

## Supplementary Order of the Day

for the extraordinary meeting of the Colonial Council for St. Croix, MONDAY, June 4, 1923, at ONE O'CLOCK P. M.

10. Colonial Council Bill No. 12. 2nd Discussion on Colonial Council Bill No. 12, from Third Council, Second Session, draft of an ordinance introduced by Government providing for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes for the Municipality of St. Croix, carried forward on calendar by vote of meeting of April 28, 1923.

Colonial Council Office, St. Croix, May 29, 1923.

ROBT. L. MERWIN,  
*Acting Chairman.*

## Publication.

PURSUANT to paragraph 2 of the Charter of Foundation for Merchant WILHELM SMIDT'S Legacy for assisting poor persons in St. Croix, it is hereby brought to public notice that a balance of interest amounting to Frcs. 651.85 will be on hand for distribution on 1 July 1923.

Applications for participation in this distribution, duly certified, should be forwarded to the undersigned on or before 22nd day of June 1923.

Despatching Secretary's Office, Christiansted, St. Croix, V. I. 28 May, 1923.

C. E. RAPPOLEE,  
*Despatching Secretary.*

## Publication.

PURSUANT to paragraph 3 of the Charter of Foundation for Upper Chamberlain VALDEMAR TULLY VON OXHOIM and Wife's Legacy for assisting needy persons, it is hereby brought to public notice that a balance of interest amounting to Frcs. 1,300.07½ will be on hand for distribution on 1 July 1923.

Applications, containing the requisite information and duly certified, should be forwarded to the undersigned on or before the 20th day of June 1923.

Despatching Secretary's Office, Christiansted, St. Croix, V. I. 28 May, 1923.

C. E. RAPPOLEE,  
*Despatching Secretary.*

### LOCAL.

We have been asked to mention that the Industrial Band will give a concert on the wharf tonight.

## Notice to the Public.

THE attention of the public is invited to the fact that repairs are being made on King's Street between Market and West Streets. Traffic will please detour from time to time as indicated by barricades, which will be placed only when it is necessary.

JOHN C. GEBHARD,  
*Asst. Public Works Officer.*

The S. S. "Surinam" from Windward Islands on her way to New York is due at Frederiksted on Friday.

The s. s. "Guiana" sailed from New York on Saturday the 26th inst.

The show at St. Mary's Hall was very good indeed but owing probably to other diversions was not attended as such an attractive program deserved to be.

The school entertainment at the theatre last night was a great success in all ways. The place was packed and many persons could find only standing room. All the children did their parts well, from the tiny tots to the grown up ones. The plaiting of the May pole was a very pretty drill and the undoing of it again. The principal and other teachers who must certainly have expended lots of patience and perseverance to get it through must be congratulated on the fine results achieved on the whole.

### TELEGRAMS.

#### ST. CROIX STATION.

London, May 25th.—The German Government is alarmed at reports that armed Communist bands are marching on Essen, says a Central News despatch from Berlin this afternoon. It has asked permission of the French authorities to send forces of German police from the occupied districts to Essen and Gelsenkirchen.

New York, May 25th.—The Spanish Royal Mail Steamship Line, operating between Barcelona and New York, has ordered discontinuance of all United States mailings, the local agent for the company announced last night. The discontinuance was ordered because of the recent Supreme Court ruling forbidding foreign vessels from bringing liquor into United States territorial limits etc.

London, May 25th.—English swimmers are preparing to make another attempt this Summer to swim the English Channel. One of the London papers has renewed its prize of 1,000 pounds to the athlete accomplishing the feat. A number of British and French swimmers, including several women, are already in

training on the British and French coasts.

London, May 25th.—The celebration of Empire Day lent an added interest to the last day of the visit to Belfast of the first battle squadron with Earl Beatty, Admiral of the fleet, in command. The ships were gaily decorated and at night they were brilliantly illuminated. A regatta was held under the auspices of the Ulster Yacht Club. Earl Beatty speaking at a luncheon given in his honor, said in times of peace the navy was an ambassadorial service carrying not only security but strengthening the link between the far flung parts of the Empire.

London, May 26th.—The new ministry is as follows: Prime Minister and first Lord of the Treasury and Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Stanley Baldwin. Privy-seal, Lord Cecil. President of the Council, the Marquis of Salisbury. High Chancellor, Viscount Cave. Secretary of Home Affairs Hon. W. C. Bridgeman. Foreign Affairs, the Marquis Curzon. Colonies, the Duke of Devonshire. War, the Earl of Derby. India, Viscount Peel. Air, Rt. Hon. Sir Samuel Hoare. First Lord of the Admiralty, Rt. Hon. L. S. Amery. President Board of Trade, Sir Phillip Lloyd-greame. President of the Board of Health, Mr. Neville Chamberlain. President of the Board of Agriculture, Rt. Hon. Sir Robert A. Sanders. Secretary for Scotland, Viscount Novar. President of the Board of Education, Rt. Hon. E. F. L. Wood. Labour, Rt. Hon. Sir Montagu Barlow. Financial Secretary of the Treasury, Sir William Joynson Hicks. The foregoing constitute the Cabinet. Other members of the government are as follows. Minister of Pensions, Rt. Hon. Maj G. C. Tryson. Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, Mr. John Colin Campbell Davidson. First Commissioner of Works, Rt. Hon. Sir John Baird. Attorney General, Rt. Hon. Sir Douglas Hogg. Solicitor General, Sir T. W. Inskip. Paymaster General, Major Archibald Boyd Carpenter. Lord Advocate of Scotland, Mr. William Watson. Solicitor General for Scotland, Mr. F. O. Thompson.

Paris, May 26th.—Thursday's ministerial crisis ended as quickly as it arose. To be exact it lasted half an hour. The Senate, alarmed at the consequences of its refusing to proceed with the trial of the Communists, will take the first opportunity of giving unequivocal endorsement to M. Poincare's general policy and the Premier, on his part, will insist that this endorsement cover his action in repressing communist activities. Marcel Cachin and the other defendants charged with illegal acts against the state are to be tried by the assize court as soon as the examining magistrate has prepared the case.

London, May 26th.—A Reuter's despatch from Constantinople says the situation between the Turks and Greeks, re-