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## HONGKONG OBSERVATORY.

*Weather Report for July, 1886.*

In the *China Coast Meteorological Register*, based on information transmitted by the Great Northern and the Eastern Extension Telegraph Companies, which was daily published, is given a summary of the atmospheric circumstances in Luzon and along the Coast of China, and information concerning the weather in Nagasaki and Wladivostock.

Unusual visibility was noticed on the 22nd.

It was hazy on the mornings of the 25th and the 31st.

Dew fell on the evenings of the 3rd and the 9th.

Lunar coronas were seen on the 6th, the 18th and the 21st.

Lunar halos were seen on the 8th, the 9th, the 19th and the 22nd.

Solar coronas were seen on the 26th and the 31st.

Solar halos were seen on the 10th, the 11th, the 14th, the 22nd, the 26th, the 27th, the 28th and the 30th.

Rainbows were seen on the afternoons of the 12th, the 14th and the 26th.

Thunder and lightning occurred on the 1st and the 2nd, faint lightning on the 3rd, lightning on the 5th and thunder and lightning on the 6th.

Between 2 a. and 3 a. on the 7th a thunderstorm passed from SW towards NW. It was nearest (24<sup>s</sup>) at 2<sup>h</sup> 10<sup>m</sup> a. Thunder was heard again in the afternoon.

Thunder occurred on the morning of the 11th, and lightning on the morning of the 12th and during the night between the 13th and the 14th.

On the evening of the 14th a thunderstorm passed from W round by S to E. It was nearest (15<sup>s</sup>) at 9<sup>h</sup> 32<sup>m</sup> p. The following night was squally and thunder and lightning were observed at intervals. A thunderstorm passed from SW round by N towards NE. It was nearest at 7<sup>h</sup> 45<sup>m</sup> a. (10<sup>s</sup>) and at 9<sup>h</sup> 15<sup>m</sup> a. (10<sup>s</sup>) on the 15th. Between 2 p. and 5 p. on the same day a succession of violent thunderstorms, accompanied by fearfully heavy rain, passed over from W to E. They were nearest at 2<sup>h</sup> 30<sup>m</sup> p. (3<sup>s</sup>), at 3<sup>h</sup> 31<sup>m</sup> p. (2<sup>s</sup>) and at 3<sup>h</sup> 47<sup>m</sup> p. (2<sup>s</sup>).

At the last mentioned time the flash came down like a ball of fire and struck the top of the Five's Court (at the North Barracks in the City of Victoria 1½ miles SW by S of the Observatory) scattering pieces of brick and mortar for about fifty yards around. It split the wall for a small distance down, though on the whole not much damage was done. Then it ran down the wall over the top of a zinc roof, which was not damaged, although an iron bar underneath it was bent considerably, and finally expended itself along the barrack square, which is gravelled, but this was not damaged. Immediately after this the rain almost ceased for nearly a quarter of an hour.

Thunder and lightning were observed till 9 a. on the 16th.

Lightning occurred on the evenings of the 22nd and the 24th, and thunder and lightning on the afternoon of the 25th.

At 12<sup>h</sup> 45<sup>m</sup> a. on the 25th a thunderstorm was nearest (3<sup>s</sup>). It passed Eastwards of the Observatory.

Lightning occurred during the night between the 26th and the 27th and during the five following nights.

The total distance traversed by, as well as the duration and average velocity of winds from different quarters were as follows:—

| Direction. | Total Distance. | Duration. | Velocity.       |
|------------|-----------------|-----------|-----------------|
|            | Miles.          | Hours.    | Miles per hour. |
| N .....    | 75              | 14        | 5.4             |
| NE .....   | 269             | 31        | 8.7             |
| E .....    | 3556            | 253       | 14.1            |
| SE .....   | 1212            | 90        | 13.5            |
| S .....    | 1528            | 147       | 10.4            |
| SW .....   | 1310            | 112       | 11.7            |
| W .....    | 287             | 39        | 7.4             |
| NW .....   | 188             | 31        | 6.1             |
| Calm ..... | 10              | 27        | 0.4             |

TABLE I.  
BAROMETRIC PRESSURE FOR THE MONTH OF JULY, 1886.

