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TELEGRAMS.

ST. CROIX STATION.

London, March 2nd.—Mr. Winston Churchill today issued a statement definitely expressing his willingness to stand as an Independent Constitutional Candidate for the Abbey Division of Westminster, if assured that this is the general wish. Mr. Churchill declares,

"I have no intention of changing the position I have occupied for nearly two years on the main questions of public policy, but I wish to work effectually with the Conservative Party in resistance to the rapid advance of Socialism and in opposition to the Socialist Party and its allies, whoever they may be." Granted that Mr. Churchill takes the field in the Abbey Division bye-election it seems likely that no fewer than four others will enter the fight with him.

Constantinople, March 2nd.—The decision of the National Assembly at Angora regarding abolition of the Caliphate is expected tomorrow. The Caliph, Abdul Medjid Effendi, on Friday performed probably for the last time, the ceremony of the Selamlık, driving to the great Mosque for the religious service, which for generations each succeeding Sultan of Turkey has attended periodically as the Commander of the Faithful and the spiritual head of Islam. The usual crowds were absent yesterday and the few people witnessing the rite were mostly foreigners.

London, March 4th.—Sugar in stock on the 1st inst. was 40,000 tons. Last year 103,000 tons.

PROFESSIONAL!

YOUR OLD FRIEND DR. J. R. MAYHEW, Eyesight Specialist

is here on a short visit this month and can be consulted at his office No. 4 Hospital Street, Christiansted, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. daily. Clients are requested to book their appointment or consult at once.

Clients at Frederiksted may look for us toward the middle of the month.

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The Lutheran Churches.

You are invited at these mid-week services:

AT FREDERIKSTED:

Tuesday Evening at 8 o'clock in Bethesda.

AT CHRISTIANSTED:

Thursday Evening at 7.30 in the Church.

Subject:—His Face Set.

J. P. CHRISTENSEN.

Quebec Steamship Co. THE S. S. "PARIMA"

is expected to leave New York on the 13th inst. and is due at Frederiksted on or about the 20th inst., and will be dispatched for Windward Islands.

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Notices For The A. M. E. Church.

Our community may be bettered, why not join the religious organizations here? Come let us reason on the vital concerns of LIFE. Are you seeking the best of life? This is to the public.

Is our community immoral? Do we have the true ideas of Home, Church, and the great Social Good of ALL? What of your neighbour? What will our children be when they are grown up to maturity? The A. M. E. Church says, "COME LET THE CLERGY, BUSINESS MEN, EDUCATIONAL LEADERS, PUBLIC OFFICIALS, AND THE LIKE, GET TOGETHER TO MAKE THE MUNICIPALITY GOOD, MORAL AND A HAPPIER PLACE IN WHICH TO LIVE!"

AT CHRISTIANSTED CHURCH

Wednesday night at the Labor Union Hall.
Thursday Monthly Love Feast.

7 30 o'clock.

Friday afternoon. The Choir Rehearsals.

Sunday morning. Early Prayer Meet-
6 00 o'clock.

Preaching at 10:30
o'clock

" School at 12:30 p. m.

" Night the regular Holy Communion.

AT GROVE PLACE

Friday night. Class Meeting 8:00
o'clock.

Sunday at noon. Preaching.
3:00 p. m. Sunday School.

AT FREDERIKSTED CHURCH

REV. A. C. BOUGH, Pastor.

Wednesday Night. Class Meeting, 8:00
o'clock.

Sunday afternoon 3.00 p. m. Preaching.
Sunday School after service.

To these services all are cordially invited. We want your good words, we wish your constructive help.

HERMAN HØST, Sec.

E. C. S. ROBINSON,
Pastor, P. E.

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