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Better Times Is Coming.

Better times IS surely coming, and I am going to prove that it is correct

TELEGRAMS

ST. CROIX STATION.

Paris, July 30th. M. Millerand again won the support of the Chamber of Deputies for his Government today in its Spa arrangements in the face of an adverse report by the Commission on Finances. He obtained a favourable vote of 356 to 169 for adoption of the 200,000,000 francs monthly advances to Germany. The Chamber of Deputies was faced with conflicting reports. Its Commission on Finances advises against supporting the Government's bill authorizing advances of 1,200,000,000 Francs to Germany within six months while its Foreign Affairs Commission approved the measure as the only thing to be done although deploring the bitterness of France's fate. "Coal is the question of the hour", M. Millerand said, "the Spa agreement gives us 80% of our needs at a price one-fifth less than now. If there were no opposition party this arrangement would be unanimous". The Premier explained how Germany would be interested in deliveries through the five marks gold per ton payment for feeding the miners and through the advances if full deliveries are made. "If you refuse to vote this bill" M. Millerand said, "then our obligation to make advances ceases but at the same time there disappears the coal protocol for 2,000,000 tons monthly to the Allies. The Control

Commission vanishes and finally there vanishes the provision for occupation of the Ruhr if Germany does not deliver six million tons at the date fixed. You take also from our Belgian and Italian friends the coal Germany promised to deliver". Referring to remarks that the treaty should be executed, he reminded the Deputies that France had been getting five hundred thousand to eight hundred thousand tons monthly. "Let me confront you with your responsibilities", the Premier added. "There will be not only responsibility for a coal shortage just before winter, but a higher and more serious one." M. Millerand referred to the present closeness of the Allies. It was not only necessary in facing Germany, but also, he said, in looking to the east "there is needed the close intimate confident union of all the Allies and of the Allies alone, he declared. The Premier reminded the Deputies that the Spa arrangements obliged Germany to get advances through the Allies. He pointed out Germany's financial subordination and added that the Allies controlled Germany's possessions so that she could not dispose of them to neutrals. The Gov. needed the close and lasting support of Parliament, M. Millerand declared, and created a stir by adding that some day when other great difficulties were met and solved and with the experiences of the last few years he and they would try to "make indispensable changes in our constitutional organization."

The New St. Croix Savings Bank.

THE Members of the New St. Croix Savings Bank are hereby notified that the 39th Annual General Meeting will be held at the office of the Institution on FRIDAY AUGUST 20th AT 4 O'CLOCK P. M. at which a statement of the transactions for the year ending March 31, last will be laid before the meeting and election of Trustees take place.

Christiansted, St. Croix, August 2, 1920.

By Order.

T. J. STRIDIRON,
Accountant.

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good digestion use
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IT is hereby brought to public notice that the trade-mark below, which was registered in the United States Patent Office, Washington, D. C., on 27 April, 1920, in the name of the Indian Packing Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and trade-mark certificate No. 130,525 issued therefor, has this date been registered in the office of the Government Secretary of the Virgin Islands of the United States, at St. Thomas, in accordance with the provisions contained in regulations issued by the Governor.

COUNCIL



Government of the Virgin Islands of the United States, St. Thomas July 14, 1920.

C. C. TIMMONS,

Government Secretary.

PURSUANT to Ordinance of August 19th 1874 it is hereby made known that I have received announcement from the Representatives of the "La Grange" Concern, that from August 1st a. c. the Power of Attorney, given by the deceased Privy Counsellor of Conference, Mr. G. A. HAGEMANN to Civil Engineer C. J. G. SØRENSEN as administrator of the aforesaid Concern, has been revoked, and that from said date Messrs. E. ENGBECK and LAUR. V. NIELSEN have been appointed administrators of the Concern "La Grange".

WILH. JENSEN.

The Police Office, Frederiksted, July 31st. 1920.

DA det for undertegnede Bank er blev en anmeldt, at Sparekassebog Nr. 12390 er bortkommen, indkaldes herved den mulige Ihændebruger af samme til inden 12 Uger fra Dato af fre komme med navnte Bog og for os at godtgøre sin retmæssige Besiddelse af samme, da Bogen i modsat Fald efter Udløbet af nævnte Frist, vil blive mortificeret.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF THE DANISH WEST INDIES.

Frederiksted, den 2^e August 1920.