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TELEGRAMS.

ST. CROIX STATION.

New York, January 5th.—Raw sugar was steady today at 4½ cts. for Cuba's cost and freight, equal to 5.25 for centrifugal. No sales were reported with fine granulated, and listed at 7.90 and 8.00 renewed selling pressure appeared in sugar futures and prices at midday were 15 to 17 points lower. Business was unusually active but most of it was in the form of switching.

Angora, Asia Minor, January 5th.—Mustapha Kemal Pasha, the Turkish National leader, has sent an ironical message to Mr. Lloyd George thanking the British Govt. through the Prime Minister for assisting the Nationalists. Great Britain had in fact done so, Mustapha Kemal points out, by furnishing the Armenians with 40,000 rifles and considerable war material which the Armenians, he says, surrendered to the Nationalists under the peace treaty they had concluded. The National Assembly here has created Mustapha Kemal a Field Marshal of the Turkish army in recognition of his services.

London, Jan. 5th.—Sir Donald Mac Master, the well known Anglo-Canadian member of Parliament for Chertsey, is seriously ill.

Munich, Bavaria, Jan. 5th.—Admiral Vor Tirpitz, who was the German Naval Secretary for the first two years of the war, does not believe "a kindly fate will give Germany 200 years to revive as after the Thirty Years War, because of the surrounding hostile nations". He makes this statement in an article written for a South German publication. While arguing that Germany's situation seems hopeless, the Admiral writes: "It

must be said that the 80,000,000 Germans in Middle Europe can be an invincible power if they hang together and are willing to sacrifice for national unity. If they separate, nothing but dreams will remain for them."

Rome, Jan. 5th.—The Pope today received the Roman aristocracy, headed by Prince Blonna, assistant to the Pontifical throne who delivered the address for the New Year's greeting. The Pontiff expressed his satisfaction that the aristocracy had followed his advice of last year in opposing immodesty of fashions. He spoke of Catholic activities, declaring that in this field the aristocracy was called upon to exercise the important work of direction, advance and example. The Pope recommended especially the reading and popularizing of the Gospel. Addressing the women, he praised the work they had done.

London, Jan. 5th.—Ulster men are preparing to make the opening of the parliament for Northern Ireland as picturesque and imposing as possible, endeavouring to obtain the consent of the King to personally open the first session or to have the Prince of Wales do so if the King is unable to be present, says the London Times. The newspapers adds that starting the Ulster Parliament is a fairly simple proposition but the crux of the problem would be met in Southern Ireland. It says, however, that the Government has virtually decided upon a bold course. Final decision has not yet been taken but, according to the "Times," the Government has practically resolved to reject the advance of cautious advisors to defer elections for the Southern Parliament until the results of the Ulster experiments are seen and bring the act into operation in both areas simultaneously holding elections for the two Parliaments concurrently. Apparently the Government is prepared to run the risk of considerable Sinn Fein abstentions, the paper asserts, to secure the vote of the moderate elements including the old constitutionalists under the leadership of John Dillon.

For Sale.

White Lime delivered in Christiansted at \$1.00 pr. barrel from 10 January 1921.
PHILIP SAMUEL.

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FROM THE POLICE.

ALL owners of dogs are enjoined with in the ending of January month to procure from the Police Office (for Kingshill District from Kingshill Police Station) the signs for dogs prescribed by the Police Regulations, which according to same must always be worn by the dog, and for which Francs 10.00 must be paid for dogs in town and Francs 2.00 for dogs in the country.

After said time dogs met not wearing the sign for 1921 will be caught and brought to the Police Office (Kingshill Police Station) and detained for 3 times 24 hours, when it will be killed, unless the owner appears to claim the dog, pays a fine of Francs 15.00 and eventually procures the required sign.

Christiansted's Police Office, St. Croix, the 29th December 1920.

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FROM THE POLICE.

IN accordance with the Ordinance of 14th November 1908 § 3 all owners of firearms in Christiansted's Jurisdiction are hereby notified that a new sign must be taken out for 1921 before the 15th of February a. c.

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