

From Our Early Files

Items From The Democrat Of December 5, 1906

Miss Ola Penley of Blowing Rock was in the village Tuesday and on her return was accompanied by Miss Cynthia Blackburn.

W. E. Shipley will take notice that George Winkler of the New River Stock Farm, weighed two thoroughbred Shorthorn yearling heifers last week that weighed 998 and 932. These are as pretty cattle as anyone would wish to see.

Miss Helen Trotter, who has been teaching the lower grades in our public school for the past three months, left Tuesday for her home in Charlotte. A teacher will be employed for those classes some time in the future.

Married at the residence of the bride's father on last Thursday evening, Mr. Roy Dotson to Miss Ennis, youngest daughter of Mr. Hugh Hagaman, Rev. J. H. Farthing performing the ceremony.

The sermon delivered by Presiding Elder Bagby at the Methodist Church last Sunday night, was much enjoyed by all who had the nerve to face the fierce storm that was raging to hear him. This was his first visit to this work, and the people are delighted with him, both as a great preacher and a most pleasant gentleman.

On Monday morning last Mrs. J. G. Horton received the sad intelligence that her father, Capt. W. H. Gentry of Jefferson, was dead, and the grief-stricken daughter left at once for the old home to attend the funeral. The venerable gentleman retired on Saturday night seemingly in his usual health, but was found dead in his bed early Sunday morning.

At the annual meeting of the directors of the Watauga County Bank held in Boone on Monday last, George P. Hagaman was elected cashier for the ensuing year to succeed Attorney E. S. Coffey, who has filled the position so acceptably ever since the bank was established. He will retire on the 15th with the thanks of all for his efficiency and close attention to the interests of the institution. His defeat was due to the fact that his successor's bid was far below that which he (Mr. Coffey) had been getting or could afford to take. Mr. Hagaman is one of our most brilliant young men, and we may rest assured that our banking interests will be safe in his hands.

Washington Notes

TO VATICAN
President Truman has directed Mayron C. Taylor, his personal representative to the Vatican, to return to Rome for about thirty days to resume discussion of "matters of importance" with Pope Pius XII.

PLENTY OF FOOD
No country-wide, belt-tightening campaign to feed the hungry overseas is in immediate prospect, according to Chester C. Davis, chairman of the President's Farm Emergency Committee. More cereal grains are available than this country has been able to get to U. S. ports, due to a critical shortage of box cars.

TERMINAL LEAVE BONDS
After weeks of delays, the Army has begun to mail out millions of terminal leave bonds to former soldiers and, by Christmas, War Department officials expect that most of the current backlog of some 4,000,000 claims will have been paid. Some veterans face an indefinite delay in collecting their share of an estimated \$2,700,000 voted by Congress, however, because they have

failed to report changes in address.

AIR VETERANS
The Army Forces, after releasing about 2,500,000 officers and men from wartime service, is now trying to find out what became of them. Approximately 15,000,000 postcards have been distributed with the request that air veterans supply their current address. The best previous year was 1939, when the ratio was 1.19.

AIR FATALITIES
During the first ten months of 1946, fewer domestic airline passengers were killed in relation to miles traveled than in any previous year, according to the Civil Aeronautics Administration. The ratio of passengers killed for each 100,000,000 passenger-miles flown from Jan. 1 to Oct. 31 was 1.14. For the same period in 1945, home addresses. The cards were sent to colleges, theatres, drug stores and other places where former AAF personnel can obtain them conveniently. The addresses will be used in sending out information on latest developments and plans for the Air Reserve program.

Statistics show that 7,404 infant deaths occurred in North Carolina in 1940. Health experts believe that good medical care could have prevented a substantial percentage of these.

Army Air Forces reveals using glide bombers before war's end.

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