| Date.               | 1 a.   | 2 a.   | 3 a.   | 4 a.   | 5 a.   | 6 a.   | 7 a.   | 8 a.   | 9 a.   | 10 a.  | 11 a.  | Noon.  | 1 p.   | 2 p.   | 3 p.   | 4 p.   | 5 p.   | 6 p.   | 7 p.   | 8 p.   | 9 p.   | 10 p.  | 11 p.  | Midt.  | Means. |
|---------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| July 1, ...         | 29.683 | 29.676 | 29.667 | 29.662 | 29.666 | 29.671 | 29.682 | 29.681 | 29.693 | 29.703 | 29.692 | 29.688 | 29.672 | 29.659 | 29.653 | 29.684 | 29.648 | 29.665 | 29.688 | 29.710 | 29.722 | 29.732 | 29.727 | 29.722 | 29.683 |
| " 2, ...            | .711   | .697   | .691   | .688   | .683   | .683   | .690   | .709   | .728   | .731   | .731   | .712   | .701   | .683   | .669   | .659   | .678   | .680   | .708   | .731   | .740   | .761   | .765   | .742   | .707   |
| " 3, ...            | .731   | .729   | .725   | .720   | .721   | .736   | .754   | .759   | .765   | .768   | .768   | .755   | .740   | .726   | .720   | .696   | .687   | .693   | .707   | .723   | .746   | .769   | .762   | .750   | .755   |
| " 4, ...            | .739   | .731   | .727   | .728   | .742   | .751   | .758   | .769   | .783   | .785   | .787   | .774   | .751   | .739   | .723   | .718   | .701   | .700   | .716   | .740   | .750   | .770   | .778   | .778   | .747   |
| " 5, ...            | .778   | .774   | .765   | .762   | .774   | .774   | .783   | .795   | .802   | .808   | .813   | .804   | .786   | .775   | .762   | .742   | .739   | .744   | .756   | .778   | .795   | .803   | .805   | .807   | .780   |
| " 6, ...            | .798   | .789   | .785   | .782   | .782   | .794   | .803   | .807   | .815   | .816   | .819   | .809   | .798   | .792   | .786   | .771   | .768   | .776   | .792   | .806   | .823   | .809   | .799   | .797   | .769   |
| " 7, ...            | .790   | .783   | .771   | .778   | * .777 | * .777 | .776   | .782   | .797   | .786   | .785   | .785   | .777   | .749   | .749   | .724   | .730   | .734   | .757   | .768   | .820   | .779   | .768   | .769   | .759   |
| " 8, ...            | .751   | .747   | .732   | .745   | .747   | .748   | .754   | .764   | .760   | .772   | .770   | .752   | .749   | .727   | .707   | .712   | .700   | .704   | .711   | .713   | .717   | .734   | .742   | .729   | .737   |
| " 9, ...            | .721   | .700   | .696   | .715   | .726   | .736   | .748   | .756   | .770   | .773   | .765   | .740   | .742   | .730   | .704   | .691   | .685   | .686   | .695   | .712   | .730   | .768   | .774   | .763   | .730   |
| " 10, ...           | .740   | .735   | .737   | .725   | .731   | .751   | .756   | .769   | .769   | .769   | .763   | .759   | .726   | .718   | .714   | .714   | .717   | .716   | .721   | .743   | .756   | .763   | .762   | .749   | .742   |
| " 11, ...           | .731   | .718   | .719   | .718   | .732   | .748   | .760   | .763   | .790   | .785   | .777   | .758   | .741   | .731   | .721   | .696   | .701   | .701   | .730   | .755   | .765   | .779   | .773   | .761   | .744   |
| " 12, ...           | .741   | .725   | .710   | .707   | .732   | .748   | .760   | .729   | .748   | .754   | .751   | .739   | .711   | .692   | .675   | .664   | .664   | .670   | .685   | .703   | .714   | .722   | .701   | .684   | .708   |
| " 13, ...           | .675   | .661   | .658   | .658   | .648   | .653   | .656   | .663   | .671   | .677   | .673   | .652   | .649   | .631   | .605   | .594   | .595   | .604   | .622   | .627   | .648   | .657   | .628   | .625   | .643   |
| " 14, ...           | .601   | .592   | .575   | .585   | .584   | .591   | .589   | .59    | .590   | .587   | .585   | .570   | .557   | .546   | .538   | .520   | .522   | .538   | .574   | .587   | .599   | .628   | .633   | .618   | .579   |
| " 15, ...           | .583   | .578   | .554   | .546   | .554   | .550   | .572   | .583   | .611   | .619   | .613   | .607   | .601   | .587   | .588   | .592   | .573   | .589   | .582   | .623   | .629   | .644   | .616   | .623   | .592   |
| " 16, ...           | .598   | .581   | .596   | .592   | .590   | .605   | .604   | .617   | .630   | .633   | .637   | .630   | .620   | .608   | .587   | .587   | .593   | .599   | .610   | .632   | .633   | .664   | .664   | .628   | .615   |
| " 17, ...           | .592   | .556   | .572   | .569   | .577   | .603   | .611   | .638   | .653   | .653   | .663   | .663   | .652   | .634   | .620   | .620   | .604   | .606   | .609   | .622   | .632   | .660   | .656   | .636   | .622   |
| " 18, ...           | .617   | .635   | .623   | .612   | .608   | .621   | .638   | .639   | .664   | .677   | .686   | .686   | .681   | .675   | .673   | .671   | .667   | .675   | .696   | .722   | .742   | .760   | .758   | .738   | .673   |
| " 19, ...           | .718   | .713   | .709   | .683   | .675   | .670   | .684   | .711   | .722   | .736   | .738   | .729   | .726   | .722   | .709   | .699   | .702   | .712   | .740   | .750   | .768   | .772   | .768   | .759   | .721   |
| " 20, ...           | .738   | .728   | .724   | .730   | .722   | .736   | .741   | .755   | .759   | .757   | .751   | .740   | .731   | .726   | .710   | .696   | .698   | .712   | .727   | .753   | .761   | .770   | .768   | .752   | .737   |
| " 21, ...           | .727   | .707   | .703   | .695   | .694   | .699   | .706   | .715   | .721   | .718   | .722   | .706   | .696   | .678   | .671   | .656   | .647   | .646   | .658   | .672   | .678   | .681   | .683   | .673   | .690   |
| " 22, ...           | .652   | .647   | .638   | .644   | .643   | .649   | .660   | .669   | .673   | .669   | .658   | .641   | .621   | .602   | .582   | .565   | .569   | .565   | .574   | .580   | .588   | .600   | .589   | .576   | .619   |
| " 23, ...           | .565   | .550   | .548   | .546   | .542   | .552   | .556   | .571   | .572   | .576   | .572   | .549   | .546   | .528   | .518   | .506   | .511   | .519   | .533   | .547   | .559   | .561   | .557   | .542   | .547   |
| " 24, ...           | .528   | .517   | .510   | .512   | .520   | .521   | .537   | .538   | .555   | .560   | .551   | .532   | .515   | .495   | .479   | .475   | .482   | .494   | .504   | .530   | .542   | .555   | .553   | .537   | .523   |
| " 25, ...           | .519   | .511   | .506   | .515   | .519   | .532   | .549   | .555   | .556   | .554   | .536   | .520   | .494   | .497   | .500   | .490   | .497   | .497   | .519   | .537   | .560   | .573   | .576   | .568   | .528   |
| " 26, ...           | .565   | .540   | .539   | .540   | .529   | .533   | .572   | .568   | .569   | .568   | .570   | .568   | .550   | .538   | .526   | .522   | .521   | .540   | .566   | .578   | .581   | .597   | .593   | .570   | .557   |
| " 27, ...           | .570   | .565   | .559   | .544   | .541   | .572   | .587   | .600   | .607   | .618   | .620   | .607   | .605   | .578   | .563   | .541   | .536   | .557   | .590   | .607   | .625   | .637   | .637   | .649   | .588   |
| " 28, ...           | .642   | .637   | .620   | .617   | .619   | .634   | .650   | .661   | .664   | .677   | .664   | .656   | .635   | .624   | .603   | .600   | .601   | .601   | .620   | .642   | .668   | .689   | .687   | .681   | .641   |
| " 29, ...           | .666   | .656   | .653   | .652   | .658   | .676   | .684   | .697   | .701   | .712   | .712   | .698   | .674   | .653   | .641   | .627   | .625   | .638   | .638   | .654   | .668   | .690   | .699   | .686   | .669   |
| " 30, ...           | .686   | .675   | .669   | .667   | .665   | .678   | .690   | .717   | .715   | .721   | .730   | .704   | .699   | .682   | .664   | .648   | .636   | .646   | .666   | .675   | .694   | .703   | .699   | .699   | .685   |
| " 31, ...           | .697   | .681   | .673   | .667   | .659   | .669   | .680   | .697   | .703   | .705   | .698   | .692   | .666   | .656   | .627   | .615   | .608   | .618   | .620   | .639   | .656   | .665   | .662   | .664   | .663   |
| Hourly Means, } ... | 29.673 | 29.662 | 29.657 | 29.655 | 29.655 | 29.666 | 29.675 | 29.686 | 29.695 | 29.699 | 29.697 | 29.685 | 29.671 | 29.657 | 29.644 | 29.634 | 29.632 | 29.640 | 29.655 | 29.673 | 29.687 | 29.700 | 29.697 | 29.686 | 29.670 |

\* Interpolated.

