

LOCAL.

Upon the ground that the "Sunday Market" is a public road and that open-air meetings shall not be held where traffic is obstructed by the same, Justice Payne in the Police Court here on Friday last acquitted Mr. A. Teytaud, Manager of the Telegraph Company, who had been arraigned on a charge of unlawfully interrupting a lecture of the Labor Federation last Tuesday evening when he motored his car through the "Sunday Market" where a large gathering was assembled at this lecture.

The Mystery brought no New York mail on her last trip.

The Native Brass Band, favored by pleasant weather, entertained a large gathering with a popular concert last night, tramping up town afterward followed by a merry crowd.

The Raporel S. S. "Vinton County" arrived at Frederiksted last night and is looked for at this port later today, sailing for the Islands by evening.

Tonight there will be a further continuation of the serial "Who is Number One" This film gains in attractiveness with each instalment presented.

The eighth week of the unfortunate labor situation finds the majority of the agricultural laboring population still unemployed and with no promise of a break in the impasse upon which everybody is fairly convinced rests the island's economic status for the next two years at least. Can't something be done toward effecting a just and reasonably acceptable solution of this grave question?

Correspondence

THE VANISHING DAGGER.

Patrons of the two movie theatres of St. Thomas are having a grand treat with the above named serial. Eddie Polo or Cody is the star actor in this exciting serial, and is without doubt a great favorite of the screen. This great hero of the "Bull's Eye" and "The Lure of the Circus" and other fine serials is also well known in St. Croix, and it is the wish of many that "The Vanishing Dagger" could also find its way over here.

The Acting Manager of the Christiansted Theatre is politely asked to take notice, as we feel confident that he is always ready to do all in his power to please his

PATRONS OF THE THEATRE.

The Boxing Match Last Friday Night

BOTH BOUTS END SATISFACTORILY.

An enthusiastic gathering which could have been much larger but owing to other entertainments which were carded before by many who would have liked to be there, attended the Christiansted Theatre to witness the pugilistic contests which was shortly advertised a few days prior to the event. It must be regretted that our local fighters through disorganization as we have been informed were not able to meet Boney and the West Enders. The boys gave a very good account of themselves and everyone of us present highly appreciated the skilful boxing that was exhibited in both matches. There were no exhibitions. The men were evenly matched and they exchanged freely when they got their openings to do so. The house ran in the height of excitement during the struggles; especially, the chief event which was a four-rounder between our champion Geo. Brooks and the visiting champion of the B. W. I. Among the Fight-fans was also our well-known sportsman Mr. Mc Kay, Mr. Espersen and family and a few ladies, a few cars arrived from West End and among the arrivals were Messrs. L. Golden, I. S. Hodge, A. Ovesen, M. Larsen of the West End News and others.

Mr. Morenger-Bonaparte opened the show with a few words of welcome to those present. He said that it's to be regretted that Battling Cornelius owing to a hurt hand from his last fight at West End couldn't possibly be here but Kid Henry who suffered a defeat at the hands of Cornelius last week will substitute the battler. Then Mr. Morenger rebuked what we termed our local stars for not coming up to "toe their mark." He told us that there is lots of trouble between the class of young men at this end who claim to be "boxers." They must in the first place bear in mind that boxing is a clear and manly sport which requires of its exponents clean living. These young men should live a clean life and abstain from all vices, put away all conceitedness and come to the fore and meet any of the visiting boxers coming to Christiansted. They must not only hold on to men of their ilk whom they must be sure of being able to beat before agreeing to meet them. No they must take their chances so as to attain higher. The audience listened with interest and then "Mr. Boney" introduced the officials and was cheered and applauded as he bowed and left the Ring to the Referee.

The first pair to duck the ropes were Kid Albert (Inyssen) versus Kid Henry (Bargain) The weights were 140 and 126 respectively. The first round was a

bit slow but the 2, 3, and 4th got the house and spectators wild with excitement at the end of which the officials asked the contestants to go another round for the decision which was given to Kid Albert after the extra (5th) round. Kid Henry was much applauded for his good knowledge of the game and he conducted himself excellently. We must give praise to the West Enders for such a game boxing Bout. After the intermission the event of the evening was staged. Big Brooks was the first to duck the ropes followed by the visiting champion Boney who wore a cloak and bowed to the audience before taking his corner.

It was announced to be a Return Test-Match 4 three minutes rounds with one minute interval. The announced weights were Brooks 180 lbs. and Boney 172 lbs. Both men were in excellent physical condition. After the usual formalities the gong sounded and they shook hands and were in for the first Round which the Champion made sure of. At the call for the second round, Boney manouvered to his left by side-stepping and then suddenly pushed wheeling to his right where he met his man to the scratch. They exchanged freely but Boney seemed to be trying to use some tactics in getting close in to a clinch. Brooks cleverly made the Champion miss more than once and the crowd went wild. Brooks found at the call for the 3rd Round Boney got in "the smother" and brought some footwork in play. Brooks kept away and landed a good overhand with his right to Boney's ear, but the Champion who got at tricking Brooks fired his left often times and when Brooks ducked brought in some terrible right hooks which never missed their marks in Brooks' face -- Boney's Round.

Round 4. Again Boney anxiously met Brooks who seemed fast going and the Champion took advantage of his chances by hitting whenever he liked but owing to good covering on Brooks part he couldn't land whenever he wanted to. Brooks got in a uppercut which was too light to hurt Boney who countered with his left to mid-rib and landed a right straight to Brooks neck--Boney's Round.

The house ran in the height of excitement right throughout this big bout and the Referee gave Boney the decision explaining to the eager spectators that Brooks won the 2nd round while Boney won the others on points.

Both men were immensely cheered by the spectators and everybody was satisfied. Brooks in addressing the audience said that he will be willing to meet Fighting Boney in a 6 round match with contest gloves in a month to 6 weeks time if the people will give their support.

We should think and suggest that a