PUGSLEY'S CONVINCING SPEECH ON RECIPROCITY; OPPOSITION ARGUMENTS SHATTERED BY FACTS

when the question of the trade agreement was under discussion an important and convincing speech was made by Hon. William Pugsley, minister of public works. He is reported in Hansard as follows:

Mr. Pugsley—I have not spoken at all during the discussion of this question, therefore I may be permitted to make a few remarks in answer to some of the observations of my hon, friend who has just taken his seat (Mr. Goodeve), and also to refer to the quotations which my hon, friend from Westmorland (Mr. Emmerson) has made as to the attitude of the leaders of the Conservative party in the past. I understand my hon, friend from Kootenay (Mr. Goodeve) to admit that it was true that the Conservative party was at one time in favor of reciprocity, but that was before the promulgation of the National Policy of 1879. Did I understand my hon friend correctly?

Mr. Goodeve—Yes.

Mr. Pugsley—Then my bon, friend must

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be good enough to point out where anyone finance is about to enter into negotiations concerned. If hon, gentlemen opposite on this side of the house has ever objected at. Washington. The hon, member for would allow this question to come to a to the United States reducing the duty on Vork receives this communication from one times the course though I do not be the course of the course of though I do not be the course of t

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Ottawa, July 30—Wir of its legal tenure of the eleventh parliamer been dissolved—talked the born minority.

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the majority in parlia Fielding Makes The Announcement.

trade with the United

It was a smiling an minister who met the ents at the door of the 1.30 o'clock yesterday conclusion of the cabin "Gentlemen," he said some news for you." It was a characterist rimarily responsible the reciprocity agreeme indication of the issue

will be fought. Then smiling and confident, Then regnant announcemen liament has been disso will take place on Sept The news spread like hurrying to telegraph of by the anxiously wait had but an hour or so the rumor that the en-news was passed from the commons corridors. newspaper offices and bers themselves to the

The long tension was Liberal ranks the wor court of the electorate great and sincere enthu in the corridors. were a little but all were evidently not a doubt was expr people's verdict would A greater majority t of parliament.

Opposition Not So Enthusiastic-

In the opposition ved with consider Despite the apparent structionists to force ciprocity issue it has for some days past number of Mr. Borde that a tactical mistake that on this issue the hopeless defeat. However, it was

party, after making v left no retreat open. issue they attempted as good grace as poss clared confidence in privately they admit can hope for is to cu ment majority sufficie other election next y tinuing the blockade An immediate atte blame the government solution so soon and by protesting that fi Wilfrid's attitude ference and to allow tion of the charges

Oliver. Members on both s "packing up" and wit the exodus began in eleventh parliament ably to not a few of bers came the though eight-months' session blessing, "the place me no more."

The election is bro

nortest time possible for northern Ontario work of the rev quietly expedited du weeks and it is expect be completed by Sept week for the printing

divisions.

It has not yet bee whether or not there elections. If condition elections will be held although probably the possible in Comox-Att week is required and polling day to be printed and forward bolls.

New Parliament to Meet October 25.

The government p arliament together October after the This will probably b