CITY YARD KEN ON **RIDGE PROPERTY** 

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ning's meeting of the nd bridges' committee cil Ald. Stewart, chair. committee which d to confer with the of Spring Ridge, re-It of the meeting or ng, when the plans for ad been approved and sed asking that the ed with. Ald. Stewart council members on tee were in hearty acwhile he was in accord , said he had some the city had the right improvement regulaown private property can be graded down private property .could was in cases where an agreement to the such work. pointed out that . the already passed upon his worship had raised.

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Changed Burden,

They said it was uncertain. I said:

"Very well." It was not the form

cared so much for as the substance.

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nodate them. I did not want an uncer

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I said the present uncertain tax

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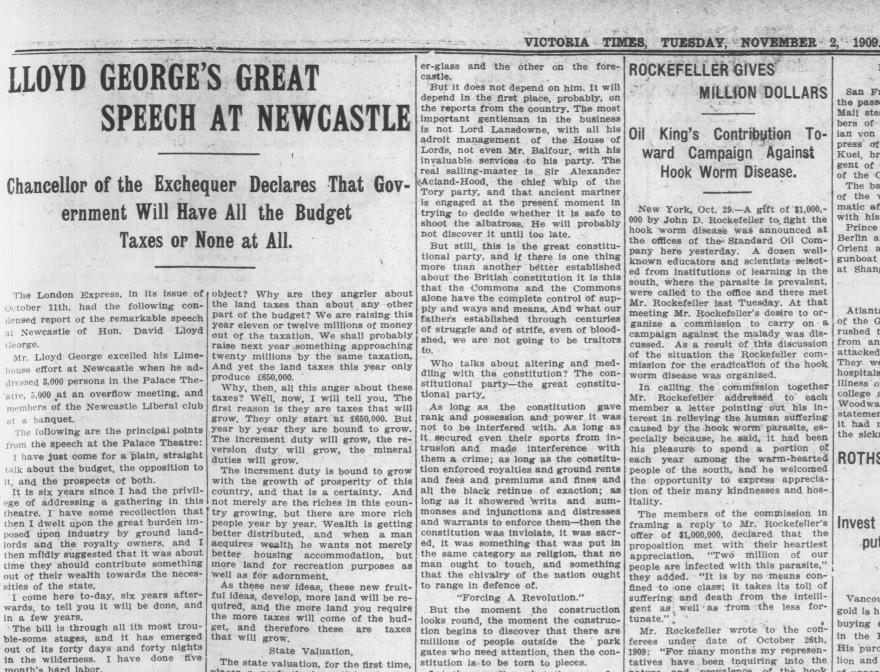
to a tax on mining royalties, which

tax was a certain one they preferred

he city can undertake local improvement ade the announcement on that he had taken ive acres of property, Spring Ridge which is from John Haggerty, the sum of \$10.000. He would be an admirorporation yard. was then passed rencil to introduce the so that the work can soon as possible of property owners on were present to inexpropriation of a lot present end of that d Linden avenue for ontinuing the former the latter. The city half the cost and ted that the work with and the A hitch has, how-It appears that the ow claims a piece is shown on the ofa roadway and have across the same. B sent to have the fence te asks compensation f \$3,500. According to by the city solicitor ne Humphrey estate is l if adopted would rerty owners who ask ent being called upon large sum. This they ter debating the ques decided to have the th the city barrister

n to be passed by the ory to entering into an property · owners

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places a perfectly impartial valuation upon all the land of the kingdom. It Although we have made alteration and modifications, the bill in its main separates the value of the land intrin- the Lords may decree a revolution structure remains. All the taxes are sically from the value which is attri- which the people will direct. there-the land taxes are there, the subutable to the expenditure by its per-tax is there. The poor fellows who owner. are receiving only £5,000 a year and £10, It thus for the first time forces the 000 and £20,000 a year will have to con andlords to look at the value of land, humble voices, and answers will be detribute just a little towards the exnot merely from the point of view of a manded then with authority. The quespenses of the country. And then there receiver, but of payer. That is really the poor man to whom somebody has

why they object to valuation. When-ever a great industry in the future releft a fortune-he will have to contribquires land, it can always quote the the judgment-the deliberate judgment I have told you that all the taxes state valuation in answer to any exremain, but there has been one altertortionate and extravagant demands ed in the industry which makes the ation in the form of one tax; that is put forward on behalf of the landlords wealth of the country. with regard to mineral rights. They and, therefore, they object, and object That is one question. Another will be: complained when we taxed mineral to it very strongly. rights and said: "We do not object to pay the tax; all we do object to is the

