

CHRISTIANSTED THEATRE

8.15. THURSDAY EVENING 8.15.

At Bethlehem Wednesday 7.30

"J' ACCUSE"

FRENCH MADE FEATURE BY THE FAMOUS AUTHOR

"ABEL GANCE".

The War Picture "J' Accuse". Written and Directed by Abel Gance is a Sublime Feature, a Work of Art with a Lofty Theme and many Dramatic Moments in its Action. The Actors, Acting in this Film, are among the First in France, the Composition of the Scenes are Beautiful and Impressive and there are Situations of Superb Significance. It is a Picture Measuring Fully Up to the Standard set in "The Three Musketeers".

Two More Nights Thursday May 24th, Monday May 28th.

ADMISSION

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

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

them are heroic enough to come here to say what is to be said for their advantage".

St. Andrews, Scotland, May 19th.—The United States was two down to Great Britain with eight to go at the conclusion of play yesterday in the golf tournament for the Walker Cup. Of two four ball four homes played today, Great Britain won three of them. Until late in the afternoon it seemed certain that each team would win two foursomes, but suddenly S. Davidson Herron, with a lead of six up and only 12 holes to go began playing like a beginner and threw away the match and E. W. Holderness and W. L. Hope won on the home green before a gallery of 4,000. To tie the British team for the trophy the United States golfers tomorrow must win five out of eight single matches. They need six victories to win. A tie will enable the men from overseas to retain the cup won at Southampton a year ago. Robert Gardner, captain, and Maxwell R. Marston, alone of all the United States team triumphed yesterday.

London, May 20th.—In the opening match started yesterday against Cambridge University the West Indians scored 119 runs in the first innings. Cambridge University 193 for eight wickets.

Camden, S. C., May 19th.—71 known dead and two unaccounted for was the toll of a school house fire at Cleveland on Thursday night. The fire destroyed the school house at Cleveland eight miles south of here, while an entertainment was being held on the second floor of the building. The fire which destroyed the same building apparently resulted from the explosion of an oil lamp on the stage arranged for the closing entertainment of the school. Within almost a breath the whole front of the second story room

was ablaze. Scores of the audience made a concerted rush for the single entrance to the stairways, despite the counsel of cooler heads. Some, unable to penetrate the jam to safety, leaped from the second storey window to die of injuries, or to be taken from the scene suffering from broken limbs. The collapse of the narrow wooden stairway caused many of the deaths, a number of persons being crushed in the debris. The death list reads like a roster of the families of the community. Family after family was virtually wiped out. In almost every instance, where parents are listed as dead, from one to four children perished.

London, May 19th.—British shipowners in conference at the Board of Trade discussed the recent prohibition ruling of the Supreme Court of the United States. Representatives of the Chamber of Shipping, the Liverpool steamship owners association and the Board of Trade, talked over the complications arising from the ruling, after which the shipowners proposed that the Foreign Office be requested to protest strongly to Washington against any interference with the shipping arrangements of other nations. In the course of the discussion it was pointed out that the adoption by other countries of such regulations as projected by the United States would have extraordinary consequences.

London, May 19th.—Ferriac storms raged over the plains of Lombardy yesterday, particularly in the province of Bergamo, says a Central News despatch from Rome today. The rains changed to hail which fell violently and covered many tracks of land to a considerable depth. The damage to crops, says the message, is estimated at tens of millions of lire.

Leeds, May 19th.—H. C. Jolly, of Foxgrove, the English professional, defeated

Walter Hagen, U S holder of the British open golf championship title, two up in the final of the professional tournament here today.

London, May 20th.—Mr. Bonar Law sent his resignation to the King tonight, because of ill health. He was unable to present it personally. The King will summon one of the Conservative leaders to form a new cabinet. It is generally accepted that Marquis Curzon will be the next Premier.

London May 19th.—What is stated to be the biggest transaction that has yet taken place in the whisky trade is referred to in the following announcement made in Dundee last night "The James Watson Co. Ltd. have sold their stocks of whiskey to the Buchanan, the Dewar and Messrs Walker concerns and will go into voluntary liquidation."

St. Andrews, May 19th.—Cyril Tolly, former British amateur champion, defeated Jess Sweetser, the United States champion, at a 36 hole match played in today's Walker cup competition, by 3 up and one to play.

Paris, May 19th.—The army of occupation in the Ruhr is to be reinforced by another fifteen to twenty thousand men, says "Le Matin". The paper says that at a moment when fresh conversations may be opened among the Allies, it is more necessary than ever to be able to demonstrate the solidity, the productivity and durability of the French occupation.

Kingston Jamaica, May 19th.—At a combined meeting of the Jamaica Merchants Exchange and Chamber of Commerce and the Jamaica Imperial Association held yesterday the following resolution was passed unanimously "resolved that at a joint meeting of the Jamaica Chamber of Commerce and the Jamaica Imperial Association held at the rooms of the chamber of commerce specially convened for the purpose on Friday May 18th, 1923, it is the considered opinion of this meeting that His Excellency the Governor be requested to enter a protest on behalf of Jamaica by cable to the Dominion Government against alteration in the dumping clause of the Canadian tariff, this meeting being convinced that alternation or relaxation will prove detrimental to the best interests of the sugar industry of Jamaica and the other British West Indian colonies. This meeting is further of the opinion that the contemplated relaxation in the dumping clause of the Canadian tariff is distinctly contrary to the spirit of inter-Empire trade, if not diametrically contrary to the letter of the Canadian West Indies trade agreement and that if persisted in by the Canadian Government such action would justify abrogation on the part of Jamaica of the trade agreement, on the grounds that the contract was not being fully complied with by the Canadian Government in other directions".