

Publication.

PURSUANT to Paragraph 2 of the Charter of Foundation of Merchant WILHELM SMIDT'S Legacy for assisting poor persons in St. Croix, it is hereby brought to public notice that the sum of Francs 653.67½, representing interest accrued on the invested capital of the above named legacy, will be on hand for distribution on 1 July 1924.

Applications for participation in this distribution, duly certified, should be forwarded to the undersigned on or before the 21st day of June 1924.

Despatching Secretary's Office, Christiansted, St. Croix, V. I., 2 June 1924.

R. E. BARRETT,
Despatching Secretary.

Publication.

PURSUANT to Paragraph 3 of the Charter of Foundation of Upper Chamberlain VALDEMAR TULLY VON OXHOLM and Wife's Legacy for assisting needy persons, it is hereby brought to public notice that the sum of Francs 1,501.05, representing interest accrued on the invested capital of the above named legacy, will be on hand for distribution on 1 July 1924.

Applications containing the requisite information, and duly certified, should be forwarded to the undersigned on or before the 20th day of June, 1924.

Despatching Secretary's Office, Christiansted, St. Croix, V. I., 2 June, 1924.

R. E. BARRETT,
Despatching Secretary.

NOTICE.

THE Auction of Mr. R. E. HIGGINS' stock-in-trade will be continued on SATURDAY, THE 7TH INST., AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M., when, among other things, will be offered for sale Kegs of Wire nails, Mat tacks, Hoes, very large P. Hinges from 6" up, Thumb hinges 14 inches up, Plow socks, Moulding plows, Sewing machines, Charcoal Irons, Galvanize spouting, Chicken wire, Galvanize gutters.

Mails Close

for the United States, by s. s. Guiana tomorrow (5th) at 4 o'clock p. m.

CANE PRICE

for week from 26 to 31 May. 1924.

5½ lbs. Sugar to 100 lbs. Canes 25.52.
6 " do. " 100 " do. 27.84.

BURIALS

IN THE PUBLIC CEMETERY OF FREDERIKSTED,

May 1924.

- 3—Decima S. Johnson, died in town, aged 1 month.
- 3—Henry Jacobs, died at the Hospital, aged 44 years.
- 4—Beatrice Herbert, died at the Hospital, aged 34 years.
- 4—Ivan Layne, died at the Hospital, aged 1 month.
- 5—Still-born male at the Hospital.
- 6—John Calendler, died at the Hospital, aged 66 years.
- 8—Helen Seville, died at the Hospital, aged 55 years.
- 21—Ada Gibbs, died in town, aged 28 years.
- 24—Jens Casper Bartholin, died at the Hospital, aged 29 years.
- 27—Daniel Nathan, died at the Hospital, aged 44 years.
- 29—William Kenneth Hendersen, died at the Hospital, aged 1 month.
- 30—Hans Jacob Kofoed, died at Est. Sprat Hall, aged 72 years.

LOCAL

The s. s. "Bridgetown" sailed from New York on Saturday evening, having 61 tons of cargo for Christiansted. She will not call at Frederiksted.

TELEGRAMS.

ST. CROIX STATION.

Bucharest, May 31st.—The Jugo Slav Govt. gave orders yesterday for immediate general mobilization in case the Russian invade Bessarabia. The Jugo Slav general staff further instructed the army commanders, railway officials and civil authorities, who assist with the mobilization, and tribal chiefs in the isolated districts, to begin immediately to take the necessary steps to hasten the mobilization when ordered.

Vienna, June 1st.—The Chancellor, Dr. Ignaz Seipel, lies in a hospital here tonight in the gravest condition. A bullet fired by a young railway employee, Karl Jaworek, penetrated the Chancellor's lung and it remains imbedded there, the surgeons having been unable to extract it. The Chancellor's condition is aggravated by diabetes. Three shots were fired at him, one going wide the other grazing the skin and the third penetrating the lung. He was shot as he stepped from the train on his return from Wiener Neustadt. His assailant wounded himself seriously in an attempt to commit suicide.

London, May 31st.—It is reported that Queen Mary of Roumania, who is in England, has received a telegram from Bucharest that terrible programs have

broken out there against the Jews, who are accused by reactionary parties of being responsible for the explosion of the munitions plants. This could explain the fact that no news was coming out of Bucharest concerning the explosion, although the wires were evidently working normally, for despatches which are favourable to Roumania political causes were coming through freely.

London, May 31st.—Two thousand workers in the building trades today went out on strike in the Liverpool district, as a protest against wage reductions. The employers are considering retaliation by means of a national lock-out, affecting 750,000 workers on Wednesday.

Geneva Switzerland, June 1st.—The monster collective damage suit brought against the German Govt. by 80,000 Belgians, who were deported for forced labour, into Germany during the war, which has been on trial here for the past three months before the mixed German arbitration tribunal, has been lost by the plaintiffs. The tribunal, presided over by Paul Moriaud, the famous Swiss Jurist, ruled that while in principle it was competent to act in matters regarding contracts, the treaty of Versailles had in this particular instance deprived it of jurisdiction. According to the stipulations of the treaty as interpreted by the tribunal, the deported persons must look exclusively to the Govts, concerned in the reparation commission, to obtain indemnity for their losses and damages.

New, York, June 1st.—In the first three rounds of the fight between Carpentier and Gibbons, the former was roughly handled and at the end of the fifth round he was visibly tired. At the seventh round Carpentier came up apparently dazed and at the end of the round he almost fell to the floor, but hung on until the bell rang. In the ninth round Carpentier slipped to the floor and was apparently suffering from foot trouble when he rose. In the tenth round he continued to receive punishment, Gibbons landing freely until the round closed. No decision was allowed, but the newspapers decisions are given to Gibbons. Gibbons won in the tenth round is the unofficial decision.

London, June 1st.—It is announced that Steve Donoghue will ride Mr. J. B. Joel's Defiance in the Derby. Beasley, another well known rider, has been selected to ride Tom Pinch.

London, May 31st.—Great Britain, which during the war put an army of 4,000,000 in the field, now has an army that is smaller than Spain's or Holland's and not much bigger than that of Czechoslovakia. This fact was brought out today by Mr. Stephen Walsh, Secretary for War, in reply to a parliamentary question. According to Mr. Walsh, Soviet Russia has the largest army in Europe. She numbers 1,003,000 men, and France ranks second with 732,248. The