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## UNITED STATES PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

### DANGER IN HORSE-HAIR SHAVING BRUSHES.

Washington, D. C. Oct. Surgeon-General Cumming, of the United States Public Health Service, has just issued a fresh warning against the use of horse-hair shaving brushes, to which not a few cases of anthrax have been traced.

He says; "The Public Health Service has made every effort possible under existing laws and regulations to prevent the occurrence of anthrax due to infected shaving brushes, but in spite of its effort anthrax cases occur and will continue to occur unless the public ceases to buy and use horse-hair brushes for shaving.

"It is the consensus of expert opinion that shaving-brush anthrax is contracted only when the shaving brush is made of horse-hair; and Congress at the next Session will be asked to prohibit the use of horse hair for that purpose. It is doubtful however, if any effective measures can be taken by health officials to curtail the use of the horse-hair shaving brushes now in trade channels, some of which are presumably infected, except a direct warning to the public not to buy or use such brushes.

Dr. Cumming strongly urges the issue of such an appeal by State Health Officials and its widest possible publicity, as the only way, pending additional legislation, to obviate their potential danger.

## Publication.

IN conformity with Section 22 of the Colonial Law all persons residing in the town of Christiansted who consider themselves to have been, during the last year, in receipt of a clear yearly income of 1,500 Francs and otherwise to be entitled to the franchise in conformity with Section 18 of the said Colonial Law, or who before the 31st of March 1922 will attain the qualifications of franchise (see Section 23 last clause) are hereby requested to notify the same in writing to the undersigned Chairman of the Electoral Board before the expiration of this month.

The Electoral Board for Christiansted's Town and Suburbs, St. Croix, December 2nd. 1920.

WILH. JENSEN.  
Chairman.

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The Electoral Board for the Country District of Christiansted, St. Croix, December 2nd 1920.

WILH. JENSEN.  
Chairman.

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IN conformity with Section 22 of the Colonial Law all persons residing in the town of Frederiksted who consider themselves to have been, during the last year, in receipt of a clear yearly income of 1,500 Francs and otherwise to be entitled to the franchise in conformity with Section 18 of the said Colonial Law,

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The Electoral Board for the Country District of Frederiksted, St. Croix, December 2nd. 1920.

C. H. PAYNE.  
Chairman.

## I. J. W. OMAN,

Governor of the Virgin Islands of the United States,

in accordance with the provisions of Section 15, Chapter I, Title I, of the Code, do hereby appoint

GEORGE A. KEYSER  
as a Special Judge  
of the District Court,  
Municipality of St. Croix.

to take effect November 24, 1920, and to remain in effect during the absence of Judge D. NOLAN on leave expiring December 31, 1920, unless sooner revoked.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Government of the Virgin Islands of the United States this 24th day of November, 1920.

J. W. OMAN.  
Governor.