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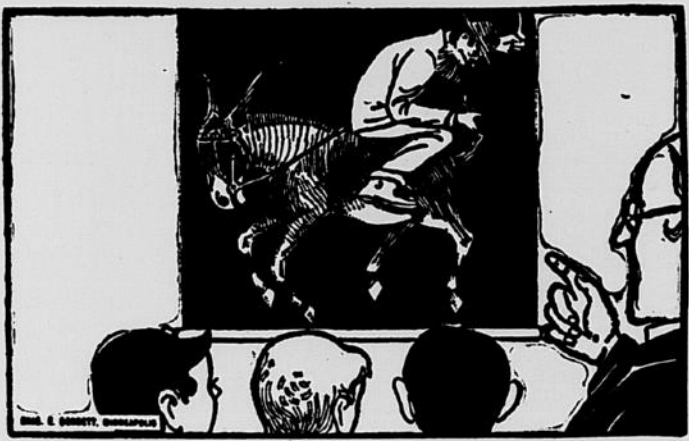
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Citation and Hearing Proof of Foreign Will.

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, County of Griggs. In county court, before Hon. Will H. Carleton, Judge. In the matter of the estate of Harris H. Crosby, deceased. Luman B. Crosby, Petitioner. Jane P. Crosby, Mary F. Whidden, Leonette Crosby Wallace, Edward H. Crosby, Henry B. Crosby, Frank E. Crosby, May Crosby, Riverside Cemetery Company of Hebron, and Hebron Baptist Church, of Yarmouth Nova Scotia, Respondents. The State of North Dakota. To the above named Respondents and all persons interested in the estate of Harris H. Crosby deceased: You and each of you are hereby notified that Luman B. Crosby the petitioner herein, has filed a petition in the forenoon of that day, at the court rooms of this court, in the County Court House, in the Village of Cooperstown, county of Griggs and State of North Dakota, and that the said petition and proofs of said purported will will be heard and duly considered by this court on Monday, the ninth day of February, A. D. 1923, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the court rooms of this court, in the County Court House, in the Village of Cooperstown, county of Griggs and State of North Dakota, and that the said petition and proofs of said purported will should not be granted. By the Court, WILL H. CARLETON, Judge of the County Court. Dated the 24th day of December, A. D. 1922. 1-1

Notice.

Before U. S. Land Office, at Fargo, N. Dak. Cooperstown, N. Dak., December 29, 1922. A sufficient contest notice having been entered in this office by Amund Erlanson against the last will of said deceased, his homestead entry No. 2373 dated July 26th 1890, for the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of section 4 in township 147 N. of range 59 W. in Griggs county, North Dakota with a view to the cancellation of said entry, contestant alleging that the said Amund Erlanson had solely abandoned said tract; that he has utterly failed to ever establish a bona fide residence upon the said tract from the date of his said entry up to the present date; that the said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law; that there are no improvements of any kind upon the said tract, and that there never was made or caused to be made any improvement of any kind whatsoever upon the said tract by the said defendant or anybody else; that there is no building of any description upon the said tract at the present time in which there ever been any since the making of the said entry and next prior to the date herein and that nobody has ever resided upon the said tract, not does any one reside on same at the present time, and that the said alleged absence from said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman, or marine, during the war with Spain or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged and that this said contestant is ready to prove at such time as may be named by the registrar and receiver for a hearing in said case and that he therefore asks to be allowed to prove said allegation, and that the homestead entry No. 2373 may be declared cancelled and forfeited to the United States, he, the said contestant paying the expenses of such hearing. The said parties are hereby summoned to appear before Oscar D. Furinton, clerk of the district court of Griggs county, North Dakota, at his office at Cooperstown, North Dakota, on the 31st day of February, 1923, at 10 o'clock a. m. to respond and to testify concerning said alleged failures, said testimony so taken to be reported to this office at a hearing to be held on the 7th day of February, A. D. 1923 at 10 o'clock a. m. C. C. SCHUYLER, Registrar. 12-25

Citation Hearing Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

State of North Dakota, County of Griggs. In county court, before Hon. Will H. Carleton, Judge. In the matter of the estate of Thore J. Odegard, deceased. Anna Thompson, Petitioner. Citation Hearing Petition for Appointment of Administrator. John T. Odegard, H. T. Odegard, Guro Kukke, Annie Syverson Thora Hallock, Respondents. The State of North Dakota to the above named respondents and all persons interested in the estate of Thore J. Odegard, deceased: You, and each of you are hereby notified that Anna Thompson, the petitioner herein, has filed in this court her petition, praying that letters of administration be granted to her, in the estate of Thore J. Odegard, late of the town of Cooperstown, in the County of Griggs and State of North Dakota, deceased, be granted to several Friswold and that the said petition will be heard and duly considered by this court on Monday, the ninth day of March, A. D. 1923 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the court rooms of this court, in the County Court House in the Village of Cooperstown, county of Griggs and State of North Dakota, and you, and each of you, are hereby cited to be and appear before this court at that time and place and answer said petition and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. By the Court, WILL H. CARLETON, Judge of the County Court. Dated the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1923. 1-23

Lord Spencer's Bargain. Lord Spencer of Althorp, one of the greatest of book collectors, was at home only in his own field. One day in browsing about Bond street, London, he went into the shop of a dealer in bric-a-brac. The dealer, who knew him by sight, said persuasively: "Here is a fine bit of pottery which your lordship really ought to have, and you shall have it very cheap—only 2 guineas." So Lord Spencer bought it and took it home and set it in a high place. One day a connoisseur of china paid him a visit, and Lord Spencer showed his bargain. "What did you give for it?" asked the connoisseur. "Two guineas," answered Spencer rather proudly. "H'm!" said the connoisseur. "At that price the marmalade should have been included." "What do you mean?" "Why, that precious piece of yours is nothing more nor less than a shilling marmalade pot with a green thistle painted on it."

