

CHRISTIANSTED THEATRE

8.15. THURSDAY EVENING 8.15

"Under Northern Lights"

5 REEL DRAMA

The Story:

The Story of "Under Northern Lights" centers about a romance between Douglas Mac Leed, a member of the Royal North-west Mounted Police, and Suzanne's Foucharde, a daughter of that Country. The return of Suzanne's brother Jacques from the gold country introduces a tragic element which finally evolves into a happy ending.

Some incidents in connection with Louis La Roque's desertion of an Indian Girl and the baby of which he is the father, lead up to a game of cards in La Roque's cabin, where young Foucharde, discovering La Roque and his common law wife cheating, gets into a row in which he shoots and kills La Roque. It then becomes the duty of Mac Leed to arrest the brother of his sweetheart. At the first opportunity he allows his prisoner to escape, and stands in the way of the come and see for yourself, it is a fine picture.

Show concludes with 1 Reel Comedy.**ADMISSION**

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

NOTICE.

THE Ordinary Meeting of the Colonial Council fixed for MONDAY the 15 inst. is, by request of Government postponed to MONDAY August 29, 1921, at one o'clock p. m.

F. COULTER,
Vice-Chairman.

LOCAL.

As we go to press the Creole is coming in port with the mid-week P. R. and St. Thomas mails.

The reference to the S. S. Guiana in yesterday's issue should have read that she would arrive at Frederiksted at noon and leave for the States this a. m., about 10 o'clock.

The S. S. Pulwico sailed from New York on Saturday having 55 tons of cargo for Christiansted and 60 tons for Frederiksted. The next sailing will be on the 20th instant.

Correspondence

Christiansted, V. I. U. S. A.
Aug. 10th 1920.

To the Editor, St. Croix Avis.

Dear Sir:—

Kindly allow me space in your

valuable paper to say these few words:

I guess it would be of great interest to you and the general public to know that the Dreadnought No. 1 Football Club of this island will be going over to our sister island St. Thomas to play the return match against the St. Thomas Stars Football Club which visited this island on July 3rd and played against the D. No. 1 F. B. C.

The Club will be leaving on September 3rd at 11 o'clock p. m. and will have the contest on the 5th, known as (LABOR DAY).

Persons desirous of taking a trip are liable to do so, but further particulars along with the name of the Schooner and price of the trip will be published later.

Thanking you for space, Mr. Editor, and hoping that we will be successful with our trip and contest,

I am,

Respectfully,

REUBEN J. BRUN,
Sec. D. No. 1 & 2 F. B. Cs.

TELEGRAMS.**ST. CROIX STATION.**

Paris, Aug. 5th.—France, replying today to an inquiry made by the State Department at Washington, agreed to November 11th. as the date for the conference in Washington on disarmament and far Eastern questions.

London, Aug. 5th.—The King has approved of the proposal that the name of the Royal Montreal regiment shall henceforth appear in the British army list as allied with the West York regiment.

London, Aug. 5th.—Further press comment supports the building of four capital ships. The Daily Telegraph says that despite the approaching Washington disarmament conference nothing had occurred to justify the scrapping of the fleet. Going on, it says as follows: "We owe that duty to ourselves and also to the Empire which, despite the growth of the principle of self-Government, still looks with confidence to the mother country for assistance in the hour of peril. Nothing which occurred at the Imperial conference, as the Parliamentary Secretary of the Admiralty has revealed it, has subtracted, in the least from the responsibility in this respect we have hitherto borne." The Telegraph also hopes that full credit will be given at Washington and elsewhere for Britain's modest formula, that the British fleet shall not be inferior to the fleet of any other country, adding. "It can be claimed with confidence that never before has great maritime power given so conspicuous a lead in the limitation of armaments." The Times rebukes Mr. Winston Churchill for asserting that we must rely at sea on our own independent strength. Security at sea," says the Times, "depends on the policy of which the navy is the tried instrument." It is a mischievous fallacy to suggest as Mr. Churchill suggests, that our policy is powerless without a preponderance, or at least a keenly contested equality of naval strength. If that were true, a new rivalry to the knife between great nations in naval armaments would be inevitable. To assume as Mr. Churchill seems to assume, that the American navy would tolerate the use of the American navy as an instrument for international bullying, is to insult the American people by leveling them to the level of the Germany of the mailed fist."

London, Aug. 5th.—An important step in the direction of equality between the sexes was taken in the House of Commons this afternoon as the result of discussions regarding the admission of women to positions in the civil service. A resolution introduced by Sir Robert Horne, Chancellor of the Exchequer was unanimously adopted, providing that after a period of three years women shall be admitted to civil service positions in the United Kingdom under the conditions and regulations governing them.

Pittsburg, Pa. Aug. 5th.—Australians took the lead in the Davis cup tennis matches by winning the doubles on the grass courts of the Allegheny county club 4-6, 9-7, 4-6, 6-4-6-4. The play today gave the Australians their position because they were the stronger team in the last two sets. After the British had taken the lead, two sets to one, the Australians were able by correct placement shots and deadly serving to win 3 sets out of 5. The British team showed splen-