to begin between all the members of the House at New Orlenns to the United States bar-Serate and myself will be pleasant and racks, on Thesday, April 24, at 12 M. precisely, and report the fact to headquarters. Copies of my power to make them so, and invoke the cordial support of the Senate in the consummation of this purpose. I know that my principal duty will be to enforce the rules which the Senate, of whom I am simply the organ, have made, and this I will en-deavor to do with fairness and impartiality. I solicit your forbearance and patience. I realize that my position as presiding officer debars me from the privilege of participat-ing in the debates, and that it will be improper for me to use my official position for the purpose of influencing your legislation, but as a citizen I can but naturally feel an ardent interest in your work, so far as it affects our common mother, the State, and a proper pride in seeing you contribute to her restoration to her place in the front rank of her peers amongst the bright stars of the American galaxy. Such a feeling, I think, should burn in the bosom of every Senator, and you should enter upon the work of regeneration, having ever in view the old Ro-man maxim, "To take care that the republic, should suffer no detriment at their hands." I suggest that you lay aside all the animositics and turmoils of the past, and, forget-ing all antagonisms, unite as a common band of brothers for the promotion of the best interests of all classes, races and conditions of the people of the State. Then you may rightfully expect not only to receive the plaudits of your fellow-countrymen, but, when sitting hereafter within the grateful shade of the general prosperity which will flow out of your work, could each look back with just pride to his individual participation in it. Mr. Jeter then announced to the Chain

that the senators from Abbeville, Barnwell Edgefield and Laurens were present and ready to qualify.

The Senators from those counties (Democrats) then approached the President's desk and presented their credentials.

Some sensation was created among the Radicals by this, and one of them shouted out a motion to adjourn. Another cried, "Let us do this peaceably."

The President said that every county had a right to be represented in the Senate, and where parties present their credentials they have a right to be sworu in. Those claim ants who come last have equal rights with those who come first. Any other construction could be made to prevent an organization of the Senate forever.

Swails demanded whether the Chair intended to override all laws, all rules and all precedents, and went on to make a most inlignant speech against the admission of these Democratic Senators.

Mr. Cochran put an end to his effusion by presenting a letter from T. M. Tolbert withdrawing his main to the seat of the Senator from Abbeville, and General Gary also presented one from Lawrence Cain also withdrawing his claim to General Gary's seat.

Colonel Simpson said it was not his intention to override the rules, or the laws or precedents, but he thought it his duty to administer the oath to these claimants. If he was wrong, the Senate was not without its remedy.

Taft then said he would appeal from the ruling of the Chair.

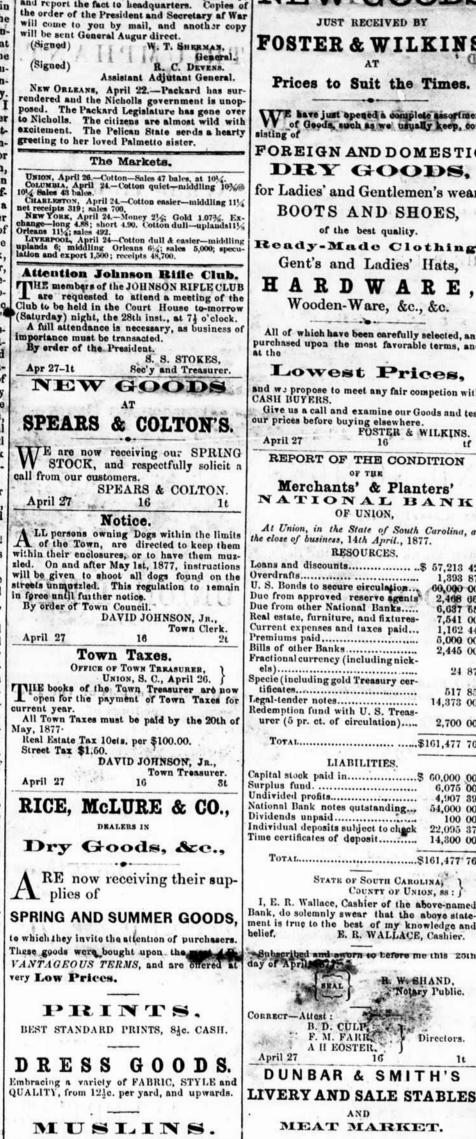
The Chair said an appeal could only lie from a ruling on a point of order, and no point of order had been ruled upon,

The four Senators were then sworn in, and the senate adjourned till to-day.

