

THE STATE TROOPS.

The People of Rowan County Must Take Care of Themselves.

[Special to the Courier-Journal.]

FRANKFORT, Aug. 19.—The following are copies of the orders sent to Maj. McKee, commanding the troops at Morehead:

FRANKFORT, Aug. 18.—*Maj. L. W. McKee, Morehead, Ky.:* The Governor directs that the troops on active service under your command in Morehead be relieved from duty and returned to *their respective posts by next train.* His Excellency instructs me to convey to yourself and the troops who have served with you assurances of appreciation for faithful, patient and intelligent discharge of duty.

You will cause the Quartermaster to reship by freight all camp equipments, dispose of for the credit of the State such Quartermaster stores as may be left over, and leave everything in good order.

JNO. B. CASTLEMAN, Adj. Gen.

FRANKFORT, KY., Aug. 19.—*Maj. L. W. McKee:* In answer to County Judge Stuart's request for longer retention of troops at Morehead, say to him that the Circuit Court has adjourned, that the Governor has done everything in the power of the administration to secure the enforcement of law in Rowan county, and declines to keep troops in service as a mere police force.

The civil officials of Rowan county must do something to restore law and order among the people who have intrusted them with power.

JNO. B. CASTLEMAN, Adjutant General.