

## LOCAL MAN THREATENED TO SHOOT TEAMSTER

FOR AIDING HIS WIFE  
TO LEAVE THE CITY

During Confinement in Jail His  
Wife Sold Furniture and  
Moved Away—Prisoner  
Remanded.

John Smith, arrested on a warrant appeared in the Police Court this morning before Police Magistrate Limerick charged with making threats against the life of a local man and scaring him so badly that he was frightened to be seen on the street. The prisoner stated that he would like to have advice before he offered a plea and he was remanded until Wednesday morning.

He is a returned soldier who was badly gassed and shell-shocked over seas and but recently he had been released from jail where he was serving a twenty days' sentence for drunkenness. While he was in jail, his wife who had been practically supporting him for some time by working as a servant, sold her furniture and moved out of the city. She was aided in doing so by a local family who had taken pity on her. The family hired a teamster to haul her furniture for her at the time.

When the husband was released from his imprisonment he took steps to meet the teamster, Frank DeLong and blaming him for aiding his wife to leave the city inquired of him which of the two, he or the teamster was going to leave the city. The other man was non-plussed for a time and the husband repeated the question to which the man replied that he was certainly not going to leave town. On hearing this the husband spoke rather emphatically and stated that he would shoot him so full of bullets that he would look like a sieve. The teamster becoming frightened sought legal advice and as a result a warrant was sworn out for the husband's arrest. He appeared this morning before Magistrate Limerick and was remanded.

The offender is liable to a year's sentence if proven guilty, provided that he can not secure a bondsman, unless he is sworn to keep the peace.

### Normal School Won

The Normal School basketball team defeated the team of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church last evening by a score of twenty-two to fifteen.

### Will Pay a Bonus.

Local shareholders of the Royal Bank of Canada will be interested in announcement that a two per cent bonus will be paid to shareholders on Dec 20th. It is given in honor of the bank's fiftieth anniversary.

### Held Social Evening

The L. A. A. O. H. and the A. O. H. held a very successful social and dance at the A. O. H. Hall on Regent Street last evening. A large number of young people were present and a very enjoyable evening was passed.

### St. Dunstan's Won

In a close and well played football game yesterday St. Dunstan's School defeated Charlotte Street School by a score of six to nil. Gagnon for St. Dunstan's scored both tries. This afternoon Model School and St. Dunstan's will play at the College Field.

### Hen of Many Colors

Mr. Henry Simmons who farms on Brick Hill, is the owner of a barnyard hen which changes color every time it moults. It was originally black in color but when it shed its feathers last year it took on a new dress of white. It moulted this year and is now black and white in color.

### Dominion Appointments.

A Canadian Press despatch from Ottawa states that included in recent appointments the public service by the Civil Service Commission are: Foresters for the Forestry Branch: Hayward C. Kinghorn and Clarence E. Maiman, Fredericton. Mr. Maiman has been working in the West in his Federal position for some months, but Mr. Kinghorn is in the employ of the Province of New Brunswick and at present is on telephone-line construction in Northumberland county. It is not known whether or not he has accepted a Federal appointment.

**Charged With Attempted Burglary**  
Archie Jones nineteen years of age appeared before Police Magistrate Limerick this morning charged with attempting to break into the store of Daniel Lenihan on King Street on Saturday, November 22nd, with intent to commit theft. When asked by the Magistrate whether he preferred to be tried by a jury at the next session of the County Court or by the Magistrate himself, he could not make up his mind so he was remanded until tomorrow morning for his decision. In the meantime he is permitted to ask advice from his friends.

## SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS FROM AMUSEMENT TAX

FOUR THOUSAND FROM  
FAIRS AND CIRCUSES

Rate is Low Compared With  
That Imposed Elsewhere—  
Inspector McQuade Af-  
ter Violators.

The Amusement Tax receipts in New Brunswick up to the close of the fiscal year amounted to something more than sixty thousand dollars.

