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Notice of Auction

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF PETER EMANUEL JACKSON DECEASED.

AT the request of A. E. Stakemann, administrator of the above entitled estate and pursuant to an order of the District Court of the Virgin Islands of the United States dated the 30th day of November 1923 the real estate belonging to the decedent's estate, situate in the Town of Christiansted, Island of St. Croix, Virgin Islands of the United States known as No. 43 Letters A. B. and 47 in Company Street

and consisting of lot of land with 1 two story building constructed of stone and wood and 2 one story buildings in the yard, with all appurtenances will be offered for sale at a public auction, to be held at the undersigned Vendue Office in the Town of Christiansted on

TUESDAY

the 15th day of January 1924
at 2 o'clock in the afternoon

Conditions and terms of the sale will be made known at the time of the sale.

Christiansted Vendue Office, St. Croix, this 3rd day of December 1923.

C. H. PAYNE
Vendue Director.

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

THE MUNICIPALITY OF ST. CROIX.

Plaintiff.

PEDRO ROBINSON, et. al.

Defendants.

ESCHEAT

No. 41.

WHEREAS, the Municipality of St. Croix, by CHARLES H. GIBSON, Government Attorney, has filed in said Court its petition of Escheat in the above entitled cause, setting forth that one ROBERT O. ROBINSON, on the 24th day of November, 1921, died, intestate, in the county of Barnstable, state of Massachusetts, and leaving the real estate, No. 59 King Street, Christiansted, St. Croix, and in addition rental moneys and bonds of the St. Croix Sukkerfabrik, and leaving no heirs, widow, or known kindred capable of inheriting said property, and praying that the aforesaid property be adjudged to belong to the Municipality of St. Croix.

IT IS ORDERED that said petitioner give notice of the pendency of said action by publishing the substance of the said petition as hereinbefore set forth, with this order, in the "St. Croix Avis", a newspaper printed at Christiansted in said Municipality of St. Croix, six consecutive weeks, and that all persons interested in the aforesaid property appear and show cause, if any they have, on or before the 25th day of February, 1924, why the title should not vest in the Municipality of St. Croix.

McKEAN,
Judge

(SEAL)

Dated this 4th day of December, 1923, A. D.

GOVERNMENT OF THE
VIRGIN ISLANDS OF THE UNITED STATES
St. Croix

Official Publication

IT is with much gratification that I inform the people of the Virgin Islands that The Honorable, The Secretary of the Navy, is sending an officer of the Civil Engineer Corps of high rank, to the Virgin Islands for the purpose of investigating and reporting upon the means of providing a water supply for the towns of St. Thomas, Christiansted and Frederiksted. It is expected that this officer will reach the Virgin Islands the latter part of the present month.

The Honorable, The Secretary of the Navy, has also informed me that the Department of the Interior has agreed to send a Reclamation

Engineer to the Virgin Islands to investigate and report upon the possibility of water conservation for agricultural purposes, and that this engineer will probably arrive in the Virgin Islands the latter part of February.

We have now the assurance that the problem of water for the Virgin Islands is about to receive the expert investigation necessary to eventual solution and in view of this, I earnestly urge that the people adopt an optimistic view as to what the future may hold for us.

Government of the Virgin Islands of the United States, St. Croix, 5 January, 1924.

PHILIP WILLIAMS,
Governor.

FOR SALE.

FOR Roses and plants MOULD can be had from MARCUS PARK well prepared.

J. B. MARCUS.