† Approximate.

TABLE II.

TEMPERATURE FOR THE MONTH OF JULY, 1886.

| Date.               | 1 a. | 2 a. | 3 a. | 4 a. | 5 a. | 6 a. | 7 a. | 8 a. | 9 a. | 10 a. | 11 a. | Noon. | 1 p. | 2 p. | 3 p. | 4 p. | 5 p. | 6 p. | 7 p. | 8 p. | 9 p. | 10 p. | 11 p. | Midt. Means. | Max. | Min. |      |
|---------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|--------------|------|------|------|
| July 1,.....        | 82.1 | 81.1 | 81.6 | 81.8 | 81.7 | 81.9 | 82.3 | 83.0 | 83.4 | 84.0  | 86.0  | 85.2  | 86.1 | 85.9 | 84.1 | 84.2 | 84.0 | 83.4 | 83.2 | 83.1 | 82.2 | 81.0  | 80.1  | 80.5         | 83.0 | 86.9 | 79.5 |
| " 2,.....           | 80.6 | 81.7 | 82.2 | 82.2 | 81.6 | 81.5 | 82.2 | 82.9 | 83.6 | 85.0  | 85.5  | 86.0  | 85.1 | 85.2 | 84.8 | 84.8 | 83.9 | 82.9 | 82.4 | 80.1 | 77.1 | 77.2  | 77.5  | 77.1         | 82.2 | 86.3 | 76.6 |
| " 3,.....           | 77.8 | 78.3 | 78.9 | 79.2 | 79.3 | 79.9 | 81.5 | 81.2 | 82.2 | 83.7  | 85.2  | 85.5  | 84.0 | 85.0 | 84.9 | 83.3 | 83.1 | 82.0 | 80.9 | 80.5 | 80.2 | 80.1  | 79.9  | 79.4         | 81.5 | 86.0 | 77.0 |
| " 4,.....           | 78.9 | 79.0 | 79.0 | 79.0 | 79.0 | 79.1 | 81.1 | 83.2 | 83.0 | 85.2  | 85.1  | 86.0  | 86.1 | 87.0 | 87.5 | 85.5 | 84.6 | 82.8 | 81.9 | 80.8 | 80.2 | 80.1  | 79.5  | 79.2         | 82.2 | 87.5 | 78.6 |
| " 5,.....           | 79.4 | 79.4 | 78.7 | 79.1 | 78.9 | 79.5 | 81.1 | 82.0 | 82.9 | 83.1  | 83.6  | 84.0  | 84.8 | 83.3 | 83.2 | 83.0 | 82.2 | 81.9 | 81.2 | 80.5 | 80.2 | 80.3  | 79.7  | 79.9         | 81.3 | 84.8 | 78.4 |
| " 6,.....           | 80.0 | 80.0 | 79.7 | 79.7 | 79.7 | 79.9 | 82.2 | 82.8 | 82.5 | 83.4  | 84.2  | 84.1  | 84.2 | 84.1 | 84.0 | 83.3 | 83.2 | 83.0 | 81.1 | 80.8 | 80.5 | 80.3  | 80.6  | 80.5         | 81.8 | 84.2 | 79.7 |
| " 7,.....           | 81.2 | 79.9 | 78.9 | 77.9 | 78.1 | 78.5 | 80.0 | 80.9 | 83.2 | 83.5  | 83.2  | 82.0  | 76.3 | 78.0 | 76.5 | 77.4 | 77.2 | 77.7 | 77.8 | 77.2 | 77.4 | 77.9  | 76.1  | 75.5         | 78.9 | 84.7 | 75.7 |
| " 8,.....           | 76.6 | 76.9 | 77.0 | 75.3 | 75.3 | 75.4 | 76.0 | 76.2 | 76.9 | 77.4  | 77.7  | 76.0  | 76.6 | 78.7 | 78.7 | 77.3 | 77.3 | 78.3 | 77.9 | 77.6 | 77.3 | 77.6  | 77.8  | 77.7         | 77.1 | 84.7 | 75.1 |
| " 9,.....           | 77.6 | 77.1 | 77.2 | 76.0 | 75.4 | 74.9 | 75.9 | 76.9 | 75.8 | 75.8  | 76.5  | 78.1  | 79.0 | 79.9 | 80.3 | 77.1 | 76.7 | 77.0 | 76.1 | 75.7 | 76.1 | 76.2  | 76.3  | 76.9         | 76.9 | 80.3 | 74.8 |
| " 10,.....          | 77.0 | 76.0 | 76.0 | 74.6 | 74.6 | 75.6 | 76.7 | 78.0 | 79.8 | 80.9  | 81.1  | 81.9  | 81.9 | 81.4 | 81.2 | 81.0 | 80.3 | 80.0 | 79.2 | 79.0 | 78.9 | 79.2  | 78.8  | 78.8         | 78.8 | 81.9 | 74.5 |
| " 11,.....          | 78.6 | 78.2 | 79.2 | 78.6 | 78.5 | 78.0 | 79.2 | 81.5 | 79.1 | 82.2  | 81.8  | 82.8  | 83.6 | 82.3 | 83.0 | 82.5 | 82.2 | 81.9 | 81.0 | 80.0 | 81.0 | 81.1  | 81.1  | 80.9         | 80.8 | 83.9 | 78.0 |
| " 12,.....          | 80.1 | 80.5 | 80.5 | 78.3 | 79.8 | 79.9 | 81.0 | 82.0 | 82.3 | 83.0  | 83.1  | 82.7  | 83.9 | 82.4 | 84.0 | 82.2 | 83.0 | 82.0 | 81.2 | 80.9 | 80.9 | 81.0  | 80.7  | 80.6         | 81.5 | 85.2 | 77.7 |
| " 13,.....          | 80.1 | 79.9 | 80.1 | 80.3 | 79.5 | 79.3 | 81.2 | 83.0 | 83.6 | 83.9  | 84.0  | 84.5  | 84.9 | 85.4 | 85.0 | 84.2 | 81.9 | 81.3 | 81.4 | 81.2 | 81.1 | 81.0  | 81.1  | 81.1         | 80.9 | 83.9 | 78.0 |
| " 14,.....          | 80.0 | 79.9 | 79.7 | 79.7 | 79.2 | 79.0 | 80.6 | 81.0 | 83.3 | 83.8  | 83.8  | 84.0  | 84.9 | 84.2 | 82.0 | 83.8 | 81.8 | 80.3 | 80.5 | 80.3 | 80.5 | 78.7  | 78.9  | 79.8         | 81.2 | 84.9 | 78.6 |
| " 15,.....          | 81.1 | 82.2 | 81.9 | 82.6 | 80.7 | 81.4 | 79.5 | 81.0 | 76.5 | 77.5  | 77.3  | 78.0  | 79.2 | 78.9 | 76.0 | 76.3 | 75.9 | 77.1 | 77.4 | 76.1 | 76.2 | 76.9  | 77.0  | 77.0         | 78.5 | 82.6 | 73.9 |