# LOUISIANA MADE FREE.

THE TROOPS REMOVED RROM THE STATE HOUSE. WASHINGTON, Friday April 20-10 P. M .- In accordance with the telegraphic promise of to-day to the members of the Louisiana Commission in New Orleans, the President has just sent

the following official letter to the Secretary of War : EXECUTIVE MANSION, April 20, 1877. Sir : Prior to my entering upon the duties of the Presidency there had been stationed, by or-der of my predecessor, in the immediate vicinity of the building used as a State House in New Orleans, La., and known as the Mechanics' Institute, a detachment of the United States Infantry. Finding them in that place, I have thought proper to delay a decision of the question of their removel until I could determine whether the condition of affairs is now such as to either require or justify continued military intervention of the National Government in the affairs of the State. In my opinion there does not now exist in Louisiana such domestic violence as is contemplated by the Constitution as the ground upon which the military power of the National Government may be invoked for the defence of the State. The disputes which exist as to the right of certain claimants to the ch'ef executive office of that State are to be settled and determined, not by the Executive of the United States, but by such orderly and peaceable methods as may be provi-ded by the Constitution and laws of the State. Having the assurance that no resort to violence is contemplated, but that, on the contrary, the disputes in question are to be settled by peaceful methods, under and in accordance with law I deem it proper to take action in accordance with the principles announced when I entered upon the duties of the Presidency. You are therefore directed to see that the proper orders are issued for the removal of said troops at an early date from the present position to such regular barracks in the vicinity as may be selected for their occupation.



