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FRIDAY AFTERNOON, AUG. 2, 1918


## LOCAL AFFAIRS

Congressman J. Frederick C. Talbott was 75 years old Monday.

The Odd Fellows Reunion will be held at Pen Mar on Thursday, August 8.

The rain on Wednesday interferred with the Sunday school picnic of the Methodist Episcopal church.

A large membership of the Church of God, this city, attended the Church of God reunion at Pen Mar yesterday.

We understand that Rose's Drug Store will be reopened by a druggist in Washington. The room has been papered for the new occupant.

Rev. R. W. Schlosser will preach a special sermon to young pepole August 4th at 10.30 a. m., at Meadow Branch church. Everybody welcome.

After a dry spell which threatened to destroy our crops if it continued another week, we were blessed with fine, gentle rain on Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday.

Roy N. Singer, Uniontown, and Thurman Brown, Union Mills, have entered the employ of Crawford & Company, East Main street, insurance and farm agents.

Hon. Herbert R. Wooden, of Hampstead, speaker of the House, has been mentioned for the nomination on the Republican ticket for Congress in the Second Congressional district.

On Wednesday, July 24th, Westminster Council No. 1537, Royal Arcanum, paid to Eva V. Thomson, widow of the late Albert J. Thomson, $1000 being the full amount of benefit certificate.

Baltimore county has lost its long fight against loss of territory. The Annexation Act was yesterday declared constitutional by the Court of Appeals without a dissenting vote.

Mr. Albert Long, Webster street, has accepted a position with a Philadelphia firm and will leave Sunday for Baltimore where the firm is working on a contract at Westport Power House.

Irene Kaufman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Kaufman, Park avenue, has arrived in France with the University of Maryland Base Hospital Unit No. 42, from reports received in Baltimore.

Captain Thomas J. Coonan, this city, who has been stationed at the Base Hospital at Camp Meade, has been transferred to a camp at Allentown, Pa. Dr. Coonan visited his family this week.

Complaints have been made by citizens of newspapers being taken by persons after they are delivered by carriers. The law is very severe in a theft of that kind. Make an example out of one.

Dr. J. Hubert Wade, chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee, announced yesterday that the primaries, which will be for the nomination of candidates for Congress, will be held on Monday, September 9.

Mr. H. Francis Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hunter, this city, who is doing service in the Navy, was home on a visit to his parents this week. Mr. Hunter has made seven trips to France and had the pleasure of visiting Paris. He describes Paris as a beautiful place.

Theodore F. Brown and Francis Neal Parke, trustees, sold on Saturday the real estate of the late Noah F. Fleagle, near Pleasant Valley, to the following: Farm of 33 acres to Archie H. Zepp for $2050. The 25 acre parcel of land to S. Frank Fleagle for $1850.

Miss Nettie Sullivan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sullivan, Pennsylvania avenue was taken to the Woman's Hospital, Baltimore last Friday and operated upon. The operation was a success and we are glad to report her improving as rapidly as can be expected.

Governor Harrington announced the appointment of Sterling Galt, of Emmitsburg, as a member of the State Board of Education in the place of Holmes Baker, of Frederick, who declined to serve. Mr. Galt for years ran a newspaper at Emmitsburg and was regarded as one of the ablest editors in the State.

Radical extensions of the "work or fight" order, so that lawyers, barbers, chauffeurs, actors, including the movie players and all circus employes and attendants, including fakers, are under consideration by Provost Marshal-General Crowder. An investigation is now being made to determine the "nonproductive" activities of men in the classes named.

Frank Lee, of Sandy Springs, who was injured last Saturday morning at Smith's Shipyard, Curtis Bay, where he was employed as a foreman, died late Sunday night at Johns Hopkins Hospital from the injuries received. Lee sustained severe injuries of the head and chest when he was struck by a large wooden plank. He was taken to the hospital in a private ambulance.

