

LOST

One **Aluminum Cap** for gasoline tank between Christiansted and Estate Herman Hill. Finder return to Despatching Secretary's Office and receive reward.

BURIALS

IN THE PUBLIC CEMETERY OF CHRISTIANSTED.

July 1923.

- 2—Cornelius Fredericks, died at Kings Hill Poor Farm, age 50 years.
- 3—Victor Christian, died at the Est. Orange Grove, age 23 years.
- 3—Louisa Sainthill, died at the Hospital, age 67 years.
- 4—Louisa Jeffers, died at the Hospital, age 35 years.
- 4—Mary Fleming, died at the Hospital, age 35 years.
- 5—William Derriks, died in Town, age 55 years.
- 5—Cathrine Braw, died at the Hospital, age 43 years.
- 6—Thomas Sutton, died at Richmond Insane Asylum, age 72 years.
- 10—Still-born male in Town.
- 10—Waldemar Krieger, died in Town, age 63 years.
- 13—George William Conrad, died at Friedensthal, age 58 years.
- 18—Still-born Male in Town.
- 19—Oscar Williams, died at the Hospital, age 60 years.
- 22—William Barry, died in Town, age 40 years.
- 23—Still-born Female at the Hospital.
- 28—Still born Male at the Est. Great Pond.
- 31—Alphonso Theodore Ford, died at the Hospital, age 4 months.

BURIALS

IN THE PUBLIC CEMETERY OF FREDERIKSTED,

July 1923.

- 2—Christian Messer, died at the Hospital, age 74 years.
- 4—Theodora Armstrong, died in Town, age 62 years.
- 4—James Vatable, died in Town, age 63 years.
- 9—Cathrine Francis, died at the Hospital, age 60 years.
- 10—Benjamin Joseph, died at the Hospital, age 61 years.
- 14—Georgiana O'Neal, died in Town, age 73 years.
- 15—Rosalin Augusta Hill, died in Town, age 80 years.
- 19—Charles Lucas, died at the Hospital, age 61 years.
- 24—Ann Eliza O'Bryan, died in Town, age 62 years.

- 23—James George, died at the Hospital, age 70 years.
- 29—Patrick Williams, died at the Hospital, age 4 months.

Editorial Notes

From cable advices appearing in this issue it will be noted that the condition of the President is regarded as serious, although his physicians are optimistic. It is to be hoped that today's news will bring a more favourable report.

It is also regretted to learn of the continued indisposition of His Excellency Governor Hough. His Excellency was expected to visit this island shortly and we trust that he will be restored in health and able to carry out his plans of doing so.

LOCAL

Tonight there will be screened "Seven Years Bad Luck" at the Christiansted Theatre. Read about this fine programme in the present issue.

The S. S. Bolivar from New York may be here today. We are advised that in this case mail for the Islands will be closed at 1 p. m.

The schooner "Julia" arrived at this port this morning from Fajardo bringing a few passengers.

The Mizpah arrived here from St. Thomas this morning.

TO CORRESPONDENT—Hon. R. H. Amphlett Leader: Your contribution will be published tomorrow.

"One Against Many" is the title of the picture that will be shown at The West End Movies To-Night. It is of remarkable interest and you will do well to see it.—Com.

Illness of President Harding.

W. I. & P. Telegraph Co.

Palace Hotel, San Francisco, July 30th.—President Harding's illness responded today to careful treatment and complete rest, but his physicians, in a statement issued tonight, admitted for the first time that his condition was serious.

Presidential Headquarters Palace Hotel, San Francisco, July 30th.—After the third consultation held since this morning of physicians attending the President, who is seriously ill here, it was announced that his condition had become grave. The physicians declared in a statement that definite central patches of broncho-pneumonia had developed in the right lung, as indicated clinically and by the X-ray. The development of pneumonia was one thing which Brigadier-

General Sawyer, the President's personal physician, had said less than two hours earlier that he feared almost above all else as a complication.

San Francisco, Cal., July 31st.—President Harding is fighting the greatest battle of his career, a struggle in which his life is the stake. Arraigned against him are broncho-pneumonia, symptoms of which were discovered by the attending physicians late last night and also the danger of other complications. Arrayed in his favour are his calm determination, a subsidence of the earlier abdominal trouble and the hopes and prayers of a nation. His handicap is an admittedly weakened physical resistance. None of the five attending physicians will predict the outcome, although all are optimistic.

TELEGRAMS.

ST. CROIX STATION.

Montreal, July 29th.—Canada dropped out of the running for the Davis Cup on the courts of the Mount Royal tennis club here on Saturday afternoon, when her representatives Willard Crocker and Jack Wright were beaten by Shimizu and Kashioin in a lopsided doubles match, 6-2, 6-1. Japan will meet Australia in the next round of the American zone of the International tennis event.

London, July 29th.—A recommendation for a reduction in the pay of new entrance to the army is foreshadowed in a report of the select committee dealing with the army estimates, though no reduction is contemplated for the officers or men already in the army. Sir Charles Harris, a member of the army council, told the committee that there had been considerable increases in the pay of the officers and men. The army council, he said, could not break its contracts, but he was prepared to consider the matter of lower pay for the new entrants, in the service subsequently to a given date. This would result in there being men for some years side by side drawing different rates of pay, but the view of the army council is that however difficult this may be, the financial position is so serious that it must be done. The committee concur in this view.

Paris, July 28th.—With the reparations situation at fever heat, Germany's monetary system crashing into chaos and an Anglo-French rupture discussed throughout Europe, France is fighting to gain new Allies, if she must lose old ones. The Poincare Government has won as Allies the state of Poland, Czecho-Slovakia, Jugo-Slovakia and Rumania, four important countries which separate Germany from Russia. Not only has France loaned these Allies large sums to build up powerful armies, but she has also despatched French officers to aid in the training of the armed forces. Thus if French plans do not go amiss, Germany can easily be overthrown if she ever seeks to wage a war of revenge and Rus-