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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 Ag Maximum temperature, 45 degrees.
Minimum temperature, 33 degrees.
Precipitation, 1.65 inches.

Total precipitation from July 1st, 189: to date, 45.86 inches. Excess of precipitation from July 1s 1993, to date, 9.95 inches.

FISHERY REGULATIONS.

As was generally anticipated, the changes proposed in the new fishery regulations, a draft of which has just been issued by the department at Ottawa, are not sweeping, and follow to a great extent those which were in force last season. The report sent from Ottawa some weeks ago to the effect that the usual cannery licenses were to be done away with, has turned out erroneous; they are provided as before. The reduction of the license fee from \$20 to \$10, which will no doubt be hailed with satisfaction by the fishermen, is one of the changes, and another is the extension of the weekly prohibitive hours. which it is intended shall be from Saturday morning at 6 o'clock to midnight on Sunday, whereas last season fishing began at 6 o'clock on Sunday evening. These are the most important featurer noted in the proposed bill which th minister of marine and fisheries ha tical suggestions by those interested ir alyzing business for nearly a year, the the fishing industry should be made at majority in congress want to enact a to any alterations that may be desirable in the new code.—British Columbia Commercial Journal.

The financial history of the past venis unquestionably without precedent Never before has there been such wide spread distress among financial institutions and business men. First, the allver bill aroused fear, at home and abroad, that the country would get upor a silver basis; and then came threat ened tariff legislation, which has put wet blanket upon commercial enterprises of almost every kind, and throws thousands of working people out of em ployment. The very decided move in business which was promised, by the majority party, as soon as the silver purchase law was passed, has not come and as to the future, it is evident that there will be no change until the question of tariff is settled. Our natura' resources are magnificent, and the revival of trade must come eventually. when we shall again be prosperous and happy. The present year cannot witnes: such a general disturbance in business as has characterized the period juspassed. There would be an immediate revival of business were it not for the tariff agitation in congress. Thus, the vital interests of sixty millions of people are in the keeping of the national leg islature, and the demand is for promp action. It is uncertainty, coupled with the fear of tariff changes, which is killing business.

There is every reason for belief that the early consummation of Astoria's long-cherished railroad dream is at hand, if the property owners promptly show the proper spirit. Information is at hand, and from the most reliable source, that as soon as the title to the land subscriptions shall have been pass ed upon, the contract will be signed for the construction of the road. In view of the great depression in business throughout the country, and the quietness of business affairs in this city. there is cause for congratulation in the knowledge that a few short weeks will herald the arrival of an era of pros-

needful thing now is expedition in getting the subsidy raised. Why there should be any hesitation in making posed, is not ensity explained. The holders of realty can readily reach the goal of their choice, be it poverty or be It affluence.

Doubts continue to be expressed regarding the sea-going qualities of the monitor Miantonomah, and the admiristration is falling in for severe censurfor sending the vessel south. Those wh should know most about the Miantone mah say she should never have beer sent on the trip. Her usefulness for harbor defense is undoubted, and it ease one of our ports was assailed, such a vessel would be invaluable. With he flat Iron deck but two feet out of the water, and her towers with ponderous guns and all the features of the orig inal monitor exaggerated, it seems t comfort of the crew will be much mor distressing than was that of which th men on the Monterey recently com The officers and men are brave, and they obey orders withou complaint, but they know they shoul not be sent out on the Atlantic in mic winter on an iron plank, especiall; when there is not likely to be any u gent necessity for such a course.

Andrew Carnegie, the chief of th 'robber barons," has decided to hes coals of fire on the heads of the me who, by their votes, did their best t njure his business and that of other nanufacturers whose success depeno largely upon the continuance of protective policy in the United State Te has decided to keep his steel work running all winter at a loss, that th men may not be discharged, and I taking contracts for the iron work fo big buildings at less than its cost of production. In addition to this his offe for the benefit of the unemployed o zens of Pittsburg contribute up to \$5,00 per working day during the next tw months," stamps him as a "robber" o peculiarly benevolent type.

Based upon the amount of duties re ceived for 1892, the democratic tarif revenue for the legitimate needs of th government to the extent of over sixty five millions, and if the present stages tion in business continues, the defici made public, with the request that prac- will be much larger. After almost par measure which will cause an enormou shortage in the receipts of the govern ment. This is in the face of the fac that Secretary Carlisle is obliged t recommend the issue of bonds to mee deficit which is present and actual,

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