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ORGANIZING OF HOME GUARD

Will Utilize County Councils of Defence in Formtion of Selected Military Organizations.

Raleigh.-Governor Bickett and Adjutant General Young are to utilize the county councils of defense in the formation of the selected military organizations that are to be made up from the 5000 men who are to be called into service for home guard purposes. These county councils are to make up the list of men to be asked to serve in the county organizations and report them back to the governor through the adjutant gen-

The chairman of the county council is to be the officer to muster into the service the men who accept for his afflicted country suffering for the service and when the companies are mustered in they are to hold an election of officers and those elected are with the eagle eye of faith anticipates to be commissioned by the governor, the joyful day of spiritual and tem-The federal government is to provide the arms under a recent special act to the Divine favor. Doubtless such of congress providing for the arming patriotism would be pleasing to the of home guards during the duration of the war while the federal government has the national guard of the various states in foreign service.

The policy will be to form the companies in the larger centers of the state first, that are apportioned one hundred men each for their companies of militia. These are Buncombe, Cumberland, Durham, Forsyth, Guilford, Wake, Wayne, Mecklenburg and New

The next in order of formation will be the counties or combinations of counties that have companies of fifty men each. These are Alleghany, Beaufort, Bertie, Bladen, Ashe. Brunswick, Burke, Cabarrus, Caldwell, Carteret, Caswell, Cleveland, Granville, Halifax Harrett Johnston, Chatham, Columbus, Davidson Dupnh, a lock washer! You lin, Edgecombe, Franklin, Gaston, goes on a bolt to keep Person, Pitt, Randolph, Robeson, Jones, Lee, Madison, Martin, Mc-Dowell, Nash, Northampton, Pender, Rockingham, Sampson, Union, Vance, Warren, Watauga, Wilkes and Wilson.

Then there will be for the remainder of the counties consolidated companies made up of units of 75 men each, selected from two or three counties, and the headquarters chosen for the convenience of the men composing the organizations. Rowan will have seventy-five men for that county alone. For the remainder the combinations are: Alamance and Orange; Avery, Mitchell and Yancey; Catawba, and Lincoln; Chowan and Perquimans; Green nd Lenoir; Haywood and Jackson; Hendeson and Transylvania; Moore and Montgomery; Polk and Rutherfordton.

Oct. 9 Fire Prevention Day.

Raleigh .- The proclamation by Governor Bickett, appealing for complete observance of Fire Prevention Day. a corn can shortly be October 9, throughout the state under (v. 6). the auspices of the state department the corn a few drops of of insurance, says "Taxes are a great burden and a source of constant irri-tone can get a small bottation. The ingenuity of statesmen is e at any drug store, which being taxed to reduce and equalize y rid one's feet of every the tax burden, and yet the fire tax annually levied on the state of North Carolina is practically equal to the entire taxes levied for the support of moment it is applied and the state government. We may equalame or even irritate the lze the government taxes but they skin. Just think! You must be paid by someone. Two-thirds your corns and calluses of the fire taxes are wholly unnecesa bit of pain or soreness. sary and due to lack of reasonable

> He adds that it was a realization of this that constrained the general assembly to designate a Fire Prevention Day and require a proclamation by the governor for its observance. He asks that the school and municipal authorities take special pains to have adequate observance and that citizens generally give special attention to the day and its important bearing and give special attention to condition of their premises to eliminate possibilities of fire.

> > Old Drug Store Fails.

Shelby .- H. E. Kendall, a prominent druggist in Shelby for 25 years, made a voluntary assignment last week and the court named Kemp Kendall, his brother, as assignee. His assignee says he hopes from what information he has as to the assets and liabilities | removed fruitfulness shall follow. that all creditors will receive their full part.

NORTH CAROLINA BRIEFS.

The state forester, Mr. J. S. Holmes, who is also acting director of the North Carolina Geological and Economic Survey during the absence of Major Joseph Hyde Pratt with the 105th Reigment of Engineers, has just been appointed a listing offirer for the Second Forestry Regiment, known as the 20th Engineers (Forest) Regiment, by Mr. William L. Hall, assistant forester, Washington, D. C., who has been requested by the War De

partment to organize this regiment. John Long, who for the past week eluded armed and angry posses of citizens and officers in Mangua township. Durham county, came to the county court house at Durham and surrendered to Deputy Sheriff Joe Pleasants. Long was wanted on the charge of shooting and seriously wounding Miss Nellie Ball, pretty daughter of Dave S. Ball, as she knelt at a spring near her home at Bahama Morganton's cement streets are attracting quite a lot of interest now and many requests are received for photograps and information from other towns in different states.

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LESSON FOR OCTOBER 7

PSALMS OF DELIVERANCE.

LESSON TEXT-Psalms 85 and 126. GOLDEN TEXT-They that sow tears shall reap in joy.-Psalms 126:5.

