

ST. MARY'S MOVIES

Tuesday, July 10, 1923, 8.15 P. M.

Clara Kimball Young

IN

"The Hands of Nara"

7 REEL DRAMA.

PRICES:

Reserved Seats.....25c.
General Admission.....15 & 10c.

Publication.

IT is hereby brought to public notice that the Government has, this date, authorized the Reverend G. A. GRIFFITHS to perform civil-religious functions in the Municipality of Saint Croix.

Government of the Virgin Islands of the United States, St. Thomas, 5 July, 1923.

J. J. GAFFNEY,
Government Secretary.

Mails Close

for the United States by s. s. "Guiana" tomorrow at 4. p. m.

LOCAL

The s. s. "Guiana" for New York is due at Frederiksted at 6 a. m. on Wednesday

The s. s. Romanita arrived at this port at 4.15 p. m., on Saturday bringing St. Thomas, Porto Rico and States mail as usual

The Native Brass Band rendered a well arranged program last night to the entertainment of a large gathering who sought fresh air on the wharf.

The Secret Four will again be presented in further attractive parts at the Christiansted Theatre this evening. See program for this show advertised on next page.

Football.

The Merry Juvenile football club of this town and the Merry Boys of Frederiksted lined up against each other on the Oval yesterday for the announced game,

at the end of the match it was a tie each side scoring one goal.

Baseball.

The Merry Juvenile won the baseball match played between themselves and the Newburg of Frederiksted. The score being M. J. 9, and Ng. 8

Tollen Writes About The Failure Of The Great Garvey Movement.

FOLLOWERS OF ORGANIZATION IN THE VIRGIN ISLANDS, SHOULD CAREFULLY STUDY WHAT MAKES GOOD LEADERSHIP, BY THE LESSON IT TEACHES.

By ASHLEY L. TOLLEN.
New York City,

Selfishness, bigotry, and race antagonism are three evils that will render destruction wherever it exists.

A striking example of this is found in the failure of Marcus M. Garvey, self-styled President of Africa, High Supreme Chancellor, the Potentate, President General of the U. N. I. A., the Grand Commander of the Distinguished Service Order of Ethiopia, Knight Commander of the Order of the Nile, and several other titles too numerous to mention.

History however, will write in brilliant terms, the story of this great negro, who came to the United States, started a world wide movement in the interests of all colored persons, and who threatened to make all nations bow before him, and relinquish all claims to their territories in Africa.

Garvey a full blooded Negro about thirty five years of age, is a highly educated man, and possesses the great power of holding great masses together.

He is capable of speaking intelligently for hours and hours, with an endurance that is almost indescribable.

It is admitted by everyone, even his greatest enemies, that he is sincere about the movement he started, and few are willing to believe that he is dishonest or that he is guilty of misappropriating the people's funds, for his own personal use.

But As A Leader, GARVEY possesses the SAME WEAKNESS characteristic of others who rose to great fame, BUT FAILED.

When Garvey came to New York, he found Dr. Hubert Harrison, who is without doubt the greatest living negro orator in the United States, and a native of St. Croix, engaged in the gigantic task of organizing Negroes on this side of the hemisphere, for their economic and political welfare.

Garvey butted in and instead of co-operating, used underhand tactics with which to prejudice the people against Harrison. Then he started out to tell about his plans for the redemption of Africa, and employed the services of African princes and chiefs, who were born and bred in Jamaica, to convince the people that Africans with their diamond and gold mines, and their vast acres of lands, were awakened to the possibilities of a united Ethiopia, and wanted the co-operation of all colored people with which to overthrow the white world.

He is the first black man that ever dared to go in the heart of the South, and organize branches to his movement, without any interference from the class that would otherwise lynch at sight. This strengthened his movement, and it was not long before money was pouring in from all parts.

Then he organized the Black Star Line, a steamship corporation, and when he invited his followers to North River to see a ramshackled old freighter which he had converted into a passenger ship and re-named the Frederick Douglass, it seemed that the element so easily convinced fairly ran wild, and plunged headlong into the proposition.

From then on, the movement assumed such large proportions that any person not a Garveyite was viewed with grave suspicion.

Then came the Universal Negro Improvement Association, a regiment of African Legionnaires, Black Cross Nurses and other similar bodies, with Garvey occupying the chief position in each, richly adorned with costumes to suit every branch, medals, honors, and titles a galore.

When Garvey at the head of his movement appeared on the streets in parade, there was absolutely nothing left for him to put on himself.

In the regalia of President General of the U. N. I. A. he wore a gown of velvet with white, black and scarlet artistically draped with lace, and a college cap.

As general of his army, he wore a black chapeau with a red plume, black frock coat uniform, with gold braid every-