The Council of National Defense wishes to discourage all holders of Liberty Bonds from disposing of them in any way, trading them in for other issues, or in exchange for merchandise. While such transactions are perfectly legitimate and may be necessary in times of stress or emergency, it is the purpose of the Government to discourage everyone from disposing of any of their Government loans.

Four hundred and fifty dozen eggs were stolen from a building at the home of Harry C. Harner, a huckster, near Emmitsburg, early Tuesday morning. A chest containing 100 pounds of butter and several coops of chickens and ducks were overlooked. The eggs were hauled away in an automobile truck. When Mr. Harner went to ship his eggs he found the lock on the door broken and all of the crates were missing. Footprints of different size about the building indicated that several persons committed the robbery. Wheel prints of the truck were traced to the State road leading to Gettysburg.

Make one spoon of sugar do the work of two every day until the war is through.

Hon. J. Frederick C. Talbott will speak at the Dutch picnic tomorrow afternoon.

If you can't think of anything else to be glad of, be glad you're not a summer resort proprietor.

Deer Park Chapel Sunday school will hold its annual picnic Saturday, August 31. The Taylorsville Band will furnish music.

We have heard of no accidents happening to professional men who went into the harvest field to assist in saving the world's crops.

A Liberty Bond was accepted as security by a magistrate to free a man in Baltimore who was arrested on the charge of non-support.

One million eight hundred thousand women are engaged in our agricultural pursuits and dairying. 750,000 of these are under 21 years.

Zion Methodist Protestant Sunday school will hold its annual picnic Saturday, August 10, commencing at 2 o'clock. Music by the Taylorsville band.

The Department of Agriculture has asked farmers to sow 47,500,000 acres in winter wheat this fall, the greatest acreage in the history of the United States.

The shortage of labor has led the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. to give light employment to those retired on pensions who volunteer and are still able to perform such services.

The Woman's Missionary and Aid Society of St. Benjamin's Lutheran church will meet at the home of Mrs. Holly Dell, back of the church, Thursday, August 8, at 2 o'clock. The members are requested to be present.

A suspicious looking colored man was taken from the pilot of an engine on a passenger train in this city Saturday morning, and placed in Jail until Wednesday, when he was sent to the House of Correction for six months by Justice Dinst.

An entertainment consisting of folk dances, songs, recitations and a little play, will be given on the lawn at the Winchester Place, Wednesday, August 7, at 7.30 p. m., for the benefit of Ascension Protestant Episcopal church. Ices and confectionery will be sold.

Miss Emma Witte, formerly of Westminster, who for the past seven months was employed by the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Co., in Baltimore, has now gone to Washington to accompany her sister, and has accepted a position in the Interstate Commerce Department, there.

B. W. Duer, transportation expert of the Public Service Commission, Wednesday field a letter with the commissioners covering complaints which have been filed against the operator of the Westminster and Gwynn Oak Junction Bus Company, who are charged with overloading their busses.

"Doing his bit" was a young boy, on Saturday morning at 6 o'clock in the rear of D. S. Gehr's store, on Liberty street. He was uncomfortably seated on a pile of logs knitting away with great speed and accuracy and as if he was working against time. The young boy was a stranger. He had quite a piece finished.

During the three-pounds-per-month-per-person sugar limitation, do not complain if your coffee is not sweet enough. The French are allowed but thirteen pounds of sugar per year per person, the Italians only nine pounds, if they can get it. The price of sugar in France is twenty-five cents, in Italy sixty cents a pound.

While without information as to casualties in the present battle, Secretary Baker said the percentage of men killed in previous fighting had been remarkably low. Figures furnished the committee members showed that the death rate in battle has been eight per thousand, while there was exactly the same proporties of deaths from diseases among the expeditionary forces.

The Board of School Commissioners, as well as the Board of Superintendents, are just now put to their wits' ends to combat a serious shortage of teachers, which threatens to somewhat hamper the system at the beginning of the next school year. One of the perplexing features of the situation is that it is the United States government that is outbidding the school system for the service of the young men and women who are needed as teachers.

