

# ALLEGED SPIES UNDER ARREST AT PORT ARTHUR

**Believed To Be Making Tour  
of C.P.R. Bridges and  
Railway Tracks**

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PORT ARTHUR, Ont., March 19.—Arrested on suspicion of being German spies on a tour of inspection of the bridges and railway tracks of the Canadian Pacific railway between Sudbury and Port Arthur, Carl Schmidt and Gustoff Stephens were placed under arrest by the Port Arthur police who boarded a C. P. R. train and found them asleep in their berth at the depot here. They had stopped off at Nipigon on their trip west and it was their actions there that caused information to be sent to the Port Arthur police.

It is stated at that place they looked over the C.P.R. bridge, which is very large and was constructed after great difficulty in finding a foundation. It is understood they also looked over every works at Sudbury and other intermediate points. In their possession when arrested were revolvers, loaded; files and typewritten time tables regarding train movements.

To the police they told unsatisfactory stories, giving their reason for leaving the train at Nipigon as being that there was too much noise at