampen the spirits of the county | Continuing Dr. Edwards stated folk. They made the trip by horse that last year the government at Otand buggy, auto, and by train. The tawa expended over five million dolnomination papers were filed shortly

The liveliest kind of a time featur- | after 12 o'clock, and the speechmak. d the Frontenac. nomination ing was under way by 12.30. The meeting held at Harrowsmith on hall was filled to overflowing in a Tuesday afternoon, when Hon. Dr. J. very short time. James Srott, Cat-W. Edwards, minister of immigration | araqui, returning officer for the and colonization, was nominated as | county, presided, and announced at the government candidate, and Wil- the opening that Dr. Edwards would liam S. Reed, farmer of Harrow- speak first, and would be given an smith, was nominated as the U.F.O. hour. W. S. Reed, the U.F.O. candidate, and his speaker, J. R. McMillan, Robert J. Bushell, and Dr. Ed- Huron county, would follow, and wards had a clash, the meeting was they would be given an hour between

Feeling ran very high all through the not one dollar had been added to the public debt of Canada from 1911 up to the present time, other than to meet the country's obligations, and James Sprott, Cataraqui, was the the extra expenditure incurred by the

Carefully Handled.

Dr. Edwards declared that the ex-Big sums of money had been voted. The small hall, which seats but No person would deny that it re-

wer everything shot at him, but even Dr. Edwards, at this stage was indid Mr. McMillan, for the farmers. a question, whereupon Dr. Edwards a few minutes leaving the big task made that he was to speak an hour, and that he should not be interrupted. He did not wish anyone to be blowing their horn, while he was trying to blow his. He would be quite willing to answer questions at the close of his address.

> Attacked U.F.O. Government. Dr. Edwards attacked the U.F.O.

cries of "sit down." It was while of the planks in the U.F.O. platform this uproar was on, that Dr. Edwards was that party patronage should be and Mr. Bushell clashed. The two abolished, but this had not been sulwere jostled together in the crowd filled. The speaker criticized Hon. that jammed on to the platform, and Mr. Biggs, for giving a contract for it is claimed that fists were used, but motor trucks to a friend, the provina Whig reporter who was on the op- cial treasurer, for sending personal posite side of the platform, could friends to the old country to promote not say if this is true or not. The sale of bonds and for spending \$100,reporter had all he could do to save | 000 in picture films. The speaker his note book, overcoat and cap, and also criticized the U.F.O. government protect himself from the crowd that for expenditures in fitting up buildswarmed onto the platform. The ings at Toronto as apartments for rushes held by Queen's students in members of the government. Fault the olden days had nothing on the had been found with the Hearst govrush that was made for this platform. ernment for mapping out four hun-It was ten minutes before any kind dred miles of good roads, yet this of order was restored, and then Dr. new government had greatly incress-Edwards made a statement saying ed its road programme, with enormthat he was sorry for what had oc- ous expenditure. This all came from curred, but that he could not be a government that was supposed

self from the attack. Mr. Busheil Crerar and the United Grain Growers did not make any statement to the stating that the sworn statement of Rice Jones, general manager of the company, before a commission showed a profit of 21.06 per cent, on sales in machinery. This was a company the speaker claimed, had not been a farmer for twenty years. And yet be looking after the interests of the

Dr. Edwards elso linked Mr. Crerar up with a New York export company, which had made, according to sworn evidence, profits to the extent of \$530,000 in one year, on a capital investment of \$100,000, was it any wonder that at the last session members had asked for an investigation into this? Why had Mr. Crerar feared an investigation if his skirts were clean? If all had been well, Mr. Crerar could not have had any better campaign literature.

Good Work at Oltawa.

"And what has the government at The whole affair was a most re- Ottawa done for the farmers?" ask-For Kingston of those present expressed their feer lenge that from 1911 to 1917, the grettable one. In fact a great many ed Dr. Edwards, "I make the chaling in this way to a Whig represen- government at Ottawa did more in the interests of the farmers of the dominion of Canada, then all the governments at Ottawa since con-

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ONLY THE FRONT TOWNSHIPS CHARGED WITH HIGHWAY

The Ontario Railway And Municipal Board Decides to Relieve the Back Townships From the Provincial Highway Assessment of 1919.

Storrington, Kingston, Pittsburg, and the township of Pittsburg, formerly

alsi the village of Portsmouth. against the county as a whole.

is as follows: portionment of the cost of certain ex- county of Frontenac by the engineer penditures made in the townships of in the exercise of his powers under Kingston and Pittsburg by the De- the act. partment of Highways under that act. The expenditure was made in respect to work done in these townships between the 31st of January, 1919, and 31st of January, 1920. These appeals were by consent heard togeth-

HUSBAND AND WIFE



night and hunt mice,-C.A.I. What Does Your Wife Do?