Here is an incentive for boys' clubs in the South—a 1917 record to surpass in 1918. Food and feed valued at $4,019,121 was the total production of boy club members in the South last year, according to a compilation recently made by leaders in the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The report shows that 115,745 were enrolled in the regular clubs in 14 states, Alabama not reporting. In addition to the regular members probably 400,000 boys, it is estimated, were reached and were helped in food and feed production through instructions given by agents in schools and clubs, farm demonstrations and so on.

Postal airplanes are being operated at a cost of approximately 50 cents per mile between Washington, New York and Philadelphia, a statement issued Wednesday night by the Postoffice Department said. Nine machines traveled 7,234 miles, according to the summary, the first of its kind to be issued, with investment, overhead, labor, pilots' pay, gasoline, supplies and all other charges estimated at $3,082. A plane of the army training type showed the lowest cost, 43½ cents a mile. Gasoline consumption was said to have been low, as compared with military experience; a 400-horsepower Liberty motor used 17 gallons per hour.

Mr. Randolph Wehler, who has leased the store formerly occupied by the late John J. Rose will not be able to open the same with a full line of drugs, on August 1st as he had contemplated. Due to the abnormal conditions of freight traffic he will not receive his new fixtures and supply of drugs until a later date than promised by the manufactures. Mr. Wehler has also been detained in Washington, D. C., much longer than he had anticipated by reason of some of the employees of Liggett Bros. having been drafted. Mr. Wehler has been manager of one of the largest drug stores in Washington and in order to help the firm out of its present condition consented to remain a short while longer than he had intended. When his store is finally opened it will be a credit to our little city.

The Taneytown fair will be held from August 13 to 17.

The Dutch picnic will be held tomorrow at Smallwood.

The oat yield in Carroll county will be one of the heaviest in years.

St. John's fete has been in operation all week and will be continued tonight and tomorrow night.

Bethel church, near Taylorsville, will hold a festival Wednesday, August 7, beginning in the evening.

Louis C. Caltrider, Fowblesburg, has parted with $2000 by investing in a gold brick scheme engineered by two Baltimore crooks.

Prof. Wm. H. Davis, of Rock Hall, Kent county, has been made Principal of the Westminster High School in place of Charles H. Kolb.

Lawrence C. Brilhart, alleged to be a slacker, was arrested at Manchester and handed over to the authorities at Camp Meade last week.

Miss Marjorie Lewis, daughter of President Lewis, of Western Maryland College, this city, has volunteered her services for Red Cross work in France.

A barrack on the farm of Jesse Leatherwood, near Mt. Airy, was destroyed by lightning the other day with several hundred bushels of wheat and some agricultural implements.

You think you have all the trouble in the world. The fellow next door feels the same way, and the fellow next to him has you both skinned to death for real trouble, and yet he's the best whistler in the row.

Joseph Barnes, a well known citizen of Sykesville, and brother of George and Levi Barnes, died at Springfield Hospital on Tuesday. He leaves a wife and five children. The funeral took place today at St. Barnabas' Episcopal church.

Albert Barnett, of Eldersburg, who has been serving since the war came to America as a Captain in the Second Maryland Infantry, State Guard, has entered the National Army as a private. The Baltimore Sun last Sunday printed a fine picture of the young officer.

Mr. Bernard Arnold, of Taneytown, has been appointed a clerk and stenographer in the Clerk's office in place of Mr. John Shank, who resigned the above position on account of enlisting in the United States aviation service. He expects to be called into service very shortly.

Since the departure of the Rev. Walter M. Depp, Sykesville, who was called to the colors, the officials of St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church have been on the lookout for a pastor. This week they were notified by Superintendent Barnes, of the West Baltimore District, that the Rev. E. Frank Fielding, of Alexandria, Va., had accepted the pastorate and would arrive here to assume charge on the first Sunday in September.