ATTENTION COTTON PLANTERS: NEW GOODS The State of South Carolina, You can save TIME, TROUBLE AND MONEY, COUNTY OF UNION, In the Court of Common Pleas. JUST RECEIVED BY By using the Celebrated "FARMERS' FRIEND" Charles Bolt, as Administrator of the Goods, Chattels and Oredits which were of Mrs. Lucy Smith, dec'd, Plaintiff, FOSTER & WILKINS WEST'S GUANO DISTRIBUTOR. BALENTINE'SCCOTON PLANTER, Winfield S. Smith, Defendant, Prices to Suit the Times. Manufactured by GOWER, COX & MARKLEY, Greenville, S. C. Copy Summons for Money Demand .-- (Complain W. A. NICHOLSON, Agent, Union C. H. WE have just opened a complete assortment of Goods, such as we usually keep, con-sisting of not Served. March 16 8m To the Defendant WINFIELD S. SMITH: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of SOMETHING FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS. Common Pleas for the said County, and to serve a copy of your answer on the subscribers at their office, No. 4. Law Range, Union Court House, S. C., within twenty days after the serfor Ladies' and Gentlemen's wear, UNDER THE S(O)N. BOOTS AND SHOES, vice of this summons on you, exclusive of the of the best quality. day of service. If you fail to answer the complaint within Ready-Made Clothing, NEW STORE AT THE OLD STAND. the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for judgment against you for the sum of Eight Hundred and Ten (\$810.00) Dellars, Gent's and Ladies' Hats. with interest at the rate of 7 per cent. on Six Hundred and Fifty (\$650.00) Dollars, from De-cember the 7th, 1874; on Sixty (\$60.00) Dollars from the 30th September, 1875; on One Hun-dred (\$100.00) Dollars from January the 1st, HARDWARE, JAMES H. RODGER Wooden-Ware, &c., &c. HAVING purchased the entire interest of his father, Mr. JOHN RODGER, in his Grocery Store, respectfully announces to the old All of which have been carefully selected, and purchased upon the most favorable terms, and 1877; and for Costs. Dated April 3, A. D., 1877. STEEDMAN & RAWLS, **Friends and Customers** Lowest Prices, WILLIAM A. BOLT, of the former owner that he will continue the Deputy Clerk. and ws propose to meet any fair competion with Give us a call and examine our Goods and test GROCERY BUSINESS To the Defendant, WINFIELD S. SMITH: TAKE NOTICE, that the Summons in this acur prices before buying elsewhere. FOSTER & WILKINS. tion, of which the foregoing is a Copy, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Com-16 At the Old Stand, REPORT OF THE CONDITION mon Pleas for Union County, at Union Court House, South Carolina, on the day of April, 1877. STEEDMAN & RAWLS, and will always keep a full stock of all kinds of Groceries, OF THE 1877. Merchants' & Planters' Plaintiff's Attorneys. No. 4. Law Range, Union, S. C. NATIONAL BANK PLANTATION SUPPLIES. April 27 OF UNION, At Union, in the State of South Carolina, at the close of business, 14th April., 1877. Table and other Cutlery, The State of South Carolina, COUNTY OF UNION. RESOURCES. Plows and Plow Steel, In the Court of Probate. Canned Fruits, Meats, Oysters, &c., BY JOS. F. GIST, Judge of Probate in Union 1.393 87 County. WHEREAS, Charles Belt, as Clerk of the Court, hath applied to me for Letters of Administration on the Estate of SHELTON 60,000 00 2,468 66 6,637 65 Due from approved reserve agents WOODEN WARE. Due from other National Banks ..... Real estate, furniture, and fixtures-7,541 00 ALL BRANDS OF TOBACCO, &c., &c., Current expenses and taxes paid ... SPARKS, late of Union County, deceased. These are therefore to cite and admonish all 1.162 44 Premiums paid..... Bills of other Banks..... 5,000 00 which he will sell at and singular the kindred and creditors of the 2,445 00 Fractional currency (including nicksaid deceased, to be and appear before me at a Court of Probate for the said County, to be hol-24 87 PRICES TO AUIT THE TIMES. Specie (including gold Treasury cerden at Union Court House on the seventh day of May 1877, at 10 o'clock A. M. to show cause 517 85 tificates..... Legal-tender notes..... if any, why the said Administration should not be granted. 14,373 00 Redemption fund with U.S. Treas-I respectfully invite the old friends and customers of the house, Given under my hand and the Seal of the urer (5 pr. ct. of circulation) ..... 2,700 00 Court, this Twenty-thirh day of March A. D. 1877, and in the 101st year of American Independence. JOS. F. GIST, and any number of new ones, to LIABILITIES. CALLAND TRY ME. March 80 The State of South Carolina. Undivided profits ..... 4.907 89 You will find two "Live young men," standing ready at all times COUNTY OF UNION. National Bank notes outstanding .... 54,000 00 In the Court of Probate. Wait on you, and what we cannot show and sell you is not worth Time certificates of deposit ..... 14,300 00 J. B. Steedman, as administraasking for or having. tor of S. A. Dogan, Deceased, Plaintiff, against STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. Call at the Rodger Old Stand W. D. Humphries as adminis-trator of Joseph II, Dogan, COUNTY OF UNION, 88 : ) I, E. R. Wallace, Cashier of the above-named deceased, J. C. Farrar, John Bank, do solemnly swear that the above state-ment is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. E. R. WALLACE, Cashier. If you want good bargains, polite attention, and perfect satisfac-Rodger, S. A. Stringfellow, A. E. Artbur, E. D. Hum-phries, C. V. Steedman, W JAMES H. RODGER. tion. Subscribed and anorn to before me this 25th day of April 627 TO THOSE INDEBTED. H. W. SHAND, Notary Public, Defendants. SEAL TAVING sold out my entire interest in the Grocery Business, to my son, I am Htest : B. D. CULP, F. M. FARR A II EOSTER. anxious to settle up all outstanding indebtedness. I, therefore, call upon those in any way indebted to me to come forward and make settlements immediately. My Books and Accounts are still at the Store, and if I am not present my son, Mr. James H. Rodger, is empowered to make settlements. 16 JOHN RODGER. DUNBAR & SMITH'S

S. Dogan, Caroline Scalfe, Complaint Josepha Scaife, William Scaife and James Scaife, Served. To the Defendants above named :  $\mathbf{Y}^{ ext{OU}}$  are hereby Summoned and required to answer the petition in this ac.ion, of which copy is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said petition on the subscriber at his office, No. 4 Law Range, Union Court House, South Carolina, within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of such service ; and if you fail to answer the petition within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff tf n this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the petition. R. R. RAWLS, SOLUBLE PACIFIC GUANO. Plaintiff's Attorney. Jos. F. Gist, Probate Judge. Dated 5 February 1877.

Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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Gt

Judge of Probate.

Copy Summons

FOR BRLIF.

R. B. HAYES. To the Hon. George W. McCrary, Secretary of War.

THE ORDER FOR THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE TROOPS ON TUESDAY NEXT.

Upon the receipt of the President's letter the Secretary of War immediately sent the following order to Gen. Sherman :

WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, D. C., April 20, 1877. Gen. Wm. T. Sherman :

GENERAL--- I have the honor to enclose herewith a copy of a communication from the Presi-dent of the United States, in which he directs that the detachment of United States troops now stationed in the vicinity of the Mechanics' Insti-tute, in the City of New Orleans, Louisiana, be withdrawn to such convenient barracks as may be selected for their occupation. You are here by charged with the execution of this order, and will cause the withdrawalto take place on Tues-day next, the 24th of April, at 12 o'clock meri-

Very respectfully, your obedient servant, GEO. W. MCCRARY. Secretary of War

CHICAGO, April 21.-The following was sent from headquarters of the military division of the Missouri to General Augur to-day : CHICAGO, April 21

To General C. C. Auger. New Orleans. Sin: By direction of the Lientenant General, the following telegraph order from the General of the Army is forwarded for your action and guidance. Please report by telegraph upon the execution of the order : Washington, April 21

General P. H. Sheridan, Commanding the Depart ment of the Missouri, Chicago : You will please order the troops now posted

at or in the immediate vicinity of the State

WHITE AND COLORED MUSLINS, AND PIQUES, VERY CHEAP.

HOSIERY, GLOVES &C, Hosiery, Gloves, Corsets, Silk and

Lace Ties, Ladies' 2-Button Kid Gloves, at \$1 per Pair.

HAMBURGH EDGINGS from 5 to 75c. per yard.

# LINENS.

TABLE LINEN, NAPKINS, D'OYLIES, MAR-SEILEES QUILTS, &c.

Cottonades, Linen Drills, Cassimeres, &c.

HATS.

THE LATEST STYLES, AND IN GREAT VA-RIETY.

# BOOTS AND SHOES, We sell both LADIES' and GENT'S SHOES,

which we warrant.

# READY-MADE CLOTHING,

in great variety of Style and Prices.

Everybody are invited to call and examine our Stock before purchasing elsewhere, as we are satisfied we can please you, both in Goods and prices. Call early and secure bargains. RICE, McLURE & CO. April 27 16 tf

April 27 Ladies Elegant Shoes.

WE have just received a new supply of those elegant and serviceable latest styles Ladies Shoes. The very best in the market. GEE & HUMPHRIES. April 20 15 Gentlemen's Boots and Shoes. A NEW supply of those superior Boots and Shoes which have become so popular among gentlemen of taste, just received at GEE & HUMPHRIES'. April 20 15

New Goods Arriving. OUR new Stock of Dry Goods, Groceries, Ready-made Clothing, Hats, Notions, &c., is coming in rapidly. Call daily and examine. "Every day brings something new" to or GLE & HUMPHRIES. store April 20 tf Canned Goods. FRUITS of all kinds, Tornatoes, Oysters Salmon, Pickles, Jellics, &c., at

No 1. East Union. B. F. RAWLS & CO., April 6

HAVING Leased the Brick Stable and Lot in rear of the Union Hotel, and fitted up the stable with IMPROVED STALLS, the subscribers are prepared to accommodate the traveiling public with the best of quarters for their Horses and other stock, at fair prices.

AND

March 2

February 16

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Notice in Bankruptcy.

the Western District of South Carolina.

for said Court, at his office in Yorkville, S. C.

at 10 A. M., for the settlement of my Accounts, and for a Discharge from all liability as As-

signee of said Estate, in Accordance with the provisions of the Twenty-eighth Section of the

Attention Patrons of Husbandry

the Union County Fair Grounds, on Saturday the 5th day of May, for the purpose of organiz-ing a POMONA Grange. The meeting will be opened at 11 o'clock A. M. It is earnestly requested that every Patron of

MEETING of the Granges of Union Coun-

ty will be held in the Agricultural Hall on

Respectfully, W. T. LITTLEJOHN,

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Assignee.

