

CHRISTIANSTED THEATRE

8.30 THURSDAY EVENING 8.30

"The Mortgaged Wife"

6 Reels. A Universal Special Attraction 6 Reels.

A young teller in a bank steals 50,000 00 Dollars, is hunted by the Detectives, comes to his home and tells his wife that he has stolen the money—but lost it. The Detectives capture him while he is with his wife, to save himself from prison he mortgages his wife to the banker from whom he stole the money. The banker advises him to go to the Western States where there are great opportunities, and leave his wife with him, instead of doing so he continues his life with his girls.

The banker is operating with great amounts invested in Steamship Companies, many of these Steamships have been sunk by German U Boats, and it has been impossible from where the U Boats get the information when these Steamships have port.

Come and see the big Liner "Adriatania" torpedoed by German U. Boat, and see the Wireless Operator flashing the S. O. S. out in the dark night, while you see the Liner sinking.

See the U. Boat hunted by the U. S. Destroyers and at last being blown to pieces, while the passengers are drifting about in the Atlantic.

Come and see the German Spy caught, and the mortgaged wife paying the debt herself.

The interesting criminal-love and spy story will keep you awake the whole way through, having a cast similar to "The Silk-lined Burglar".

ADMISSION:

Reserved Seats 40c.
General Entrance 20c.

NOTICE.

It is hereby made known that owing to no business before the Council the ordinary meeting which was fixed for Monday, February 16, has been postponed to MONDAY, MARCH 1, 1920, at 1 o'clock p. m.

ROBT. L. MERWIN,
Chairman.

Colonial Council Office, St. Croix, February 10, 1920.

Tomorrow, 12th, having been set apart as a holiday by proclamation of the Governor for the purpose of observing Lincoln's birthday, there will be no issue of this paper. This is after consideration that so little attention is being paid to holidays nowadays that the term has lost the meaning it used to have, nearly all places of business being kept open throughout the so-called holidays that when a day is specially set apart we cannot but feel like observing it in real old-time fashion and let our hands off for a deserved recreation.

To-morrow the post office will observe for business the hours from 8-9 a. m., and 4-5 p. m.

As will be seen by those who heard the

addresses of the Congressional Commission, most of the ground was covered in the stand that Mr. Totten took in his lecture, at the Theatre a few nights ago. After hearing these great gentlemen speak, we cannot with justice agree, that the visit of the delegates of the Virgin Islands Protective League has done more harm than good.—Communicated.

Cricket

A cricket match will be played tomorrow on the Holger Danske Ground between two Picked Eleven Cricket Clubs, both of this town. Names are as follows:

P. E. C. C.	P. E. C. C.
R. Brun actg. Capt.	R. Finlay actg. Capt.
G. Nugent,	B. Anduze,
L. Meyers,	R. Gerard,
C. Derricks,	C. James,
B. Tuitt,	C. Hansen,
H. Seeley,	E. Martin,
H. Williams,	W. Rouss,
H. Edwards,	P. Petersen,
C. Messer,	C. Gerard,
P. Jackson,	I. James,
I. James,	V. Roberts.

Persons interested in the Game are welcome to the Ground. Game commences at 11 a. m. precisely.—Com.

TELEGRAMS.

ST. CROIX STATION.

Paris, Feb. 5th.—Marshal Foch, who has been admitted to the ranks of the immortals, was received at the Academy this afternoon, in the presence of a brilliant assemblage.

Windsor, Feb. 5th.—The historical King's College, which was erected in 1791 and received the Royal Charter of King George the Third in 1802, was destroyed by fire this afternoon. It was the oldest Colonial University in the world.

Washington, Feb. 5th.—A favourable report of the Bill repealing to war-time measure of control of wheat prices, has been ordered by the Senate Agricultural Committee.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5th 1920.

Flour, Blended Clear St. Lawrence Brand
pr. bbl. \$12.70

Meal, Kindried per 100 lbs \$3.75

New Season's Pork per bbl. \$46.00

Heavy Mess Pork per bbl. \$44.00

Sugar---Crystals (Confirmed by Brokers)
per 100 lbs. \$7.28.

Molasses 89° test pr 100 lbs. no quotation
Cotton, Middling Upland, at Liverpool per
lb. 27 40-100d.

Exchange, New York and London, 60
days' sight \$3.17

Exchange New York and London, sight
\$3.25

LONDON, Feb. 5th 1919.

Sugar-Demerara Crystals duty paid price,
fixed by the Royal Commission per cwt
106s. 0d. -109s. 0d.

Muscovado, 89° basis, floating terms in
bond, Ditto duty paid. 95s. 0d. -97s. 0d.

German Beet 83° f.o.b. no further sales
during the war

White Java sugar cif U. Kingdom cif
without engagement. 90.0

White Java Sugar, cif United Kingdom if arrives before 27th December 85/
Demerara Rum, per gal. nominal.

Trinidad Cocoa, Good Middling Red per
cwt 128s. 0d. 130s. 0d.

Cotto Medium Fine Sea Island, at Liverpool nominal per lb.

Bank of England rate of Discount per
cent. 6.

Consols 50

Three per cent rentes in Paris Pcs. 58.65.

All prices subject to correction.

TWO NEW STEAMER LINES

TO VISIT ISLAND PORTS.

Royal Mail, British, and Royal Dutch
West India Line, to Start Service
Through Islands.

Two new lines of steamship which are to visit island ports have been announced this week. The Royal Mail Steamer "Balantia", which is to engage in inter-island trade, was expected this week from Kingston, Jamaica, on her first trip North. The "Balantia" is a ship built particularly for tropical trade and is approximately the same tonnage as the