In order that farmers and others interested in Federal grain standards will be able to know how the grading is done, the Bureau of Markets will take exhibits to many of the large State and other fairs in the Northwest this summer. A complete set of apparatus for grain grading will be displayed and demonstrations of the actual grading of grain will be made at these fairs by representatives of the Federal Grain Supervision section of the Bureau.

F. Neal Parke of the well known law firm of Bond & Parke, was the principal spokesman yesterday for a delegation of Myers' district residents who want the State Roads Commission to improve the old Littlestown pike to the Pennsylvania line. Governor Harrington, who attended the meeting of the Roads Commission, before which the delegation appeared, told them that the State did not have in sight the money to do the work.

For nearly four years now the United States has been getting along without German potash, and blue ruin hasn't yet struck the country. It is in the prospect that, taken all round, this year, 1918, will exceed the previous high score year in the matter of food production, and this without a pound of German agricultural potash. It is now practically assured that the winter wheat crop of the United States will be near to fifty million bushels larger than any previous one-year yield of winter wheat.

Universal mileage books are to be placed on sale throughout the country on August 1st. A rate of three cents a mile will be charged for these books, and each will call for 1000 miles of travel. Each coupon can be used for the payment of sleeping and dining car charges and transportation of excess baggage, in addition to transportation charges on all railroads under Government control. The war tax on these mileage books will be collected by conductors at the time of the presentation of the mileage strip.

Farm tractors are playing an important part in relieving the labor situation on the farms, farm labor specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture say. In Pennsylvania more than 2,800 tractors are in use. Through the Public Safety Commission tractors have been bought and are equipped with an operator and mechanic, and placed in communities. The farmers guarantee a reasonable acreage for plowing and pay from $3.50 to $5 an acre for the breaking of the land. This co-operation, according to the farm labor specialists, has meant much to small farmers who are unable to purchase tractors for their individual use. It also saves them the large amount of time and labor required in breaking land which is the slowest and most expensive operation on the farm.

William M. Chipley, cashier of the Sykesville National Bank since its organization, has tendered his resignation to the board of directors and it has been accepted. Mr. Chipley has acquired the interest of Mr. James B. George in the firm of George & DeVries, and leaves the bank to give his attention to the business. The announcement of his resignation came as a great surprise to the community, the people having come to regard him as a permanent fixture in their favorite bank. His resignation was accepted with the keenest regret by the bank officials. As we go to press his successor has not been named, though the bank has several persons under consideration. Mr. Chipley will not sever his connection with the bank entirely, but will continue to serve as a member of the finance committee, a fact that will be alike pleasing to the bank officials and the public.

## WANTED.

WANTED.—A good cook, (white preferred) at once, at the Ocker House, Littlestown, Pa. aug2-3t

## LOST

LOST.—Bunch of Keys around railroad station, one key is marked W. M. R. R. 200. Finder please return to William Helm, Westminster.

## SMALLWOOD.

Mr. Sayers is very busy in his canning house, canning beans. All the young pepole in the neighborhood seem to enjoy it. They are stringing beans and are either singing or joking.

Mrs. Roberts has returned home after a two weeks' stay at Mrs. Chas. A. Wagner's.

Mrs. Elizabeth Plack and Miss Mabel Plack paid a visit to Mrs. Richard Baker last Saturday evening.

Two more of our boys left last Wednesday for Camp Meade, Herman Saylor and Winfred Bitzel. That makes two less hands on the farms. If they take many more of our boys, it will not be any use to say raise more crops for it is not worth while to plant crops if there is no one to help reap them.

There was some mistake in the date of the Ladies Aid Society of Deer Park. It will be August 8 at the parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wicks, of Baltimore, and Miss Rosa Kessler, of Allentown, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tapscotts were Sunday guests of Mrs. Charles A. Wagner.

An army of millions of grasshoppers is sweeping westward across Frederick county, destroying vegetation in strips half a mile wide at some points. Corn and oats crops of a number of farmers of Creagerstown district, in the northern section of the county, have been badly damaged and represent almost a total loss to the farmer.


