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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1911.
TWO PAPERS AND PLANT SOLD.

With this issue of The Daily News and Umpqua Valley News the present owner and editor severs his connection with the two papers, the entire plant having been purchased by Mr. Carl D. Shoemaker, of Columbus, Ohio, who takes complete control of the business on January 1, 1912.

In introducing the new editor to the many friends and patrons of this paper and its thousands of readers we wish to assure them there will be no material change in the policy of The News—a paper for the people first, last and all the time.

Mr. Shoemaker takes the reins without a single handicap and will be free to express his views when the occasion demands for the greatest good to the greatest number.

His qualifications for the duties before him are unsurpassed and he will not be found neglectful in giving to the people of Roseburg and Douglas county a paper they will take more than the ordinary pride in supporting.

We bespeak for him the volume of patronage that has been a conspicuous feature in making the two editions issued from The News office such a pronounced success from every standpoint and recognized by all as the leading publications of the county.

In taking over the business the new proprietor makes no change in the present efficient corps of employees now with The News, each and every one being retained at his or her regular post of duty.

The retiring management wishes at this time to thank his many staunch friends and supporters for their good will, loyalty and patronage during his six years in the newspaper business in this city. To them is due much credit for the success of The News. Whether or not our efforts in conducting the two papers have met with general approval it is not for us to say; the public may be the judge.

From a financial standpoint, however, the present editor has no complaint to make and retires from one of the best paying newspaper plants in the state. Though we regret to leave the newspaper field a continuous service of twenty-five years in the harness is quite sufficient for the ordinary person and in disposing of the two newspapers we feel we have placed them in the keeping of safe hands.

Some enemies have been made, but the number of close and substantial friends far outnumber them. Mistakes, in some instances, have been recorded, but all in all it has been our aim to "deliver the goods" and in a great many instances we have "cut the mustard."

To our friends and enemies alike we make our final bow and retire, for the present, from active newspaper work.

Douglas county strawberries were served at one of Roseburg's leading hotels for breakfast today, December 30, 1911. Serving this luscious fruit in mid-winter is a feature that cannot be surpassed by any other section of the state. Douglas county against the world for climate—and cream, too.

The Daily and Twice-a-Week News wishes its many readers a happy, prosperous and joyous New Year.

R. J. Patterson, of Geauga Lake, Ohio, arrived in Roseburg a few days ago and has since been looking over the country. Mr. Patterson is pleased with Roseburg and Douglas county, and it may be possible that he will decide to locate here permanently.

LOCAL NEWS.

Andy Bestul returned here this morning after a few days spent at Portland visiting with friends.

J. B. Kurtz and wife left for Salem this morning where they will spend a few days visiting with friends.

Isadora Rice returned to his home at Isadora this morning after a few days spent in Roseburg attending to business matters.

At the regular meeting of Rising Star Lodge, held last evening J. A. Buchanan was elected trustee for a term of three years.

Mrs. A. T. Thompson left for Portland last evening where she will spend New Years visiting with friends and relatives.

W. B. Cooper returned to his home at Cottage Grove this morning after a few days spent in Roseburg attending to business matters.

Harry Phillips left for points in the northern part of the state this morning after a few days spent in Roseburg visiting with his parents.

Mrs. Camp, of Ashland, arrived in Roseburg last evening to spend a few days visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Holand.

Kay Manville left for his home at Eugene this morning after a few days spent in Roseburg visiting at the home of Master Bertram Bates.

Dave Hunter and wife, who reside on Deer Creek, returned here last evening after a few days spent at Corvallis where they visited with their children.

Al Veatch, a local Southern Pacific conductor, and daughter returned here last night after a few days spent at San Francisco and other California cities.

C. C. Weaver, a local Southern Pacific wiper, left for Portland last night where he will spend a few days attending to business matters and visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams, of Portland, arrived in Roseburg this morning to spend New Years visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Speicher, in Edenbower.

Mrs. O. A. Houser and children left for Riddle this morning where they will join their husband and father who recently purchased a blacksmith shop at that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hadley left for their home at Halsey this morning after a few days spent in Roseburg visiting at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Charles Roberts.

R. H. Paxson, of Central Point, is spending a few days in Roseburg in attendance at the local poultry show. Mr. Paxson is a well known chicken fancier and has some prize birds on exhibit.

Zopher Ague left for Oakland this morning where he spent the day looking after business matters. He will return to Wilbur this evening where he will spend New Years visiting with relatives.

Sutherland Subj. Attorney Carl E. Wimberly, city recorder of Roseburg, and Attorney B. L. Eddy, of the law firm of Brown & Eddy, of Roseburg, spent Wednesday in Sutherland as attorneys in an action brought by The Sutherland Hardware Co., against J. E. Frost, Mr. Eddy appearing for the defendant and Mr. Wimberly for the plaintiff. The case was heard before City Recorder Will J. Hayner and a jury, and resulted in a verdict for the plaintiff.

