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THE Government of Grenada has recently put in circulation two kinds of monetary notes of the value of five and two shillings respectively. The designs are said to be very pretty. — *Dominica Guardian* 23rd. Sept.

THE Bar ados Executive has recommended to the Legislative Assembly the expenditure of the sum of £654 toward the establishment of a wireless telegraph station in that island. The *Weekly Herald* expresses its approval and also the hope that the House will vote the amount ungrudgingly. — *Ibid.*

BARBADOS has just put its Victory Stamps into circulation. A couple of these have already reached our hands. The design is a very handsome one. In the centre on a dark ground is a female figure representing the Angel of Victory which carries in her hand what appears to be a chaplet. The blue of the stamp is printed on both sides underneath, with the word "postage" coming in between. On the right hand corner are the figures "1919" and in opposite corner the word "Victory." The values struck are from one farthing to 3 shillings. The *Advocate* understands that an-unusually large number of bookings have been made by stamp collectors. — *Ibid.*

According to the return of produce shipped from this Presidency to the 15th. of Sept. last, the two main staple products of the island are still holding their own with the output of the same period of last year. At that date the shipment of cocoa had been 2,462 cwts; this year's return gives it at 4,

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490 cwts. Concentrated and raw lime juice figured at 69,616 gals. and 119,621 gals. respectively; this period 71,295 and 221,224 gals.—an unprecedented increase; cordial was 3,727 gals., this year's output being 7,640 gals. Green limes were nearly equal, there being but a slight decrease in citrate. Hardwood showed an increase this year of 20,000 feet. Cocoanuts were 511,639 on Sep. last, an increase of a little less than half the former period; and so on. Not a bad record. Crop conditions continue quite favourable, much of the lime trees in this vicinity being in full bearing, and some cocoa planters speak favourably of the coming crop. — *Ibid.*

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REPORT

OF
DEPOSITS & WITHDRAWALS
AT

THE NEW ST. CROIX SAVINGS BANK

On Saturday the 2nd Oct. 1920

RECEIVERS:

In Christiansted

A. E. STAKEMANN Trustee.

In Frederiksted

R. E. HIGGINS Trustee.

Balance of deposits to 25th Sept. 1920
\$88,394.36

58 Deposits, of which	
43 in Christiansted	\$ 314.80
(- new)	
15 in Frederiksted	\$ 119.55
(1 new)	
	\$434.35

17 withdrawals of which	
14 in Christiansted	\$ 428.00
3 in Frederiksted	\$ 14.25
	\$ 442.25

Balance of deposits to date \$ 88,386.46

Receivers for Saturday the 9th Oct. 1920.

In Christiansted

A. E. STAKEMANN Trustee.

In Frederiksted

R. E. HIGGINS Trustee.

A. E. STAKEMANN,
President.