Digging into Linked Parliamentary Data: an overview

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UK Hansard: 1801-2014 (House of Commons)
Netherlands parliamentary record: 1813-2014
Canadian Hansard: 1867-2014
The project team

Canada
- Computational linguist
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- Political scientist
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Netherlands
- Computer scientist
- Computer scientist

UK
- Historian
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- Developer
- Project manager
The Prime Minister No, Sir. I remain of the opinion that no alteration in the existing machinery of consultation between the United Nations is called for at present.

Mr. Granville Does not the Prime Minister envisage that such a body will have to be set up at some time or other to deal with problems of reconstruction and so on, and does the right hon. Gentleman not think that it would be better to set it up sooner rather than later so as to eliminate some of the differences?

Mr. Churchill I do not think it is possible to make any change now.
We added

Unique person identifiers
Gender
Party affiliation
Constituency
Member of the governing party or not
Time stamps
1. BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE

Director of Public Prosecutions on the subject of homosexuality? Would the right hon. and learned Gentleman, in particular, realise the need for the House to have such a statement, since as recently as 1962, when I attempted to put this matter in legislative form, it was rejected by the Home Office? The House would like to know what are the

2. DEFENCE (DONALDSON REPORT)

would have liked the services of the ombudsman when looking at a recent difficult case, possibly a case of homosexuality, involving a West
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The role of women in parliamentary debates
Kaspar and Luke found

- women’s contributions to parliamentary debates in the UK are substantively different to men’s in ways that go beyond a greater attentiveness to gender itself
- this effect has been weakening as the number of women in Parliament increased
- since the election of Margaret Thatcher in 1979, the Labour party has NOT more consistently focused on representing women in Parliament than the Conservatives
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