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ing the Attack.

(Associated Press by Leased Wire.)  
Vladivostok, April 5.—Japanese  
troops yesterday occupied Vladivos-  
tok, after eight hours of severe fight-  
ing in all parts of the city.

THE RUSSIAN FORCES  
TAKEN BY SURPRISE

The Japanese imperial flag is flying  
in the place of the Russian ensign  
from all government buildings.  
Some of the officials of revolutionary  
contingents already have been arrest-  
ed and deported. All Russians have  
been disarmed.

Throughout last night the Japanese  
fought with rifles, machine guns, gren-  
ades and small artillery in all por-  
tions of the city. Their incessant  
firing met little opposition, as the  
Russians were taken by surprise, the  
Japanese move toward occupation hav-  
ing been unexpected by the party in  
power.

Many Escaped Into Hills.  
Many Russians escaped into the hill  
country behind the city, whence they  
came two months ago when the All-  
Russian Government of Admiral Kol-  
chak fell before the attack of a revolu-  
tionary party.

Early yesterday the Japanese  
launched their attack in the Korean  
quarter, which they occupied. Later  
they marched Korean and Russian  
prisoners, tied together with ropes,  
through many of the streets of the  
city.

The last of the American Expedi-  
tionary Force, under Brig. General  
William S. Graves, left Vladivostok  
April 1. A few hours subsequent to  
their departure a proclamation was  
posted throughout the city stating  
Japanese troops would not evacuate  
Siberia at the present time. The pro-  
clamation warned all inhabitants  
against any unfriendly attitude on the  
part of the Russian population. The  
tenseness of the situation had in-  
creased hourly since that time until  
the clash yesterday.

The Outed Revolutionists.  
Russian revolutionary forces took  
control of Vladivostok early in Febru-  
ary after having made a night raid  
upon the city. The commander of  
the All-Russian forces in the city,  
General Rozhnov, escaped and took  
refuge on a Japanese cruiser in the  
harbor, later going to Japan.

Subsequent to assuming power in  
the city, the revolutionary authorities  
maintained control for the purpose of  
hindering affairs over to the adminis-  
tration of Bolshevik officials, which  
are now assumed to be on their way  
to the far east from Moscow.

Recent advances from the far east  
have indicated the Japanese were  
concentrating their forces along the  
Ussuri railroad, north of Vladivostok,  
and the Chinese eastern railroad, in  
Manchuria.

## AN ITALIAN HONOR.

(By Canadian Associated Press.)  
Nice, France, April 5.—President  
Dochanel yesterday received the in-  
signia of the Order of the Annunziata  
from Prince D'Udine, in the name of  
King Victor Emmanuel of Italy.

An Agreement Reached With  
Employees of Chicago Railway

The Men Who Had Been Dissatisfied With Working Conditions  
on the Road Met by the Officials of the Railway and a  
Satisfactory Agreement Reached.

(Associated Press by Leased Wire.)  
Chicago, April 6.—The controversy between trainmen and officials of  
the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad with regard to working con-  
ditions has been satisfactorily settled and an agreement has been signed.  
The differences had no connection with the switchmen's strike, which  
officials say has not affected the Rock Island switch.

Will the Allies  
Support France?

(Associated Press by Leased Wire.)  
Paris, April 5.—Chief interest in  
the situation as evinced by newspa-  
pers here is whether the Allies will  
support France, and to what extent.  
This query was put to Premier Mil-  
lerand by the Echo de Paris last night,  
the Premier answering: "England  
was victorious, and so was France. I  
am confident everything will work out  
perfectly."

GERMAN CITIES  
ENTERED TODAY

French General Issues Procla-  
mation to People of Occu-  
pied German Towns.

(Associated Press by Leased Wire.)  
Paris, April 5.—French soldiers to-  
day occupied the German cities of  
Frankfurt-on-Main and Darmstadt, 16  
miles south.

Forces commanded by General De  
Goutte which have been holding the  
Mayence Bridgehead were ordered  
forward by Marshal Foch, following  
the efforts on the part of the French  
government yesterday to induce the  
Berlin government to withdraw its  
forces from the neutral zone along  
the eastern bank of the Rhine, where  
they had been ordered to disperse  
communist units that for the past  
fortnight have conducted a revolt in  
the Ruhr Valley.