| " 16,.....          | 76.6 | 75.8 | 76.0 | 77.3 | 76.8 | 76.2 | 75.4 | 75.0 | 75.2 | 75.8  | 76.2  | 75.7  | 76.5 | 77.3 | 77.9 | 78.9 | 78.8 | 77.6 | 77.1 | 76.8 | 76.9 | 77.4  | 77.3  | 76.7         | 76.7 | 78.9 | 75.0 |
| " 17,.....          | 76.7 | 75.9 | 76.7 | 77.3 | 77.2 | 76.9 | 76.8 | 78.0 | 78.0 | 79.0  | 78.6  | 78.4  | 78.9 | 79.3 | 79.0 | 77.7 | 78.2 | 79.3 | 79.6 | 80.7 | 76.7 | 79.7  | 80.1  | 78.2         | 80.7 | 75.9 | 75.9 |
| " 18,.....          | 78.6 | 79.1 | 79.0 | 79.4 | 80.0 | 77.8 | 77.7 | 76.9 | 77.3 | 77.7  | 77.7  | 77.8  | 78.6 | 76.0 | 77.0 | 79.0 | 79.1 | 79.2 | 78.2 | 80.7 | 76.7 | 79.7  | 80.1  | 78.2         | 80.7 | 75.9 | 75.9 |
| " 19,.....          | 77.0 | 76.9 | 77.3 | 77.4 | 77.6 | 78.0 | 78.4 | 78.8 | 79.0 | 79.0  | 81.1  | 80.5  | 80.5 | 81.7 | 81.6 | 81.2 | 81.3 | 80.2 | 79.5 | 79.1 | 78.9 | 78.0  | 77.1  | 77.6         | 80.7 | 75.8 | 75.8 |
| " 20,.....          | 78.0 | 78.1 | 77.9 | 77.9 | 78.0 | 78.2 | 77.7 | 78.7 | 81.0 | 80.7  | 81.2  | 81.8  | 81.3 | 81.0 | 82.0 | 81.2 | 81.2 | 80.2 | 79.4 | 79.3 | 79.2 | 79.0  | 79.1  | 79.0         | 79.6 | 82.5 | 76.8 |
| " 21,.....          | 78.6 | 78.4 | 78.1 | 77.5 | 77.7 | 77.7 | 79.0 | 80.0 | 80.7 | 81.5  | 81.0  | 82.3  | 82.1 | 82.7 | 82.0 | 82.0 | 81.8 | 80.2 | 79.2 | 79.0 | 78.8 | 78.6  | 78.8  | 79.8         | 82.7 | 77.5 | 77.5 |
| " 22,.....          | 78.1 | 78.2 | 77.8 | 77.4 | 77.8 | 77.8 | 79.8 | 81.0 | 81.9 | 82.1  | 82.0  | 83.0  | 83.5 | 82.5 | 83.5 | 81.3 | 81.0 | 80.6 | 80.0 | 79.5 | 78.0 | 79.0  | 78.4  | 79.2         | 80.2 | 83.5 | 77.4 |
| " 23,.....          | 78.5 | 79.1 | 77.7 | 77.3 | 78.8 | 77.7 | 78.6 | 80.1 | 80.8 | 81.5  | 83.6  | 83.0  | 83.6 | 84.5 | 84.0 | 82.9 | 83.1 | 82.4 | 82.2 | 82.0 | 82.0 | 81.4  | 80.4  | 80.3         | 81.1 | 84.5 | 76.5 |
| " 24,.....          | 81.0 | 80.7 | 80.3 | 80.2 | 80.3 | 80.6 | 81.3 | 82.2 | 83.1 | 84.1  | 84.5  | 85.9  | 85.6 | 85.0 | 85.4 | 84.4 | 84.4 | 82.5 | 82.2 | 82.1 | 82.0 | 81.0  | 81.1  | 81.3         | 82.6 | 85.9 | 79.5 |
| " 25,.....          | 81.5 | 80.9 | 80.8 | 80.4 | 80.4 | 80.3 | 80.8 | 83.6 | 85.5 | 84.0  | 85.3  | 86.9  | 87.5 | 83.9 | 83.2 | 82.8 | 82.0 | 82.4 | 81.3 | 81.1 | 81.1 | 80.7  | 80.6  | 80.1         | 82.4 | 88.4 | 80.0 |
| " 26,.....          | 77.8 | 78.2 | 78.2 | 77.3 | 77.9 | 77.5 | 78.4 | 79.0 | 81.7 | 82.0  | 82.5  | 83.0  | 82.2 | 83.8 | 83.5 | 81.9 | 82.3 | 80.7 | 79.0 | 79.8 | 80.0 | 80.2  | 80.0  | 79.6         | 80.3 | 84.1 | 77.1 |
| " 27,.....          | 79.2 | 79.0 | 78.9 | 78.5 | 79.0 | 78.3 | 77.2 | 78.8 | 79.0 | 75.6  | 78.4  | 78.8  | 81.9 | 84.1 | 84.6 | 84.4 | 84.4 | 82.2 | 81.4 | 80.8 | 80.7 | 80.4  | 80.1  | 80.1         | 80.3 | 85.1 | 75.3 |
| " 28,.....          | 80.4 | 81.2 | 80.9 | 80.8 | 81.6 | 81.3 | 82.4 | 83.2 | 84.8 | 84.7  | 84.7  | 85.1  | 86.5 | 87.0 | 86.3 | 85.7 | 84.0 | 83.3 | 82.4 | 82.1 | 82.0 | 81.9  | 81.6  | 83.1         | 87.0 | 80.1 | 80.1 |
| " 29,.....          | 80.8 | 80.2 | 80.0 | 80.6 | 81.0 | 80.6 | 80.9 | 82.7 | 83.7 | 84.1  | 85.0  | 86.0  | 86.7 | 86.7 | 86.7 | 85.0 | 84.8 | 83.9 | 83.1 | 82.8 | 82.5 | 82.1  | 81.8  | 81.7         | 83.1 | 87.8 | 79.9 |
| " 30,.....          | 81.9 | 82.3 | 82.4 | 82.3 | 82.0 | 81.8 | 83.0 | 82.7 | 85.0 | 85.0  | 84.3  | 85.8  | 85.4 | 85.3 | 85.4 | 84.6 | 83.9 | 82.9 | 82.0 | 81.8 | 81.7 | 81.5  | 81.3  | 81.0         | 83.1 | 85.8 | 81.0 |
| " 31,.....          | 81.1 | 81.2 | 81.3 | 80.8 | 80.3 | 79.1 | 79.2 | 80.0 | 82.8 | 84.0  | 85.1  | 86.1  | 87.4 | 86.4 | 87.3 | 85.6 | 84.7 | 84.0 | 82.9 | 82.8 | 82.9 | 82.9  | 82.2  | 82.4         | 83.0 | 88.1 | 78.5 |
| Hourly Means, ..... | 79.3 | 79.2 | 79.2 | 78.9 | 78.8 | 78.8 | 79.6 | 80.5 | 81.2 | 81.7  | 82.2  | 82.6  | 82.9 | 82.9 | 82.7 | 82.2 | 81.7 | 81.1 | 80.4 | 80.0 | 79.7 | 79.7  | 79.5  | 79.4         | 80.6 | 84.2 | 77.4 |

TABLE III.

