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St. Thomas News.

Among the passengers who arrived on Thursday by the "Guiana" from New York, were Lieut. Pottigrew of the Public Works Department, and wife; Miss Adeline B. Zachert, Librarian in Chief of the Public Library, Miss Eleanor Gleason, Assistant Librarian, and Mr. John Streich of Wisconsin, newly appointed Postmaster for St. Thomas.

Mr. Streich was at one time Divisional Inspector in the main office at Washington, D. C. Later he was connected with the Postmaster General at Washington as First Assistant.

Mr. Streich is a young man, and is full of "pep." He hopes to make good in his new post.

Mr. Bayes, whom he has superseded and who has been acting as Postmaster since the retirement of Mr. Lee from that office, will remain indefinitely until further.—*St. Thomas Mail Notes, Nov. 6th.*

From the 11th to the 25th of this month, the local chapter of the American Red Cross will conduct an energetic campaign for new members.

In view of the national character of this organization, as well as the great good it is doing, it is expected that St. Thomians will respond heartily to the call.—*St. Thomas Mail Notes, November 8th.*

We extend a hearty welcome to the Rev. Fr. Griffith who arrived on Saturday last to assist the Rev. Fr. J. F. Piggrim of All Saints Church.

It may be of interest to the people here to know that the Rev. gentleman has for 10 years been Rector of St. Mary's, Baltimore, one of the largest English colored congregation in America and, also, a resident of the Public Welfare League for the advance of the interests of colored people in America.

With the exception of 1½ years as Chaplain with the Army in France the Rev. gentleman has devoted his whole ministry to the colored people, thus we may say he is amply fitted for work in the West Indies.—*The Bulletin, Nov. 8th.*

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ADDITIONAL MONEY BILL

To the Budget for the Municipality of St. Croix for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1921.

To Item XI. Miscellaneous Add.

6. In aid to Century Brass Band of Fredriksted..... Frcs. 1,500.
7. In aid to Native Brass Band of Christiansted..... Frcs. 1,500.
8. In aid to Industrial Brass Band of Christiansted..... Frcs. 600.

These grants are made on the condition that each said Band render at least two public concerts each month, one of which shall be given in the country provided free transportation for the Band is rendered.

Thus duly passed by the Colonial Council for St. Croix at 2nd Discussion at its 3rd Ordinary Meeting held Monday, October 18, 1920.

D. C. CANEGATA
Secretary.

F. COULTER,
Vice-Chairman.

The above additional Money Bill is hereby sanctioned and approved in its entirety.

Witness my hand and seal of the Government of the Virgin Islands at St. Thomas, this 26th day of October, 1920.

J. N. OMAN.
Governor.

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