

# Edgar F. Averill papers, 1934-1939

## Overview of the Collection

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| <b>Creator</b>             | Averill, Edgar F., 1881-   |
| <b>Title</b>               | Edgar F. Averill papers  |
| <b>Dates</b>               | 1934-1939 (inclusive)<br>1934 1939   |
| <b>Quantity</b>            | 0.5 linear feet, (1 container)   |
| <b>Collection Number</b>   | Ax 188   |
| <b>Summary</b>             | Edgar F. Averill was president of the Oregon Wildlife Federation. The collection comprises correspondence relating to the conservation of natural resources in Oregon from 1934 to 1939.   |
| <b>Repository</b>          | <a href="#">University of Oregon Libraries, Special Collections and University Archives.</a><br>UO Libraries--SPC, 1299<br>University of Oregon<br>Eugene OR<br>97403-1299<br>Telephone: 541-346-3068<br>Fax: 541-346-3485<br><a href="mailto:spcarref@uoregon.edu">spcarref@uoregon.edu</a> |
| <b>Access Restrictions</b> | Collection is open to the public.<br><br>Collection must be used in Special Collections & University Archives Reading Room.  |
| <b>Languages</b>           | English  |
| <b>Sponsor</b>             | Funding for encoding this finding aid was provided through a grant awarded by the National Endowment for the Humanities.   |

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## Historical Note

Edgar F. Averill was born in 1881. He served as president of the Oregon Wildlife Federation in the 1930s.

## Content Description

The collection comprises approximately 300 letters, dated from 1934 to 1939. The correspondence concerns the business of the Oregon Wildlife Federation, a proposal to reorganize the Oregon State Game Commission, plans of the Oregon Stream Purification League, and the regulation of fishing on the Umpqua River. There is also a file of correspondence with William L. Finley, 1937-1939.

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## Preferred Citation

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## Administrative Information

### Arrangement

Collection is organized into one series: Correspondence.

### Processing Note

Collection processed by staff.

This finding aid may be updated periodically to account for new acquisitions to the collection and/or revisions in arrangement and description.

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## Detailed Description of the Collection

### Correspondence

| Container(s) |        | Description       | Dates     |
|--------------|--------|-------------------|-----------|
| Box          | Folder |                   |           |
| 1            | 1      | William L. Finley | 1937-1939 |

| Container(s) |   | Description                         | Dates |
|--------------|---|-------------------------------------|-------|
| 1            | 2 | Stream pollution                    |       |
| 1            | 3 | Wildlife Federation                 |       |
| 1            | 4 | Petitions, constitutional amendment |       |
| 1            | 5 | American Game Association           |       |
| 1            | 6 | Sewage disposal                     |       |
| 1            | 7 | Steam Purification League, Oregon   |       |
| 1            | 8 | Umpqua River                        |       |

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### Subject Terms :

[Conservation of natural resources--Oregon](#)

[Fishery law and legislation--Oregon--Umpqua River](#)

### Personal Names :

[Averill, Edgar F., 1881---Archives](#)

[Finley, William L. \(William Lovell\), 1876-1953--Correspondence](#)

### Corporate Names :

[Oregon Stream Purification League](#)

[Oregon Wildlife Federation](#)

[Oregon. State Game Commission](#)