# Win==the==War

By Attending.

# OHLER'S GROVE FAIR

Taneytown, Md.

# August 13 to 17

1918

## PATRIOTIC DAY

August 13th

Dedication of Service Flag

## 100 SOLDIER BOYS 100

FROM CAMP COLT WILL BE PRESENT TO ASSIST IN THE PROGRAM WITH A MILITARY BAND, QUARTETTE AND MILITARY DRILL.

## FARMERS' DAY

August 14th

FARM CROPS FARM MACHINERY

## Sheep Raising Day

August 15th

The Importance of Raising Sheep in Carroll County.

## Dairymen's Day

August 16th

Program by the Dairymen's Association of Carroll County, if unfavorable weather this program on Saturday. Members of the association please notice.

## FREE ACTS and Platform Entertainment

## Merry-Go-Round

## MUSIC

Taneytown Band every day.
Military Band on Tuesday.
Oak Orchard Band on Thurs.

All Trains Stop at the Grove

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SALE BILLS PRINTED ON SHORT NOTICE AT THIS OFFICE.

## PROCLAMATION

Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State, Providing for Absent Voting

WHEREAS, AT THE JANUARY SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, HELD IN THE YEAR 1918, A BILL WAS PASSED, TO WIT: CHAPTER 20 OF SAID ACTS, PROPOSING AN ADDITIONAL SECTION TO ARTICLE 1 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF MARYLAND, TO BE KNOWN AS SECTION 1A AND RELATING TO ABSENT VOTING, AND WHICH SAID BILL IS IN THE WORDS AND FIGURES FOLLOWING:

CHAPTER 20.

An Act to propose an amendment to Article 1, title, "Elective Franchise," of the Constitution of the State of Maryland, by adding a new section thereto, to be known as Section 1A, the same relating to absent voting; and to provide for the submission of said amendment to the qualified voters of this State for adoption or rejection.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, three-fifths of all the members of each of the two Houses concurring, That the following new Section be and the same is hereby proposed as an Amendment to Article 1, title, "Elective Franchise," of the Constitution of the State of Maryland, to be inserted after Section 1, and to be known as Section 1A; the same, if adopted by the legally qualified voters of the State as herein provided, to become a part of Article 1 of the Constitution of Maryland.

Section 1A. The General Assembly of Maryland shall have power to provide by suitable enactment for voting by qualified voters of the State of Maryland who are absent and engaged in the Military or Naval Service of the United States at the time of any election from the ward or election district in which they are entitled to vote, and for the manner in which and the time and place at which such absent voters may vote, and for the canvass and return of their votes.

Section 2. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That said foregoing Section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution, shall be at the next General election for Members of Congress held in this State submitted to the legal and qualified voters of the State for adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the directions contained in Article XIV of the Constitution of this State, and at the said General Election the vote on the said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendment" and "Against the Constitutional Amendment," as now provided by law, and immediately after said election due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment as directed by said Fourteenth Article of the Constitution, and further proceedings had in accordance with said Article Fourteen.

Approved March 22, 1918.

Now, therefore, I, Emerson C. Harrington, Governor of the State of Maryland, in pursuance of the direction contained in Section 1 of Article 14 of the Constitution of Maryland, do hereby order and direct that this Proclamation, containing a full, true and correct copy of the text of said Chapter 20 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, Session of 1918, be published in at least two newspapers in each of the counties of the State where so many may be published, and where not more than one may be published, then in that newspaper, and in three newspapers published in the City of Baltimore, one of which shall be in the German language, once a week for at least three months next preceding the General Election to be held in the State of Maryland on Tuesday, November 5, 1918, at which election the said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted in form and manner prescribed by the General Assembly, to the legal and qualified voters of the State for their adoption or rejection.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland. Done at the City of Annapolis, this twentieth day of July, nineteen hundred and eighteen.

