

THE FRANKLIN TIMES

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TAR DROPS

Let the Chamber of Commerce be up and doing. The weather yesterday made one think of winter. Tobacco is selling well on the Louisburg Market. Cotton sold for 18 cents a pound in Louisburg yesterday.

GET INTO WALKING CLOTHES!

The public had better get into walking clothes. It looks like an absolute tie up of all trains. That is the declaration of R. M. Jewell, president of the railway employees' department of the American Federation of Labor. If you, who read it in the press dispatches, are one of the "public", now you know "where you get off."

It is the "public" that Mr. Jewell warns. It is the public that is defied and flouted. What business is it of the "public" whether trains run or not? Outside of the railroad workers, the whole number of persons constituting the "public" in the United States is not more than 105,000,000 or 104,000,000 men, women and children.

Hear Mr. Jewell: "I do not understand that the train service allows for the operation of a single train." Members of the "public"—farmers, mill operatives, doctors, merchants, carpenters, lawyers, students, school boys and school girls, ministers, teachers, printers, editors—you've got your orders. You'd better get into your walking clothes. The trains must stop. There may be no coal in your bin—

but the trains must stop. Your flour barrel may be empty—but the trains must stop. Your daughter or son may be ill at school in another state—but the mail trains will not run. Cotton drops five cents or ten cents a pound—but the trains shall not run. "Get into your walking clothes" and tote your cotton to market on your shoulders.

You are the "public"—you farmers, you workmen and you business men—and the railroads BELONG TO THE PUBLIC.

They are operated under your charters, over your rights of way. It is for the PUBLIC to say whether or not the railroad trains shall run. It is for the public to take orders from Mr. R. M. Jewell and "get into walking clothes"—or take the jobs when the present holders of them give them up.

What will the public do? Before it will allow trains to stop, before it will stave or freeze, before it will let its crops rot and go into bankruptcy, the PUBLIC from its own members, will FURNISH MEN TO OPERATE THE TRAINS WITHOUT WAGES, UNTIL THE EMERGENCY IS PASSED.

Thereafter, the trains will be operated by men sensible of their obligation to the public—whose officers will not snap a finger in their faces, at the beginning of winter, and tell them to "get into walking clothes."—Columbia State.

THE WOMEN'S AUXILIARY OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of the Episcopal church several missionary services will be held at the Episcopal church on Friday and Saturday, the fourth and fifth of November. A returned Missionary will speak at one of these meetings. Mrs. T. W. Bickett, Mrs. C. A. Shore and other prominent women in the work will take charge of these services. All are invited to attend this conference.

Bull-Dog Drummond

The Adventures of a Demobilized Officer Who Found Peace Dull

by CYRIL McNEILE "SAPPER"

ILLUSTRATIONS BY IRWIN MYERS

THREE

"Have you got him all right, Ted?" Hugh flung the question eagerly at Ted Jerningham, who was lounging in a chair at Half Moon street, with his feet on the mantelpiece. "I've got him right enough," answered Ted worthily, "but he doesn't strike me as being Number One value. He's gone off the boil. Become quite guggy again."

"H—!" said Hugh, "I thought we might get something out of him. I'll go and have a look at the bird." He left the room, and went along the passage to inspect the American. Unfortunately Jerningham was only too right: The effects of last night's injection had worn off completely, and the wretched man was sitting motionless in a chair, staring dazedly in front of him.

Thoughtfully Hugh stood in front of the millionaire, trying in vain to catch some gleam of sense in the vacant eyes.

"What luck?" Jerningham looked up as he came back into the other room. "Dam! all as they say in the vernacular. Have you blighters finished the beer?"

"Probably," remarked Peter Darvall. "What's the program now?" Hugh examined the head on his glass with a professional eye before replying.

"Two things," he murmured at length, "fairly leap to the eye. The first is to get Potts away to a place of safety; the second is to get over to Paris."

"Well, let's get gay over the first, as a kick-off," said Jerningham, eyeing "There's a car outside the door; there is England at our disposal! We'll take him away; you pad the hoof to Victoria and catch the boat-train."

"It sounds too easy," replied Hugh. "Have a look out of the window, Ted, and you'll see a man frantically busy doing nothing not far from the door. You will also see a racing car just across the street. Put a wet compress on your head, and connect the two."

A glumly silence settled on the assembly, broken by Jerry Seymour suddenly waking up with a start. "I've got the 'stomach-ache,'" he announced proudly.

His listeners gazed at him unmoved. "You shouldn't eat so fast," remarked Algy severely. "And you certainly oughtn't to drink that beer."

To avert the disaster he immediately consumed it himself, but Jerry was too engrossed with his brain-storm to notice.

