

BREWER CASE
ADJOURNS TILL
NEXT MONDAY

Informant's Witness
State Jakey Threatened to Shoot Uncle—
Motion For Adjournment to Produce Rebuttal Evidence.

The Brewer case, in which Hartley Brewer, Zealand was trying to show cause to have an application to have his nephew Jacob bound over to keep the peace, was continued yesterday afternoon in the local police court. In the morning counsel for the defense had produced evidence to show that uncle and nephew had quarrelled over some road work, that both had been angry and that Hartley had threatened Jacob with his fist. In the afternoon counsel for the informant examined several witnesses whose evidence seemed to indicate that Jacob had threatened to shoot his uncle. Earl Burt of Zealand testified that he had heard Jacob say that before the winter was over his uncle would get the same as Hayward had got. "What was that?" Burt had asked. "Lead" was the reply. Jacob had then said in a burst of avuncular affection "I'll get him alone in the woods some time and nobody will ever know what happened" according to the evidence of Burt.

C. L. Dougherty counsel for the defense moved for an adjournment to permit him to produce witnesses for rebuttal. The court was accordingly adjourned until Monday.

Counter attacks in the form of assault charges are being made by the defendant in this case against the informant. In one case Fred Brewer father of Jacob the defendant in this case is plaintiff in a charge of assault laid against Hartley his brother the present informant. It is also said that Jacob Brewer is prepared to lay or has laid information against the son of Hartley Brewer, informant in this case. The alleged charge is said to be of a most peculiar nature.

CITY AFFAIRS

Struck it Rich

A former Fredericton business man now living in California, in a recent letter to a friend here stated that he had cleaned up \$14,000 in the stock market in the course of a few weeks.

Salmon Scarce

St. John River salmon were rather scarce in the market this morning, there having been a poor run during the past week. A few Miramichi salmon were on sale at 25 cents a pound.

Returns from Chicago

Dr. W. C. Keirstead returned today from Chicago where he has been attending a meeting of all the district governors of Rotary International. Dr. Keirstead was recently appointed governor for the 32nd district.

Bob Still in Favor

Local barbers say that this has been a banner week in hair bobbing. Many young ladies who had decided to let their hair grow decided to let their hair grow found it too uncomfortable under weather conditions and were back in Barber Shops to have it cut off again. As one barber said, women nowadays insist on being comfortable and that is why short hair will continue in summer for years to come.

Official Stupidity

Local anglers are somewhat stirred over a report that a permit has been issued to a Springhill man to string a salmon net halfway across the river at the lower end of the Hartt's Island pool. In view of the fact that special guardians have been placed on the pool by both the Federal and provincial governments, with a view to encouraging fly fishing and bringing tourists to the province, the fishery officers should cooperate at least to the extent of keeping set nets out of the pool.

MUCH-NEEDED
RAINFALL WILL
HASTEN CROPS

Temperature Drops
Over Twenty Degrees
When All-day Rain
Begins This Morning
—Probably Rain Tomorrow.

The capital city is at last in receipt of the long needed rain whose absence has kept crops and vegetation in general throughout the province in a state of drought. The rain commenced in this city at about nine o'clock this morning and is still falling heavily. The last rainfall here was two weeks ago and since that a prolonged heat wave has retarded growth of crops and kept citizens jockeying between the bathing beaches and the ice cream parlors in an effort to keep cool.

Averages 82 in Shade.

A temperature which has averaged over 82 degrees in the shade for several days, was suddenly precipitated today at 64, a drop of over 20 degrees, which makes considerable difference in the temperature. Yesterday citizens were straggling around in their shirt sleeves and today rain slickers and

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TICKETS FOR
OFFENDING
MOTORISTS

System of "Tagging"
Automobiles Violating Traffic Laws
Works Out Well in N. B.—Police Help Cars in Trouble.

The ticket system of summoning offending motorists to court as worked out by the police in this province is meeting with success according to a statement made by Commissioner E. P. C. Salt, officer commanding the provincial police today. New Brunswick is one of the first provinces to use this system although most of the American States have similar methods. However in one particular the N. B. system differs from that of most other provinces and states.

Choose Magistrate.

The motorist who has violated some traffic rule is handed a ticket by the police officer and is permitted to choose before what magistrate he will appear within the next seven days. This is different from other systems which require the motorist to appear before the magistrate of the district in which he chances to be, often inconvenient.

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