At the Wednesday morning sitting er, and this opinion is applicable to the local municipality to be subsiof the Frontenac county council the each. The amount apportioned is dized is feebly invoked; the main award of the Ontario Railway and \$14, 485.36 of which \$11,929.94 purpose of the act was and is to en-Municipal Board which recently sat was expended in the township of courage the building of pioneer at Kingston for the purpose of hear- Pittsburg and \$2,555.42 in the town- roads in unsurveyed or unorganized and one in Manitoba. Here in Toroning the appeal against the award of ship of Kingston under the Provincial portions of Ontario' of through un- to Mrs. Mector Prenter has entered the chief engineer of the Department Highway Act. On the 15th of Aug- occupied or sparsely occupied dis- the lists in Toronto West as a Labor of Public Highways, in apportioning ust, 1918, a highway in the township tricts or through districts unfit for candidate against H. C. Hocken the cost of \$14,485.36 against the of Kingston extended from the west cultivation or settlement.' Such a (government), and Colonel A. T. County of Frontenac, was read. The limit of the township to the city of policy adopted of necessity by the Hunter (Soldier.) board decided that the cost of the Kingston and theretofore a county legislature, and acted upon from highway, which was constructed in suburban road, was designated and 1919, must be paid by the townships assumed as a provincial highway; on the highway policy discussed upon In Grey county, Miss Agnes Mc a suburban wad extending from the penditure of over \$87,000.00 in 1920, it of the township, was designated The township of Kingston section is It is quite likely that the county approximately eight miles in length, ing largely out of the phenomenal Ballantyne and Herbert Marler are council will decide to appeal the de- and the township of Pittsburg section penditure being thirty per cent, of the

Everywhere A Fight.

This award does not cover the ex- village of Barriefield to the east limwhich the chief engineer apportioned and assumed as a provincial highway. cision of the boards. The judgment is twelve miles long. The above ex-"These are the appeals by the total amount expended by the decounty of Frontenac under the Pro- partment during the above period. vicial Highway act against the ap- have been apportioned wholly to the

ions, some of which lay down other municipalities. bases that the foregoing for apportionment among the municipalities in

Is Not a Reason. "The board does not think that point. money to the municipalities forming the northerly group of townships up

early days, has little in common with | Fast Toronto as a Liberal. these appeals. The latter is a mod- Phail, a Crerar candidate, has set ern growth in the province and was the heather afire.

first evolved and sought to be applied In Quebec the sole woman candiso recently as twenty years ago un- date is Mrs. Rose Henderson, wellder legislation passed in the year known as a social worker who has 1901, and was no doubt a response entered the fight in St. Antoine divto the demand for better roads, aris- ision (Montreal), where Hon. C. C.

provincial highways is a further de- announced herself as an Independvelopment grafted on the several ent candidate in Centre Winnipeg. county roads systems of Ontario and The chief planks in her platform are cord was made in the divorce court designed to be of general advantage better legislation for women and here yesterday, when Lord Justice to the province, and is so regarded children, lower tariff and betterment | Sir Henry Duke made absolute 297 The Provincial Highway act is ap- by the legislature and Department of of the returned soldiers condition. olied on this application as it stood Highways. This being so, in view of Mrs. Dick was a candidate in the last any single day in the courts in this before the amendments introduced the foregoing, upon the material be- provincial election and was eleventh country. This record grist of case by Geo. V. C. 27 Section II of the act fore it, the board has reached the in a field of forty-two, of whom ten is the sequel to the big rush to clear lays down in general terms a basis conclusion that the expenditures in were elected to the legislature. of apportionment declared by the question should, subject to what is corporation of the municipality in said as to the village of Portsmouth,

which work of construction or repair be apportioned between the six town- tained while helping at a fire. and maintenance is carried out shall ships which have taken advantage of repay to the province thirty per the Highway Improvement Act to es of county roads, nor as an urban cent. of the expenditure made by the tablish a system of county highways, municipality it is rated for the latdepartment within each municipal- namely Bedford Portland, Lough- ter in respect of the thirty per cent. ity: municipality for the purpose borough, Storrington, Kingston and of the cost imposed upon the counof this appeal meaning local muni- Pittsburg, and that the apportion- ty, relatively to the provincial highcipality . This general proposition ment should be on the basis of the ways here in question, it is located so is followed by a number of provis- last equalized assessment of these as to be able to take advantage of

"The village of Portsmouth is pe- made a contributory also on the which leave the matter to be de- cultarly situated and seems to call basis of its equalized assessment. termined by the engineer as he shall for special treatment. It is an urban "An order in each case will issue deem just and expedient, and some municipality adjacent to the western in accordance with the fore-going. again under specified circumstances. limit of the city of Kingston. It has There will be no costs to either parauthorize the bringing in as contrib- access either directly or by way of ty, but the county will pay ten dolutories local municipalities other the city streets to the improved lars in law stamps upon each order. My wife makes me get up in the than those in which the work is done, highways in the county, whether while still another provision empow- county, suburban or provincial. It ers' the engineer to apportion the ex- makes not contribution to the system

SEEKING SEATS war, on occasion to their presenta-

Lascelles served in Canada as A. D.

them quite as fully as some of the townships above charged, and it seems to the board that it should be

"Chairman"

"(Signed)-