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### CHANGES IN SOUTH AFRICA

#### Also Important Scheme in Connection With Canadian Discharged From Hospital.

#### A PROVISIONAL BATTALION.

Transfer of Canadians to Imperial Force and a Lot of Colonial Changes.

### THAT LEADER LANE MYSTERY

#### Young Man Found Dead Was Arthur Chapman, An Employee of F. W. Ellis & Co.

Mr. H. P. Chapman of 387 Prestobrook avenue visited the mortuary of St. Michael's Hospital yesterday and identified the body of the young man who was picked up on Thursday afternoon at the residence of his son, Arthur Chapman. The deceased was only 21 years old and leaves a young widow, to whom he was married June 22 last. For some years past he was in the employ of F. W. Ellis & Co., jewelry manufacturers of 31 East Wellington street. The police yesterday traced the deceased's movements before he was picked up. It was learned that Chapman, in company with about 50 of his fellow-employees, had paraded the city streets until about 11 o'clock, when he complained of feeling unwell. He returned to his place of employment and found a comfortable spot in the basement, where he tried to rest. About two hours later Mr. J. I. Klein, another official in the employ of the company, discovered him and around him from his slumbers. Chapman then left the building and it is believed he sank down just after crossing the street. Dr. G. Chambers, who made the post-mortem examination, is satisfied that death resulted from a hemorrhage of the brain, brought on by a long standing circumscribed growth, and believes that an inquest is unnecessary. The body was handed to the relatives for burial. The funeral will take place this afternoon from the residence of his father.

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Kruger's Doctor at Delagoa. Lorenzo Marques, June 2.—Dr. Heyman, President Kruger's physician, and Dr. Eloff, President Kruger's son-in-law, have arrived here.

## VOTING A WEEK FROM TO-DAY. WILL FIGHTING JOE WIN OUT?

### His Committee Is Throwing Money Around Liberally—Insinuation of Northern Pacific and Great Northern Railways May Be Putting Up "Stuff" For the Campaign.

Vancouver, B.C., June 1.—(Special)—Refrain. It is said the Northern Pacific and Great Northern are taking more than their share in the contest. Martin's winning means lots to them, as then the whole province will be opened to competition.

### SMITH CURTIS AT PHOENIX

#### The Minister of Mines Says He Has the Labor Vote and Feels Sure of Winning.

Greenwood, B.C., June 1.—(Special)—Hon. Smith Curtis, Minister of Mines, held his first meeting in the Boundary at Phoenix, last night. He will speak at Trail on the 5th, and close the campaign every place he has large representation meetings, and from reports of reports various committees, I feel satisfied that I will have a substantial majority at every polling place, with the possible exception of Midway, where I may break even, or there may be a small majority against me. The reason is due to the Government's policy of giving me the labor vote. As a labor candidate, I am a pleasure to find the labor classes are giving me substantial support. Smith Curtis is now recognized in Kootenai as the labor candidate, giving him great hold. The Greenwood Miner now supports Martin and is publishing clever, bitter attacks on the Opposition mismanagement and disorganization.

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Griff	London	Hamburg
Werra	Hamburg	London
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