MILITARY ORDERS

ISSUED BY

BRIGADIER-GEN'L STEINER

Under and pursuant to the Constitution and Laws of Alabama and the General Laws covering the present situation:

1. I have assumed jurisdiction of all mines and territories adjacent thereto throughout the Mineral District.

2. Marching on the roads will be prevented.

3. All persons bearing arms, not authorized to do so by law, will be disarmed.

4. Mass Meetings and Assemblies in the open will be dispersed.

5. Addresses to Mass Meetings and Assemblies in the open will be prevented.

6. Regular business meetings at regular places of meetings will be permitted, provided notice to troops is given, but no incendiary or inflammatory speeches will be permitted.

7. Intimidation, threats and all acts tending to provoke a breach of the peace will be prevented.

8. Protection will be afforded to all law-abiding persons and no sides will be taken except against the law breaker.