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YESTERDAY'S WEATHER.

Local weather for the twenty-four hours ending at 5 p. m. yesterday, furnished by the U. S. Department of Agriculture weather bureau.

Maximum temperature, 44 degrees.

Minimum temperature, 35 degrees.

Precipitation, 22 inch.

Total precipitation from July 1st, 1893
tc date, 35.98 inches.

Excess of precipitation from July 1st, 1893, to date, 9.42 inches

TODAY'S WEATHER.

Portland, Dec. 11.—For Oregon and Washington, rain; southerly gales on

So serious has become the scarcity of edible fish in the Atlantic Coast states, that a conference of the fisheries authorities of the states from Maine to Virginia has been called to meet in New York tomorrow. It will be the object of this conference to inquire into the causes of the scarcity and to devise some means for remedying it, The matter is considered a most important one, affecting all classes of people in that part of the country, and at the same time the problem which the conference will be called on to solve is extremely puzzling. Scientists have been trying for ages to solve the mystery of the appearance and disappearance of fish. From a condition of plentifulness bluefish once became entirely unknown in Eastern waters; so much so that when after the lapse of a number of years they reappeared, fishermen did not know them. No one can tell where that fish went at that time, and no one knows today to a certainty where it goes in the winter season. In occasional years fish in the East have been so pientiful that it was impossible to sell them, and in other seasons they are scarce, Various persons, including some experts, give a variety of reasons for the great difference in the supply.

The searcity which is now troubling the fish authorities is not peculiar . one section, but extends along the Atlantic coast from Maine to Virginia, and In this respect it seems to differ from similar manifestations. The conference will be an important event in the progress of fish propagation and protection, and the conclusions arrived at will be awaited with interest,

Representative Holman is consistent. He objects to the tariff bill framed by his democratic colleagues. He objected to a continuance of the sugar bounty though the existence of such a bounty in Germany will enable that country to undersell American refiners in case the new duty takes effect. He objected to increasing the tax on whisky and beer, and the only measures which he apparently did not object to were the income tax scheme and the cutting down of expenditures, even if public buildings are allowed to fall down, as did the Ford's Theatre structure, burying in its ruins a number of government employes,

The New York Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin says "the brewers and the representatives of states where beer is largely consumed, have defeated any increase in the bectax." It must be remembered that the largest brewerles in the country are in the hands of English monopolists, who formed a trust to buy up the American breweries and drive the independent ones out of the business if they could. Thus there will be no increase in the beer tax in the interests of the English This is only one of the features of the new tariff that has been framed for the benefit of foreigners.

The late Professor Tyndall was, in former days, on intimate terms with Gladstone, and still called him friend when in recent years he tilted at him with amazing energy of expression on account of his home-rule proposals. It was characteristic of the man that

what he did should be done with intensity of feeling, and although he took no general interest in politics, all the blood of his nature tingled at the course the liberal leader was pursuing His letters were models of terse, perspicacious expression, and were admired even by those who disagreed with the argument. Tyndall was also an intimate friend of Carlyle. It was he who accompanied the sage down to Edinburg when he delivered his rectorial address on books to the university in 1866, and but for his tact it is doubtful if Carlyle's courage could nave been screwed up to the sticking point.

From England it is learned that another large woolen manufactory has stopped all its machinery, throwing out of employment several thousand employes. That was a free-trade lesson, In a few weeks, however, if the Wilson bill passes, they will be able to start up again to supply the American market, which our free traders propose to open to foreigners,

Fifteen millions of dollars a year are to be spent by the British for the increase of their navy. The money goes to new ships, all in the interests of peace. Austria is so fierce a peacemaker she wants thirty-two new batteries of artillery. William, who says his eye is everywhere, would like a few more peace ships.

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NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stock-holders of the Masonic Land and Build-ong Association of Astoria, will be held Wednesday, December 20, 1893, at 1 o'clock p. m., at the usual place, for the purpose of electing five directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. S. T. McKEAN, Secretary. Astoria, Or., Nov. 18, 1893,

NOTICE.

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