It was about 5 o'clock this morning  
when French tanks entered Frank-  
furt. They were followed by a battal-  
ion of sharpshooters and a company  
of engineers, and these troops occu-  
pied strategic points and the railroad  
station. Half a dozen tanks were  
posted near the station and the bar-  
racks and another force was station-  
ed near police headquarters and the post  
office.

These troops held important en-  
trances to the city until nine o'clock,  
when a battalion of Chasseurs de-  
trained at the station.

The French troops also took over  
the barracks near the depot and occu-  
pied the Presidency of Police, the  
post, telegraph and telephone office,  
and the principal gates of the town.  
There was no trouble.

## COST OF QUEBEC SCHOOLS.

Quebec, April 6.—The appropri-  
ations of the Quebec Catholic School  
Commission were approved at a meet-  
ing of the school board here last night  
and reached a total of \$391,095.17,  
an increase of \$57,681.14 over the year  
1919-20, which will necessitate an in-  
crease in the school taxes from fifty-  
five cents to sixty cents per hundred  
dollars valuation.

## OTHER LATE NEWS.

For other late despatches  
and general news see page 7.

Position of American  
Forces in Germany

(Associated Press by Leased Wire.)  
Coblenz, April 6.—The posi-  
tion of the American forces in  
Germany with reference to the  
Allied attitude and possible  
action growing out of the pres-  
ent situation, depends entirely  
upon direct orders from Presi-  
dent Wilson. The American  
army authorities are keeping  
in close touch with all develop-  
ments for information, but  
their direction is in the hands  
of Washington.

DISTRICT UNDER  
STATE OF SIEGE

French General Issues Procla-  
mation to People of Occu-  
pied German Towns.

(Associated Press by Leased Wire.)  
Mayence, April 6.—French troops  
entered Frankfurt by five o'clock this  
morning, finding only a small German  
force left there to afford protection  
for the people. The occupation of  
the city was a mere military march  
and was not attended by any fighting.  
Darmstadt was entered shortly af-  
terwards by French forces. The Ger-  
man government forces of that city  
had left at midnight to avoid contact  
with the French, and this morning  
was six miles east of the city.

General De Goutte has issued a pro-  
clamation to cities and towns within  
the area to be occupied, declaring that  
French troops have crossed the Rhine  
to compel the Berlin government to  
respect its agreement with the Allies  
and assuring there is no hostile in-  
tention toward the people of that region.  
The proclamation says the French  
troops will withdraw as soon as Ger-  
man government forces have evacu-  
ated the neutral zone, and declares no  
one will be affected by the presence of  
the French as long as order is main-  
tained. The proclamation makes the  
following provisions for public order:

Frankfurt, Darmstadt, Offenbach,  
Hochstadt, Koenigsstein and Biebrach,  
as well as all towns and districts with-  
in the circles of Gross Geran, Lang  
Schwalbach and Wiesbaden, with the  
exception of Biebrach, are declared un-  
der a state of siege.

German authorities and public serv-  
ices will continue to function under  
French military officials, and strikes  
will not be tolerated.

People are temporarily forbidden to  
circulate in the various communities  
from nine o'clock at night until five  
in the morning.

More than five persons must not  
collect in streets or in private or pub-  
lic meetings without authorization.

Newspapers are temporarily sus-  
pended and permission must be given  
to use the telephone and telegraph.

Postal censorship is temporarily es-  
tablished, and these troops occu-  
pied strategic points and the railroad  
station. Half a dozen tanks were  
posted near the station and the bar-  
racks and another force was station-  
ed near police headquarters and the post  
office.

KNIGHTS TO FIGHT  
FOR LAW AND ORDER

Grand Chancellor and Party to  
Tour West in Interests of  
the Order.

Ottawa, April 6.—Absolutely op-  
posed to class government but pledged  
to support whatever government may  
be elected to power by the  
people, the Knights of Pythias of  
America, with a membership of 850,  
000, will always fight for established  
law and order.

Such was the assurance of Hon.  
Chas. S. Davis, Supreme Chancellor  
of America, Denver, Colo., in the  
course of a stirring address before the  
members of the local branch, Demon  
Lodge, last night.

