

MAYOR ABRUPTLY LEAVES MEETING OF COMMISSION AFTER CLASH WITH BECK

**Trouble Started Over a Resolution Recently Passed About
the New Bridge At Port Stanley—Sir Adam Makes
Direct Charges Against Port Stanley Citizen.**

Believing that charges of "ulterior motives" made by Sir Adam Beek were directed at him, Mayor Little abruptly terminated the inquiry and referred the way commission this morning. This action was taken in the face of the fact which he and Sir Adam almost clashed several times.

The case arose over resolutions passed by representatives of Port Stanley, St. Thomas and London, who recently endorsing the plans of

by work. All present, and this, with the exception of Philip Pocko, vice chairman of the railway commission, were in agreement that the letter from the department relative to the construction of the railway station at Port Stanley was a "jack-knife" and should be commenced soon and inclosing a copy of the letter to the railway commission. It has been intimated that they have been indorsed by the London Railway Commission.

Sir Adam characterized this as

The department of public works for a "black-back bridge" over the tracks. The "black-back" bridge is opposed by the railway commission because it would permanently prevent the building of any more railway tracks there. The "black-back" bridge is a trestle crossing. They favored elevating the trestle bridge and building a trestle approach, so that the L. and P. S. R. tracks could

Sir Adam's Allegation. Sir Adam declared that neither type of bridge was in the present time, and that the people promoting it were "not to be trusted." He said that the value of the land which they owned above the bridge.

He said that Sir Adam meant that the men who framed the bill were "not to be trusted" for "ulterior motives" in doing so, and as he made the motion he regarded it as a "very important question."

He said that he had considered the matter, which has never been discussed before, and that he was of the opinion that it was not a thing, he replied, "if Mr. Peacock were unwilling to sign he should have said so, and if he had not done so he would not have been sent. The resolution says that the bill is to be passed, and it is merely favored the appropriation being spent on the upper harbor development."

denial. He emphatically denied imparting any such thing to the mayor, and stated that his charges were made in the presence of the mayor and of Mr. Stanley, who, he claims, had bought the land above the city, and that the benefit by improvements in the inner harbor, which would be derived from the proposed bridge, that vessels of heavy draft could pass under it.

At a meeting at which the resolution

was passed was called by Mayor Little on July 13, when Col. H. R. Lamb, chief engineer of the department of public works, was in the city. Representatives of the Chamber of Commerce, St. Thomas Board of Trade, London Railway Commission, and London, St. Thomas, Virgin and Port Stanley governments were present.

After the situation had been explained by Col. Lamb, Mayor Little framed a resolution, the general purport of which was, he says, that the \$50,000 appropriation for Port Stanley be expended on the inner harbor, as it was

not nearly sufficient for the outer har- Continued on Page Three.

**DESIRE TO DRESS
BABIES PRETTILY**

**SEPARATIST LEADER
RELEASED BY ORDER**

LANDS HER IN JAIL

Chicago, July 26.—"How can a woman provide for herself and two children on \$15 a week?" was the question asked by Mrs. M. J. ...

dred Buttersworth, who was arrested for passing worthless checks. She was identified by representatives of several stores where she is said to have passed the checks.

318. So that I could buy pretty things for myself and babies," said Mrs. Hattersworth, according to the police. She speaks with a soft, southern drawl. Her husband is a traveling salesman, and they came to Chicago from Nashville, Tenn.

Paris, July 26.—The Allied high commissioners in the Rhineland last evening informed the German Imperial commissioner there that unless Dr. A. L. Dorten, the separatist leader, was surrendered and brought back to the Rhineland, the commission would take the most energetic measures, according to the terms of the armistice.

Dr. Dorton came into prominence in June, 1919, when he attempted to organize a Rhenish republic in the Rhineland, where dispatches have reported he was arrested by the Germans.

Uses Red Hot

**Iron On Man
Wife Accused**

**Then Western Dairyman
Horsewhips His Employee.**

Vancouver, Wash., July 26.—Branding

**Few Chimneys Knocked Down
by Disturbance.**

Los Angeles, July 26.—A sharp earth

MURDER IS SUSPECTED.
New Glasgow, N. S., July 25.—The lifeless body of Daniel McInnis, a laborer, was found this morning, knocked down, dishes broken and windows rattled.

According to the information gained by the investigators, Steigewald returned to his home and found his wife in tears.

Steigerwald says he got his shotgun and hunted Groth. He changed his mind. He said, about killing Groth, and determined to brand and horsewalk him and send him out of the state.

Attorney Yates, investigating the affair, stated that Steigerwald told him

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 68; lowest, 46.

The official temperatures for the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were

he paid Groth's fare out of the state and that realizing Groth's wife and 14-day-old baby would be entirely destitute, took them under his protection and provided for them until he found their relatives in Portland, Ore.

CHURCH DEALS ONLY

The following were the highest & lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	66	52	Clear
Calgary	75	45	Clear
Winnipeg	80	54	Fair
Port Arthur	81	44	Clear

resolution protesting against the annulment by the Roman Catholic authorities here and the courts, of the marriage of Eugénie Duggan, a Catholic, and George Brennan, a Protestant, by a Church of England clergyman.	Port Stanley	68	46	Clea
Archbishop Bruchesi, through Father A. Currotte, his grace's adviser on such	Buffalo	64	52	Clea
	Toronto	68	49	Clea
	Kingston	61	48	Clea
	Ottawa	87	46	Clea
	Montreal	64	50	Clea
	Quebec	64	48	Cleu
	Father Point	34	48	Clea

Weather Notes.
A pronounced area of high pressure centred just west of the Great Lakes and the weather is fair in nearly parts of the Dominion.
It is quite cool from the Great Lakes eastward.