> pany which had sunk a good deal of of the soil and the rest of us trespasmoney in mining operations, and they sers in the land of our birth? sent me their balance sheet. I find their

do you think they paid to landlords in royalties? f10,600. And when I come along and say, "Here, gentlemen, you have escaped long enough. It is your turn now. I I want you to pay just 5 per cent on the f10,000 odd." "Five per cent." they say to me. "You are a thief. You are worse. You are an attorney. Worst of all you are a Welshman." That always is the crowning epithet. Here, gentlemen, you have escaped the says he claims at the hands of the says he claims at the hands of the says do me. "You are a thef. You are the crowning epithet. Here, gentlemen, you have escaped I want you to pay just 5 per cent on the f10,000 odd." "Five per cent." they say to me. "You are a thef. You are the crowning epithet. Here, gentlemen, you have escaped I want you to pay just 5 per cent on the f10,000 odd." "Five per cent." they say to me. "You are a thef. You are than his poor neighbor receives in a

was certain, and produced £350,000. Now we are through the committee stage, we are through the last stage Well, I cont apologise, and I don't whole year of toil? . itor and report back where the substance of the bill can be mind telling you that if I could I would not. I am proud of the little land from? Whose fingers inscribed it? to a sum of one million dollars." odified. The committee stage is the not. I am proud of the little land among the hills. But there is one thing I should like to say. I should like stage for the axe and the chisel and the plane; the report stage for the sandpaper, just to alter the drafting. Whenever they hurl my nationality peril for the order of things the peers commission, says that the gift meets mother lode of the Klondike has upset legal expenses virtually has been the cording to the communication she re-But the substance remains, so that ny head I say to th telephone wires unsee the bill practically in the form i, "You Union with the heartlest approbation, and many geological theories. ists are hyprocrites; Pharisees, you are the people who in every peroration al-the people who in every peroration alwill be considered at city council on Monparliament. What is the chief charge against the budget by its opponents? That it is an attack on industry and an attack on property. I am going to demonstrate to you that it is neither. The four in the four in the south, and yet if any man dares to aspire to The four in the south, and yet if any man dares to aspire to The four in the south, and yet if any man dares to aspire to The four in the south, and yet if any man dares to aspire to the people have marched through the treading the dusty road along which the people have marched through the treading the dusty road along which the people have marched through the the people have local manager of the Railway and Lighting nted an account for cost at 70 cents per It is very remarkable that since this any position, if he does not belong to the particular nationality which they At the overflow meeting Mr. Lloyd to retard their physical and mental rds of rock which Mr. George said: Everything we have been fighting for ceptible to other diseases, makes labor was purchased from attack on industry was first promulg-George said: ated in the House of Commons trade has improved. It has not quite recov-The rock was blasted for years as a principle of taxation is loss efficient, and in the sections where et when the company They have got to stand the Welshered; it will take some time for the odied in this budget-the placing ng that thoroughfare. of the burden upon the shoulders of those who could bear it—instead of placing it on the shoulders of those who are bending under the burden th man this time nied that there had operation, but it is better. But there has been a great slump in "All Landlords." ment to purchase as dukes. They used to stand rather high r. Goward and the I have just given you some facts from are bending under the burdens of life. And I will say this for the rich man. I in the market, especially in the Tory the Welsh valleys, but then you will informed that neither market, but the Tory Press has dis- probably say to me. These are Welsh nor City Engineer overed that they are of no value. A landlords. Our landlords are not like . Goward says were know many rich men in the House of Commons sitting on the Liberal side ment is in fact largely due in some fully equipped duke costs as much to that." I thought from your patience contract was made. keep up as two Dreadnoughts-and that they must have been angels, but edge of any agreemen of the house who have ungrudgingly they are just as great a terror-and I see that you have got just the same supported these proposals, although rock from the comthey last longer. they are pretty hard hit by them. sort. Well, you know you may say to As long as they were content to be us, "Why do you stand them?" f the B. C. Electric I remember perfectly well, before I Beintroduced my budget, going to an old friend of mine in the House of Commere idols on their pedestals, preserv- cause you force us to stand them. We ny to be permitted to ing that stately silence which became would have got rid of them long ago. om at the end of the car line either on the their rank and their intelligence, all When the Celt has a nall in his boot mons. He is, I suppose, one of the went