TEMPERATURE OF EVAPORATION AND RADIATION, FOR THE MONTH OF JULY, 1886.

| Date.              | 1 a. | 2 a. | 3 a. | 4 a. | 5 a. | 6 a. | 7 a. | 8 a. | 9 a. | 10 a. | 11 a. | Noon. | 1 p. | 2 p. | 3 p. | 4 p. | 5 p. | 6 p. | 7 p. | 8 p. | 9 p. | 10 p. | 11 p. | Midn. | Means. | Sun.  | Rad. |  |
|--------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|------|--|
| July 1,.....       | 77.8 | 77.5 | 77.5 | 77.8 | 78.0 | 78.0 | 78.1 | 78.5 | 78.8 | 78.8  | 79.6  | 79.8  | 79.7 | 79.4 | 79.4 | 78.7 | 78.6 | 78.0 | 78.1 | 78.1 | 78.6 | 78.0  | 78.2  | 78.3  | 78.4   | 147.5 | 77.9 |  |
| " 2,.....          | 78.0 | 77.8 | 78.0 | 78.4 | 78.2 | 78.2 | 78.9 | 78.4 | 79.1 | 78.7  | 78.5  | 79.9  | 78.8 | 78.7 | 78.7 | 78.5 | 77.8 | 77.6 | 77.6 | 76.0 | 76.0 | 75.8  | 76.2  | 75.6  | 77.8   | 148.6 | 75.4 |  |
| " 3,.....          | 76.5 | 76.8 | 77.1 | 77.2 | 77.2 | 77.7 | 78.8 | 78.5 | 78.6 | 78.6  | 79.0  | 78.1  | 78.0 | 78.2 | 78.2 | 77.6 | 76.4 | 76.2 | 75.9 | 75.7 | 75.7 | 75.8  | 76.0  | 75.9  | 77.2   | 144.7 | 75.0 |  |
| " 4,.....          | 76.6 | 76.9 | 76.3 | 76.3 | 76.4 | 76.5 | 77.2 | 76.8 | 77.5 | 76.4  | 77.1  | 76.7  | 77.3 | 77.5 | 77.5 | 77.7 | 77.1 | 77.7 | 76.8 | 76.8 | 76.6 | 76.6  | 76.8  | 76.6  | 77.0   | 149.0 | 74.3 |  |
| " 5,.....          | 77.6 | 77.6 | 77.5 | 77.4 | 77.3 | 78.0 | 79.0 | 78.1 | 78.6 | 78.5  | 78.9  | 78.7  | 78.8 | 77.7 | 78.6 | 77.9 | 77.8 | 78.5 | 77.4 | 77.5 | 76.9 | 75.7  | 77.0  | 77.2  | 76.9   | 141.5 | 74.9 |  |
| " 6,.....          | 77.6 | 77.1 | 76.8 | 77.4 | 74.6 | 74.8 | 75.9 | 77.0 | 77.4 | 77.1  | 77.6  | 75.5  | 74.9 | 75.5 | 74.8 | 75.4 | 76.0 | 75.7 | 74.3 | 74.7 | 74.6 | 74.2  | 73.5  | 73.2  | 77.5   | 148.7 | 77.4 |  |
| " 7,.....          | 74.6 | 74.9 | 75.2 | 74.0 | 73.6 | 73.4 | 73.6 | 74.6 | 74.6 | 74.6  | 75.8  | 73.6  | 73.8 | 74.7 | 74.9 | 76.4 | 75.7 | 74.9 | 75.4 | 75.1 | 75.2 | 75.5  | 74.8  | 73.2  | 74.8   | 146.7 | 73.8 |  |
| " 8,.....          | 75.5 | 75.6 | 75.8 | 74.5 | 73.8 | 73.2 | 73.6 | 74.3 | 74.2 | 74.1  | 73.9  | 73.8  | 74.1 | 74.7 | 74.9 | 72.8 | 73.8 | 73.3 | 73.6 | 72.8 | 73.9 | 73.6  | 73.2  | 74.0  | 74.8   | 196.2 | 73.4 |  |
| " 9,.....          | 74.6 | 73.2 | 73.0 | 72.5 | 72.3 | 72.8 | 73.6 | 75.4 | 75.9 | 76.8  | 76.8  | 76.7  | 77.4 | 77.7 | 77.7 | 76.3 | 76.6 | 75.8 | 76.0 | 72.8 | 73.9 | 73.6  | 76.2  | 74.0  | 74.0   | 126.9 | 72.0 |  |
| " 10,.....         | 75.7 | 76.0 | 77.4 | 76.7 | 76.6 | 77.1 | 77.6 | 78.7 | 77.1 | 78.7  | 78.2  | 78.8  | 79.6 | 78.6 | 78.7 | 77.9 | 77.8 | 77.6 | 77.1 | 77.6 | 78.3 | 78.3  | 76.2  | 76.2  | 75.5   | 156.8 | 72.2 |  |
| " 11,.....         | 78.4 | 77.6 | 77.5 | 76.2 | 76.8 | 77.1 | 77.6 | 77.7 | 77.6 | 78.1  | 78.2  | 77.9  | 78.6 | 78.6 | 78.5 | 78.5 | 78.0 | 77.8 | 77.8 | 77.6 | 77.0 | 77.6  | 77.5  | 77.8  | 77.7   | 145.1 | 75.7 |  |
| " 12,.....         | 77.6 | 77.2 | 76.8 | 77.5 | 77.6 | 77.3 | 77.5 | 77.6 | 77.9 | 77.7  | 77.6  | 77.6  | 76.9 | 77.1 | 78.3 | 78.8 | 78.0 | 77.8 | 77.6 | 77.6 | 77.5 | 77.6  | 77.4  | 77.4  | 77.7   | 143.1 | 75.0 |  |
| " 13,.....         | 76.5 | 76.2 | 76.4 | 76.2 | 74.6 | 75.4 | 76.9 | 76.5 | 76.4 | 76.6  | 78.4  | 77.5  | 79.0 | 78.7 | 78.4 | 79.3 | 76.3 | 76.8 | 77.0 | 77.6 | 77.5 | 77.6  | 76.5  | 76.9  | 77.2   | 136.0 | 75.8 |  |
| " 14,.....         | 76.5 | 77.5 | 77.5 | 77.6 | 76.4 | 76.3 | 76.7 | 77.5 | 76.5 | 76.5  | 78.4  | 77.5  | 79.0 | 78.7 | 78.4 | 79.3 | 74.9 | 75.9 | 74.1 | 74.7 | 74.7 | 75.1  | 75.2  | 75.3  | 76.1   | 88.4  | 70.9 |  |
| " 15,.....         | 74.0 | 73.8 | 73.4 | 75.6 | 75.3 | 75.1 | 74.8 | 73.7 | 73.5 | 74.1  | 74.5  | 73.9  | 75.0 | 75.4 | 75.5 | 75.1 | 74.6 | 74.3 | 73.3 | 73.4 | 74.0 | 74.6  | 74.8  | 75.5  | 74.4   | 112.0 | 72.4 |  |
