Oral history interview with Kate Bailey, circa 1978

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Historical Note

Kate Bailey was born near Wenatchee, Washington, and moved at an early age to Leavenworth. Bailey's weather forecasts and other articles were published in the Wenatchee Daily World from the late 1930s to the 1970s. According to Bailey, she can predict the weather with 80% accuracy using only natural signs.

Content Description

This collection contains an interview by Charles Dronen with Kate Bailey, a "weather prophet" from Wenatchee, Washington. In the interview, Bailey discusses her experiences in school, the early history of the Blewitt Mining District, and her weather forecasting techniques using only natural signs.

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