

CHRISTIANSTED THEATRE

8.30 THURSDAY EVENING 8.30

"In The Lion's Claw."

EPISODE 7.

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Show Concluding with

"The Woman Hater"

ADMISSION.

ADULTS — Reserved Seats 40 cents, General Entrance 20 cents.
CHILDREN—Reserved Seats 20 cents, General Entrance 10 cents.

ADDITIONAL ADVERTISEMENTS FOR MAIL SERVICE

issued by the Post Office Department, Washington, D. C., are now in the hands of the Postmaster at Christians ed, and may be seen at the Post Office where they are being displayed for the information of the public.

The services comprise the overland motor car service to Frederiksted, now being performed by Mr. J. Alexander, and the connection maintained with St. Thomas by Mr. W. L. Penheny, both schedules being the same as are observed at present, except that the service between St. Thomas and Christiansted provides for a twice a week connection instead of once, the days of sailings from the latter point to be Monday and Thursday,—at 6 p. m. The bonds required with the proposals for these contracts are respectively \$1,600, and \$2,600. All proposals must be in the form prescribed by the Department and accompanied by a bond, in the sum stated in the advertisement, executed by the bidder and two or more individual sureties, or by the bidder and a surety company that has complied with the acts of August 13, 1894, and March 23, 1910. The Postmaster will be pleased to furnish prospective bidders with all information pertaining to this matter. Bids should reach the office of the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General by 4.30 p. m. January 13, 1920. The contract period runs from July 1, 1920 to June 30, 1924.

The Industrial Band played in the bandstand last night.

The St. Thomas mails are not yet to hand, but with favorable breeze now on, the schooner may get in before noon.

The "Parima" has not arrived in St. Thomas as was reported last night. It is expected that she will get there today.

OFFICIAL NEWS.

Governor Oman accompanied by his

Legal Aid, Lieut. Horan, arrived on board the Vixen at noon, and attended the meeting of the Colonial Council.

Commander Mink, the New Medical Aid to the Governor, accompanied by Lieut. Petersen, Chief Sanitary Officer, were also aboard and came ashore to discuss medical affairs with the local Medical Officers.

Lieut. Oliphant, recently assigned to duty in the Virgin Islands arrived on the Vixen with his family and will take station in St. Croix.

Mr. Nase, Assistant Director of Education, also a passenger, paid a short visit regarding school matters.

The Governor returned to St. Thomas at 5:15 p. m. and was accompanied by Judge Noll.

An extraordinary meeting of the Colonial Council of St. Thomas meets on Tuesday the 18th, to consider unfinished matters before it, among the most important of which is the appointment of a committee on the Code of Laws

November 18, 1919.

American steamer Western Hero with general cargo from Argentina bound for New York arrived at St. Thomas yesterday.

American steamer Lake Forest in ballast from St. Lucia for Ports in Cuba arrived at St. Thomas this morning.

SOMETHING ABOUT METHOD IN EXHIBITING SERIAL PICTURES AT THE MOVIES.

The present system of the Christiansted Theatre of exhibiting serial pictures as portions of variety programmes wherefore only a very limited number of parts of such serials can be presented each night thereby extending the course of same over several weeks during which

patrons are either obliged to attend regularly or lose the thread of the story, is a matter which is being commented on and calls for attention from the management. It is popularly agreed that it would be far more practical and suitable to show complete programmes of serials without any other mixed pictures being shown on the same nights, and the comic with which the shows now terminate are considered unnecessary and better replaced by additional parts of the serials. As it is, one seems to be going to a serial everlastingly, and each night seeing only enough to irritate rather than interest. As it is believed that the management is interested in so arranging the shows that all patrons are satisfied, it is hoped that these suggestions will be adopted and the exhibitions run on similar lines to those in St. Thomas. It is sure to prove of mutual advantage in the long run.—Com.

U. S. NAVY PRESS NEWS.

WASHINGTON: Enlargement of Civil Service Commission and the enactment of the legislation to forbid discrimination between men and women was recommended today by the advisory board.

WASHINGTON: President Wilson was taken down stairs today in a wheel chair and rolled out on the White House lawn near the south portico where he bathed in the sunshine. It was the first time he had left the house since his return trip.

NEW YORK: Milk drivers whose threatened strike won them a raise and sent milk prices up found a consumer's strike in progress in many parts of the city. Thousands of homes plan to abstain from milk three times a week until prices are lowered.

MIAMI, FLA: The seizure today by Federal Authorities of two boats plying between this port and Bahama Islands on technical charge was the first step in the campaign to put an end to "boot legging" between this country and British possessions.

WASHINGTON: State Department has telegraphed urgent instructions to the United States Ambassador at Mexico City to take steps toward getting the release of W. J. Jenkin, American Consular Agent at Puebla, charged with collision with bandits who recently kidnapped him. He was kept in the penitentiary then restricted from his own home without bail.

WASHINGTON: The Supreme Court is to hear arguments next Thursday of Constitutionality of dry law enforcement act.

FIUME: d'Annunzio's latest exploit appears to have made him master of the Dalmatian Coast. Secured adherence to his side of Admiral Chahillo, Commander of Station of Italian Occupation Forces in Dalmatia and added four warships including one dreadnought to his forces.