| " 16,.....         | 75.7 | 75.4 | 75.1 | 75.6 | 75.6 | 74.8 | 74.4 | 74.2 | 75.2 | 75.5  | 75.2  | 74.5  | 75.4 | 75.9 | 75.5 | 74.1 | 74.6 | 75.3 | 75.4 | 75.0 | 72.9 | 75.7  | 75.6  | 75.5  | 75.0   | 105.4 | 71.9 |  |
| " 17,.....         | 74.7 | 74.7 | 74.5 | 74.5 | 74.7 | 74.3 | 74.1 | 73.8 | 75.1 | 75.4  | 74.3  | 74.3  | 76.7 | 72.7 | 73.8 | 75.2 | 74.9 | 74.3 | 74.6 | 74.5 | 73.7 | 74.2  | 73.7  | 73.7  | 74.5   | 94.8  | 72.9 |  |
| " 18,.....         | 73.5 | 73.2 | 75.1 | 74.2 | 74.7 | 74.5 | 75.2 | 75.5 | 75.9 | 76.0  | 76.5  | 76.5  | 76.2 | 76.7 | 76.6 | 76.5 | 77.2 | 75.7 | 75.6 | 75.4 | 75.0 | 75.7  | 75.2  | 75.3  | 75.4   | 138.8 | 72.9 |  |
| " 19,.....         | 74.9 | 75.1 | 74.5 | 74.3 | 74.3 | 74.9 | 74.1 | 74.6 | 75.7 | 76.5  | 77.2  | 76.7  | 76.7 | 76.1 | 77.0 | 75.4 | 75.4 | 75.1 | 74.4 | 74.0 | 74.1 | 74.2  | 74.1  | 74.6  | 75.2   | 144.7 | 73.8 |  |
| " 20,.....         | 74.8 | 75.0 | 74.7 | 74.5 | 75.4 | 75.9 | 76.5 | 75.0 | 75.5 | 75.3  | 74.6  | 75.7  | 76.2 | 77.5 | 76.0 | 75.5 | 76.1 | 75.9 | 75.1 | 76.1 | 75.5 | 74.7  | 75.5  | 75.5  | 75.5   | 139.9 | 72.5 |  |
| " 21,.....         | 74.7 | 75.5 | 74.9 | 75.4 | 76.2 | 75.0 | 76.6 | 77.4 | 77.3 | 77.7  | 78.3  | 78.6  | 78.6 | 79.2 | 78.5 | 77.0 | 76.8 | 76.5 | 76.7 | 77.8 | 76.7 | 76.7  | 77.4  | 77.0  | 76.9   | 151.7 | 74.9 |  |
| " 22,.....         | 77.3 | 77.2 | 77.9 | 77.6 | 78.2 | 77.9 | 78.5 | 80.2 | 78.3 | 78.5  | 78.5  | 79.5  | 79.7 | 78.7 | 79.0 | 78.6 | 78.4 | 77.9 | 77.5 | 78.0 | 78.0 | 77.9  | 78.1  | 77.6  | 78.2   | 144.1 | 76.1 |  |
| " 23,.....         | 78.0 | 78.2 | 77.9 | 78.1 | 78.2 | 77.9 | 78.5 | 77.4 | 78.3 | 78.5  | 78.5  | 78.5  | 79.5 | 78.4 | 78.4 | 78.9 | 77.4 | 78.5 | 78.3 | 78.3 | 77.8 | 77.9  | 77.6  | 77.6  | 78.5   | 147.3 | 76.2 |  |
| " 24,.....         | 76.0 | 76.3 | 76.2 | 76.1 | 76.2 | 76.1 | 76.7 | 75.6 | 78.3 | 78.5  | 78.5  | 78.6  | 78.6 | 78.4 | 78.4 | 78.3 | 78.2 | 77.9 | 75.9 | 76.9 | 76.7 | 76.5  | 76.2  | 75.1  | 77.0   | 148.3 | 74.6 |  |
| " 25,.....         | 75.3 | 75.0 | 75.4 | 75.4 | 75.1 | 75.5 | 74.9 | 76.5 | 79.5 | 74.5  | 76.5  | 76.3  | 77.3 | 78.7 | 78.3 | 77.6 | 76.5 | 77.7 | 77.5 | 77.3 | 77.2 | 77.4  | 77.7  | 76.5  | 76.5   | 146.1 | 74.7 |  |
| " 26,.....         | 77.5 | 77.4 | 77.1 | 77.1 | 77.4 | 77.3 | 78.3 | 79.0 | 78.5 | 78.6  | 78.3  | 79.0  | 79.5 | 81.0 | 79.6 | 79.5 | 79.3 | 79.0 | 78.7 | 78.3 | 78.7 | 79.1  | 78.2  | 76.9  | 78.4   | 148.8 | 77.6 |  |
| " 27,.....         | 77.5 | 77.4 | 77.1 | 76.9 | 77.4 | 78.1 | 78.6 | 79.5 | 79.5 | 79.6  | 79.2  | 80.5  | 78.7 | 79.9 | 79.0 | 79.5 | 78.6 | 78.2 | 77.8 | 77.7 | 77.1 | 77.5  | 77.8  | 77.8  | 78.4   | 146.8 | 77.1 |  |
| " 28,.....         | 78.0 | 77.6 | 77.6 | 77.8 | 76.7 | 76.8 | 78.5 | 76.5 | 79.5 | 79.5  | 79.6  | 79.6  | 79.1 | 78.7 | 79.0 | 79.4 | 79.2 | 78.3 | 78.6 | 78.0 | 77.8 | 77.8  | 77.9  | 78.1  | 78.8   | 142.4 | 77.7 |  |
| " 29,.....         | 77.9 | 77.3 | 77.5 | 76.8 | 77.0 | 76.2 | 76.6 | 77.4 | 78.6 | 79.1  | 79.2  | 80.2  | 78.4 | 79.1 | 79.0 | 78.7 | 78.6 | 78.4 | 78.2 | 77.8 | 77.8 | 77.4  | 77.8  | 78.0  | 78.0   | 146.9 | 76.7 |  |
| " 30,.....         |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |        |       |      |  |
| " 31,.....         |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |        |       |      |  |
| Hourly Means,..... | 76.3 | 76.2 | 76.2 | 76.0 | 76.1 | 76.1 | 76.6 | 76.8 | 77.1 | 77.2  | 77.4  | 77.3  | 77.6 | 77.6 | 77.4 | 77.2 | 76.9 | 76.7 | 76.5 | 76.4 | 76.3 | 76.4  | 76.3  | 76.7  | 76.7   | 138.1 | 74.7 |  |



