

In the words of one of the invader: "we lifted the Turks on the end o

our bayonets and hurled them over There has been fighting all alon: borhood of Guinchy the Germans ex the rest of the western front, in all of our heads." Continuing their recital ploded a mine, again employing which the Germans claim to have gases. Fourteen were these men related that with the arbeen successful. The French, howrival of reinforcements the ridges poisoned, but otherwise the enemy's ever, have another story to tell. They efforts in this direction failed comwere carried by storm in the first insist that their advance continues letely. both along the Yser Canal, and in

Concentrated Turkish fire during the beginning of the fighting was terrible. Shrapnel, machine gun fire and rifle fire caused very heavy casualties among the Allies, but the wounds of many men are slight, and they will soon be on the firing line.

STILL USING GASES.

LONDON, May 5.-(Officia.1) The general situation remains un-mander of the Union of South Africa changed. Fighting is progressing at forces, occupied Swakopmuld, he dis-Hill 60, southeast of Ypres, on which covered that six wells had been the Germans attained a footing this poisoned by arsenical cattle wash. morning under cover of poisonous In remonstrance, General Botha gases which were excessively used sent a communication to Colonel and were favored by weather condi- Francke, commander of the German tions. A feeble attack also preceded forces. This elicited the response according to the statement of Har by extensive use of poisonous gases. court, that the German troops had made east of Ypres, was easily repulsed, our artillery inflicting severe been given orders that "if they pos



GERMANS POISON WATER. Flanders, and in Woevre, where bat- wee bit out of his reckoning. tles have been continuous for weeks LONDON, May 5. on end. In support of the charges that the Germans had poisoned the wells in

the Southwest African campaigu Lewis Harcourt, Secretary of State for the Colonies, to-night issued a

ents in the East make it impossible to judge of the position there. Austrians and Germans to-night say the Russians have been badly communication, in which he says beaten in Western Galicia, and have that when General Louis Botha, Com-

left for Bareneed on Monday aftercommenced to retreat from the westnoon on a few days visit. They will ern Carpathians, whereas the latest be the guests of Capt. Bartlett and Russian report, while admitting that family. Austro-Germans succeeded in getting across Dunajec River, declares that,

Conflicting reports from belliger

Mr. W. J. Janes, Manager of the they were checked there. The coun-Nfid. Boot & Shoe Co., who spent try around the East Prussian from Sunday here, returned to St. John's tier also has been the scene of battles on Monday. of more or less importance; while at

defy the law.

Some young lads, while playing

near the beach at Caplin Cove,

Monday evening were surprised t

see what appeared to be a large dog

trying to get up on a pan of ice. It

was no doubt a seal that had got a

Mr. T. C. Makinson, of the Goulds,

was in town for a few hours on Mon-

day. Mr. M. is a busy man, and al

though living so near, can only spare

Misses Hettie and Louise Yetman

time to visit us occasionally.

the other end of the Russian line in Hr. Grace, May 5, 1915. Eastern Galicia, the Russians are at tacking the Austro-Germans, despite

Delightful Indian Act their reported defeat, or check, in the

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western part of that province. AND FEATURE FILMS. Athens credits the Allies with fur-On Friday night the big fun night ner successes in their attacks on the Dardanelles and Smyrna, but the of the week, the contest will take Turks again report defeat of the Al- place; there are lots of names, and lied troops who have landed on Gasome are going in for novelty acts; licia Peninsula. be in time.

German submarines seemingly now To-night Mr. Ballard Brown and are 'devoting their attention to the Madge Locke, the finest performers British fishing fleet. Fifteen trawlers that have ever appeared here, will nave been sunk since Sunday night, present a great Indian act entitled: but without any loss of life. Sioux," with a strong dramatic plot; ongs and dances, Indian costumes

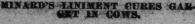
HOSTILITIES MAY BE AVOIDED. and scenery. This act will be the act those artists will feature in the PEKIN. May 5.

The Third Secretary of the Japan-States, therefore it's splendid. Among the feature pictures is a wonderful ese Legation, to-day visited Tsao Yulien, Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, photo-play in three reels by the Vitagraph Company entitled: "Becky and intimated to the Legation that they might still be able to prevent Sharp," featuring that excellent acthostilities. He asked whether China's ress Helen Gardner. The show for reply of May 1st to the Japanese de- those last three days of the week mand was final. Despatches received the top notcher of them all.

here from Tsinau, Province of Shan-**Elastic Roofing Cement Paint** tung, report that the Japanese troops have mounted nine cannon in the suprevents the shingles from warpburbs of that city. The Chinese ing, curling or splitting, also troops, obeying the general order keeps them free from rot and derom Peking, did not interfere. cay.-apr22,th,s.tu,tf

A good, furniture polish may be STEAMERS DETAINED. - Owing hade at home after this recipe: the ice blockade in the norther Take equal portions of linseed oil, tine, vinegar and spirits of Ethie. Clyde and Dundee which were Shake well and apply with a inen cloth for cleansing; for polish use a dry flannel cloth.

scheduled to take up their reroutes this week are still detained i port awaiting favourable conditi ASK FOR MINARD'S AND TAKE NO



Reid Nfld. Co.'s steamers

THE CRESCENT A GREAT BUNNY COMEDY TO-DAY. "PRIVATE BUNNY." THE DRUDGE." A 2 part Vitagraph special, featuring Dorothy Kelly. Her spiteful marriage is a disastrous mistake. The sacrifice of her own happiness for her child is sanctified, and she endures all for his sake.

"THE SAVING PRESENCE"-A strong melo-drama by the Biograph Company. "A CHANCE IN LIFE"-The story of a convict who made good, presented by the Lubin Company. DELMONICA, the Singer with the Double Voice, is coming from New York on the Stephano for the Crescent.

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SILK SCARFS That they are showing this

week in all the leading shades at **RODGER'S**.



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