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Auction Sales on Monday.

By D. E. Morphy, on the Levee, foot of St. Joseph street—Gunny and burlap sacks, cooks, rubber hose, new hawsers, etc.

Amusements This Evening.

OPERA HOUSE—"Les Noces de Jeannette," "La Fonteine de Champaudet," "Ce Scélerat de Pol."

ACADEMY OF MUSIC—"Macbeth."

THE ARREST OF THE ALDERMEN.

Our readers are aware that the Chief of Police of this city, acting in the capacity of a constable in the service of Geo. W. Sadler, Justice of the Peace, and by virtue of a warrant issued by Sadler, at the instance of J. A. Walsh, one of Gov. Warmoth's appointees to a seat in the Assistant Board of Aldermen, undertook to intrude into the chamber of the Board, while they were in session on Thursday evening last, and to arrest those of its members whose seats are contested by Walsh and the other appointees of Gov. Warmoth.

The warrant upon which the Chief of Police acted, reads as follows:

The State of Louisiana, Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans—To G. L. Cain, Superintendent of Police, or any other Constable, or Officer of Police, greeting: Whereas, complaint has lately made on oath of J. A. Walsh before Geo. W. Sadler, Justice of the Peace of the parish of Orleans, that J. C. Rose, W. Davis, C. Singer, Sam'l Barnes, John Pale ley, John Breen of the Board of Assistant Aldermen, Peter Kaiser, J. McGiffrey, B. F. Harrison, L. A. Wiltz of the Board of Aldermen, in violation of the oath of the Fifth District Court, and also in defiance of the laws, are illegally occupying the offices of Alderman, etc. You are hereby commanded to take said parties before me, with the warrant to answer the said complaint, and if they are not to be seen or found in the place from the date hereof, you will not fail to return immediately this warrant with what you have endorsed thereon.

Witness my hand, this 23d day of December, 1869. GEO. W. SADLER,
First Justice of the Peace.

The proceeding of Walsh, who is no doubt acting under the instructions of Gov. Warmoth and Attorney General Belden, is based upon the penal provisions of the Intrusion act. These provisions are as follows:

Sec. 1. That when an action shall be brought by virtue of the provisions of this act by the District Attorney, or the Attorney General as the case may be, on the relation or information of any person interested, the name of such person shall be joined with the State as plaintiff.

Sec. 2. That whenever such action shall be brought against a person for usurping or intruding into a public office, the District Attorney, or the Attorney General, as the case may be, in addition to the statement of the cause of action, may also set forth in the complaint the name of the person rightfully entitled to the office with a statement of his right thereto, and in such case, on proof that the defendant has received fees or emoluments belonging to said office, an order may be granted by a judge of a competent court for the arrest of such defendant, and for holding him to bail, and thereupon he shall be held to bail, subject to the same rights and liabilities as in other civil actions where the defendant is subject to arrest.

Sec. 3. That if the judgment be against the defendant, and rendered upon the right of the person so alleged to be entitled, and the same be in favor of such person, he shall be entitled after taking the oath of office, and otherwise complying with the requirements of law, to take upon himself the execution of the office, and it shall be his duty immediately thereafter to dispossess of the defendant in the action all the books and papers pertaining to said office.

Sec. 4. That if the defendant shall refuse to deliver over such books or papers upon demand, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and prosecution may be instituted or information, and upon conviction fined not less than two hundred dollars or imprisoned at the discretion of the court, not exceeding one year.

It is manifest from the language of the law that the offices of Alderman and Assistant Alderman were not in the contemplation of the Legislature when they enacted the law. The offices referred to in the law, evidently were such offices as bring to their incumbents fees or emoluments, for it speaks of such things and of its books and papers which pertain to them. And it is for the refusal to deliver such books and papers to the lawful incumbent of the office, that punishment is provided. It is also manifest from the words of the law that any proceeding under it, should be instituted by the Attorney General of the State.

This proceeding will doubtless undergo proper investigation. We think it is the first time in the history of this country that a policeman or any other officer of the law, high or low, has attempted to enter the chamber of a legislative body and intrude upon its deliberations. Truly we are living in strange times when such proceedings are entered to go on, but we have been prepared to witness them since Gov. Warmoth made use of Gen Manning's sabre to install his appointees to the municipal government of our sister City of Jefferson. The chairman of the Board should have ordered the Sergeant at Arms of the body, to have ejected the intruding officer and not evaded the issue by suffering the Aldermen to adjourn. The Chief of Police was clearly attempting to perform an illegal act, to prevent which, violence would have been justifiable if necessary to resort to it. The chamber of a legislative body is as sacred from intrusion as the dwelling of a citizen. Even had the warrant of the Justice of the Peace been a legal one, it was entirely unnecessary to execute it in the manner adopted by the Chief of Police. The parties named in it might have been arrested previous to their entering the chamber of the Board, or after their adjournment. The proper place to arrest them was at their own dwellings. The action of the Chief of Police we can only characterize as a trespass and one of a very grave kind. We trust he will be held to a rigid accountability. An officer of the law is utterly without excuse in committing such an act. We are aware that he was acting under the instructions or with the knowledge of the Governor of the State, but such authority does not justify or shield any one in violating the law, as Mr. Caln will learn if he is properly dealt with. The condition of public affairs is truly deplorable when such transactions as these are permitted, they bring the law and its officers, of the low into contempt and excite painful feelings in the breast of every citizen disposed to respect the Government under which he lives. But one opinion has been expressed, so far as we have heard, regarding the proceeding of Governor Warmoth in this matter, and that is one of unqualified disapproval.

With the view of guarding against the now prevailing epidemic of variloloid, or smallpox, the Mutual Aid and Benevolent Life Insurance Association, of Louisiana, has provided its physician with pure vaccine matter, which will be administered to members free of cost. All members who have not been vaccinated within the past five years are requested to call at once at the office, 120 Carondelet street, and attend to this important requirement

D. E. Morphy calls the attention of buyers to the sale of iron, copper, hoes, sacks, etc., which will take place at 10 o'clock A. M., Monday. See advertisement.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH.—Dr. C. Blancke, of No. 416 St Charles street, invites, through our columns to day, the attention of the public to the new substance called "Aluminium," of which artificial teeth are now made, and which he is prepared to furnish, executing his work in a superior manner

This material is said to be far superior, in point of durability and comfort, to gold or silver for the purpose of making artificial teeth. It is represented as being lighter, cheaper and less susceptible of being impaired by acids.

THE FUNDING OF THE CURRENCY.—Now that Congress has reassembled, there will be plenty of propositions for reducing the interest on the national debt, and probably but few for doing what is more important—gradually funding the greenbacks. The large capitalists and stock jobbers are anxious to fasten upon the people of the United States a permanent national debt. They are eager to secure such a mine of wealth as an interminable debt of some twenty-five hundred millions would be, and their influence at home and abroad is powerful in favor of this object. Hence all the talk and propositions in regard to "refunding." Now we ever that no man who understands finance believes that we can refund our debt to the advantage of the country at the present time—or ever one, until the currency is at par with gold. We might by issuing long-time bonds, refund at a somewhat lower rate of interest, but not at so low a rate as we are certain to secure when the currency has been restored.—*From Our Monthly Gossip, in the January number of Lippincott's Magazine.*

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