TABLE VI.  
RAINFALL FOR THE MONTH OF JULY, 1886.

| Date.         | 1 a.  | 2 a.  | 3 a.  | 4 a.  | 5 a.  | 6 a.  | 7 a.  | 8 a.  | 9 a.  | 10 a. | 11 a. | Noon. | 1 p.  | 2 p.  | 3 p.  | 4 p.  | 5 p.  | 6 p.  | 7 p.  | 8 p.  | 9 p.  | 10 p. | 11 p. | Midd. | Sums.  |
|---------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| July 1, ..... | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.020 | ..    | 0.020 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.100 | 0.095 | 0.100 | 0.335  |
| " 2, .....    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.060 | ..    | 0.270  |
| " 3, .....    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..     |
| " 4, .....    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..     |
| " 5, .....    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..     |
| " 6, .....    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..     |
| " 7, .....    | ..    | ..    | 0.060 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.010 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.265 | ..    | 0.180 | 0.010 | 0.240 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.010 | 0.010 | ..    | 0.785  |
| " 8, .....    | ..    | ..    | 0.355 | 0.490 | 0.065 | 0.075 | 0.020 | 0.070 | 0.035 | ..    | 0.010 | 0.105 | 0.070 | ..    | 0.015 | ..    | 0.170 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 1.480  |
| " 9, .....    | ..    | ..    | 0.010 | 0.100 | 0.110 | 0.010 | ..    | 0.010 | 0.030 | 0.180 | 0.020 | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.060 | 0.010 | 0.005 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.545  |
| " 10, .....   | ..    | ..    | 0.005 | 0.045 | 0.005 | 0.010 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.065  |
| " 11, .....   | ..    | 0.025 | 0.060 | ..    | 0.015 | 0.110 | ..    | 0.165 | 0.410 | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.090 | 0.070 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.025 | 0.030 | ..    | ..    | 1.225 |        |
| " 12, .....   | ..    | 0.005 | 0.065 | 0.025 | 0.025 | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.020 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.180  |
| " 13, .....   | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.070 | 0.010 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.015 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.095  |
| " 14, .....   | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.020 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.025 | 0.065 | 0.030 | 0.350 | 0.700 | 0.220 | 0.110 | 1.520  |
| " 15, .....   | 0.100 | 0.020 | ..    | 0.020 | 0.120 | 0.080 | 0.560 | 0.100 | 0.425 | 0.330 | 0.160 | 0.120 | 0.030 | 0.900 | 3.480 | 2.840 | 2.290 | 0.575 | 0.200 | 0.595 | 0.180 | 0.140 | 0.100 | 0.115 | 13.480 |
| " 16, .....   | 0.110 | 0.010 | 0.005 | 0.170 | 0.220 | 0.380 | 0.235 | 0.150 | 0.080 | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.030 | 0.005 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 1.660  |
| " 17, .....   | 0.260 | 0.275 | 0.045 | 0.110 | 0.200 | 0.150 | 0.090 | 0.020 | 0.080 | 0.015 | 0.020 | 0.035 | 0.020 | 0.005 | 0.120 | 0.060 | 0.090 | ..    | 0.020 | ..    | 0.590 | 0.025 | ..    | 0.230 | 2.300  |
| " 18, .....   | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.290 | 0.010 | 0.045 | 0.090 | 0.165 | 0.095 | 0.060 | 0.120 | 0.075 | 0.265 | ..    | 0.040 | ..    | ..    | 0.050 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 1.305  |
| " 19, .....   | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.040 | ..    | ..    | 0.020 | 0.310 | ..    | 0.075 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.035 | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.440  |
| " 20, .....   | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.100  |
| " 21, .....   | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..     |
| " 22, .....   | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.020 | ..    | ..    | 0.075 | 0.015 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.030 | 0.005 | 0.170 | 0.065 | ..    | ..    | 0.390  |
| " 23, .....   | 0.030 | 0.025 | 0.200 | ..    | ..    | 0.075 | ..    | 0.035 | 0.005 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.070 | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.440  |
| " 24, .....   | ..    | ..    | 0.065 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.065  |
| " 25, .....   | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..     |
| " 26, .....   | 0.400 | ..    | 0.045 | ..    | 0.005 | ..    | 0.060 | 0.015 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.005 | 0.010 | 0.005 | ..    | ..    | 0.015 | 0.015 | ..    | 0.030  |
| " 27, .....   | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.015 | 0.015 | 0.020 | 0.055 | 0.005 | 0.655 | 0.075 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.545  |
| " 28, .....   | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.840  |
| " 29, .....   | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.030 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..     |
| " 30, .....   | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.065 | 0.010 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.030  |
| " 31, .....   | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.015 | 0.020 | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.075  |
| " .....       | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 0.085  |
| Sums, .....   | 0.940 | 0.360 | 0.915 | 0.980 | 1.195 | 1.075 | 1.030 | 0.720 | 1.275 | 1.680 | 0.365 | 0.485 | 0.630 | 1.255 | 3.855 | 2.985 | 2.800 | 0.610 | 0.370 | 0.755 | 1.430 | 1.175 | 0.515 | 0.835 | 28.235 |



TABLE VIII.

