

INCREASED SIZE OF CADET CORPS

At West Point is Urged by General MacArthur in Annual Report.

Washington, Dec. 8.—An increase in the cadet corps at the West Point Military Academy from 1,334 to 2,000 is recommended by Brigadier General Douglas MacArthur, superintendent of the academy, in his annual report to the Secretary of War, made last week. The academy, at the present time the report shows, can train only 1,334 cadets, but the number needed for a peacetime army of 150,000 men would fall short, it was said.

of providing the nucleus of officer material desired for training civilians in time of emergency.

"As our standing army goes down in numbers," he continued, "the enrollment of the military academy should go up. The basic idea, which led to the foundation of the academy, was the desire to have a nucleus to train the great body of our citizens in time of emergency, rather than to be forced to keep large bodies of men continually under arms. Over a century ago, with a population of scarcely more than 5,000,000, the American Government authorized a cadet corps of over 250. Today, with that population increased twenty fold, the number of cadets in training is scarcely four times the original number authorized.

Red Cross Seals are trained to perform wonders.

PINEVILLE ITEMS

Pineville, Dec. 8.—Miss Caroline Coruthers of the faculty of the Graded school at Fort Mill spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Coruthers, the former her brother, on Polk street.

Mrs. L. R. Culp and daughter, Miss Nannie Culp, of Columbia, S. C., are visiting Mrs. Culp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Fisher on Fisher street.

Mrs. B. F. Withers of Spencer, was the guest of her kinswoman, Mrs. A. W. Taylor, on Gay street last Friday.

Miss Jennie Harris has gone to the Pleasant Valley section where she expects to spend two months with her sister, Mrs. Oscar Potts.

Mrs. Harrison's sister-in-law, Mrs. J. W. Thrower, on College street. Miss Mary Bell has gone to Monroe to spend sometime with her sister, Mrs. C. L. Winchester.

Mrs. Annie Smith and little Miss Irene Smith of Huntersville, who have been spending several days with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cook on Gay street, have returned.

Mrs. S. R. Blankenhip and family of the Flint Hill section expect to move to the village in a short time and will occupy the Presbyterian manse on Main street. Two of her sons attend the High school here, and it will be more convenient for the family to make their home here. Their many Pineville friends extend them a cordial welcome in advance.

J. D. Brice celebrated his birthday last Wednesday in the way of a family dining, or at least Mrs. Brice and daughters, Misses Ada and Janet, surprised him in that pleasant way last Monday at their home on Dover street. The

guests were Mr. and Mrs. Horace Ingle and small son, Master James, Miss Nannie Forest and Mr. and Mrs. Motte Davis.

The revival meeting which began last week at the Baptist church here is growing in interest and attendance. Rev. Mr. Black, the evangelist, conducts two services each day and a large crowd particularly attend the evening services attest the deep interest his fine sermons have awakened. Last Sunday the auditorium at the church was packed and additional seats had to be brought in to seat the large congregation, since which time there has been a growing attendance. The meeting will continue several days longer, probably through next Sunday.

The Ladies Aid and Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church met with Mrs. W. M. Garrison at her pretty home three miles east of the village last Tuesday afternoon. It was the last meeting of the year, and a goodly number of the members were present.

The annual thanks-offerings are given in November, but as several members were absent last month, who were present on this occasion, the sum was materially increased, and will be forwarded to the orphanage at Barium Springs before Christmas. A nice sum, about \$50, was given by the Society to the Manse fund. After the regular routine of business was completed, Mrs. Garrison invited her guests to the dining room, which was gay with the Christmas colors. The long table was lovely with its centre piece of bright red flowers, and the daintiest refreshments were served. The occasion was much enjoyed and the Pineville contingent had such a good time that they arrived at their homes after the "going down of the sun," and had to hurry to get to church.

The Persians have a different name for each day of the month.

