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## NEWPORT JOTTINGS.

Rosland, Oregon, Dec. 20, 1897.
Thinking a line from one of Lincoln county's wandering sons migh be interesting to the readers of the Lincoln County Lhader, I take occasion to write a few lines.
Hoping a change of climate might improve the condition of my health i crossed the Cascade mountains in October and am now teaching the public school at Rosland; which is situated on the upper Des chutes sixsituated on the upper Des chutes six-
ty miles south and west of Prineville. ty miles south and west of Prineville.
The valley of the upper Des Chutes is about seventy-five miles in length is about seventy-five miles in length
and twenty five in width and has an and twenty five in width and has an
altitude of something over four thoualtitude of something over four thousand feet. East Des Chutes wends its way in graceful curves through beautiful meadow of native grass, These meadows on an average are a half mile in width and on either side is an abrupt raise of fifteen or twenty feet. Then the bench land extends for miles on either side of the river, It is almost level and is covered with black pine and bunch grass. The soil is very poor, being a light coarse sand or volcanic cinders. Most all hardy vegetable are The Des chutes is one of the longest rivers that raise in Oregon, and hasa all of about four thousand feet. In this valley it is very sluggish and during the cold weather freezes and during the cold weather freezes
almost to the bottom, But after leaving the big meadows which are sixing the big meadows which are six-
teen miles below here it is very rapid teen miles below here it is very rapid
rumning through a deep gorge. running through a deep gorge.
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west I see the snowy tops of the west I see the snowy tops of the
Three Sisters, Broken topand BachThree Sisters, Broken top and Bach-
lor mountain. To the North-east I lor mountain. To the North-east I
see Pauline mountains and to the see Pauline mountains and to the
south up the river I just can see the south up the river I just can see the
top of Diamond Peak. top of Diamond Peak.
The snow in the valley falls from three to four feet deep every season lays on all winter. But for all that it is a good stock country, the natural meadows along the streams rield large crops of hay which is fed and sheep during the winter season Rosland is the central station on the Silver Lake and Prinville mail route. Silver Lake and Prinville mail route. The stages meet here twonights out of every week change mail sacks and return the
ive places.
The weather has been very pleas ant so far excepting a little cold and that I do not mind on account of the pleasure it brings by freezing up the sloughs and making fine skating which sport I enjoy very much. The snow is now about six inches deep but it is clear and cold.
I have now been at Rosland six weeks and I feel that my health is much improved.
You may hea
from me again later
B. F. Wilhorr.

An exchange says that Noah was the first man to advertise. He advertised the flood and it came through all right. The fellows wholatughed at the advertisment got drowned, and it served them right. Ever since Noan's time the advertiser has been being swallowed up in the flood of disaster.

The Christmas tree and enterainment held at the M. E. church hristmas evening was a grand sucleasel and everyone was very well the house whe time set for opening were so many there before that they had to open the doors fifteen minutes betore that time, and they mmutes betore that time, and they
kept coming till 8 o'clock. The kept coming till 8 o'clock. The
entertainment commenced with a song, followed with a prayer by the pastor, Reve C. R. Ellsworth, the pastor, Rev. C. R. Ellsworth; then Wraves, the superintent of the Sur Gaves, the superintent of the Sun-
ay school. Hon. R. A. day school. Hon. R. A. Bensell
was then introduced and gave us an as then introduced and gave us an The American Flag ," being "The American Flag." He carried the minds of his hearers back to the the time when the S:ar atipeared to the wise men of the Enst. and how it went betore them and ed them to where our Savtour was horn. He then showed how the it was carried before sar, and hois gorng into batlie. He vald that the保 represented the lieanifiti sky: red represented the lhool of Che that was shed on Calvary, of Chit in what was shed on Calvarv, gnit the
white shawl thint the Savior wa wrapped in. After this address the wrapped in. After this address the
superintendent proceeded with the superintendent proceeded with the program that was gotten up for the occasion by the committee, every
oue performing their parts well ane performing their parts wel Alter the completion of the program he presents were taken from the everybody went home well satifich The pastor was much surprised when he got bome and opened up the armful of nice presents given himself and family, and felt very Prof. Groves, Mr . Oliver, Mres, Flowers and Mr Woer, and Mrs. Oliver, Mrs Wood worth, Mis Daisy Ghormley much credit for their efforts in making the tree a success.
A protracied meeting is in progress in the M. E. church with much interest. It will continue all this week.

Newport, Dec. 27, 1897.
The prominent detnocrats mentioned for governor are J. K Weatherford, of Linn county; Wm. M. Colvig, of Jackson county, and R. M. Veatch of Douglas, Every ne of them are good men, anid either of them would make a splen ther oull make a sp

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