

WORK OF SHRINERS LAUDED IN SPEECH BY THE PRESIDENT

Mr. Harding Says He Feels That All Shriners Are Loyal to the High Standards of This Country.

RATERNITY SPIRIT DOES MUCH GOOD

But the Spirit of Conspiracy, Found in Some Organizations, is Harmful for the United States.

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SENATOR SIMMONS IS HEARD AT TRINITY

Spoke for Class of 1873, Which is Suing 50th Annual Reunion. Durham, June 5.—Senator F. M. Simmons of New Bern, expressed the sentiments of the class of 1873...

To Make All School Buildings Safe.

Raleigh, June 5.—In conjunction with the board of education, the board of public buildings and grounds...

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IN AND AROUND THE CAPITOL

Raleigh, June 6 (By the Associated Press).—Governor Cameron Morrison, who has before him the probability of appointment of A. T. Allen as state superintendent of public instruction...

But two associate justices of the State Supreme Court have been placed into office by Governor Morrison. Judge W. J. Adams, Carthage...

W. E. Brock, Wadesboro, was selected to take place made vacant by Judge Adams. He will accept the position...

Some of the chief executive's other duties, as outlined by The North Carolina Manual, are as follows: To reside at the seat of government...

To grant reprieves, commutations and pardons except in cases of impeachment... To receive reports from all officials of the executive departments...

He is commander-in-chief of the militia of the state, except when they are called into the service of the United States... To supervise the official conduct of all executive and administrative officers...

BAXTER SHERWELL IS SEEN AT ASHEVILLE

Asheville, June 4.—Baxter Sherwell, reportedly wanted in Davidson county to serve a sentence of 18 months for assault with a deadly weapon...

GERMAN'S OFFER IS CERTAIN OF REJECTION

Paris, June 6 (By the Associated Press).—The rejection of Germany's new reparations offer was foreshadowed in official quarters here today...

FOUR FINED HEAVILY FOR OIL TRANSACTIONS

Fort Worth, Texas, June 6.—Walter Marks was fined \$15,000, and Nathan H. Sang, Philip Goldstein and M. Hirsch, were each fined \$10,000 today by Federal Judge Benjamin Blesse...

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New Wheat Disease Has Been Lately Found in This State

Raleigh, June 5.—A wheat disease new to North Carolina and to the United States has recently appeared in the fields of Dr. F. A. Wolf, plant pathologist of the North Carolina Experiment Station. Specimens of the disease were sent to Dr. Wolf by...

Mr. Fant was unable to locate the source of infection. The farmers were of the opinion that the disease had been on their places last year and since the seed had been grown on the local farms...

FEDERAL REVENUES IN STATE SHOW INCREASE

About \$125,200,000 Collected in 11 Months of This Fiscal Year. Raleigh, June 3 (By the Associated Press).—Approximately \$125,200,000 has been collected in federal revenues in North Carolina during the eleven months of the fiscal year 1923...

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Some Threaten to Go on Strike if Their Wine is Taken From Them While in American Waters. Paris, June 5 (By the Associated Press).—The threat of strikers and firemen on French steamers to strike unless assured they will receive their usual daily allowance of wine...

FIND BODY OF MAN ALONG RAILROAD TRACKS

Dead Man Was W. C. McCarry, of Merckerson.—Body Found Near Elmwood. Asheville, June 6.—The body of W. C. McCarry, of Merckerson, N. C., was found by a Southern Railway train crew on the right of way of the railroad near Elmwood early today...

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HUGHES AGAIN DECLARES FOR THE WORLD COURT

America Herself Has Proved Its Need by Her Domestic Courts. New York, June 4.—The thousand members of the bench and bar heard Secretary of State Hughes plead for America's entrance into the world court tonight at the Kent centennial celebration at Columbia University.

Secretary Hughes said the tranquility of the world depended upon the existence of a world court just as the tranquility of the United States and its various states had depended and still depends upon the courts.

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LEVIATHAN'S TRIAL TRIP MAY BECOME \$1,000,000 JOY RIDE

Shipping Men Point Out Vessel Has Already Been Subjected to All Customs Tests. New York, June 4.—The trial trip for the steamship Leviathan may turn out to be, as it has already been dubbed, a "\$1,000,000 joy ride" for the personally chosen guests of Albert D. Lasker...

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Four Tons Hauled Mile for Nickel

Atlanta, Ga., June 7.—Five cents for hauling one ton of freight four miles, or four tons one mile, was the average received by the Southern Railway System during 1922. Figures which have just been compiled, covering the operations of the Southern for the year, show that 51,237,645 tons were handled, an average distance of 176.52 miles.

WOULD ABOLISH USE OF 'KANGAROO' COURTS

Tallahassee, Fla., June 3 (By the Associated Press).—With the Florida Legislature having abolished the practice of whipping prisoners in county convict camps by convict bosses, the Jacksonville Federation of Mothers' Clubs now has started a movement to take the "strap" from the hands of the "judge" of what is described as the "Kangaroo court" of the Duval county jail.

The "Kangaroo court," before which prisoners are said to be hauled for violation of "prisoners' statutes," is presided over, it is asserted, by an alleged murderer and the accused always is found guilty. The penalty ranges from fines of five cents to twenty dollars.

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LUCY GASTON'S POETRY WINS GIRLS FROM FAGS

Four-Line Verse in Yellow Chalk Conquers High School Smokers. Chicago, June 3.—A dash of vivid yellow, four lines of poetry, and Lucy Gaston, foe of cigarettes, have blown the smoke away out at Hyde Park High School. It was less than two weeks ago that Miss Gaston, head of the National Anti-Cigarette League...

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SMITH SENTENCED TO SERVE THREE YEARS

May Be Hired Out to Pay Part of the \$1,000 Costs in His Case. Goldsboro, June 5.—Dewey Smith, who was found guilty of manslaughter early Sunday morning in connection with the slaying of a young boy, was given a term of three years by Judge Horton in Wayne County Criminal Court.

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Audit of State Books to Be Completed This Evening.

Raleigh, June 4.—Auditors investigating the state's financial condition will complete their work at the capitol tomorrow night and will return to New York, where a report will be made to Senator Lanuford Long, chairman of the assembly special committee, in about 10 days.

SHRINERS ELEVATE CONRAD V. DYKEMAN TO HIGH POSITION

Brooklyn Man Has Been Elevated to Position of Imperial Potentate, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. Washington, June 6.—Conrad V. Dykeman, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was elevated to the position of Imperial Potentate today by the Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

FIGHTING NOW FOR NEXT MEETING

Philadelphia and Kansas City Seem to Have the Best Chance Now of Getting the 1924 Meeting.

In the fight for the 1924 convention which was to be decided later in the day, Kansas City and Philadelphia appeared to be the chief contenders. Clifford Ireland, of Peoria, Ill., a former member of Congress, was given a place in the direct line of succession when he was elected Imperial Outer Guard. The post is at the bottom of the line, and was made vacant by the elevation of all the higher officials.

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