well, and the average British he takes it out, but you have been treet will not be comcitizen rather looked up to them and marching on until there is a sore. Have He was very genial with me, as usual. wealthiest men in the kingdom a man company will be innust make the necescomes to the worst for this old country their characteristics are cosmopolitan. nts for the site itself. I said to him: "You had better make and practicable. we have always got the dukes to fall Let me call attention to a provision nspector was instruct the most of me for the next two or back on." But then came the budget. They stepthree days. After the budget you and te the complaint that m the Empress hotel I will not be on speaking terms." He but then came the budget. They step-ped off"their perch. They have been landlords' ideal of rural life in this scelding like ampibus drivers purely country. There is a clause in the loss? "My boy"-because I have known him for the last twenty years-he said, sing a nuisance in the scolding like omnibus drivers, purely country. There is a clause in the lease because the budget cart has knocked of a model village that no persons Topp, in regard to the 'You put the burden on the shoulders a little of the gilt off their old stage shall reside in any of the cottages if he ills dumping sawdust that can bear it, and if you do not T hich had been brought coach. Well, we cannot put them back has ever been convicted of an offence will not be on speaking terms with of the council 'by against the game laws. No person shall I lay down as a proposition that lodge there if he has been convicted of I followed his advice, and he has conported that it was a most of the people who work hard for a game offence; no person shall reside harbor master instead sistently supported me. a living in the country belong to the Liberal party. I would say—and I think any objection to him. And this is a free was decided to call the Let us say this for the working classharbor master to the es. They have had to contribute their without offence-that most of the peo- country! controversy. share. who never worked for a living at Here is a poor miner who is guilty I hoped, I had confidence, that when George Sangster, reeve Il belong to the Tory party. Whenever you go across the country the landlord spends his life in doing, lity of North Saanich all belong to the Tory party. the budget came to be explained, the Ingineer Bryson be al working classes would realize that the working classes would realize that the principles were so important that they test development in the mayoralty see men building up trades and and which I have done myself many a a report on the bes would be perfectly prepared to make contest is that three prominent citi- the winter session of the London if the company wishes to take advantng a water supply fo Iney, was granted. sinesses, some small, some great, by time without a licence-only in Wales. their sacrifice, and they have done it. heir industry, by their skill, by their What happens? Not merely is he to their sacrince, and they have done it. We may be inviting your opinion on these questions within the next few weeks. To the Uttermost Farthing energy, by their enterprise, not merely be fined, but he is to be deprived, as maintaining themselves and their fam- far as this gentleman is concerned, of lies, but putting something by for evil the opportunity for all time of earne \$50,000 Proves Success days; and hundreds of thousands of ing a decent living for himself and his To the Uttermost Farthing. them, not all of them-I don't say that family. All I can say is that a provisiful in Alberta City. -but hundreds of thousands of them ion of the sort in any lease is an outloyd George said: .-Calgary residents re belong to the Liberal party. rage. We shall refuse to recognize in the presented to him. all from the Young Association and at the Thin End of the Wedge. lightest degree the right of the House "All or None." But why should there be all this ang-Now, we are going to send the bill aign more than the re-subscribed. The success is due to the fact that er, all this fury against the budget? up, "all the taxes or none." What will do it. If it is done the budget will not his campaign at once. Well, now, I will tell you. There are the Lords do? I tell you frankly it is be the only question raised, two classes who really object to the a matter which concerns them far more we have a pretty long acc m their crops to pay two classes who really object to the a matter which concerns us. The more irrespon-budget. The first are those who are than it concerns us. The more irrespon-the Lords. We mean when the time ntry merchants evince eking to establish a complete change sible end feather-headed among them ill outstanding notes this year made large in the fiscal system of this country, to the want to throw it out. But what will age, and unless I am mistaken, they tax food, and they know that once this the rest do? It will depend on the will have to pay to the uttermost farcomes to send in a bill for all the damease in realty values. tional stores will be orthy. With this anadget is through there is an end to weather. their desired opportunity. The tax will be on the right shoulders, and they can-not shift it. There is a second and, I think, a most powerful class, who are the great landlords of this country. Why do they thing. nother from the man oly Cross hospital it on is about to be exaddition to be made

