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LOCAL.

The motor vessel Atrato chartered by the proprietors of the Mystery arrived at Frederiksted early this morning with a large week-end mail. The postmaster here went to Frederiksted and fetched it, except the letter mail from St. Thomas which it is requested advised will be sent over later about noon.

Postmaster Streich was a passenger on the Atrato and will spend the day here.

CORRECTION.

In yesterday's Avis, 2nd page 2nd column, line 4 from bottom strike out the word "doesn't" and insert the word "does" and on 3rd line insert the word "and" after the word "island".

Correspondence

Football.

Tomorrow afternoon on the Holger Danske Ground, the Dreadnought No. 2 Football Club and the Excelsior Football Club, both of this Town will have a contest with each other.

Persons interested in the game are welcome to the Ground to witness this contest, as it will be the first match both Clubs are going to play. Kick off at 4.30 p. m. precisely.

We hope the weather will favor the sport.—Com.

The Coming Election

For the vacant seat in the Colonial Council, for Christiansted Country District (second member) is fixed for Saturday the 30th instant:—Voters for that Section, and all others interested, included Members already seated who are looking out to have their ranks filled with men of ability; please remember to be on the alert, and take notice that we are living in extraordinary times and need to be extraordinarily careful in setting up and supporting a man of knowledge and with a clear view of the signs of the times. The man wanted should be one

of debating ability and experience, with a thorough understanding of procedure in parliamentary moves and measures; he must be known to possess the tact necessary to cope with the smart men he has to deal with today; a man that can talk well and talk sensibly, raise points and be resolute in forcing them—no merely "Gapfiller" or "Figure Head" will suit today, but a thoroughly wide-awake and lively man. Moreover he must be one that his Electors will have confidence in, as to his integrity and honour and who they can feel sure will not be daunted by the frowns of this, nor be cajoled by the smiles of that other man, but although he be surrounded by the high and mighty, will still manfully and strongly, without fear of any, vindicate, advocate and uphold, as well as firmly resist in the interest of those who he is there to represent.

The man who it is believed will answer all such requirements is J. ROBERTS. He is a son of the soil and of good ancestry, courteous and respectful to all, yet stubborn to the last where his stand is taken. He has given good account of himself whenever, and wherever tried. The members of the old M. I. S. remember him well. His equal it would be difficult to find in the matter of the political history of the Island, and is well posted in general history—great in memory! feared as a controversial antagonist, and admired by all. Voters, it is to your interest in these times to elect J. ROBERTS.—Com.

TELEGRAMS.

ST. CROIX STATION.

London, July 20th.—The probability of a meeting in Belfast between Mr. De Valera and Sir James Craig is foreshadowed in some political quarters and several newspapers this morning. General Smuts, who reentered the negotiations yesterday, doubtlessly is largely responsible for this and similar optimistic speculations which have survived under great difficulties since Monday, when the Ulster Premier departed suddenly for Belfast after making a forceful statement on the subject of selfdetermination as it applied to Ulster. This seemed for a time to end all hope for an amicable meeting between the two Irish Leaders, but the moderating influence of General Smuts coupled with Belfast despatches to the effect that Sir James does not regard the peace pourparlers as interrupted, have gone a long way towards reestablishing confidence. Mr. De Valera now is reported willing to go to Belfast and meet Sir James after he has discussed with his Dublin followers certain proposals which it is understood Mr. Lloyd George will submit to him on Thursday. The cabinet today will give special consideration to the Irish question and it is believed that the proposals will be discussed at great length and that they are