

guarantees with regard to ters have been received from re that the company will pracover the government and he islands, subject to the f the Danish government old high paid officials who but draw their pay would

lan is to start a national homas, to which the govalready given private con-te present time there is on-of the Colonial bank and to be of no practical use

amship line will be run be-roix and St. Thomas, and ill be made to Porto Rico.

increase the freight traffic of the peculiarities o nt law it is shown that none ar used in St. Thomas comes roix, but all of it comes from d States. This is on account igh tariff rates between the The exports from St. Thomas x from 1897 to 1898 amounted and from St. Croix to St

DANISH WEST

the Disputations.

CONGRESS MUST ACT SOON.

be Beyond Beach of This Country

Plan Suggested.

[Early Dispatches.]

New York, May 15 .-- An article in the

Verland, the organ of the Danish gov-

Denmark is considering a plan to put

an end to the Danish West India Isl-

ands muddle by placing the islands in

the hands of a "chartered company,

which will conduct their affairs under

he Danish flag, and thereby cutting off

ermany as well as the United States

m obtaining possession of the isl-

perfectly well understood in tic circles in Washington, it is

unless Congress acts on of the islands during this

government cannot become The chartered company

of leading Danes, and they the government clearly that

the the islands a source the crown instead of a tofore. The Danish gov-

mits only the close of Con-

tify publicly the agreements tvately entered into. time the sale of the islands

prominent business men ded that the sale should

place. They offered to show place. They offered to show islands could be made profit-they were told that they any time after the present

were off take the place of tent in a measure and prove

ions. According to Vorland of the promoters was called

tude that many of the the plan were at once worked

ing to the newspaper in ques-

was understood by the promo-om the start that it would be ry to reform the enormously

pe out the old monopolles. "Dur-past few days," the article says,

administration of the islands

aderstood was the govern-

mment in Copenhagen, states that

hip line between the islands nited States will be maind At the beginning it will be sively by the way of New Or-and later it will be extended di-Coal stations will at St. Thomas and these a large scale. There is but caler there at the present it is asserted that he has Milk. le by his arbitrary meascisterns will be erected ble elevation so that wapiped directly to the ships s. The present company

25,000 crowns last year out of the first thing the new comwill be to erect several

ls. A modern steam be built. Heretofore hotels. g was done on the coast in e manner. It is pointed out work is a very lucrative the tropics, the establishngapore and Aden having es for their promoters. All be built and also a facgar barrels can be manuthe St. Croix refineries. for the needs of the be raised and large and pine apple groves planted.



Year-Nearly 12,000,000 In One Month. ashington. May 14 .- Secretary Gage

sent to the speaker in reply to solution of May 8th, directto furnish the House "the uplicates of pages one and tto 216 of the internal revenue ent for the fiscal year ending ^{10, 1829}, as returned by the various facturers of oleomargarine ughout the United States for the periods," the following report unissioner of Internal revenue shom the resolution was referred: leary department, office of the her of internal revenue, Washm, D. C., May 14, 1900:

n. Secretary of the Trease with your instructo House resolution of ave the honor to submit called for. The original this information is sublice are not only very voluminous in number well be transmitted; part of the records in treasury department. mitted discloses the used, the amount of and the per cent that total amount of olec d in the country for i, and it is believed information intended G. W. WILSON. Very

Commasioner." showing the qualities a' used in the garine in the U.

building. Mr. Cobb declares that he will take no part in the controversy that may arise between the contractors and the unions, it being his duty to see that the work is done according to specifi tions, and completed by January 1, 1 the date stipulated in the amended con



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to encourage violations of the law."

Heavy Snow in Germany.

Grain of all kinds is looking fairly well Good prospects for a fruit crop.-A. C

Niels Chester, Sanpete Co .- A favorable Leipsic, May 15 -- It has been snowing Crops are looking well. Potato plant-ing is in progress. Fruit trees are in full bloom. Sugar beets are coming up heavily here since early this morning. The thermometer registers 361/2 de-There is also a heavy snowfall at nicely.-Joseph Beck.

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