

CHRISTIANSTED THEATRE

8.15. MONDAY EVENING 8.15.

At Bethlehem Wednesday 7.30

THE LAST EPOCH OF

"J' ACCUSE"

THIS EPOCH was Made with the Army of the 28th American Division in the actual West Area.

Show Will Conclude With A Sidesplitting Comedy:

THURSDAY EVENING:

"HIS WONDERFUL CHANCE"

A D M I S S I O N

Reserved Seats.....25c.
Children.....15c.

General Entrance.....15c.
Children.....10c.

"We are not citizens of the Nation."
"We protest against the 18th Amendment."

"Help a starving people etc."

Telegrams received from St. Croix expressed deepest sympathy with the movement.

Telegrams despatched to St. Croix yesterday were to Herald and Tribune as follows:—

"Demonstration a Success. Governor handed protest. Addressed populace satisfactorily. United people. Holiday throughout. Telegraphed Secretary Treasury, Associated Press Civil Liberties Union."

The people have done all they can; they are a distressed people pleading mercy from the powerful people of the United States who help all other nations when any calamity befall them, and we doubt not that they will come to the rescue of an almost gone people who are in every sense of the word law abiding. We are small, too small for the laws of the large United States or even Porto Rico—Agriculture would take years and money. We have no money. We need industries.

A pitiful sight was to see about 400 children from Lincoln School watching the procession. Many, many of them looked underfed. The situation is serious.—*St. Thomas Bulletin, May 19th.*

TELEGRAMS.

ST. CROIX STATION.

Dusseldorf, May 22nd.—Fines in dollars, instead of marks, are now being levied by the military authorities as punishment for sabotage and other offenses against the occupation authorities.

London, May 22nd.—Sir Lamin Worthington Evans will also be a member of the new Cabinet, according to the Central News thus leaving outside only Mr.

Chamberlain and Lord Birkenhead of the Conservative members who went into the wilderness with Mr. Lloyd George. The Central News also says it is not certain that Lord Curzon will consent to continue under Mr. Baldwin.

Paris, May 22nd.—Sir John Bradbury, British representative in the negotiations over the payment of the costs of the United States Army of Occupation, is understood to have received instructions from London to withdraw from the agreement the clause to which the United States objected and thus come into agreement with France and Belgium as to accepting the United States draft without further change. The objectionable clause stipulated that the agreement should cease to be effective if the United States proceed to collect war damages from Germany directly.

Lausanne, May 22nd.—No compromise to the deadlock on the question of Turko-Greek reparations was found today at the Near East Conference. M. Venizelos, head of the Greek delegation spent a feverish day consulting with various conference leaders, discussing ways and means in an endeavour to ameliorate the situation.

Ottawa, May 22nd.—Support of the provision in the budget which limits the extended British preference to goods entering through Canadian ports, was promised in the budget debate last evening by Dr. Murray, (Conservative, St. John Alberta). In the same connection he expressed satisfaction that the imports under the French treaty and as he understood the Minister of Finance, under the Italian treaty, were also subject to the same limitation. These provisions in the tariff and the two treaties would help to provide business for the Canadian nation railway, as would also the shipment of coal from the West. From both

Conservative and Progressive came criticism of the budget. General A. E. Ross, Conservative, of Kingston, referred to it as a political cenotaph to the Liberal platform of 1919. O. R. Gould, (Progressive, of Assiniboia) declared it was no use for the Government to "hide behind the fetish of reciprocity". Liberal speeches, he added, seemed to be apologies for not putting Liberal policies into practice. On the other hand, L. W. Humphreys, a British Columbia Progressive, announced his intention of voting for an amendment and for the budget. Dr. L. J. Lovett, Liberal, of Digby-Annapolis, thought the budget would be generally acceptable to the people.

London, May 24th.—The West Indians made 213 runs in their first innings against Sussex yesterday, Sussex making 68 runs for five wickets at call of time. Following are the West Indians scores. Nuzes 6 Tarilton 20 Challenor 87 Fernandes 18 Holt 27 Browne 20 Constantine 18 Austin O Dewhurst 2 Pascall O Francis not out 2. Extras 13 213. Challenor was run out through a misunderstanding with Holt, when well set for making a century.

Halifax, N.S., May 23rd.—At a special meeting of the Council of the Halifax Board of Trade yesterday, it was decided to send telegrams to the Minister of Finance and the local representatives at Ottawa, pointing out the effect which the removal of the dumping clause duty on sugar from the United States would have on the sugar refining industry in Canada and particularly that Halifax has a very vital interest in the successful operation of the refining here, also that any tariff changes which endangered the operation of the refinery at this port, also endangered the export trade of the maritime provinces with the West Indies as Nova Scotia must have return cargoes of sugar for ships which take out farm products, fish, lumber, etc. It was also averred in the resolution that Canada cannot expect to receive preferential tariff treatment for her products in the British West Indies unless she is able to buy raw sugar, which is their principal article of production.

London, May 23rd.—In common with a few leading provincial journals the London Times and the Daily Telegraph have arranged to shortly increase their price to two pence. These London papers, in making the announcement explain that the present charge of three half pence was never economically justifiable.

London, May 23rd.—The Morning Post today recalls that during the war, oppressed by the consciousness that his age prevented him from making the sacrifice the young men of the country were rendering, the new Prime Minister, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, had his whole private fortune appraised and contributed one fourth of it to the National Exchequer, as a free will offering.