"I've got the 'stomach-ache,'" he repeated, "and she ought to be ready by now. In fact I know she is. My last crash wasn't a bad one. What about it?"

"You mean . . . ?" said Hugh, staring at him.

"I mean," answered Jerry, "that I'll go off to the airdrome now, and get her ready. Bring Potts along in half an hour, and I'll take him to the governor's place in Norfolk. Then I'll take you over to Paris."

"Great!—simply great!" With a report like a gun Hugh hit the speaker on the back, inadvertently knocking him down. "Off you get, Jerry. By the way, how many will she hold?"

"Two beside me," spluttered the proud proprietor of the Stomach-ache. "And I wish you'd reserve your endearments for people of your own size, you great, fat, hulking monstrosity."

He reached the door with a moment to spare, and Hugh came back laughing.

"Verily—an upheaval in the grey matter," he cried, carefully refilling his glass. "Now, boys, what about Paris?"

"Is it necessary to go at all?" asked Peter.

"It wouldn't have been if the Yank had been sane," answered Drummond. "As it is, I guess I've got to. Now listen—all of you. Ted—off you go, and raise a complete waiter's outfit, dicky and all complete. Peter—you come with me to the airdrome, and afterward look up Mullings, at 13 Green street, Hoxton, and tell him to get in touch with at least fifty demobilized soldiers who are on for a scrap. Algy—you hold the fort here, and don't get drunk on my ale. Peter will join you, when he's finished with Mullings, and he's not to get drunk either. Are you all on?"

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What this country needs from the miners and operators on more underground operation and fewer field operations.—Little Rock Arkansas Gazette.

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The new heads of Alaska and the Philippines are Bone and Wood, respectively. Nashville Tennessee.

News item: "Ford cars have taken another drop." Where'd they get it? Greenville, S. C. Piedmont.

NOTICE Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Margaret Cannady, deceased, late of Franklin County, notice is hereby given all persons holding claims against her estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 28th day of October 1922 or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please come forward and make immediate settlement. This Oct. 27th, 1921. George T. Whitaker, Admr. G. M. Beam, Atty. 10-28-21

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Atha Jeans, deceased late of Franklin County, N. C., notice is hereby given all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 28th day of October, 1922, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This Oct. 28, 1921. F. J. BEASLEY, Admr. of Atha Jeans, dec'd. W. H. Yarborough, Atty. 10-28-21

NOTICE OF SUMMONS In the Superior Court, Franklin County, Lizzie Spivey, Vs. John Spivey.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Franklin County by the Plaintiff against the defendant, to obtain absolute Divorce upon the ground of Adultery. And the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in Louisburg, N. C. on the 8th day of December, 1921, and answer or demur to the Complaint in said action or the relief prayed for therein will be granted. This Oct. the 26th, 1921. 10-28-21 J. J. BARROW, C. S. C.

FOR SALE—One Ford Roadster in good shape. W. D. JACKSON. 10-28-21

ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE. Under an order of the Superior Court, I will on Thursday, Nov. 17th, 1921, at 11 A. M., at the Old Cannady Home Place between Simms Bridge and Lynch's Creek, sell at public auction for cash a piano, piano player and other furnishings of a well furnished house, also a lot of poultry. This Oct. 27, 1921. Mrs. Mary C. Henley, Admr. 10-28-21 Meta Cannady, dec'd.

Come to the Fair LOUISBURG, NOV. 8-12

Louisburg always has the best Fair and you will wish you had seen the many things of interest that will be exhibited should you fail to come. Just like Franklin County has the best Fair, L. P. Hicks has the best of everything to eat. See my display at the Fair.

L. P. HICKS ON THE CORNER

THE ROAMER, AMERICA'S SMART-est Car, should be handled in this City. Live Dealers please address ROAMER SALES AGENCY, Charlotte, N. C. 10-28-21

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER EXECUTION. In the Superior Court of Rocky Mount, Va. Geo. N. Cooke. By virtue of an execution directed to the undersigned from the Superior Court of Nash County in the above entitled action, I will on Monday, November 28th 1921, at 12 o'clock noon, at

the Courthouse door in Louisburg, N. C., sell to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said execution, all the right, title and interest of the said Geo. N. Cooke in the tract of land in Cedar Rock Township, Franklin County, North Carolina, owned by Mrs. Lucy W. Smith at the time of her death near the Louisburg and Nashville road adjoining the lands of Jos. T. Incoe and others, containing 140 acres more or less. This Oct. 26th, 1921. H. A. KEARNEY, Sheriff. 10-28-21

FOR SALE—1 Ford Truck, 1 Horse, 1 Mule, 2 good Milch Cows, 1 Beef Cow. Wm. D. Jackson or M. S. Clifton, Admr's. 10-28-21

ANNOUNCEMENT

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