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Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867.

April 30

In the District Court of the United States, for

A GOOD HOSTLER, and the pers:nal attention of one of the firm

will always be found at the Stables.

# **OUR LIVERY STABLE**

Is provided with good Horses, Buggics, Carriages and other vehicles, to suit all the wants of the Community.

Our Meat Market.

We have erected a new and convenient MAR-KET HOUSE on the Lot and intend keeping a first Class Meat Market, and to provide the citi-zens with the best fresh Mean pof all kinds, at all times. Our business will be conducted in the best city style, and all we ask is a fair share of patronage. DUNBAR & SMITH. April 20 15

SPECIAL TO THE LADIES!

#### MRS. E. RICHARDS

W<sup>OULD</sup> respectfully inform the Ladies of Union County that she has just received her Stock of Spring and Summar

# MILLINERY.

Such as Hats, Ribbons, Flowers, and Trimmings of every kind, and invites the Ladies to call and cxamine the quality and prices of her goods. Rooms over A. Irwin & Co.'s Store E. RICHARDS. 15 April 20

B. F. RAWLS & CO.

### Paints and Oils.

THE Cheapest and Best White Lead in the market.

GREEN SEAL WHITE LEAD.

Warranted to look better after five years exposure than any other Lead after two years. sale very choap, by B. F. RAWLS & CO, For No 1. East Union. April 6 tf

### Linseed Oil.

DOULE Boiled Linseed Oil. Tanners and Harness Oil. Kerosene oil and Turpentine B. F. RAWLS. & CO. at No 1, East Union. April 6 13 tf

#### Choice Candies.

DELIGHTFUL Ice Cream Candy, Centential, Fruit, Cocoanut, Chocolate, Pea Nut, and all other Fancy Candies. B. F. RAWLS & CO.,

No 1, East Union. 18 April 6

## Eggs Without Eggs.

A GREAT preparation for making Cakes Pud-dings, Fritters, Batter Cakes, Muffins and any other Pastry without Lggs B. F. BAWLS & CO. No 1, East Union. April 6

# THE ABOVE WELL KNOWN GUANO AND COMPOUND ACID PHOSPHATE

S now offered for sale at the following places in this County. Consumers of this Guano will find it fully up to last year's quality, which gave such increased satisfaction. For Circulars and prices apply to

### J. T. HILL & CO., Union C.-H., S. C., W. W. CROSBY, Shelton, S. C., or to

E. H. FROST & CO., Charleston, S. C. 6

### SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY virtue of sundry Executions to me directed, I will sell, in front of the Union Court House door, on the first Monday in May next, within the legal hours of Sheriff's sales, the fol-

3m

W. B. Hames, Bankruptey. lewing property, to wit; All that tract of land located in Pinckney W. B. Hames, Bankrupt. ( THIS is to give notice that a meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt will be held at Yorkville, S. C., in the office of Hon. W. J. Clawson, on the 14th day of May next, for the purposes named in the 27th Section of Bank-rupt Act of March 2, 1867, and that I have filed my Final Accounts as Assignee of the Estate of W. B. Hames, Bankrupt, in said Court, and that on the 14th day of May next I shall anoth to Township, Union County, containing one hun-dred and fourteen acres, more or less, bounded by lands of John Gallman, Mary Ann Johnson, Elizabeth Davis or Johnson Gault, A. D. Sweat and others; levied on and to be sold as the pro perty of the Estate of Isaac Knox, deceased at the suits of William J. Keenan and P. H. on the 14th day of May next, I shall apply to Hon. W. J. Clawson, Register in Bankruptey, Keenan, Survivors, against Isaac Knox.

#### ALSO

I will sell at the residence of William Addis, on Tuesday the 8th day of May next, within the legal hours of Shsriff'a sales, about twenty bushels Corn and one hundred bundles of Fodder, levied on and to be sold as the property of William Addis at the suit of J. T. Hill & Co., on a Lein Execution.

