

The Young Women's Mission Study Class

of the

Lutheran Church

will hold a

Christmas Bazaar

TUESDAY afternoon and Evening,
December 13,

in the

Parsonage King St.

Christmas Cards, gifts, candies,
cakes and ice cream will be on sale.
Your patronage is desired.

EDITORIAL.

In another place in this issue will be found a reprinted clipping relative to the appointment of Lieut-Colonel Sir Eustace Edward Twisleton Wykeham Fierces (pronounced Fynes) who is a passenger to Antigua by the S. S. "Fort St. George." We welcome this distinguished officer to St. Croix and trust that time will be afforded him to visit around the island including our town.

LOCAL.

The S. S. "Marina" of the Bull Insular Line will leave San Juan P. R., tonight for St. Thomas and St. Croix, accepting passengers for San Juan, P. R.

The s. s. "Fort St. George" was due at Frederiksted at daylight this morning, having 1,505 packages for Frederiksted, and 238 packages for Christiansted.

CORRECTION.

In School attendance report published in Wednesday's issue, under heading "Percentage" for Christiansted Public School, please read "98.32" instead of "88.32".

St. Thomas News

WEDDING BELLS.

On Wednesday evening, All Saints Church was the scene of all attraction, as two most promising young people, representing highly esteemed and respected Creole families were to make before the altar their pledges of eternal love.

The Church was decorated with flowers and two lovely arches of palm leaves added grandeur to the scenery.

At 8 o'clock sharp, the sweet strains

of the organ announced the arrival of the bride, Miss Gladys Daniel, who was escorted by her brother, Mr. Albert E. Daniel, and accompanied by her cousin, Miss Gerda Dantler, as Maid of Honor.

The bride was attired in white crepe de chine silk elaborately embroidered with silver and satin beads; the Maid of honour wore pink georgette crepe trimmed with silver.

Then the bridegroom, Mr. David Victor Bornn, who with his brother Hugo O. Bornn as best man, had been waiting in the vestry, came out following the priest and acolytes to meet the bride at the altar. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Griffith, and the choir under the able direction of the organist Mr. Arthur Stephens rendered two selected hymns and a chorus.

The witnesses were Messrs. E. Daniel, M. Lindquist and H. Lenborough.

The religious ceremony was followed by a reception at the home of the grooms parents, Consul and Mrs. D. O. Bornn, at which the toast was proposed by Rev. B. J. Folensbee.

Our sincerest congratulations.—*St. Thomas Bulletin, Nov. 26th.*

ARBOR DAY.

The Schools Celebrate

The first Arbor Day in response to the Governor's proclamation, in which he so touchingly and eloquently wrote about trees, was celebrated with spirit and earnestness in the public schools yesterday.

At the High School the exercises were of a very elevated character, and they planted three palm trees named respectively, "Governor Oman," "Governor Folensbee," and "Secretary Timmons".

The Abraham Lincoln School, after appropriate exercises repaired to the Parade ground, where they planted many little trees, which will some day grow into towering form and afford rest and shelter to man and beast.

The principal and the teachers and scholars of the George Washington Public School entered with great enthusiasm into the celebration of Arbor Day. From every direction the pupils were seen carrying trees in tin cans, or in small boxes, or wrapped in paper, by one o'clock scores of tree plants were assembled in the respective school rooms. Soon after one o'clock, a general, but orderly movement of the classes began towards the principal's room, which by the use of the hall-way and two annexed back-rooms was turned into an impromptu Assembly Room. The scene was an interesting one. From the walls, the pictures of Washington, Lincoln and Roosevelt looked down upon the large gathering of children with happy smiling faces. The American flag was tastefully draped on the wall, which the children faced, and a bouquet of flowers here and there

added to the general effect. On the black-boards was tastefully written in large letters, "Arbor Day".

The program of exercises contained over 30 numbers; but each part was an enjoyable treat. The songs were sung with spirit and the recitations were appropriate to the day—"Woodman spare that tree" which was both sung and recited, the youngsters clapping with all their might; but at no time did the scholars get beyond the influence of the principal's bell. There was a pupil chairman, who announced the parts after making an introductory address, and at the close of the literary exercises, he expressed thanks to the friends, who had shown their interest by their attendance.

Miss Vessup, the principal, then dismissed the classes to the school grounds, each class passing out as she gave the quiet command and tree planting was then engaged in for over an hour. At the request of the principal, Judge McCants Stewart assisted her in planting the first tree. After putting it in the ground, enquiry was made as to what was written on a slip of paper which was tied to the tree. It turned out to contain the name of "NASE". Thus the first tree planted bore the name of the School Inspector.—*Ibid.*

The British schooner "Eagle" from St. Martins, F. W. I. arrived here on Saturday afternoon with laborers bound to Macoris, on arrival the Captain reported that during the night of Nov. 25th at 8 o'clock while he was down below he heard the cry of "Man overboard," and found that the mate George Musson had been swept over board by the swinging of the mainboom. A boat was immediately lowered to rescue the mate, but he was not found, the search was kept up until the next morning, not finding him it was supposed that the blow from the boom knocked him unconscious and was immediately drowned.—*St. Thomas Bulletin, Nov. 28th.*

TELEGRAMS.

ST. CROIX STATION.

New York, Nov. 28th.—The raw sugar market was steady early today at 3.87 to 4.11 for centrifugal, with no sales reported. Raw sugar futures were quiet and prices at noon were one to two points lower, under scattered liquidation. The refined market was unchanged at 5.20 to 5.30 for fine granulated. Refined futures were without transactions.

London, Nov. 28th.—A fog that is now covering London is the worst that the city has experienced in the past twenty years and for the past 4 days has affected a wide provincial area. Public and private transportation systems have become disorganized, with the consequent rush of traffic on the underground railway. Busses and tramcars are removed