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N. Y. Times Magazine Supplement Will Promote Car. Tour'sm

A high-impact color magazine supplement promoting vacation travel to the Caribbean is scheduled for publication in the November 25 issue of the New York Times under the sponsorship of the Caribbean Tourist Association.

Nicholas Craig, general Manager of CTA, reports that the New York Times Sunday supplement on the Caribbean will reach some 1,400,000 readers representing the most productive and wealthiest travel market in the United States.

The magazine section will feature attractive color photographs, extensive editorial coverage, and advertisement purchased jointly by member islands, carriers and others. It will contain a minimum of 16 pages, exclusively on the Caribbean.

A number of islands and carriers such as Pan Am BOAC More-McCormack lines and Alcoa steamship Company have already pledged their support in purchasing advertising space.

However, says Craig, several islands not yet included in the project will have to assume
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Cadet George Suarez of St. Croix Completes Reserve Officer Train'g

FORT BENNING — Cadet B. Suarez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Angel F. Suarez, of Frederiksted, completed six weeks of training at the Reserve Officer Training Corps summer camp at Fort Benning, Ga., Aug. 3.

The 24-year-old cadet is active in the ROTC program at the College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, Mayaguez, Puerto Rico.

The 24-year-old cadet is a member of Nu Eta Phi fraternity.

F'sted Democrats Pick Augustin Doward as Their Candidate

The Frederiksted Democratic party held their convention last night and unanimously selected Augustin Doward, 30, presently Assistant to the Government Secretary, to be their candidate for a seat in the Legislature.

Mr. Doward expressed his thanks and made it known that he was new in politics. He says that he is an extreme liberal; is for progress and will fight hard to justify the confidence shown.

Prior to his selection two members, President Alexander Moorhead and Herbert Sugden declined the nomination with thanks. Among those present were some members from Christiansted, and also the National Committeeman, Ron de Lugo.

Mr. Doward was praised by Mr. de Lugo as an enlightened and aggressive young man. He received similar praise from Mr. Moorhead.

The Democrats have planned a fund-raising rally for August 30th.

Business, Professional Women Meeting Set for September 9th

The Business & Professional Women's Club which postponed their meeting before, has again announced that the final date is now set for the first regular meeting in September 9, at which time Miss Sybil Barrow, President of the Christiansted branch, will report on the Convention.

Postponement was necessary due to the absence of many members and also other activities which would prevent all the members from hearing the report.

Governor Says White House Will Seek No Change in Customs

Governor Ralph Paiewonsky said that he has received assurances that the White House will not seek changes in the fifty per cent rule giving preferential Customs treatment to some industries in the Virgin Islands.

In return he promised that his administration will tighten up its investment incentive program modeled after Puerto Rico's Operation Bootstrap and guarantee that the Islands will not become a haven for runaway shop industry.

The Governor admitted that a few small industries have taken advantage of the rules which allow duty free entry of goods into the United States if fifty per cent of the items are produced by Virgin Islands labor or material. He said also that the mainland textile interests have criticized the provision because of alleged 'wind falls' to some local plants, but he has promised to set up ground rules establishing categories of industry eligible for incentive program benefits.

First Intra-Island Baseball Series Starts Sunday in C'sted

The first Intra-Island baseball series game between the champion "Phillies" of Christiansted and the "Vikings" of the Frederiksted League will be played on Sunday afternoon on the D. C. Canegata Ball Park in Christiansted at 2:30 p.m.

Before the game the championship trophy of the Christiansted League will be presented to the Phillies Baseball Club.

The second game of the series will be played at the Ball Park in Grove Place on Sunday, August 26, 1962.

De Lugo Will Speak at Catholic Study-week Rally Tomorrow

The Hon. Ron de Lugo, Administrator for St. Croix, will be the speaker at a rally at which the program of the Adult Education Studyweek, organized by the Catholic Social Center, on Saturday, August 18 at the ball park in Frederiksted at 10 a.m. and the Public Market in Christiansted at 2 p.m. the same day. Other speaker on the program will be Peter Christian Ulric Bengamin and Bill Blewitt.

The St. Patrick's School Band will play selections for the rally, which will be highlighted by the release of several hundred balloons, each with an invitation to take part in the Studyweek. The theme of the Studyweek will be "World Peace and Unity Endangered by Communism". at the evening sessions on August 26-28 in Frederiksted at St. Gerard's Hall and on August 29-31 at St. Mary's Hall in Christiansted.

"Miss Summertime" to Be Crowned at Estate Hope Hotel Sept. 2

The Frederiksted Festival Committee announces a grand coronation and ball will be held at Estate Good Hope Hotel on the evening of Sunday, September 2 at which time "Miss Summertime" will be crowned.

Several beauties have been in competition for the honor of reigning as "Miss Summertime".

The patrons will have an opportunity to witness the final event of the contest.

The Vibratones will furnish music for the occasion.