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Christiansted Theatre

LECTURE

Nov. 19th -- 5 P M .

CUBA AND THE IMMIGRANTS.

A knowledge of what our people are experiencing.

By

**MR. EMANUEL BROWNE,
COME ONE, COME ALL.**

DISEASES DANGEROUS TO PUBLIC HEALTH IN THE VIRGIN ISLANDS OF THE UNITED STATES.

During the month of October 1922, the following diseases of interest to the public have been reported:

In Saint Croix.

Dysentery, entamebic.....	1
Filariasis, bancrofti.....	4
Trachoma.....	5
Tuberculosis chr. pulm.....	1
Hookworm disease.....	1

In St. Thomas.—St. John.

Dengue.....	1
Fishpoisoning, (Barracuda).....	1
Tuberculosis, chr. pulm.....	1

H. M. STENHOUSE
Chief Sanitation Officer
Municipality of St. Croix.

LOCAL.

The football match, referred to yesterday, between a team from the British cruiser Constance, and an eleven from this town, was played on the Parade Ground and won by the former by three goals to none.

The Christiansted players were composed of eight men from the Athletic football club, two from the Dreadnought and one from the Native Stars. Both sides played well and but for the excellent goal-keeping, the Englishmen might have won by a bigger score. A band from the ship discoursed lively airs during the game; this was not the ship's regular band, which is understood to be disorganized, but a private orchestra promiscuously mustered. There was a host of spectators, roughly estimated about 2,000 people on foot and in cars. On returning to town the band marched in the crowd playing and halted at Mr. McIntosh's residence where arrangement had been made for entertaining the visitors. They left for Frederiksted after 8 in the evening.

We understand that there will be no

movie show at St. Mary's Hall this evening on account of a wrong selection sent by the agent which will be returned in exchange for a better programme.

St. Thomas News

At a meeting of the executive committee of the St. Thomas Chapter of the Red Cross, yesterday November 8, the following officers were duly elected:

Mrs. H. H. Hough, Chairman; Mr. D. E. Boardman, Vice-Chairman; Mr. M. S. Malling-Holm, Treasurer; Mr. Alton A. Adams, Secretary; Mrs. Thiele, Chairman of Junior Red Cross; Mr. Axel Holst, Disaster Relief Committee; Mrs. E. C. Greider, Sewing Committee; Mr. Philip Gomez, Merc' Marine Committee.—*The Bull* .. Nov. 9th.

There was quite a representative gathering at the Grand Hotel yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, where and when a Resolution was adopted requesting the Colonial Council for St. Thomas and St. John to lay before the President and Congress the present deplorable situation and pray that these islands be exempted from the Volstead Act.

Emile A. Berne Esq. presided, and J. Percy Souffront Esq. acted as Secretary. The meeting lasted about an hour, the various speakers being brief and to the point.

Notwithstanding the diversity of opinion on other matters, those present at yesterday's meeting seemed to be imbued with one spirit, and the harmonious tone of the gathering clearly demonstrated that at last we are united in the gigantic effort to save our little country.

The Congress may have the artificial, man made right to legislate; but above that, is the natural right that we should live in peace in the land where we were born.

We are not begging for anything; for money or political advantages; we are simply requesting that we be allowed to work for a livelihood.

Is that too much to ask, and to expect? The resolution and letter to Chairman of the Colonial Council are published in another column.—*The Bulletin*, November 10th.

Saint Thomas, V. I., U. S. A.,
10th November, 1922.

Honourable C. G. Thiele,
Chairman Colonial Council,
Saint Thomas, V. I., U. S. A.
Mr. Chairman:

We have the honour to hand you herewith a Resolution which was drawn up and adopted by a Public Meeting held at the Grand Hotel on the afternoon of Thursday the ninth November, a. c.

It is the desire of the public, as expressed at the above mentioned meeting, that you impress on the Honourable Members of the Council, the necessity of prompt

action in the premises, and of making the requested protest as strong as possible, pointing out to His Excellency, the President and Congress, the deplorable condition of the island, brought about by the enforcement of the Volstead Act. Every industry having been ruined and the island being actually on the verge of bankruptcy, with starvation staring us in the face, which undoubtedly is due to the lack of the port's activities: the harbour having been, and still is, the only means of our subsistence.

In view of the urgency of the situation we respectfully request you to call an extraordinary meeting of the Colonial Council, as expeditiously as possible, so as to make the proper representations at Washington, D. C., during the coming session of Congress.

Respectfully.

EMILE A. BERNE, Chairman,
P. SOUFFRONT, Secretary.

—Ibid.

RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS Congress will meet in session on or about November fifteenth; and

WHEREAS Congress is the Supreme legislative authority of the Nation; and

WHEREAS it is confidently believed that the matter of Prohibition will be among the measures discussed at said; and

WHEREAS Prohibition is detrimental and ruinous to the interests of the Island.

BE IT RESOLVED that we, the citizens of Saint Thomas, V. I., U. S. A. in public meeting assembled, do hereby emphatically protest against the application of the Volstead Act to this island, and Be it further resolved that the Colonial Council of Saint Thomas and St. John, V. I., of the U. S. A., be requested and is hereby requested to protest before the President and Congress against the said application and request that Saint Thomas be exempted from the Volstead Act.

EMILE A. BERNE.

Chairman of the Meeting.

P. SOUFFRONT.

Secretary of the Meeting.

—Ibid.

TELEGRAMS.

ST. CROIX STATION.

New York, Nov. 9th.—The House of Representatives will be composed of 225 Republicans, seven more than a majority, 207 Democrats, one Socialist, one farmer labour and one Independent.

London, Nov. 9th.—The come back made by the Democrats in the United States elections last Tuesday, is explained in the papers in many ways, and the speculation, which the editorial writers indulge in, is quite diversified. Some think the pendulum merely swung back, but others interpret the voting as revealing widespread disgust with the Harding administration and many of its works.