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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The following Table of Meteorological Observations, taken at the Government-Civil Hospital during the Month of September, 1874, is published for general information.

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METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS

TAKEN AT THE GOVERNMENT CIVIL HOSPITAL, VICTORIA, HONGKONG, FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER, 1874.

86 feet above mean low level of Spring Tides.

DAY OF MONTH.	DAY OF WEEK.	BAROMETER.		THERMOMETERS (Fahrenheit).				HYGROMETER.				DEW POINT.		WIND.		RAINING DURING PREVIOUS 24 HOURS.	CLOUD.	OZONE.	
		9 A.M.	3 P.M.	Max. in Shade.	Min. on Grass.	Dur. in Shade.	Min. in Soil.	Dry Bulb in Shade.	Wet Bulb in Shade.	Humidity Complete Saturation = 100.	Dew Point.	Quarter.	Move during 24 hours in Miles.	9 A.M.	3 P.M.				9 A.M.	3 P.M.
1	Tuesday	29.76	29.73	84.0	77.0	8.0	85.0	81.0	78.0	85	76.0	79.0	S.E.	S.E.	124	0.34	10	9	0
2	Wednesday	29.97	29.93	85.0	78.0	8.0	86.0	81.0	77.0	85	77.0	78.4	S.E.	S.E.	43	0.66	9	8	0
3	Thursday	30.02	29.95	86.0	80.0	7.0	86.0	82.0	78.0	80	76.3	79.4	E.	E.	122	...	7	5	0
4	Friday	29.88	29.83	84.0	78.0	10.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	76	75.7	77.8	E.	E.	376	0.36	10	9	1
5	Saturday	29.89	29.85	84.0	80.0	8.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	76.3	77.4	E.	E.	184	0.42	8	4	0
6	Sunday	30.04	29.97	84.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	76.3	77.4	Calm	Calm	56	...	6	9	0
7	Monday	30.02	29.96	84.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	76.3	77.4	Calm	Calm	13	...	5	5	0
8	Tuesday	29.97	29.92	83.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	76.3	78.4	Calm	Calm	6	0.11	5	5	0
9	Wednesday	29.95	29.92	83.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	76.3	78.4	Calm	Calm	11	...	7	4	0
10	Thursday	29.97	29.93	82.0	80.0	7.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	75.3	79.4	E.	E.	17	...	9	5	0
11	Friday	29.91	29.88	83.0	80.0	7.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	75.3	79.4	S.W.	S.W.	13	...	7	6	0
12	Saturday	29.88	29.82	83.0	80.0	7.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	76.3	79.4	S.W.	S.W.	19	0.21	5	4	0
13	Sunday	29.82	29.82	83.0	80.0	7.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	79.0	82.1	Calm	Calm	23	...	7	4	0
14	Monday	29.88	29.85	84.0	80.0	7.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	77.4	80.4	Calm	Calm	37	...	5	4	0
15	Tuesday	29.96	29.96	84.0	80.0	7.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	77.4	80.4	Calm	Calm	43	...	5	4	0
16	Wednesday	29.90	29.88	84.0	80.0	7.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	77.4	80.4	Calm	Calm	31	...	5	6	0
17	Thursday	29.87	29.81	82.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	75.3	76.3	E.	E.	174	1.85	7	9	0
18	Friday	29.84	29.75	80.0	81.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	74.6	75.3	N.E.	N.E.	63	...	9	9	1
19	Saturday	29.78	29.74	80.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	73.3	74.3	N.E.	N.E.	875	0.11	9	10	2
20	Sunday	29.85	29.80	80.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	72.6	73.0	N.E.	N.E.	261	0.35	9	10	4
21	Monday	29.80	29.74	80.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	71.6	71.6	N.E.	N.E.	234	...	9	10	3
22	Tuesday	29.78	29.69	81.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	70.7	70.7	E.	E.	...	4.78	10	10	4
23	Wednesday	29.78	29.81	80.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	70.7	71.6	N.	N.	...	3.99	10	9	2
24	Thursday	29.93	29.92	81.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	74.3	73.6	E.	E.	...	1.64	9	8	1
25	Friday	29.98	29.95	81.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	74.3	75.3	E.	E.	...	...	8	6	0
26	Saturday	30.02	29.97	82.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	75.3	77.4	E.	E.	...	...	6	5	0
27	Sunday	29.99	29.94	82.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	74.3	78.4	Calm	Calm	...	...	5	4	0
28	Monday	29.96	29.84	81.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	75.3	78.4	N.W.	N.W.	...	...	4	4	0
29	Tuesday	29.83	29.80	82.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	81	80.4	W.	W.	...	...	4	4	0
30	Wednesday	29.78	29.67	82.0	80.0	6.0	86.0	80.0	78.0	80	81	80.4	W.	W.	...	...	4	4	0
Mean		29.90	29.85	81.9	78.8	6.7	83.0	80.1	77.9	80.1	79	75.3			...	14.77	...	...	...

Total Rain fall, 12.94 inches. Rain fell on 15 days.

Summary of September, 1873:—	Mean Shade Temp.,	83.0
1872:—	81.6	9.27
1871:—	81.2	17.15
1870:—	81.0	11.38
1869:—	83.0	12.01
1868:—	82.3	7.23

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