A. C. Leslie, M. D. Physician & Surgeon. Graduate of McGill Medical College, Montreal, Canada. HANNAFORD, - NORTH DAKOTA.

Notice of Mortgage Sale by Advertisement.

Notice is Herby Given, That that certain Mortgage, executed and delivered by George N. Stark and his wife, to State Bank of Cooperstown, dated the 26th day of December, A. D. nineteen hundred and one, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of the county of Griggs and State of North Dakota on the 27th day of December, A. D. 1921, and recorded in Book "B" of mortgages, at page 518 and assigned by said mortgagee by an instrument in writing to John O. Oie, dated the 31st day of November, A. D. 1922, and filed for record in said office of the Register of Deeds on the 3rd day of November, 1922 and recorded in Book "U" of mortgages, on page 16 will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereinafter described, at the front door of the Courthouse in the Village of Cooperstown, in the county of Griggs and State of North Dakota, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M., on the 9th day of March, 1923, to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage on the day of sale. The premises described in said mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same, are these certain premises situated in the county of Griggs and State of North Dakota, and described as follows, to-wit: The northwest quarter of Section twenty-four (24) in Township one hundred forty six (146) north of Range fifty nine (59) west of the 10th principal meridian, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof. There will be due on such mortgage at the date of sale the sum of five hundred fifty nine and eighty-five one hundredths (\$559.85) Dollars, with interest thereon. Dated at Cooperstown, North Dakota, this 22nd day of January 1923. JOHN O. OIE, Assignee of Mortgage. 1-22

Notice of Hearing Petition to Establish Heirship.

State of North Dakota, County of Griggs. In County Court, before Hon. Will H. Carleton, Judge. In the matter of Alfred B. Richardson, deceased. Alve E. Richardson, Petitioner. Notice of Hearing Petition to Establish Heirship. William O. Richardson and Hattie F. Hoalting, Respondents. Notice is hereby given that Alve E. Richardson has filed in the County Court of said County of Griggs, a duly verified petition praying for a decree establishing the right of succession to the estate of Alfred B. Richardson, deceased, and that Monday the second day of March, 1923, at 10 o'clock A. M. in said court, being a day of a regular term of this court, to-wit: of the third Term, A. D. 1923, at the county court room in the Village of Cooperstown, County of Griggs, North Dakota, has been set by order of this court as the time and place for hearing said petition. At which said time and place any and all persons interested may appear and show cause why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. By the Court, WILL H. CARLETON, Judge of the County Court. 1-22

Notice of Final Proof.

Land Office at Fargo, N. D., Jan. 24, 1923.—Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Oscar D. Furinton, clerk of the district court, at his office at Cooperstown, Griggs county, N. D., on Saturday, March 7, 1923, viz: DOUGLAS J. DOUGHTON, H. E. No. 2199 for the SW 1/4 section 30 township 146 N. of range 59 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Ludvig Anderson, Peter Person, Olof Johnson, Byron Hazard, all of Cooperstown, P. O., Griggs Co., N. D. C. C. SCHUYLER, Registrar. 1-29

Notice of Final Proof.

Land Office at Fargo, N. D., Dec. 17, 1922.—Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Oscar D. Furinton, clerk of the district court, at his office at Cooperstown, Griggs county, N. D., on February, 7th 1923, viz: STEEN JOHNSON MOEN, H. E. No. 21993 for the NW 1/4 of sec. 34 in Twp. 147 N., Rg. 58 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Martin H. Skramstad, Ole P. Ovrby, Arne Skramstad, John Johnson, of Homness P. O., Griggs Co., N. D., John O. Oie, C. C. SCHUYLER, Registrar. 12-25

Notice of Final Proof.

Land Office at Fargo, N. D., Dec. 23rd, 1922.—Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final five year proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before Frank R. Henry, clerk of the district court, at his office at Barnes County, N. D., at Valley City, N. D., on February 21st 1923, viz: A. A. CURTIS, widow of William S. Curtis, deceased, H. E. No. 21976 for the SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 and lots 2 and 3 Section 4, Township 143 Range 58. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: E. J. Moser, of Mosher, Ed. Ladbury and John Curtis all of Dazey, N. Dak. C. C. SCHUYLER, Registrar. 1-15

Notice of Final Proof.

Land Office at Fargo, N. D., Jan. 9, 1923.—Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final five year proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before Frank R. Henry, clerk of the district court, at his office at Barnes County, N. D., at Valley City, N. D., on February 21st 1923, viz: A. A. CURTIS, widow of William S. Curtis, deceased, H. E. No. 21976 for the SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 and lots 2 and 3 Section 4, Township 143 Range 58. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: E. J. Moser, of Mosher, Ed. Ladbury and John Curtis all of Dazey, N. Dak. C. C. SCHUYLER, Registrar. 1-15

Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of the estate of Ole O. Trostad, deceased: Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Severt J. Tande administrator of the estate of Ole O. Trostad late of the Town of Pilot Mount, in the county of Griggs and State of North Dakota, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against, said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice, to said administrator at his residence in the Town of Pilot Mount in said Griggs county. Dated Cooperstown, N. D., Dec. 29th A. D. 1922. S. J. TANDE, Administrator. 1-1

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