(The Great Seal of Maryland)

EMERSON C. HARRINGTON,
By the Governor:
THOMAS W. SIMMONS,
aug.2-3mos. Secretary of State.

## TRUSTEES' SALE OF A VALUABLE FARM

NEAR SMALLWOOD, CARROLL COUNTY, MARYLAND.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Carroll County, sitting as a Court of Equity, and passed in cause No. 5070 Equity, wherein Adelaide J. Frick, mother and next friend, etc., is plaintiff, and Adelaide J. Frick, and others, are defendants, the undersigned, Trustees appointed by said decree, will sell at public sale on the premises, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24th, 1918,

at 1 o'clock, p. m., all that tract or parcel of land containing

FORTY-SEVEN ACRES OF LAND

more or less, of which William F. Frick died seized and possessed, situated about one-half mile from Smallwood, Carroll county, Maryland, and near the State Road leading from Westminster to Sykesville, and being the same tract or parcel of land which the said William F. Frick obtained in his lifetime by deed of Ivan L. Hoff and wife bearing date August 27th, 1909, and recorded among the Land Records of Carroll County in Liber D. P. S., No. 112, folio 266 etc.

This property is improved by a two story weatherboarded house of six rooms and pantry, and two porches, bank barn, wagon shed, wood shed, chicken house, hog pen, meat house, corn house, and the other usual outbuildings. All the buildings are in good state of repair. There is a well of never-failing water at the house.

The aforesaid farm is highly productive and most desirable. It adjoins the properties of Harry C. Frick, Albert Davis and others, and is within a half-mile of churches, schools and stores.

Terms of Sale: One-third cash on the day of sale, or upon the ratification thereof by the Court, and the residue in two equal payments, the one to be paid in one year and the other in two years from the day of sale, the credit payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser or purchasers, with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale, or all cash at the option of the purchaser or purchasers.

FRANCIS NEAL PARKE and
ADELAIDE J. FRICK,
Trustees.

Bond & Parke, Solicitors.
John W. Reaver, Auctioneer.

On the same day, immediately following the sale of the real estate, the undersigned will offer and sell some articles of personal property.

ADELAIDE J. FRICK.

Aug. 2, 4t.

During the wheat harvest in Frederick county last week the Frederick News says it was remarkable how well farmers have been able to get along this harvest with so many workers taken from the farms for the army and for war industries. There were not as many calls for labor or as many complaints about labor shortage as was feared earlier in the season. One thing that was very much in favor of the farmers this harvest was the weather.


# Nusbaum & Jordan

"Westminster's Best Store"

# LEFT=OVERS FROM A BUSY CLEARANCE

## $2.00 White Dress Skirts $1.58

This season's models, made of Gaberdine, all sizes.

## $5.00 White Wash Skirts $3.95

Our finest skirts, gaberdine, P. K., and fancy weaves. Every one new and stylish.

## Wash Suits for Small Boys

White and colors, blue, pink, green and tan; sizes 4 to 8 years 85c, $1.50, $1.98.

## Children's White Dresses

Were $1.50, now 98c; Were $2.50, now $1.79.

Made of sheer white lawn and prettily trimmed with laces and insertion, sizes 3 to 14 years.

## Gingham Dresses for Girls---$2.00 and $2.50 Values, to Close Out at $1.49

Here is an excellent bargain; school days will soon be here. Gingham of this quality is worth 35c to 40c yard. Figure this out for yourself. Beautiful large plaid and broad stripe styles, all new this season. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

## Boy's Gauze Shirts and Knee Drawers---Regularly 50c, to Close Out, 35c, 3 for $1.

At this price it will pay you to buy and put them away for later. Sizes 24 to 34 inches.

## Only a Few Left---$1 Corsets 69c.

Sizes are mostly 19 and 20. It will pay you to buy two of them if these are your sizes.

## $2.50 Bed Spreads $1.98

There is about a dozen of these left. Double bed size, good weight and closely woven. No more when this lot is closed out.

