

Frederiksted, St. Croix, V. I. U. S. A.  
July 12th.

# Copy Of Lists Circulated BY THE Frederiksted Century Brass Band.

Friends, Well-wishers and Sup-  
porters of the F. C. B. B.

As advertised in the papers some days ago; the Century Brass Band is now circulating the Subscription Lists mentioned; and on this occasion is asking every one to contribute as best they can to help the cause.

This is the last \$75.00 on the present Instruments now on hand and in good condition; by your help previously and by the aid of certain schemes which the band undertook the amount of \$400.00 has been raised; and now as to raise the last \$75.00 balance these lists are brought to you for your monetary or material aid and support.

You are cordially invited to attend (and thereby help) the Gala time to be held on July 28th; all being well and everything working satisfactorily. We will be having Cakes, cream, sodas and other articles for sale; all articles will be sold so as to get a little profit for the Band and help to raise the amount.

Now, having explained in details briefly, the purpose of this scheme of July 28th the subscription lists; we are asking you to subscribe as best you can. We will be glad to help in every way to make this successful, so we thank you in advance.

Remaining yours to serve the F. C. B. B.  
Leader, ..... E. E. Williams,  
Sub-leader, ..... Eugene W. Montefere  
Secretary, ..... William Smith.  
Treasurer, ..... Alphonse Bastian.  
Conductor, ..... Herman H. Sarauw.  
(Licentiate of Music).

N. B. Any one to whom a copy of one of these lists may not reach and would like to contribute something to the cause, can do so in writing addressing communications to Mr. Earnest E. Williams, Frederiksted, or they can call in person at the West End News Office.

lands? This island is the dumping ground of every criminal of the Virgin Islands, this island is the home of every insane person in the Virgin Islands, this island is just now to be the shelter of the poor and destitute of the Virgin Islands. Are we also to be burdened with all the refuse of the Virgin Islands?

Honorable Members from Christiansted jurisdiction, I appeal to you to look beyond your nose, (if I may use a slang expression) give this matter deep

thought, and your serious consideration. Gentlemen of Frederiksted jurisdiction I have been told, in jest, or in earnest, I know not, that some day it is hoped to remove the capital of St. Croix from Christiansted and its incorrigible entrance (and which this present Resolution, I suppose, is to make still more so), to that town where the stranger and the visitor shall not have the incorrigible girls to greet them, but something of a more appealing nature, if this project is a subtle and a sophistic link in the chain, then I appeal to you, as this is a matter of vital importance to Christiansted, for your success, if it be, can only be enhanced to the detriment and ruination of the people and the town of Christiansted.

One more thought before I resume my seat—Let us one and all remember before we cast our votes, that wrong is never more strong than when clothe with a particle of right, and the devil is never more dangerous than in the guise of an innocent angel.

4th Appointed Member (Blackwood) remarked: Mr. Chairman. I congratulate the Honorable 2nd Member for Christiansted Town for his first class speech and the noble picture he has drawn of the institution. The Government is anxious to start this institution, the buildings on the Cay are in good condition, and the Red Cross is ready and willing to contribute towards the maintenance of the institution. I cannot understand the member's argument where he says to put the institution on Protestant Cay would injure the good looks of the town; considering that Government has promised that the institution can be removed at any time if the reef is blown and the harbor put in order, I see no reason why members should have any fear to vote for this Resolution. I consider Government's proposal a very fair one. I do not live in the town of Christiansted, but I have done business here for many years. I certainly recommend the Resolution.

2nd Member for Christiansted Town (Canegata) remarked: I didn't quite understand the last speaker. Do I understand that because you don't live in this town you want to sign the death warrant of the people of this town?

4th Appointed Member (Blackwood) answered the last speaker and said, My aim and object is to legislate for the general benefit of the people of this island. Very often I have sacrificed my own interest and legislate for the benefit of the community.

2nd Appointed Member (Noll) remarked: Mr. Chairman. I consider the project of blowing out the reef in Christiansted Harbor is one that interests every one in this town. I, personally, do not think that such a thing will happen inside of five years; however, that is, a question in which the Government is deeply interested.

The question before the Council today is not whether they are going to blow out the harbor, the question is, what we are going to do with the incorrigible girls of this town? We have boys and girls in this town who are going from bad to worse, and the judges are powerless, owing to the fact that there is not at present a proper institution to receive them. The question before the Council today is, what shall we do with these children? Government is asking permission to use Protestant Cay as a temporary place to put these children. We have a place where we are temporarily taking care of boys, and Government is asking for a place to take care temporarily of girls. This is not a question of blocking the blowing of the reef in the harbor; it is a question whether this Council is going to take an interest in the children and give its permission to use the Cay until a permanent institution can be erected. I don't think a permanent institution can be put on the Cay. If there is any fear that Government will use the Cay as a permanent place for caring of these children, why don't a member of Christiansted bring in an amendment and say that it can be used temporarily? Come with your amendment and limit the time, if you care, to one year, or even three months, then you will be doing something.

The Red Cross is expected to contribute upward of fifty thousand dollars towards the upkeep of the institution, and Government is anxious to see some improvements made in the morals of the delinquents. Let us not say that in this the devil is hiding in the cloak of an angel. Let us make some effort to secure the institution by the Red Cross. I am willing to introduce the amendment myself and let the question come up every sixty days in this Council. Let us go away from the question of the blowing of the reef, and study how we are going to take care of the children.

2nd Appointed Member (Noll) handed in an amendment to the bill.

The Amendment reads:

## AMENDMENT

To Colonial Council Bill No. 41.  
Second Council, 2nd Session.

In Line 3—Strike the word "girls" and insert the word "children".

To the section 1—add, "and further provided that this authorization shall be in force and effect for a period of one year only."

D. NOLL,

2nd Appointed Member.

(To be continued.)

**LOST** in this town on Tuesday afternoon, A LADIES GOLD CHAIN. Finder will be rewarded on bringing same at this office.