

CHRISTIANSTED THEATRE

8.00. TUESDAY EVENING 8.00

6 REELS

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Continuation of the Great Serial

"Lass of Lumberland"

ADMISSION

Reserved Seats.....30 and 40c
General Entrance.....20c.
Children 20 and 10c.

Department of Education
St. Croix, May 13, 1921.

CIRCULAR LETTER TO ALL TEACHERS, No. 19.

1. The attention of all teachers is called to the fact that the attendance of pupils in the Schools of St. Croix is very poor, as can be seen from the following report of per cent of pupils attending school for:

Week ending March 4, 1921	91.04
" " " 11, "	88.72
" " " 18, "	88.70
" " April 8, "	86.06
" " " 15, "	83.23
" " " 22, "	82.89
" " " 29, "	81.06

While it is realised that at this season of the year pupils are apt to attend school less regularly on account of the opportunities for field labor, as well as becoming tired of school work; nevertheless, something must be done by every teacher and principal to keep the attendance from getting lower and to raise it above 90.00% if possible.

2. The maximum fines as provided by law will be imposed by this office on parents or guardians of children who are either absent or tardy without accepted excuse from their principal or the Assistant Director of Education.

In addition to the above fines, the criminal section of the new Code of Laws provide for a fine up to Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) to be imposed by the Court on those parents or guardians who are wilfully detaining their children from school. A list of parents who are very negligent in sending their children to school will be given to the Government Attorney for purpose or prosecution.

3. A Roster of the schools with reference to their per cent of attendance will be kept at this office beginning today and a suitable award will be given the school at the close of the School Year.

4. The provisions of this letter will be carefully explained to the pupils and given as much publicity as possible.

(For the Director of Education)
ARTHUR E. LINDBORG.

NOTICE.

THE June Term of the District Court of the Virgin Islands, Municipality of St. Croix, will open, for the Fredriksted Sub-Judicial district, at the Fort in Frederiksted, Monday June 6th, 1921 at 10 o'clock A. M.

And for the Christiansted Sub-Judicial District, at Government House, Christiansted, Thursday, June 9, 1921 at 10 o'clock A. M.

J. F. HENRY,

Clerk of the District Court.

It is our sad duty today to chronicle the death at midnight last night of young ANTHONY J ALEXANDER, second son of our esteemed townsman and merchant John Alexander and brother of Mr. Joseph Alexander, so well known to us all. The young man had been in poor health ever since he returned from the States several months ago, and is cut off in but the 18th. year of his age. He was very popular here, his amiable and quiet, genteel disposition winning him many friends, and his passing away robs the community of one of its promising young men. To his father and brothers thus sadly bereaved, we offer our heartfelt sympathy.

The funeral will take place at 4.30 p.m. today from the residence.

LOCAL.

After printing our note of Saturday to the effect that the Mystery had not arrived, it was discovered that she had got to Frederiksted since three o'clock that morning. The Christiansted mail reached here shortly after 2.30 p. m., just about 12 hours later.

The circus company gave performances on Saturday evening, and yesterday afternoon, and evening, on all occasion goodly audiences being present. It is announced that the last performance will be held tonight, the company going to Frederiksted tomorrow.

The large tent is taken down today for repairs. The feats of this company are truly marvelous and all who can do so should embrace the opportunity of attending tonight's show. Owing to the high cost of labor, etc. it is impossible to reduce the prices of admission the manager announces, but there will be a special programme to consist of 14 items instead of 11.

As mentioned in Saturday's issue, there will be no cine show at the theatre this evening owing to the circus.

One of the largest and choicest gatherings of the respectability was present in the Christiansted Theatre on Saturday night at the exhibition of the Danish film showing the ceremonies of the transfer and occupation of north Schleswig which province was restored to Denmark under the provisions of the Versailles treaty. At 8.30 the occasion was opened with an address of welcome by Director Eduard Gedde who in the most excellently chosen English reviewed the loss of the Danish province in 1864 following the war with Germany and Austria, the hardships and oppression which the Danish population of the place experienced under the German administration, the love for Denmark and the cherished hope of re-annexation which the people preserved all through the fifty odd years of German rule, and the Danish tradition which still lingered that a Danish King would some day ride across the border marking the restoration of the union with the old mother country, which prophecy was fulfilled in July 1920. Mr. Gedde paid high tribute to the part which our government under President Wilson took in effecting this happiness of the Danish people, and at the close of his address the Danish and United States national anthems were played while the audience stood reverently. The pictures were splendid; clear, interesting, and instructive, and showed many views of the King of Denmark on the memorable day; at Copenhagen, at Kolding, at Dybbol and Haderslev, but the view that took and brought forth thunderous applause was that showing him crossing the old German frontier at Friedrickshof. During intermission refreshments were served gratis. Afterward followed the second part of the programme which was to consist solely of foreign views and a comic, but on request to repeat the Danish film, a part of this was shown once more. The Danish element was of course fully represented, and there were many natives, and a few continental Americans, all of whom it is sure enjoyed a very agreeable evening for which thanks are due to the promoters, the West India Sugar Factory, its directors, and especially to Mr. Adamsen and Mr. Gedde, and Mr. R. Petersen manager of the theatre who remembered many