If the terms of sale are not complied with in five days after the sale the property will be resold at the risk of the former purchaser, on the following salesday.

R. MACBETH, S. U. C. April 11.

# Notice of Final Discharge.

ON the Eighth day of May next I will apply to the Hon. Joseph F. Gist, Probate Judge for Union County, for permission to make my Final Return and Settlement as Administrator of the personal Estate of Hilliard J. Johnson deceased.

On the same day I will sell before the Court House door, the Choses in Action belonging to the said Estate, appraised as doubtful and worth-

All persons having demands against said Estate must present them for payment on or before that day, or their claims will be barred. H. T. GALLMAN, Adm'r.

April 13 14

## Scuppernong Wine.

WHITE Imperial Scuppernong Wine at A. IRWIN & CO'S. March 30 19 Grape Brandy. DURE Grape Brandy for medicinal purpose at A. 1RWIN & CO'S. March 30 12

east Powders, Sca Foam. B. F. RAWLS & CO. ٩١ No 1, East Union

Scaife, William Scaife and James Scaife : TAKE NOTICE, that the Summons and petition in this action, a copy of which Summons is herewith served upon you, were filed in the Office of the Probate Court, at Union Court House, S. C., on the Union of the 1877 R. R. RAWLS. Att'y for Pl'ff. 11 \$21.50 March 5 1877 6t

To the defendants, Carrie V. Steedman, Josepha

The State of South Carolina, COUNTY OF UNION.

Trial Justice's Summons.

BY S. S. STOKES, ESQ.. Trial Justice in and for said County of the said State.

TO ANY LAWFUL CONSTABLE.

OMPLAINT having been made unto me by U.S. M. Wood, Plaintiff, that M. M. Smith, Defendant, is justly indebted to him in the sum of Thirty-four Dollars (\$34.00) and interest upon two scaled Notes, These, are, therefore, to require you to sum-

mon the said Defendant to appear before me, in my office, in Union, on the Twenty-eighth day of May, A. D., 1877, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to answer to the said Complaint, or Judgment will be given against him by default. GIVEN under my Hand and Seal, at Union,

the Ninth day of April, A. D., 1877.

V [L.8.]	S: S. STOKES, Trial Justice.

To the Defendant, M. M. SMITH :

TAKE notice that the Original Summons in this case was filed in the Office of S. S. Stokes, Esq., Trial Justice for Union County, on the 9th day of April, 1877. WM. HILL, Plaintiff's Atty. April 18 14

Hard Times Prevented.

sympathy with the hard times and scarcity L of money we are offering Goods at astonish-ingly low prices for the money, to which we beg to call the attention of purchasers. Those looking for bargains need not fear disappointment.

RICE, McLURE & Co., Feb 2

#### Notice of Final Discharge.

BY permission of Hon. Joseph F. Gist, Pro-bate Judge, I will, on the 21st day of May 1877, make my Final Return and Settlement as Guardian of Edward J. Arthur. All persons having demands against my Ward, contracted previous to his obtaining his majority, must present them for payment on or before the day above specified, or they will be forever barred. B. F. RAWLS, Guardian

of E. J. ARTHUR. 15 4t April 20

## Scasonable Goods.

PLANTATION tools, farming implements, traces, Harness, Axes &c., &c., very low. RICE, MCLURB & Co.. Feb?

### Picture Frames,

J UST Received an assortment of very neat Picture Frames-all sizes. A. IRWIN & CO.,

# Husbandry in Union County attend this meet-ing. The officers of the Granges should see that each Grange is well represented, as upon that meeting will depend, in a great measure, the usefulness, efficiency and success of the order in this County. Come, brother Farmers, let us assemble together, and see if we cannot unite upon some

plan by which the whole farming interests of the County shall be benefitted. Let us start with the bright prospects of an honest and economi-cal government, put our shoulders to the wheel, and help take the State out of the slough of despond in which she has stuck for many years.

The Farmers CAN do more towards the pros perity of the whole State than any other class, if they will. Let us unite in bending all our best energies to that great and glorious work. A. W. THOMSON, W. M. , 15 April 20

Pure Corn Whiskey. PURE Mountain Corn Whiskey, for medicina purposes, for sale at

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Feb 9

A. IRWIN, & CO.'S