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DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Weather Bureau, local office Roseburg, Ore., 24 hours ending ba, m., March 26, 1912.

Precipitation in inches and hundredths: Highest temperature yesterday

Lowest temperature last night Precipitation, last 24 hours Total precip, since 1st of month 3.65 Normal precip for this month 3.98 Total precip, from Sep. 1, 1911, . . . 24.5

.....27.76 3.2 Average precip. for 34 wet

seasons (Sep. to May inclu-32.36 sive) WILLIAM BELL, Observer

NEWS BUREAUS AND THE NEWSPAPERS

Every school, every college, every corporation, every politician, every city and town, every news gathering organization, every person, corporation, institution or organization that wants or does not want som sed legislation maintains news bureau or publicity department and furnishes free of charge editor inl and news matter for the use o the newspapers to which the matter is sent. Some of this matter is legitimate and has a rightful place in the news columns of a newspaper. But the greater percentage of the "stuff" is "tainted" and sent out with the idea of working up a sentiment for or against a given proposition. The reader of the paper which publishes this matter does not know the source which involved the article and there fore reads it and is often influenced by the subtle trickery of words into a belief that is contrary to his other-

wise good judgment, We do not care to be misunder stood. Many worthy organization are compelled to resort to the new columns of the newspapers in order to work up and maintain a sentiment for their support. We get in our mall every day a large quantity of such matter. We do not use all of it. We try to discriminate against that matter which has an unworthy or unnecessary motive back of its Inception. On the other hand we aim to give space to all needy and merit orlous causes.

All these organizations, institutions, persons, etc., which send out this matter have in charge of their publicity department men trained in newspaper work who are skilled in writing copy which appears on the surface to be real news matter, but which has for its real purpose creat ing a sympathy for the real object

We have for the past few day kept äntact all such communica The list is interesting and entertaining. It gives one a true impression of the vast amount of mon ey that is annually spent in postage for such purposes when one takes in to consideration that nearly all the 25,000 papers in the United State gets this matter from day to day.

The first thing that we pick up our effort to write this article is letter sent out from the Equal Suf frage headquarters at Portland, is written on yellow paper and headed "Equal Suffrage Bi-Monthly News Service." After stating that the prospects look very bright to woman suffrage being carried t requests to Senator Balley of Tex as, in the following choice language

Senator Balley has come against woman's suffrage. pected this of Balley. It was the thing for Balley to do. We'd have done it ourselves it we had been it Balley's place. He couldn't hope to make women smell violets wher It was coll oil. Neither could we Bailey could put on a fleece, rur about bleating and make the mer mistake him for a sheep. But women would spot him for a goat ever

The next that greets our eye is typewritten sheet dated at the Uni versity of Oregon, at Eugene, stat ing that athletic relations had been re-established between that institu tion and the Oregon Agricultura College. The next is a pamphlet en titled "The Uniwersity of Oregon Press Bulletin." It contains five at ticles as follows: A prediction the president of the University that Oregon will lead the states in en lightenment and social righteousness that Carlton Spencer, a Grove boy, will represent the Uni-versity in the debating contests soon to be heard, that there is high scholarship at the university that vigorous campaign is being made b the university to induce the teach ers of Oregon not to spend their vaca tions at the seaside and other place of amusement or rest, but to inducthem to spend the vacation at the university at the summer school and better equip them for their profession of teaching, and last that the

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niversity attidents are auxfousty awaiting the outcome of the referendum suit which is now in the sueme court.

The State Agricultural Experient Station located at Pullman, Wash, sends out weekly a bulletin. The subject discussed this week is "Diseased Seed Potatoes."

The Oregon Agricultural College ends out every few days items in dicating the trend of that university Teaching economy in the home Fertilizing Yambill Prunes", an ar icle stating that young horticulturallsts are in great demand; another that the orchard bulletin recently published is about out of print that strawberries can be successfully grown in and around the Hood River district and that pears are grown in large quantities in America are some of the things that enterprising pres agent sends out free to the newspapers of the state.

A two-page typewritten article by E. M. B. Owen, who describes himself as Newspaper Correspondent, on the beet sugar industry. The article is highly entertaining and after one has read it the query comes up how does this man make his living as a newspaper correspondent when he sends his articles out free of charge. The answer is contained to the articles itself. It is an attack upon the sugar refiners and the mor spoly they have created in that field. Beet sugar, if produced on an exten-ive scale will have a feudency to break down that monopoly and the cane sugar refiners will be unable o dictate prices.

The American Economic League with beadquarters at Cincinnati Ohio, sends out complete articles fav oring many of the radical reform repagated by certain politicians and fostered by an unthinking people From the tenor of some of the aricles one would believe that some enr-socialists were paying the post-

These are just a few of the many that come every day. They illusrate in a general way what a newsaper has to contend with in getting up fair and unbiased copy for its And it also is an explanation of why, even though the greates pains are taken, matter of this kind frequently gets in without being

William Powell, the "second-hand" an, spent the day at Sutherlin looking after various business inter-

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