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TELEGRAMS.

ST. CROIX STATION.

New York, June 24th. - The raw sugar market was steady and unchanged at \$4.00 for centrifugals with no new business reported this morning.

London June 24th. Airship R-38, bought by the United States, and which will be flown to that country by a United States crew, took the air for the first time last night, making an entirely satisfactory flight. It left the Cardigan Station at 7.55 p. m. and landed six and one half hours later. She carried 48 persons all told. Among the officers were U.S. Commander Maxfield, who will captain the ship on her transatlantic flight, Lieut. Commander Bieg, and a number of distinguished British officers were aboard. After further trials to test the thorough reliability and general airworthiness of the airship, she will be handed over to the United States crew, who will carry out a flight necessary to familiarize themselves with the handling of the airship, before her departure.

London, June 24th.—Further indications of the possibility of a speedy settlement of the coal crisis appeared today. In the House of Commons, Sir Robert Horne, President of the Board of Trade, said the situation was "at a most critical point when there appears to be a real chance of getting a settlement. Because of the delicacy of the situation, he declined to discuss the question further. Earlier in the day it was rumoured at the labour party conference that the miners executive committee which will meet in London tonight was about to take an "unexpected decision."

London, June 24th.—Captain Kennedy was tried by court martial yesterday,

charged with neglecting to take proper measures to suppress a mutiny of naval reservists at Portsmouth last April. It appeared that the men's grievances were confined mainly to such subjects as food, leave etc., but one of the chief engineers is said to have told Captain Kennedy "nine out of ten of the men are trade unionists and would lay down their arms if they were called upon to use them against their fellow workers. The result of the court martial has not yet been announced.

Regatta Course, New London Conn. June 24th.—The Yale varsity crew won the annual boat race from her ancient rival Harvard today, in one of the most thrilling and grimly fought struggles that has ever been waged over the historic course. Harvard led the way over the first 3 miles, with Yale but a scant half length behind. Do what she could Harvard could not throw off her adversary and gradually Yale forced the bow of her shell ahead of the craft and gained a lead of about a length. Harvard spurted with all her ebbing reserve and cut down Yale's lead to half a boat's length, but the men from New Haven held to their task and swept over the finish line 3 1/5 seconds ahead of Harvard. The official time was, Yale 20.41, Harvard 20.44. Tonight the adherents are celebrating the victory with exceptional fervour, for the defeat of Harvard marked an epoch in Yale rowing history. The blue once again leads in the records of wins, for today's triumph placed Yale ahead of Harvard by a margin of one victory, the score standing: Yale 27, Harvard 26.

Geneva, June 24th. The Council of the League of Nations today awarded the Aland Islands, in the Baltic Sea, to Finland.

Publication.

IN accordance with request of Mr. FRITZ DANIELSEN of St. Thomas, the Dealing Court has today taken over his estate as bankrupt.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby requested to file such claims with this Court within three months from date.

The Dealing Court of St. Thomas and St. John, June 22, 1921.

THIELE.
Judge.

Going to the Races?

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AT THE

Red Cross Booth

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ICE CREAM CAKES

SOUVENIERS

Management of

Christiansted Branch Santa Cruz Chapter
American Red Cross.

NOTICE

AS I will be detached from duty in St. Croix on or about 15th July 1921, it is requested that all who have charges against me personally, or against the office of the Despatching Secretary, render their bills in full on or before 15th July 1921 that they may be settled prior to my detachment.

C. W. FOX,
Despatching Secretary.

NOTICE.

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Municipal Telephone System, St. Croix,
Virgin Islands, June 23, 1921,

H. BERG, Manager.