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SHERIFF'S SALE. Valentine O. King, No. 888—District vs. Court—Parish of Andrew Jackson J. Rapides, State of Louisiana.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias issued from the Honorable the District Court in and for the Parish of Rapides, State of Louisiana; and to me addressed in the above entitled and numbered suit, I have seized and will offer for sale to the last and highest bidder, on

SATURDAY, the 3d day of AUGUST,

between the hours of 11 A. M. and 4 P. M., at the Court House door, in the Town of Alexandria, Parish of Rapides, State of Louisiana, the following described property seized as the property of the defendant, to wit:

Lot No. 4, Range No. 3, having a front of one hundred feet on Main street, by the depth of ninety feet.

Part of Lot No. 24 of same Range, fronting on Main street.

Part of Lot marked on the map of the said Town or Village all those lots, parts of lots, being a portion of the square of ground just below and adjacent to the Hotel, bounded below by Church street, and above by Gibson street, in the rear by Mechanics street, on the front by Main street, all the square being included except that portion occupied by Mrs. Bailey, together with all the buildings, improvements, appurtenances, including fixtures, stables, etc.

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No. 23—District Court of Rapides—State of Louisiana.

Excerpt.

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between the hours of 11 A. M. and 4 P. M., at the door of the Court House in the Town of Alexandria, Parish of Rapides, State of Louisiana, the following described property seized as the property of defendant, to wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land situated in the Parish aforesaid with all the improvements thereon, to wit:

Seven hundred acres, more or less, bounded on the North by Bayou Rigollet, on the West in part by Bayou Darro, and in part by entries made by Isaac Baldwin, on the South by lands purchased by Colleton from J. M. Wells, and on the East by a tract owned by Jessie A. Bynum, and now in his possession.

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To treat with exceeding care,

A fashionable road to Heaven,

Five ladies who low bending pray,

And sing for service in Latin,

And mortify the flesh each day,

In gleaming robes of silk and satin,

The curate "such a dear," you know,

Airs a white hand to turn his pages;

I hardly think St. Paul did so,

When preaching to Athenian sages,

His doctrine, if it has a fault,

Stands much in need of force and flavor,

And makes us think the gospel salt.

It very nearly lost its savor.

Where Divinity I look in vain

For Lazarus, even at the portal,

I wonder, does their creed maintain

The rich man? 't is immortal!

And yet my mind is somewhat east;

So vain and vainglorious is the preaching,

That Lazarus hardly would be pleased

To gather fragments of such teaching,

It would be worthless of the times,

And talk of charitable graces,

If we took care the Sunday alms,

Should sometimes sound in silent places,

The braider's Alan-clout might tell,

Of pious hands, and yet be pharisee?

A simpler, humbler rite were well,

So should the poor man be a gainsay.

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