

Shimmy Danced

In Court Room

SALEM, Mass., June 28.—Is it immoral to "shake the shimmy?" Are the devotees of the newest of the new jazz dances guilty of immoral dance when they perform it?

The Watch and Ward society says "yes" to both questions. Joseph Cholunard, proprietor of a dance hall at Beverly, says "no."

Judge Sears of Salem acted as a court of last resort. The "shimmy" was danced before him in court. The judge will decide whether the "shimmy" is to go down in terpsichorean history with the fox trot, the one-step and other perfectly proper "jazzes," or whether it is to be taboo in good society.

Cholunard was arrested at Beverly for conducting an "improper dance hall."

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle A. Oreck, Crawford apartments, returned Friday on the Octorara from an extended eastern trip. They have been visiting at New York, Cleveland and Detroit.