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BURN MAN WHO STOLE RELICS.

At Avezzano a group of peasants saw Francesco Tomel carrying away from the church an urn containing the ashes of one of the patron saints of the place. The people had previously missed holy relics from the church, and feeling was high. Tomel was first beaten by an infuriated mob, then his clothes were saturated with gasoline and he was burned alive.—*The Pathfinder*, January 26th.

COFFEE DRINKER FINED.

William Dorsey, of Kansas City, had an annoying habit of pouring his coffee in his saucer and then making a peculiar whistling noise cooling it. He also occasionally blew coffee on other patrons of the restaurant where he dined. The proprietor asked Dorsey to discontinue his objectionable practices, but the coffee blower became indignant. An argument followed and Dorsey was put out of the building. The smash! a brick came through the window at the proprietor who was still cleaning coffee off the table. The next day Dorsey had an opportunity to tell the judge all about the affair. "I'm old fashioned," he said, "and I like to drink my coffee out of my saucer." "Fifty dollars," said the judge.—*Ibid*.

ROOSEVELT BUST AT SAN JUAN.

A bust of Theodore Roosevelt as a rough rider is to be erected by the Roosevelt Memorial Association on the boulevard running from Santiago to San

Juan-Hill. The statue was designed by James Earle Frazier who designed the statue of Hamilton on the steps of the treasury building in Washington. The Roosevelt statue will bear the inscription, "Only those are fit to live who do not fear to die."—*Ibid*.

A PROCLAMATION

BY THE GOVERNOR
OF THE
VIRGIN ISLANDS OF THE UNITED STATES.

BY virtue of the authority vested in me, I do hereby set apart TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1924, and proclaim it a public holiday within the Municipality of Saint Croix, Virgin Islands of the United States for the purpose of observing LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY.

PHILIP WILLIAMS,
Governor.

Government House,
Saint Thomas,
February 1, 1924.

BY request of Government a meeting of the Colonial Councils of St. Thomas and St. John, and St. Croix assembled in joint session will be held on FEBRUARY 7th., 1924 in the Council Hall at St. Croix at 2 o'clock p. m.

ORDER OF THE DAY

1. Colonial Council Bill No. 17.

Fourth Council, First Session, 1923-1924.

Introduction of draft of resolution embodying recommendations to better the economic condition in the Virgin Islands.

forwarded by the Municipal Committee of St. Croix

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Colonial Council Office, St. Croix, February 4, 1924.

ROBT. L. MERWIN,
Chairman.

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Administrator's Notice.

In the District Court of the Virgin Islands of the United States, Christiansted Sub-Judicial District.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
SUSANNA MARGRETH PLASKETT,
DECEASED.

NOTICE is hereby given, that A. E. STAKEMANN, Administrator of the above entitled estate, having filed in the District Court of the Virgin Islands of the United States, his final account of the administration of the said estate, the hearing of the same has been fixed for MONDAY the 3rd day of MARCH A. D. 1924 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the Office of the Judge of said Court in the Town of Christiansted, Island of St. Croix, and all persons interested in the said estate are hereby notified then and there to appear and show cause, if any they have, why the said account should not be settled and allowed.

Christiansted, St. Croix, January 30th 1924.

A. E. STAKEMANN,
Administrator.