Hon. Mr. Davis is here in company  
with Alexander F. Carter, grand keep-  
er of the records and seal, and James  
F. Barnes, past grand chancellor, both  
of Toronto, and is on his way to the  
west, where he will tour the prov-  
inces in the interests of his organiza-  
tion.

## U. S. MUST BORROW.

Washington, April 6.—The govern-  
ment will be a heavy borrower in April  
and May, despite the March reduction  
of \$705,000,000 in the public debt, it  
was asserted last night.

ICE RUNNING IN  
UPPER RIVER; IS  
DOING DAMAGE

Two Spans and One Pier of the  
Hartland Bridge Carried  
Away at Noon.

ST. JOHN RIVER IS  
AT FRESHET HEIGHT

Ice Running Freely Today at  
Woodstock and Jam Forms  
at Hawkshaw Bridge.

The ice in the upper St. John river  
has started to run out and, accom-  
panied by an exceptionally high  
freshet, is causing much damage.  
Following an all-night downpour of  
rain last night, the ice started to run  
out below Grand Falls, while the  
water started to rise rapidly at the  
same time.

At Hartland, Carleton county, the  
most damage that has occurred so far  
has been done. Two spans and one  
pier on the western side of the  
highway bridge across the St. John  
river there were carried away at noon,  
as well as some barns and other  
buildings located along the river bank  
in Hartland.

REST OF THE BRIDGE  
MAY BE CARRIED OUT

The bridge had only been repaired  
and reinforced at great expense this  
winter and, aside from the monetary  
loss, which will probably be over  
\$50,000, it means that Hartland is shut  
off from the Summerville side of the  
river, which the town derives much of its  
most profitable trade.

People Forced to Leave Homes.  
The freshet forced some of the peo-  
ple living near the river in Hartland  
to move out of their dwellings early  
this morning, and a great deal of diffi-  
culty was experienced in rescuing live  
stock in the barns on the river bank  
some hens and other stock being car-  
ried away by the onrushing waters.  
This afternoon fear was expressed  
that the bridge might be carried away  
and other bridges along  
the river were said to be in serious  
danger.

Ice Jammed at Hawkshaw Bridge.  
Measurements taken at the St. John  
River Log Driving Company's head-  
quarters at North Devon at noon to-  
day showed the St. John river was  
rising here at the rate of an inch an  
hour, and it was predicted that by  
tonight it would be 10 feet above sum-  
mer level. The ice, however, was  
holding still here, and was running  
very freely past Woodstock at noon  
today. Reports from Southampton,  
however, stated that the ice was jam-  
(Continued on page seven.)

Smuggle Whiskey  
By Airplane Now

(Associated Press by Leased Wire.)  
New York, April 6.—Prohibi-  
tion agents have been asked  
by the Washington officials to  
keep a sharp lookout for an air-  
plane which flies over the Cana-  
dian border every night into  
Montana and drops a para-  
chute. The information is that  
the parachute carries a quan-  
tity of whiskey, which is dis-  
posed of by bootleggers.

After dropping the parachute  
said, "and grieves over the smallpox  
marks on her face."

BODY OF MISSING  
GIRL FOUND IN LAKE

Daughter of Wealthy Chicago  
Packer Grieved Over Small-  
pox Marks on Face.

(Associated Press by Leased Wire.)  
Chicago, April 6.—The body of  
Jeanne Anna Dekay, 20, protegee  
of Miss Jane Adams, who disap-  
peared from Hull House, on Dec. 30th,  
was found yesterday in Lake Michi-  
gan, near the municipal pier.

Miss Dekay was the daughter of  
John Wesley Dekay, wealthy packer,  
now residing in Switzerland. She was  
the only child of her father and  
after her graduation from a London  
boarding school. She arrived at Hull  
House last December to assist in  
work among the poor under Miss Jane  
Adams' direction.

"She was despondent while with  
us," Mrs. Britton, of the Hull House,  
said, "and grieves over the smallpox  
marks on her face."

## VISITING AMERICA.

San Francisco, Calif., April 6.—Prem-  
ier Edward G. Theodore, of Queens-  
land, accompanied by Mrs. Theodore  
and G. L. Beale, Under Secretary of  
the Treasury of Queensland, arrived  
here yesterday from Australia.

