

## RECORD RAIN IN 12 HOURS AT SEDRO-WOOLLEY

SEDRO-WOOLLEY, Nov. 19.—(Special)—The most rain to fall in twelve hours in the history of Sedro-Woolley fell here Wednesday night and Thursday morning, totaling 2.25 inches, according to H. L. Devin, official government weatherman for the past 36 years. The entire precipitation for the 24 hours was not extraordinary, however.

During the first sixteen days of this month the normal precipitation for November, which is 6.74, had already been exceeded, as Sedro-Woolley has had 8.23 inches of rainfall so far in November. In October, the normal rainfall is 4.80, whereas this locality had 6.31, representing a fifty per cent excess of normal. However, there has been an abnormal rainfall all over the country. At Lake Ochechobe, Florida, the government station reported 21 inches precipitation in 12 hours, which Mr. Devin states he believes to be a record.

Hansen Creek, which runs through the Northern State hospital grounds, backed up due to a log jam at the Great Northern railroad trestle, flooding much property, including the large berry ranch of George Andrick.

Heavy snows and freezing weather are reported from the mountain areas, which Friday's sunshine was not expected to affect unless a warm wind arose. Hugo Bauman, Skagit county commissioner, stated that there were several inches of snow not far from his hotel at Rockport.