

CHRISTIANSTED THEATRE

8.15. THURSDAY EVENING 8.15

Wallace Reid Supported by Myrtle Hedman

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE COLONIAL COUNCIL FOR ST. CROIX.

3. Letter from Mr. Edgar W. Meyers, Chairman of the Road Commission, to Chairman of the Colonial Council, under date of October 9, a c., requesting that a member be elected to serve on the Road Commission in lieu of Svend Jorgensen, deceased.

To the Chairman of the Colonial Council, Captain A. J. Blackwood:

I hereby politely request you to submit the following to the Colonial Council at its next meeting.

By the death of Mr. Svend Jorgensen, it becomes necessary to elect a new member of the Road Commission, and by the enclosed correspondence, it is obvious that it is also necessary to elect one in the place of Mr. W. H. Fleming.

As will be seen in his letters, Mr. Fleming declines attending any meetings of the Road Commission. I will suggest that Mr. W. H. MacKay of Estate "Concordia", be appointed to fill the first mentioned vacancy, and Mr. C Lawaetz of Estate "La Grange", that of the second.

N. B. I am not sure if both these members are elected by the Council, or one of them by Government, and the other by the Council.

Respectfully yours,

EDGAR W. MEYERS.

Chairman of the Road Commission.

"Beeston Hill" October 9, 1921.

The Chairman remarked: The absent members are all off the island, and therefore are not able to communicate. We will now proceed to the Order of the Day.

Item 1.

Colonial Council Bill No. 9.

Introduction of and 1st Discussion on Colonial Council Bill No. 9. Additional Money Bill granting Fres. 15,000.00 for the purpose of constructing reinforced concrete gallery in the rear of Christiansted Public School Building, and remodeling and making repairs to inside of building. Introduced by Government.

The bill reads as follows:

Colonial Council Bill No. 9.

Third Council, First Session, 1921-22.

ADDITIONAL MONEY BILL

to the Budget for the Municipality of St. Croix, for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1922.

The Department of Public Works is hereby granted the sum of Francs 15,000.00 for the purpose of constructing reinforced concrete gallery in the rear of Christiansted Public School Building, and remodeling and making repairs to inside of Building.

Proposed by Government.

Government Secretary (Gaffney) in introducing the Money Bill said,—Mr. Chairman. I believe that this project has been looked into by the Municipal Committee and sanctioned by that Com-

mittee. The entire amount will not be used for the gallery; ten percent will be used for remodeling the interior of the building. The Chairman of the Municipal Committee knows the entire project.

The Chairman remarked: Discussion is now open on the bill.

4th Appointed Member (Blackwood) remarked: Mr. Chairman. The amount called for in this Money Bill is to continue the work that is being done to the Public School Building. The Municipal Committee has examined and has seen what is being done. I recommend the bill to the favorable consideration of the Council.

No one requesting the word further, 1st Discussion closed.

4th Appointed Member (Blackwood) remarked: Mr. Chairman. If there is no particular need to rush this matter through, I move that the rules be complied with, but if there is pressing necessity for the money I will vote for 2nd Discussion on the bill today.

Government Secretary (Gaffney) remarked: Mr. Chairman. In view of the lapse of time between meetings, Government requests that 2nd Discussion on the Bill come on today.

1st Appointed Member (Henderson) proposed that 2nd Discussion come on today.

2nd Member for Christiansted Town (Canegata) seconded the member's proposal and furthermore the Member said: When this project was first begun it was the intention to have the staircase of the building on the front gallery, but a protest was made from several of the inhabitants of this town. The Municipal Committee then inspected the building and the School Director at the time stated by having the staircase outside the building he would be able to accommodate 120 more pupils. The Municipal Committee favoured the protest and agreed to the erection of a back gallery and staircase. It was not contemplated that the work would cost as much as is asked for, but as we recommended the plan, rather than have the work half done I propose that this money bill be considered.

It was put to the vote whether 2nd Discussion on the bill should come on today.

11 members voted for; none against. 2nd Discussion opened.

1st Appointed Member (Blackwood) remarked: Mr. Chairman. After hearing the remarks of 2nd Member for Christiansted Town (Canegata) I propose that 2nd Discussion on the bill be closed.

(To be continued)

EDITORIAL.

Mr. Bonaparte, the West End boxing fraternity, and the management of the West End Movies are to be congratulated on the successes scored at their recent