**OF SUFFRAGETTE** Mail steamer Siberia, were two mempers of royal families, Prince Christ-Oil King's Contribution Toian von Hessen, a nephew of the Empress of Germany, and Baron Liang LONDON WOMAN SAYS NEW LONDON VISITORS ward Campaign Against Kuei, brother-in-law of the prince regent of China, and a noted statesman Hook Worm Disease. TACTICS WILL BE TRIED of the Chinese empire. The baron is making a pleasure tour of the world. He stated that diplomatic affairs are in no way connected New York, Oct. 29.-A gift of \$1,000,with his visit to the United States. 000 by John D. Rockefeller to fight the

ROYALTY TOURING.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 29.-Among

the passengers to arrive on the Pacific

hook worm disease was announced at Berlin after a two years' stay in the the offices of the Standard Oil Com-Orient as an officer on the German pany here yesterday. A dozen wellgunboat Tiger. The vessel is stationed known educators and scientists selected from institutions of learning in the at Shanghai.

**MILLION DOLLARS** 

south, where the parasite is prevalent, were called to the office and there me Mr. Rockefeller last Tuesday. At that

meeting Mr. Rockefeller's desire to organize a commission to carry on campaign against the malady was discussed. As a result of this discussion of the situation the Rockefeller com

mission for the eradication of the hook. worm disease was organized. In calling the commission together Mr. Rockefeller addressed to each

the sickness was.

each year among the warm-hearted people of the south, and he welcomed

The members of the commission in framing a reply to Mr. Rockefeller's Invest Million and a Half-Outoffer of \$1,000,000, declared that the proposition met with their heartiest appreciation. "Two million of our people are infected with this parasite."

fined to one class; it takes its toll of suffering and death from the intelli-

stitution is to be torn to pieces. Let them realize what they are do-nature and prevalence of the hook of upper Dominion Creek, the whole of ing. They are forcing a revolution, But worm disease and considering plans the bench, hill and creek diggings on for mitigating its evils. I have delayed action in this matter only until

the facts as to the extent of the dis-If they begin, issues will be raised ease could be verified, and the effecthat they little dream-questions will tiveness of its cure and prevention be asked which are now whispered in tion will be asked whether 500 men, or-

dinary men, chosen accidentally from among the unemployed should override -of millions of people who are engag-

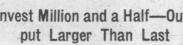
Who ordained that a few should have There was a case given to me for the land of Britain as a perquisite? South Wales the other day of a com- Who made ten thousand people owners

Who is it who is responsible for the

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 29 .- Four students attacked the school in epidemic form. blinded Officer Thornly in one eye and They were distributed among several he may lose the sight of both. nospitals. Information concerning the lness of the cadets is refused by the

member a letter pointing out his in-

ROTHSCHILDS BUY YUKON DIGGINGS



Year.

Vancouver, Oct. 29 .- A. N. C. Treadgold is here on his way to Europe after buying an enormous mining property

in the Klondike for the Rothschilds. His purchases so far aggregate a mil-Last Chance Creek, one of the richest producers in the early days, and three miles on Quartz Creek. It is propose to operate these holdings by means of aredges and electric lifts. A six-mile

demonstrated. ditch tapping the Klondike river is "The wide distribution and serious being built. It will develop 15,000 The water effect of this malady, particularly in horsepower. will the rural districts of our southern states, first pointed out by Dr. Chas. raised to the top of Dago hill. The Wardell Stiles, of the United States Public Health and Marine Hospital that of the Yukon Gold Company.

service, have now been confirmed by The cost of securing water and elec ndependent observations of other disrical power will, however, not exceed tinguished investigators and physihalf a million dollars, and mining opercians, as well as by educators and ations will be in full blast within two public men of the south. rears

"Knowing your interest in all that" bertains to the well-being of your fel-"The gold output of the Yukon this nast season was \$1,000.000 in excess of ow men and your acquaintance with last year's production, and it will go this subject, I have invited you to a on increasing in future, now that the profits are £3,000 per annum, and what do you think they paid to landlords in conference in the hope that it may lead transition period in relation to mining

than his poor neighbor receives in a time to time for such sums as may be ker and Dominion creeks, a 1,100-foot needed during the next five years for tunnel tapped at a depth of 550 feet



London, Oct. 29 .- It developed late vesterday afternoon that Mrs. Chapin destroyed all the ballots in one box in England of the great opportunities for of the Georgia military academy were rushed to the city yesterday suffering an election booth in Bermondsey. The investment in Canada. They are unfrom an illness which it is said had acid which she threw on the box limited."