Glendale News: A smooth forger visited Glendale last week, and took advantage of the Christmas holiday closing of the bank to pass some bogus paper. He is said to have forged the name of one of our prominent citizens to a check, and he also bought some goods of one of our merchants giving his personal check on the Cottage Grove bank, signing his name as Logan, and it was later found that he had no money in this bank. The same fellow worked Med-

SENATOR GAYLOR AT THE PALACE.
 Winfield R. Gaylor, a noted lecturer, and also state senator from Wisconsin, will speak at the Palace theatre Tuesday, January 2, at 8:30 p. m. His subject will be "Socialism and the Political Issues." This is a treat that should not be missed. Admission 25 cents. Do not forget the date. d30

County Commissioner M. R. Ryan, of Drata, spent the day in Roseburg attending to various business matters and visiting with friends.

"Roseburg certainly has an ideal climate," said G. F. Metzger, of Cleveland, Ohio, this morning. Mr. Metzger arrived here a few days ago from the Eastern city and has since spent considerable time in looking over the country in this vicinity. Other than praising the climate the gentleman also has considerable to say regarding the hospitality displayed in this locality. "Your people are a big-hearted class," said Mr. Metzger, "and the stranger is at all times made to feel at home." Mr. Metzger leaves for Cleveland tomorrow where he will spend a few days arranging business matters so as to return to Roseburg. He will be accompanied here by his wife.

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| Blue Ribbon Beans 10c | Fancy Breakfast Bacon 22 1/2c |
| Blue Ribbon Peas 12 1/2c | Armour Fancy Bacon, backs, lb. 19c |
| Imported Sardines 15c | Armour Fancy Salt Pork 17c |
| Tomatoic Sardines 3 for 25c | Armour Compound Lard, 10 lb. pail \$1.25 |
| One Bottle of Ammonia 7 1/2c | |
| One Bottle of Blueing 7 1/2c | And many other articles all cut down to you for cash. Save all coupons given with each order, and get yourself a beautiful set of China dishes, 41 pieces in sets. All guaranteed enamel ware given away free by trading with us. |
| Yellow Ban Milk 3 for 25c | 10 lb box Glass Starch 45c |
| Quaker Oats, 5 lb pkg. for 25c | Pure Cattle Soap, per lb 30c |
| Force, while they last 2 for 25c | Large pks. Gold Dust 20c |
| Libby Pure Milk 10c | 30 bars of Armour Soap \$1.00 |
| Small size 5c | 25 bars Hammer Soap \$1.00 |
| Carnation, large 11c | 21 bars of any kind of white soap \$1.00 |
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| Old Edge hard wheat \$1.40 | 7 pks. Hard Wood Toothpicks 25c |
| Perfection, soft wheat \$1.25 | |
| Corn Meal, white and yellow 35c | APPLES. |
| Hominy, per sack 30c | We have bought 500 bushels of Fancy Gano Apples. Every apple guaranteed to you at \$1.10 and 90c per box. |
| Imperial Q. Cats, 1 lb sack 45c | Krinkle Corn Flakes 3 for 25c |
| Bulk Cream Oats, per pound 6c | Violet Oats 2 for 25c |
| Wheat Flake, per pound 7c | Quaker Corn Flakes 10c |
| We have some fine bargains in future Tea; all guaranteed under the pure food law just enacted. | Kellog Corn Flakes 10c |
| COFFEES AND TEAS. | Corn Starch 3 for 25c |
| Our Country Club, per lb 25c | Arm and Hammer Soda 3 for 25c |
| O. E. Primo 35c | 25 oz. K. C. Baking Powder 20c |
| Ruby Caracol Coffee 30c | 15 oz. Cleveland Baking Powder 45c |
| 1 lb Steel Cut Vacuum Pack \$1.00 | 15 oz. Shillings Baking Powder 45c |
| Please All Coffee \$1.00 | Royal Faking Powder 45c |
| The only House in Roseburg selling you 3 pounds Steel Cut Vacuum Packed Coffee for \$1.00. | 50 oz. K. C. Baking Powder 75c |
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LOCAL NEWS.
 Edward Singleton spent the afternoon at Sutherlin where he served a number of civil papers.

A. R. Cole, O. V. Hall and R. E. George, all residents of Wilbur, spent the day in Roseburg attending to business matters and visiting with friends.

Henry Richardson and wife returned here this morning after two weeks spent at Portland and other northern cities. Mr. Richardson says the fixtures for the new Fullerton & Richardson store, in the Perkins building, are nearly completed, and will arrive here in a few days. The firm will move into their new quarters as soon as the fixtures can be installed.

The colored "Jubilee Singers" held forth at the Palace theatre last evening under the auspices of the Roseburg Ministerial Association. The concert was one of the best ever given in this city, and the several numbers were liberally applauded. The attendance was large, and all speak in high praise of the production.

H. M. Haskell and wife, who have resided in Edenbower for the past two years, leave for their former home in Maine tomorrow evening where they will remain permanently.

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