This was collected from all sorts of amusements: circuses, horse races, dances, exhibitions, itinerant shows, skating rinks, Chataqua entertainments, bridge tournaments all helped along with the regular theatres and moving picture shows.

### Low Rate of Taxation

In Ontario the revenue from this source was over a million dollars or nearly as much as the whole of New Brunswick's income. The Amusement Tax in New Brunswick is however much lower than the tax in any other province in Canada and these taxes in Canada are much lower than in England and the United States.

### Liable to Prosecution

The Provincial Tax Inspector W. H. McQuade states that notwithstanding all the advertising in the provincial newspapers to the effect that any entertainment to which an admission fee is charged, the proceeds of which are not for charitable, church or patriotic purposes, is liable to the amusement tax many purposes proceed to promote entertainments without notifying the inspector and obtaining permits to hold same, rendering themselves liable to prosecution and the penalties under the act.

### Inspector After Them

Some of these do not wish to break the law but forget that the amusement tax is in force and are always ready to make amends when their attention is called to the law. There are others however who acting on the principle that charity begins at home endeavor to evade the amusement tax. The inspector is after these people. Some of them think that dancing is not an amusement and therefore non-taxable. In the United States the collection of the Amusement Tax comes under the Internal Revenue officers and any evasion meets with such severe penalties that no one tries it twice. In New Brunswick the law officers are more lenient and the province is losing revenue every night in many places

## PREMIER TO BE MEMBER OF U. N. B. SENATE

AMENDMENT OF ACT  
SOUGHT TO THAT EFFECT

Small Surplus Shown by Fin-  
ances—Calvin Lord to Re-  
present University in  
New Zealand.

The senate of the University of New Brunswick met here this morning in annual session. Those present were Dr. W. S. Carter, Dr. C. C. Jones, Inspector R. D. Hanson, Dr. W. C. Crockett, M. P. P., Dr. Thomas Walker, Dr. H. S. Bridges, J. T. Jennings, Dr. W. W. White, Miss Eliza B. Hunter, Sir Ezekiel McLeod.

The annual accounts were presented. Receipts during the year were \$31,958.32 and disbursements \$31,042.24. The surplus was \$910.08. The increased provincial grant was of great assistance to the university. During the academic year it amounted to \$24,533.34.

### Chancellor's Report

The annual report of the chancellor was presented by Dr. Jones who reported the attendance of students in the neighborhood of 175 the largest in the history of the college. He also reported the establishing of the Dr. J. Z. Currie Memorial Scholarship and of the Noel Stone Memorial Scholarship by Dr. H. S. Stone now residing in England whose son was killed in the war. This will be the interest on \$2,500 at the rate of five and a half percent. The chancellor reported also upon the Memorial Fund and mentioned the fact that special classes for returned soldiers had been established.

### Petitions From Students

Students who had served overseas petitioned that the increased rate of fees do not apply to them. By resolution the senate voted that the increased fees would not apply to undergrad-

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where the pleasure promoters are pocketing their profits with the hope that they will get by unnoticed. It is quite possible that local officers will be deputized to keep a sharp outlook for violations in the future.

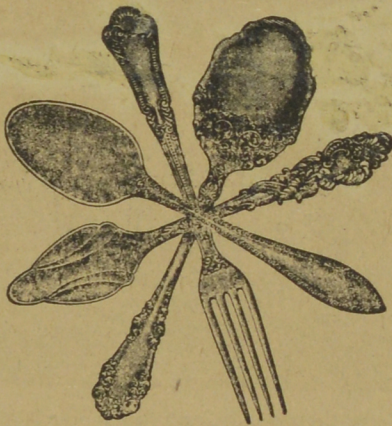
### The Details

Some interesting figures of last year's revenue show that Exhibitions paid over \$4000, dances \$511.37, Chataqua shows \$2197, horse races over a thousand, rinks some hundreds and circuses nearly \$4000.

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