Mrs. Chapin's act was the result of over the wonderful development and the Woman's Freedom League adopt- prosperity of Canada, Allan T. Neville college and the hospitals. President the Woman's Freedom League adopt- prosperity of Canada, Allan T. Neville ing a resolution declaring that as the and H. W. Birks, two members of the statement for publication at present, as women were not allowed to vote that London stock exchange, are returning to England from a trip through the convince and the steps should be taken to keep the men Dominion. from counting their votes. This is the league that picketed the House of Com- chances for investment of capital mons recently and attempted to raid here, and when we were in the west the premier's home.

Mrs. Edith Martyn, in praising Mrs. hapin's act, declared:

PRAISES ACT

"We have hardly begun. The entire nation will soon realize that we are desperately in earnest. We have formd various other plans which soon are o be tried."

Mrs. Pankhurst Interviewed. New Haven, Conn., Oct. 29.-Mrs. Julia Pankhurst, head of the suf-fragette movement in England, in dis-ness men of Canada are of the best ssing the Mrs. Chapin incident said: kind. The cities of the west seem to "I would not say that I am delight." have great futures before them, and ed with the method adopted by Mrs. Chapin, but I cannot say that her ac-supposed to be very high at the pres-Chapin, but I cannot say that her acion was not justified." When asked by the United Press re-presentative if she believed that any

voman was justified in burning elec ion officials with acid to gain her end, Mrs. Pankhurst said: "I cannot say as to that, but I am

the men would have done had they very rapidly.' "The case is most interesting and I MEXICAN WOMAN shall watch it's developments with the

itmost interest." Will Adopt English Methods.

Des Moines, Iowa, Oct. 29 .- The state affragettes convened here yesterday Arrest Believed to Have Been and decided to adopt the English militant methods. It is proposed by the suffragettes to storm the state officials and the next session of the legisla-

COMMISSION WILL INVESTIGATE DIVORCE LAWS

Appointed by the King to Make prisoner. Senorita Villareal is a sister Inquiry in Britain.

London, Oct. 29 .- The King has appointed a royal commission to inquire companions when they were publishing into the condition of the divorce laws, a Mexican Liberal paper in this city especially as they effect the poorer prior to their arrest. She has interceived. Senorita Villareal was arrested

e of only the well-to-do.

Winnipeg, Oct. 29 .- "We will lose no opportuinty of telling our friends in

Flow to the

West.

CANADA AS FIELD

FOR INVESTMENT

ARE ENTHUSIASTIC

With this firmly impressed in their minds and glowing with enthusiasm London stock exchange, are returning "We are both convinc more than ever of the unlimited you may be sure that we let no oportunity get past us."

Mr. Birks was in Canada eleven years ago, and says that the progress

and development is marvelous. "I cannot express it in words," said he, "but it seems like a great transformation scene from a theatre. Everything seems so different. Winnipeg is now a city of solid business ses, which indicate good methods, ness men of Canada are of the best

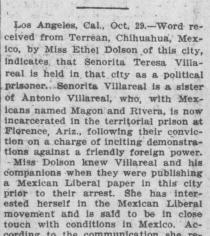
ent time, are not too high. The properties are not over valued.

"British capital," said Mr. Neville, hitherto has been spent mostly in Eastern Canada and has not found its way out west so much, but as soon as "I cannot say as to that, but I am the marvelous opportunities are sitive that she did not do more than known, you will find money flowing in

A POLITICAL PRISONER

Due to Action of Gov-

ernment.



**BOY DIGS GRAVE** FOR HIS MOTHER

Work.

condition is said to be serious.

DR. OSLER SPEAKS.

Had Not Money Enough to Pay Sexton to Do the

seriously affecting economic develop- nurse, 12-year-old Richard Swineford lies at the home of a neighbor. The boy collapsed from grief and districts to this parasite. "Widespread and serious as the inhaustion after his mother's body had

been lowered into the grave which he fection is: there is a most encouraging outlook. The disease can be easily recognized, readily and effectively he did not have money enough to pay treated, and by simple and proper the sexton of Crystal Park cemetery to sanitary precautions successfully pre-vented. The undertaking proposed by do the work.