Clark Identifies Wood  
As One of "Kidnappers"

Nothing to Show Why Clark Was Left  
For a Week After Committing Murder  
Without Being Placed Under Arrest

(Special despatch to The Daily Gleaner.)  
GRAND FALLS, N. B., April 6.—So far as has been  
announced there has been nothing develop in the  
investigation which has been carried on here to show why  
it was that Newman Clark had not been placed under arrest  
long before he had time to escape from a local hospital a  
week after he had shot and killed his girl victim.

In spite of the statement made by Dr. Puddington, in  
whose hospital he was a patient, that he had never shown  
any elevation of pulse or temperature and had been "eating  
like a horse," Clark was left absolutely without a guard or  
restraint of any kind after having committed one of the  
most deliberate murders in the annals of crime in New  
Brunswick. It seems that the officer who had been chiefly  
identified with the case was a Probation Inspector named  
McLaughlin.

Preliminary Examination of  
Clark on Murder Charge Set  
For Next Week at Andover

Believed that He Will Plead Not Guilty and Put Forward Plea of  
Insanity—Remanded to Victoria County Jail by  
Grand Falls Magistrate.

(Special despatch to The Daily Gleaner.)  
Grand Falls, N. B., April 6.—The  
preliminary examination of Newman  
Clark on the charge of having mur-  
dered Phoebe Bell at the home of  
Mrs. Herbert Wood here on Thurs-  
day, March 25th, is now due to com-  
mence at Andover on Thursday, April  
13th.

Yesterday afternoon Clark appear-  
ed before Magistrate James Kelly  
here and was remanded to the county  
jail at Andover until the date men-  
tioned. Charles J. Jones, of Wood-  
stock, N. B., appeared on behalf of  
Clark, who it is said will plead not  
guilty and put forward a plea of in-  
sanity.

NEW YORK POLICE  
RAID VICE RESORT  
Found Liquor Was Served  
Freely and "Shimmy Shake"  
Danced Openly.

(Associated Press by Leased Wire.)  
New York, April 6.—The police last  
night raided Peter's restaurant on the  
upper West Side, arrested the pro-  
prietor and three employees and an-  
nounced they had seized a large quan-  
tity of liquor.

The restaurant was one of five  
places named by Rev. John R. Stru-  
ton, of Calvary Baptist church, in a  
sermon Sunday, as a "vice resort,"  
where "liquor was served freely and  
the 'shimmy shake' was danced open-  
ly."

Five hundred patrons of the restau-  
rant were thrown into a panic by the  
raid and many rushed to waiting taxi-  
cabs and hurried away without their  
bags or coats.

The raid was made over the head  
of Police Inspector D. Henry, of the  
"Tenderloin" district, who is under in-  
vestigation by a vice grand jury on  
charges preferred by Assistant District  
Attorney Jas. E. Smith.

Inspector Thomas McDonald, in  
charge of the police "vice squad," and  
the four detectives who made the ar-  
rests, reported they entered the res-  
taurant and ordered whiskey, which  
he said they were served at \$1.50 a  
drink.

DREAD INFLUENZA  
IN SASKATCHEWAN

Startling Story of the Inroads  
of Disease Among the In-  
dian Population.

(By Canadian Associated Press.)  
Prince Albert, Sask., April 6.—The  
record of influenza ravages in the ar-  
rondissement of this city so far is 26 dead  
at Stanley and 17 dead at Lac La Poudre.  
In the last few weeks the Indians at  
these places were without medical aid  
until last Monday, when Dr. Norquay,  
of North Battleford, was sent from  
this city to endeavor to combat the  
epidemic. A letter to the Bishop of  
Saskatchewan from the Rev. C. P.  
Hirva tells a startling story of the in-  
roads of the disease among the Indian  
population.

## U. S. PENSION BILL.

Washington, April 6.—A \$214,020,  
000 pension bill was presented in Con-  
gress yesterday. Those benefitting  
under it number 624,427.

Pair Taken From Grand  
Falls to County Jail  
at AndoverNOW SURE CLARK  
HAD SOME HELP

"Kidnappers" Likely to  
Have Been Friends  
Who Abandoned Job.

