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St. Thomas News.

Our representative had an interview yesterday, with Lieutenant Pettigrew, Chief of the Public Works Department, who returned from the States by the U. S. S. "Kittery" on Saturday last, regarding certain derogatory statements affecting the former Danish administration, which printed by the Nordlyset, and reproduced in part by our cotem *The Bulletin*, were attributed to him.

We are glad however, to state that the remarks attributed to him are without foundation. Never more surprised than to find himself figuring in print, and in such wise, Lieutenant Pettigrew upon learning the situation, immediately took steps to counteract the evil impression made by the publication, by calling upon, and speaking the matter over, with those concerned.—*St. Thomas Mail Notes*, Dec. 11th.

MISSIONARY FESTIVAL AT EMMAUS, ST. JOHN

On Sunday, December 7, a Missionary Festival was held at the Moravian Church at Emmaus, St. John. The morning opened brightly, and the weather continued fair throughout the day. The morning service was conducted by the Rev. Geo. F. Penn, pastor of the congregation. The Scripture Lessons were read by the Rev. D. E. Philips of Nisky, who also delivered the Missionary sermon. At the beginning of the service there was but a handful of people, but towards the middle, many put in their appearance. These were chiefly from the East End of the island who generally travel by sailing boats.

Den dansk-vestindiske Nationalbanks Balance

DEN 30 NOVEMBER 1919.

DEBITORER.	Francs.	Bit	KREDITORER.	Francs.	Bit
Bankernes Garantibeviser.....	3,750,000	00	Aktiekapital.....	5,000,000	00
Beholdning af Mønt.....	432,304	25	Reservefond.....	410,282	80
“ “ Sedler.....	495,875	00	Seddelemission.....	1,700,000	00
“ “ Fremmed Mønt.....	217,987	15	Sparekasseindskud.....	2,553,718	22½
Indriede Dansk Vestindiske Kreditbeviser.....	313,490	00	Folio.....	2,338,554	17½
Fonds.....	348,534	95	Indlaan.....	1,490,790	85
Veksler paa Indlandet.....	634,812	55	Forskellige Kreditorer....	2,218,907	90
“ paa Udlandet.....	44,309	50	Vindings og Tabs Konto....	216,065	50
Tilgodehavende hos Banker og Bankiers.....	4,369,850	62½			
Forskellige Debitorer.....	2,378,844	40			
Udlaan i faste Ejendomme....	1,197,336	75			
“ mod Haandpant og Kavtion.....	821,346	45			
Kasse Kredit.....	855,178	15			
Bygnings Konto: Bankbygningen Frs. 50,000 Direktørboligen 15,000	65,000	00			
Inventarie Konto.....	3,449	67½			
	15,928,319	45		15,928,319	45

AXEL HOLST.

JAKOB TORNØE.

The afternoon session began at 2.30 p. m., when the number of those who came out in the morning was largely increased. The newly dedicated church, neat and beautiful in appearance, together with the large gathering, presented a delightful scene. After the distribution of the "bun and lemonade," the financial report was read by the pastor. The amount collected for the cause of Missions was \$145.

Addresses were delivered by Mr. R. P. Jacobs of Bethany, and Rev. D. E. Philips. Appropriate anthems were rendered

by the choir with Mrs. F. Penn at the organ. We congratulate the Rev. Penn and his staff of workers for their successful Missionary Meeting; and extend our best wishes for another year's efforts in this great cause.—*Com.—Ibid.*

We hear that Captain Miller in command of the steam yacht intended for trade between the islands has left New York and may be looked for in three or four days hence.—*St. Thomas Mail Notes*, Dec 12th.