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The Santa Cruz Chapter of the American Red Cross completes its annual Roll Call today with a membership of 1,697 and all returns not yet received. These memberships are divided as follows:

	Christiansted	Frederiksted	Total
Annual (\$1)	1,129	523	1,647
Contributing (\$5)	27	12	39
Sustaining (\$10)		1	1
Life (\$50)	3	1	4
Patron (\$100)		1	1
	1,159	538	1,697

The fact that the Roll Call is ended does not mean that those who have not yet become Red Cross members cannot do so; they may join by calling at the Red Cross Office under the Post-Office.

The Chapter wishes to express its appreciation to the captains and collectors, named below, who through their cheerful and tireless efforts in the interests of their Chapter are responsible for the splendid membership obtained.

CAPTAINS:

Mrs. C. W. Critchlow, Christiansed Town
Mrs. J. Du Bois, Christiansted Country District.
Mrs. C. Espersen
Mr. Robert Skeoch

COLLECTORS, (CHRISTIANSTED TOWN)

Miss Ethel Adams	Miss C. Greenaway	Mrs. J. Niles
Mrs. O. Benjamin	Mrs. Margaret Hall	Mrs. C. Oliphant
Miss Esther Brown	Mrs. H. V. Hughens	Miss Viola Petersen
Miss Mabel Christiansen	Miss Estelle Jensen	Mrs. Caroline Paire
Miss Alice Crowe	Miss G. Johansen	Mrs. H. Rasmussen
Mrs. Je nette Crowe	Mrs. Ozema Johnson	Mrs. Emmy Schou
Miss Euterpe Dazle	Mrs. S. K. Lauder	Mrs. H. A. Smith
Mrs. A. Dedricksen	Mrs. R. Lowell	Miss Imogene Stephens
Mrs. W. A. Dyer	Miss Augusta Moorehead	Miss Eulodia Thurland
Mrs. Fensmark	Mrs. G. G. de la Motta	Miss Florissa Thurland
Miss L. Finlay	Miss Medora de la Motta	
Miss Florence Freeman		

COLLECTORS, (CHRISTIANSSED COUNTRY DISTRICT).

Mr. Abott
Rev. Mr. Agaard
Mrs. Alexander Haywood and Mrs. V. Harmon were in charge of the Christiansted Booth.

Mr. R. de Chabert
Mr. Chr. Espersen
Mr. Victor Hall
Miss Marie Hoffmann

AUCTION.

ON the 15th day of February 1921, at 3 p. m. there will be sold at Public Auction in the Police Stable yard at Frederiksted

A DONKEY

impounded on Estate Mt. Pleasant on the 25th day of January 1921.

Frederiksted Police Office, February 9th 1921.

F COULTER.
Director of Police.

EDITORIAL.

The Food Commission of this island holds a meeting in Government House at 2 o'clock this afternoon. This being the

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first meeting for several months during which new members have been appointed on the commission, it is sincerely hoped that the activities of the organisation will prove fruitful of desirable results. The attention of the commission is respectfully invited to the exigent need for readjustment of prices of local products especially, viz: meat, milk, poultry and eggs, charcoal, etc., the existing charges for which commodities have long since reached and passed the most excessive limits. Although it should be assumed that the last price list issued by the Food Commission is still in force

NOTICE.

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"Mystery"

200 Tons Register

U. S. Contract Mail Packet will until further arrive at Frederiksted every Friday night (commencing Friday 11th. inst.) from St. Thomas, V. I. Return to San Juan, Porto Rico via St. Thomas on Saturdays at 6 o'clock p. m., accepting passengers and freight.

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THOS. RAMSAY,

No. 12 Strand Street, Frederiksted, St. Croix, V. I. U. S. A.

Feb. 10, 1921.

at present, its limitations on most articles are exceeded and utterly ignored in numerous instances, eggs selling for seven cents a piece, instead of not higher than six; charcoal at \$1.50 to \$2.00 a bag while the rate should be 90 cents, and so on. It is also suggested that the number of items controlled by the Food Commission be further increased to include vegetables, and to some extent fruit, these things in particular being in sufficient demand, and sold at such exorbitant valuation as to warrant their being placed in the category of staple articles the prices of which shall be controlled by the Food Commission. The commission has our best wishes for appropriate action in these several respects directly touching the public welfare.

Correspondence.

Christiansted, February 9, 1921.
The Editor of the "Avis"

Dear Sir:-

We have read Mr. Svendsen's letter in your valued issue of today, and also noted that the ruling which occasioned our communication of the 7th. instant has been withdrawn from the advertisement of tomorrow night's show. We are glad to be able to infer therefrom that the manager of the theatre realizes that the comfort of his patrons should be given some little consideration in conducting a public place of amusement, so there is no further cause for dispute,—except that we must insist that such a rule as we kicked against does not obtain in any place worth while mentioning, and which Mr.