SHE DYED HER SILK STOCKINGS TO MATCH SKIRT

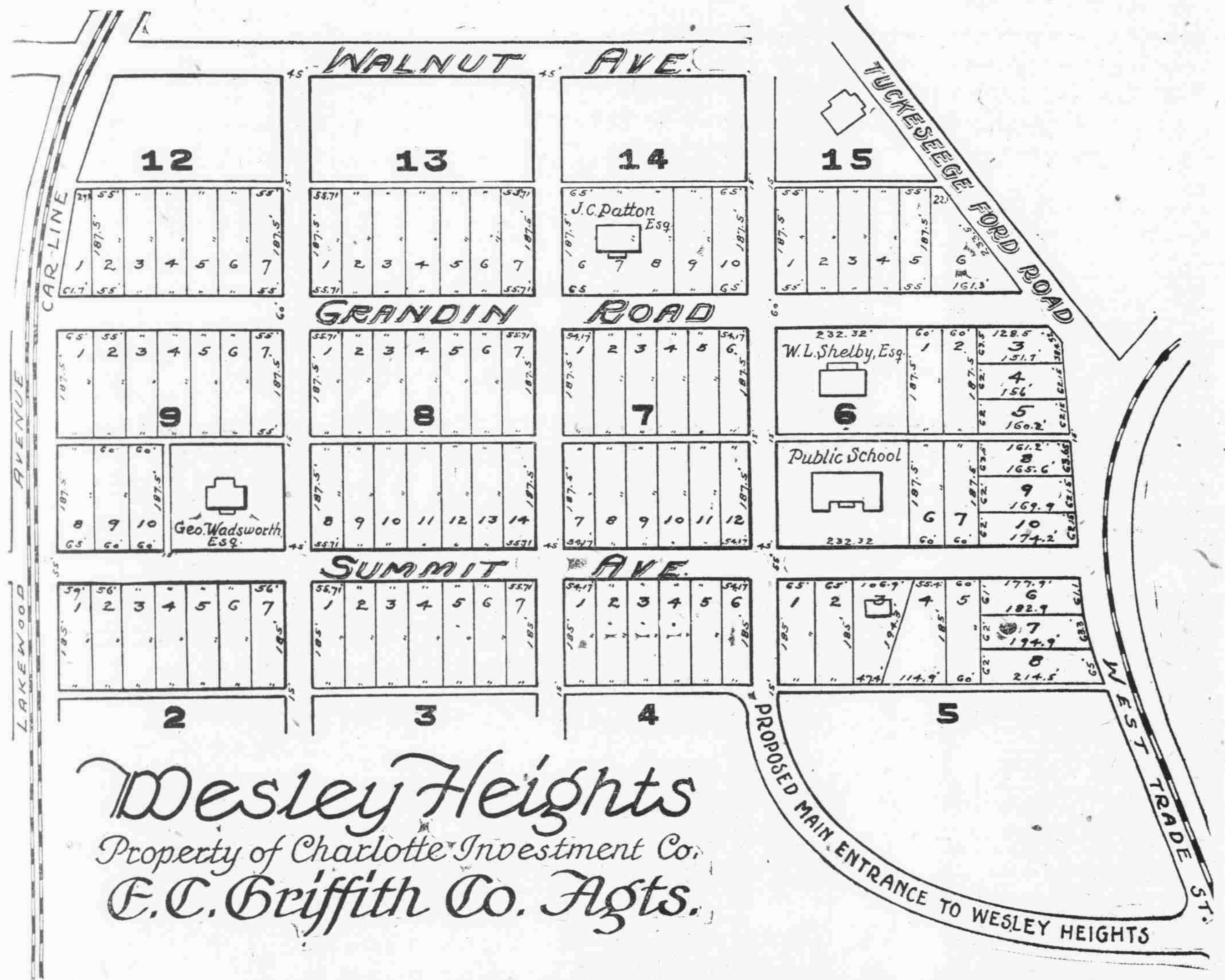
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List Price	Special Sale Price	Special Cash Price	List Price	Special Sale Price	Special Cash Price	List Price	Special Sale Price	Special Cash Price	List Price	Special Sale Price	Special Cash Price
Block 2, Lot 1—\$1,200.00	\$900.00	\$873.00	Block 5, Lot 1—1,700.00	1,275.00	1,236.75	Block 8, Lot 1—1,600.00	1,200.00	1,164.00	Block 12, Lot 1—\$1,500.00	\$1,125.00	\$1,091.25
2—1,100.00	825.00	800.00	2—1,600.00	1,200.00	1,164.00	2—1,500.00	1,125.00	1,091.25	2—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50
3—1,100.00	825.00	800.00	3—1,550.00	1,162.50	1,128.50	3—1,500.00	1,125.00	1,091.25	3—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50
4—1,100.00	825.00	800.00	4—1,500.00	1,125.00	1,091.25	4—1,500.00	1,125.00	1,091.25	4—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50
5—1,100.00	825.00	800.00	5—1,450.00	1,087.50	1,053.75	5—1,500.00	1,125.00	1,091.25	5—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50
6—1,100.00	825.00	800.00	6—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50	6—1,500.00	1,125.00	1,091.25	6—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50
7—1,200.00	900.00	873.00	7—1,350.00	1,012.50	978.75	7—1,600.00	1,200.00	1,164.00	7—1,500.00	1,125.00	1,091.25
Block 3, Lot 1—1,300.00	975.00	945.00	8—1,300.00	975.00	945.00	8—1,550.00	1,162.50	1,128.50	Block 13, Lot 1—1,500.00	1,125.00	1,091.25
2—1,300.00	975.00	945.00	9—1,250.00	937.50	903.75	9—1,450.00	1,087.50	1,053.75	2—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50
3—1,300.00	975.00	945.00	10—1,200.00	900.00	866.25	10—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50	3—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50
4—1,200.00	900.00	873.00	11—1,150.00	862.50	828.75	11—1,450.00	1,087.50	1,053.75	4—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50
5—1,200.00	900.00	873.00	12—1,100.00	825.00	791.25	12—1,450.00	1,087.50	1,053.75	5—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50
6—1,200.00	900.00	873.00	Block 7, Lot 1—\$1,500.00	\$1,125.00	\$1,091.25	13—1,450.00	1,087.50	1,053.75	6—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50
7—1,300.00	975.00	945.00	2—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50	14—1,550.00	1,162.50	1,128.50	7—1,500.00	1,125.00	1,091.25
Block 4, Lot 1—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,019.50	3—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50	Block 9, Lot 1—1,600.00	1,200.00	1,164.00	Block 14, Lot 9—1,700.00	1,275.00	1,236.75
2—1,300.00	975.00	945.00	4—1,350.00	1,012.50	978.75	2—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50	10—1,850.00	1,387.50	1,345.75
3—1,300.00	975.00	945.00	5—1,300.00	975.00	945.00	3—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50	Block 15, Lot 1—1,600.00	1,200.00	1,164.00
4—1,300.00	975.00	945.00	6—1,250.00	937.50	903.75	4—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50	2—1,500.00	1,125.00	1,091.25
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6—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,019.50	8—1,150.00	862.50	828.75	6—1,450.00	1,087.50	1,053.75	4—1,500.00	1,125.00	1,091.25
			9—1,100.00	825.00	791.25	7—1,500.00	1,125.00	1,091.25	5—1,500.00	1,125.00	1,091.25
			10—1,050.00	787.50	753.75	8—1,500.00	1,125.00	1,091.25			
			11—1,000.00	750.00	716.25	9—1,400.00	1,050.00	1,018.50			
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