## 15c Unbleached Crash 12½c yard

Linen color and finish, heavy thread for hand towels, 16 inches. One more week at this price.

## 60c Mercerized Damask 48c

Only about 100 yards left, to sell at this low price. They are 58 inches wide and come in two pretty patterns.

## Heavy Unbleached Muslin 23c yd.

Not quite a yard wide but a good wearing grade at a saving of several cents a yard.

## Dress Ginghams 25c yard

We have just a few of these left. The price is 5c a yard less than the next lot of this same kind will be. Be wise and buy now.

## 30c Apron Ginghams 23c yard.

All blue checks, fast color, full width and a good quality. Only a few left to sell at this price.

## 35c Heavy Shirtings 25c yard.

Most people buy goods of this kind later in the year. We tell you frankly you can save 6 cents a yard by buying now.

## When You Come To The Store, Visit The Remnant Box.

# NUSBAUM & JORDAN, WESTMINSTER, MD.


### A Pen Picture.

I am looking eastward from the tiny paned windows of a more than century old home. Against the wire fence of the narrow yard stands a great ivy twined century old Lilac, now in full bloom. Outside separating me from my neighbor's wire fence is a section of the village alley, the village pride, for at this season its turf is as verdant as a well kept lawn. An English woman visiting us many years ago one June, said it brought her a tender memory of her old home in Devonshire, whose hamlet was bordered its miles of length by just such a green lane. In my time, for my day is now over, I could botanize from one end to the other of ours without encountering a single unsightly object. Citizens let it be so now.

Just inside of my neighbor's wire fence stands a tree that is perfect, though only a common locuct, colossal, symmetrical and with a Chinese Trumpet Creeper, swinging its tawny bells in season to the very summit. At its side are low broad gables of century-mellowed brick in tiers, with a back ground of ornamental cornice in pale yellow. The L or right angle of the house, is also of mellowed brick, two story and set in a grassy court, the roof, and that of the long porch is of a natural tint. The three upper windows, large paned with white drapery festooned Below in fine contrast are tiny paned windows and colonial doors, that is doors having the upper panels glazed and having a glazed arch outlined with ornamental brick work.

Contributed by Miss Ellen Beam.

### Airplanes Drop Bombs On Constantinople.

Amsterdam, Saturday.—Six airplanes dropped bombs on Constantinople on Tuesday afternoon, according to a Turkish official report received here. Five persons were wounded.

Constantinople previously has been bombed, half a ton of bombs having been dropped on the city on July 7.

### ENTENTE AND TEUTONIC RESOURCES.

The Entente Allies—excluding Russia and including only those British dominions which are self-governing and only the United States proper—have 11,000,000 square miles of territory, 303,000,000 people, and $495,000,000,000 of national wealth.

The Central Powers have 1,250,000 square miles of territory, 147,000,000 people, and $134,000,000,000 of national wealth.

The entente owe an aggregate debt of $69,000,000,000, which is about 14 per cent. of their total assets. The Central Powers owe $37,000,000,000, or 28 per cent. of their national wealth.

### MARKETS.

By N. I. Gorsuch Son Co.
Aug. 2, 1918.

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| Rye | 1.40 |
| Wheat | $2.25 |
| Barley | 1.00 |
| New Oats | .60 to .65 |
| Flour, Sea Foam, (patent) | 10.50 |
| Bran | 1.70 |
| Middlings | 1.95 |
| Timothy Hay | $22 per ton |
| Mixed Hay | $20 per ton |
| Clover Hay | $12 per ton |
| Rye Straw | $12 per ton |
| Ear Corn | $3.00 per bbl. |
| Sucrene Dairy Feed | 2.50 |
| Hominy Chop | 3.00 |

Englar & Sponseller.
Aug. 2, 1918.

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| Wheat | $2.25 |
| Bran | 2.35 |
| Cotton Seed Meal | 2.90 |
| Hammond Dairy Feed | 2.40 |