Richard with his mother, who was you is therefore not only full of suffering from tuberculosis, came promise of great benefit, but is definite from Michigan last year. When Mrs. Swineford died there was not money

In December, 1902, Dr. Chas. Wardell enough left to provide a fitting casket Herring Canning & Packing Company, Yakima county, to avoid publicity in Stiles, then a zoologist in the bureau and to pay the grave diggers for their Ltd., has completed the purchase of the minister's home community. work. Rather than have his beloved its site and will commence building of animal industry at Washington, of animal industry at washington, who had been studying intestinal para-sites, announced to the Pan-American sanitary congress his conviction that himself: At daylight the sexton found the how still digging in the cemetery. the so-called laziness and shiftlessness the boy still digging in the cemetery. the so-called laziness and sintlessness the boy soft discretized by the boy soft disc

to hook worms. Many members of the all night. congress expressed surprise at the an-nouncement. Up to the present the the fresh earth on the mound the little question has been a matter of some fellow fell unconscious, overcome by

WESTMINSTER MAYORALTY.

London, Oct. 29 .- At the opening of zens are obtaining signatures to a School of Tropical Medicine, when

To the Uttermost Farthing. In his speech at the banquet Mr. make any declaration of his intentions till the requisition has been excellent example of what the United a great deal for Nanaimo, and if suc-

States could do with a Canadian when George Small, the candidate already she caught him young. McGill univer-Lords to interfere in the finances in the field, will be in the city about sity brought him into some prominen of the country. I do not think they will Monday next, and is expected to begin but he reached the climax of his fame at Johns Hopkins university.

Dr. Osler explained what science INJURED BY FALLING TREE. had done for the Empire and for civilization, and the enormous possi-

Vancouver, Oct. 28.-A man named bilities which are still open to her. Macfarlane was brought down yester- In concluding his address he made a day from Britton river on the steamer vigorous denial of the idea that Great Comox, suffering from severe injuries Britain was decadent

In July last Lord Gorrell, who, as in the United States and run across the Sir John Gorrell Barnes, was president | border to Torrean, a city on the Mexof the divorce court, moved in the ican Central railroad near Chihuahua. House of Lords that the county courts The nature of the charge against the should have the power to grant divor- woman was not stated, but local opces, thus bringing the law within the ponents of the Diaz administration each of those whose circumstances profess to believe that her arrest was the result of political activity on the prevented their proceeding in the High Court, the only tribunal in England part of the Mexican government. mpowered to deal with divorce. The Archbishop of Canterbury and WASHINGTON MINISTER others opposed the motion, and the

House finally decided to institute an SECURES DIVORCE inquiry into the whole question.

HERRING CANNERY TO BE BUILT AT NANAIMO

labored all night to prepare, because New Buildings on Waterfront Will Be Rusher' +-Completion,

Nanaimo, Oct. 28. - The Nanaimo

**Brought Action Against Wife** on Grounds of Desertion. Everett, Wash., Oct 29. - Andrew

Grey Boyd, a Presbyterian minister, aged 72 years, has secured a divorce from his wife on the grounds of desertion after his suit had been brought on a change of venue from

The suit was the culmination of the third matrimonial venture for the aged preacher. Mrs. Boyd's defence was

based upon the ground that her husband sought separation to take , his fourth try at wedded life in company with an "affinity."

Testimony went to show that the After the funeral, while helping heap from now on work will be rushed as in readiness for shipping at once, plaintiff sought to have defendant institute the suit, but Mrs. Boyd rerapidly as possible F. L. Body, of Vancouver, will be fused. In her answer and cross-con the strain of the last three days. His in the city within a few days, and will plaint, Mrs. Boyd charged .extreme

cruelty and non-support on the part open up temporary offices for the comof her husband. pany, which will be in use until such The custody of the two minor chil-

a time as the plant is completed, with dren, aged 12 and 14, is awarded Mrs. office suites, etc. In the meantime Mr. Boyd, together with \$5 a month alimony

BRIDGE DEFICIT.

Vancouver, Oct. 28 .- Mr. Waddell, of the engineering firm of Waddell & Harrington, has written to the civic bridge committee informing it that, by reason of the advance in the price of cessful (and there seems no reason why the plans should fail) it will mean steel and the changes in plant made by the former bridge committee, the estia steady and rapid growth in an ir dustry which has hitherto been barely mates of cost on the Westminster touched.

avenue bridge will be exceeded more largely than was at first thought, and. instead of there being a small surplus on the Granville street structure, there will be a small deficit. The probable

Chicago, Oct. 28.-Mrs. Charles H. Edgcomb and her four year old son, Charles H. Edgcomb, jr., were found dead in bed in their home yesterday by the husband and father. The rooms \$66,794.87. It was known for some time