These Psalms breathe the spirit of the true patriot. The Psalmist sees sins of the people, prays for their restoration to the Divine favor, and poral blessings because of restoration Lord on the part of us all.

Psalm 85. I. Praises for Mercies Received (vv. 1-3).

Praise is given for (1) Deliverance from Captivity (v.

He had in mind the specific mercies of a given time; perhaps it was one the oppressions of the Philistines from which they had been delivered.

(2) Forgiveness of Sin (vv. 2, 3). "Thou hast forgiven the iniquitycovered all their sin." God's restoration was the proof that he had pardoned. Great indeed was the sin of Jacob, but God's forgiveness was greater. He is peculiarly a God of mercy. Having forgiven the sins his anger is taken away. He stayed his hand from the judgment which would have justly fallen, to show his mercy.

Il. Prayer for Restoration From Backsliding (vv. 4-7).

He knew how worthless the outward blessings of the Lord would be unless the people inwardly turned to the Lord. He, therefore, besought the Lord to give them the greater blessing, that of a change of heart. Without the change of heart forgiveness would be futile. A change of heart can only be by God's help.

(1) That God would turn the hearts of his people toward himself (v. 4). Knowing the people's utter helplessness to turn to God, he cried out to God to save them by turning them to himself. He knew that God's anger could not turn from the people as long

as they were impenitent. (2) That God would take away the very remembrance of their sins (vv.

(a) The ending of his anger (v. 5). The desire seems to be that he would wipe out the very marks of his disishment to be meted out to them. (b) The return to the people's joy

Their joy could only be realized through a revival from God. The Psalmist now becomes more bold in his requests.

(c) Shall show them mercy (v. 7). "Make it visible," is his cry. God's judgment was most real. His desire is that his mercy would be just as real.

III. Exultant Anticipation (vv. 8-13). Having spoken the sentiment of the repentant people, the poet expresses confidence of the Lord's response. So faithful is God that those who sincerely pray to him can go forward with the assurance of petitions granted. (1) "He will speak peace" (v. 8).

He knew that a gentle answer would come, but its continuance would depend upon the fidelity of the people. Turning to folly would provoke again his wrath.

(2) Will bring his salvation near (v. 9).

Only as his salvation was near could glory be in the land.

(3) Devise a way by which "Mercy and truth," "Righteousness and peace," may be united (vv. 10, 11).

He did not suggest a way. He may not have known it. Faith now sees the way in Christ. In him such a union has been blessedly effected. (4) The land shall become fruitful

(v. 11). When sin is removed, temporal prosperity shall follow. Earth's barrenness is due to sin. When the curse is

(5) Righteousness shall be the guide of his people (v. 12). In that golden, glad age God's right-

eous ways will leave a track in which his own may walk with security. Psalm 126.

I. The Fact of Zion's Deliverance (vv. 1, 2).

(1) By whom (v. 1). The Lord. (2) Effect of (vv. 1,2).

(a) The people were scarcely able to believe it. So sudden and unexpected was their deliverance that it seemed to them as a dream. They expressed their feeling in joyful laughter. (b) The heathen noted their deliverance as marvelous, and ascribed it to God (v. 2).

Song and Prayer. II. The Song of the People (v. 3).

They ascribed their deliverance to the Lord and expressed their gratitude in singing God's praise.

III. The Prayer (v. 4). The people cried to God to visit their restoration with fruitfulness, even : 9 the streams from the South spread out and make a country fruitful.

IV. The Promise (vv. 5, 6). Though the people were still obliged to suffer the consequences of their sins, they were encouraged to go on in sowing though in tears, as the reaping would bring joy.

******* LEMONS BRING OUT THE HIDDEN BEAUTY



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Timorous Lover.

A woman went into a store for a pair of slippers. She asked the shop assistant to get her a pair about size 10, and she wanted them squeaky.

"They are for my father," she added. "Squeaky, miss? I'm afraid we have

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The head of the house, Prince Ludovic Chigi, who last year was appointed marshal of the Holy church and the guard of the Conclave and, therefore, rules the Vatican during the interim between the death of a pope and the election of a new one, recently disposed of the Chigi palace to the Italian government. It is stated that by this sale he was put in a position to buy back the Villa Farnesina, erected in 1509-11 by the Papal banker, Agostino Chigi, and notable because of its frescoes by Raphael.

The palace will be restored and refurnished as it was when first occupied by the Chigi family, an auction sale having been held recently to rid the palace of the furniture left there by the king of Naples.

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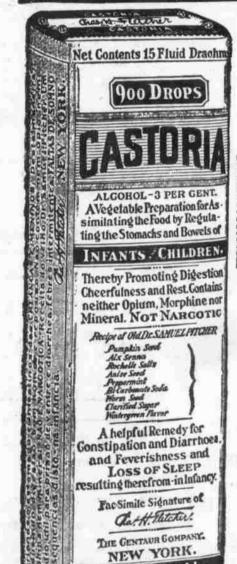
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