(Special despatch to The Daily Gleaner.)  
Grand Falls, N. B., April 6.—New-  
man Clark, who shot and killed Phoebe  
Bell, of this town, on March 25th, was  
taken at noon today to the Victoria  
county jail at Andover to await his  
trial on the charge of murder.

On the same train Sheriff Albion Fos-  
ter and the other officers also took to  
the jail at Andover Peter Wood, of St.  
Andre, Madawaska county, near here,  
who is charged with having assisted  
Clark to escape from Dr. Puddington's  
private hospital here last Thursday  
night, following which he was recap-  
tured on Sunday at Limestone, Me.

WOOD WAS IDENTIFIED  
BY CLARK AT HOTEL

Late yesterday afternoon at Currier's  
Hotel Clark formally identified Wood  
as one of the two men who "kid-  
napped" him from the hospital here  
about midnight last Thursday night,  
and Wood, whose arrest was first an-  
nounced in a despatch to The Gleaner  
yesterday, was then taken before Ma-  
gistrate James Kelly and remanded to  
the Victoria county jail to await tri-  
al. Clark's sensational story that he  
was kidnapped was published ex-  
clusively in The Gleaner yesterday.

"Kidnappers" Must Have Been  
Friends.  
The departure of Attorney General  
Byrne, Sheriff Foster and the other  
officers from here on the same train  
today with the prisoners does not  
mean that the last has been heard of  
Clark's escape from the hospital. Clark's  
kidnapping story is not generally  
believed in many particulars here  
and will not be generally accepted un-  
less it can be shown that the "kid-  
nappers" were really agents of his  
friends. The most logical solution of  
the story seems to be that Clark was  
taken from the hospital, placed in a  
sleigh and driven to the swamp near  
Good Friday, where he was abandoned  
by his rescuers, who became afraid  
that from exhaustion and exposure he  
would die or that they would be caught  
with him as daylight was rapidly com-  
ing on.

Wood is about 27 years old, unmar-  
ried, and his occupation is given as  
that of a general laborer. It was at  
the home of one of his relatives in  
this town that Clark shot and killed  
Phoebe Bell during a party on the  
afternoon of Thursday, March 25th.  
It is an open secret here now that the  
investigators expect to be able eventu-  
ally to show that whoever helped  
Clark make his getaway from Grand  
Falls acted on behalf of his friends.  
They have abandoned the theory that  
he walked unaided to Limestone, Me.,  
as he first alleged, and Clark now ad-  
mits that story was untrue.

BLISS CARMAN'S  
EXQUISITE VERSE

(By Canadian Associated Press.)  
Toronto, April 6.—At the annual  
convention yesterday of the Ontario  
Library Association, Prof. P. Edgar,  
of Victoria University, noted the ex-  
quisite character of Bliss Carman's  
early lyric verse, and he said the  
poet's power had not diminished, nei-  
ther had his manner changed.

## WITHOUT A NAME.

New York, April 6.—In an unsuccess-  
ful effort to learn a stowaway's name  
at Ellis Island yesterday, Russian,  
Chinese, Arabic, English, Turkish,  
Italian, French, German and the deaf  
and dumb alphabet were applied suc-  
cessfully, but the man did not wince. He  
was labelled "John Doe," and ordered  
deported to Italy, whence he came.

## PAVLOVITCH DEAD.

Washington, April 6.—The death of  
President Pavlovitch, of the Provin-  
tional National Assembly at Belgrade  
Saturday was announced in a cable-  
gram yesterday to the Czechoslo-  
vakian Legation here.

Leading U. S. Business Men  
To Discuss Cost of Living

Four Thousand Members of the Chambers of Commerce in  
the United States to Meet at Atlantic City on April 26—  
Increasing Production the Remedy Advocated.

(Associated Press by Leased Wire.)  
Atlantic City, N. J., April 6.—A programme for increasing production to  
remedy the high cost of living will be outlined by four thousand leading  
American business men at the annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce  
of the United States here April 26.  
Transportation, government policy with respect to anti-trust laws and  
taxation, international exchange and world production, labor and immigration  
are among the subjects to be discussed.