MEAN HOURLY COMPONENTS AND MEAN DIRECTION OF THE WIND, FOR JULY, 1886.

| Hour.      | Components (miles per hour). |     |     |     |      |       | Direction. |
|------------|------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|------|-------|------------|
|            | N                            | E   | S   | W   | +N-S | +E-W  |            |
| 1 a.       | 0.3                          | 5.2 | 4.6 | 0.8 | -4.3 | + 4.4 | E 44° S    |
| 2 "        | 0.4                          | 4.7 | 4.6 | 1.3 | 4.2  | 3.4   | E 51° S    |
| 3 "        | 0.3                          | 4.0 | 5.4 | 1.5 | 5.1  | 2.5   | E 64° S    |
| 4 "        | 0.4                          | 5.3 | 5.1 | 1.9 | 4.6  | 3.4   | E 54° S    |
| 5 "        | 0.4                          | 5.8 | 4.5 | 1.6 | 4.1  | 4.2   | E 44° S    |
| 6 "        | 0.6                          | 6.0 | 4.0 | 2.7 | 3.5  | 3.3   | E 47° S    |
| 7 "        | 0.5                          | 5.5 | 3.3 | 1.7 | 2.8  | 3.8   | E 36° S    |
| 8 "        | 1.0                          | 5.7 | 3.1 | 2.1 | 2.1  | 3.6   | E 30° S    |
| 9 "        | 1.1                          | 6.5 | 2.5 | 2.8 | 1.5  | 3.7   | E 22° S    |
| 10 "       | 1.1                          | 6.4 | 3.6 | 2.5 | 2.5  | 3.9   | E 33° S    |
| 11 "       | 0.9                          | 7.4 | 4.3 | 2.8 | 3.4  | 4.6   | E 36° S    |
| Noon.      | 0.5                          | 7.5 | 3.9 | 2.4 | 3.5  | 5.1   | E 34° S    |
| 1 p.       | 0.6                          | 7.7 | 4.8 | 3.0 | 4.2  | 4.7   | E 42° S    |
| 2 "        | 0.5                          | 6.9 | 4.9 | 3.0 | 4.5  | 4.0   | E 48° S    |
| 3 "        | 0.7                          | 8.5 | 4.7 | 2.0 | 4.1  | 6.5   | E 32° S    |
| 4 "        | 0.1                          | 8.1 | 5.6 | 2.2 | 5.5  | 5.9   | E 43° S    |
| 5 "        | 0.3                          | 7.0 | 6.0 | 1.8 | 5.7  | 5.2   | E 48° S    |
| 6 "        | 0.2                          | 6.8 | 5.4 | 1.6 | 5.2  | 5.3   | E 44° S    |
| 7 "        | 0.4                          | 6.4 | 5.0 | 1.5 | 4.6  | 4.8   | E 44° S    |
| 8 "        | 0.5                          | 5.9 | 4.5 | 1.2 | 4.0  | 4.7   | E 40° S    |
| 9 "        | 0.8                          | 5.6 | 3.9 | 0.8 | 3.1  | 4.9   | E 32° S    |
| 10 "       | 0.3                          | 5.4 | 3.6 | 0.7 | 3.3  | 4.7   | E 35° S    |
| 11 "       | 0.5                          | 5.0 | 4.2 | 0.5 | 3.7  | 4.5   | E 39° S    |
| Midt.      | 0.5                          | 4.9 | 4.6 | 0.6 | -4.0 | + 4.3 | E 43° S    |
| Mean,..... | 0.5                          | 6.2 | 4.4 | 1.8 | -3.9 | + 4.4 | E 41° S    |

TABLE IX.

DIRECTION AND FORCE OF THE WIND AT VICTORIA PEAK, AND SEA DISTURBANCE.

| DATE.      | 4 a.      |        |      | 10 a.     |        |      | 4 p.      |        |      | 10 p.     |        |      |
|------------|-----------|--------|------|-----------|--------|------|-----------|--------|------|-----------|--------|------|
|            | Direction | Force. | Sea. | Direction | Force. | Sea. | Direction | Force. | Sea. | Direction | Force. | Sea. |
| 1886.      |           |        |      |           |        |      |           |        |      |           |        |      |
| 1,.....    | ...       | ...    | 3    | SW        | 6      | 3    | SW        | 6      | 3    | SW        | 6      | 3    |
| 2,.....    | ...       | ...    | 3    | S         | 5      | 3    | S         | 6      | 3    | S         | 6      | 1    |
| 3,.....    | ...       | ...    | 0    | S         | 5      | 1    | SW        | 6      | 1    | SW        | 5      | 0    |
| 4,.....    | ...       | ...    | ...  | SW        | 4      | 0    | S         | 5      | 0    | S         | 4      | 0    |
| 5,.....    | ...       | ...    | 0    | S         | 3      | 0    | E         | 3      | ...  | SE        | 3      | ...  |
| 6,.....    | ...       | ...    | ...  | SE        | 4      | ...  | E         | 5      | ...  | E         | 5      | 1    |
| 7,.....    | ...       | ...    | 2    | E         | 5      | 3    | SE        | 6      | 2    | SE        | 5      | 1    |
| 8,.....    | ...       | ...    | 1    | SSW       | 5      | 1    | S         | 4      | 1    | S         | 5      | 0    |
| 9,.....    | ...       | ...    | 1    | SE        | 6      | 1    | SW        | 5      | 2    | SSE       | 4      | 0    |
| 10,.....   | ...       | ...    | 1    | ESE       | 4      | 1    | ESE       | 5      | 2    | E         | 5      | 3    |
| 11,.....   | ...       | ...    | 3    | SE        | 5      | 2    | E         | 4      | 3    | E         | 6      | 3    |
| 12,.....   | ...       | ...    | 3    | ESE       | 5      | 3    | E         | 5      | 3    | E         | 6      | 2    |
| 13,.....   | ...       | ...    | 2    | E         | 5      | 3    | E         | 5      | 3    | E         | 5      | 3    |
| 14,.....   | ...       | ...    | 0    | N         | 4      | 0    | WNW       | 5      | 0    | SSW       | 7      | 0    |
| 15,.....   | ...       | ...    | 3    | SSW       | 5      | 0    | SW        | 5      | 3    | SW        | 7      | 3    |
| 16,.....   | ...       | ...    | 2    | E         | 3      | 2    | E         | 3      | 1    | SW        | 5      | 0    |
| 17,.....   | ...       | ...    | 2    | SSW       | 6      | 2    | S         | 7      | 2    | S         | 6      | 3    |
| 18,.....   | ...       | ...    | 3    | S         | 5      | 2    | S         | 5      | 2    | SE        | 5      | 2    |
| 19,.....   | ...       | ...    | 1    | SE        | 5      | 2    | SE        | 4      | 1    | SE        | 4      | 2    |
| 20,.....   | ...       | ...    | 1    | ESE       | 3      | 2    | E         | 4      | 1    | SE        | 6      | 2    |
| 21,.....   | ...       | ...    | 0    | S         | 3      | 2    | SSW       | 3      | 1    | SSE       | 5      | 0    |
| 22,.....   | ...       | ...    | 0    | SSW       | 5      | 2    | SSW       | 5      | 2    | SSW       | 5      | 3    |
| 23,.....   | ...       | ...    | 2    | SSW       | 5      | 3    | SW        | 6      | 3    | SW        | 6      | 3    |
| 24,.....   | ...       | ...    | 2    | SW        | 6      | 2    | SW        | 5      | 2    | SW        | 5      | 2    |
| 25,.....   | ...       | ...    | 0    | SSW       | 4      | 1    | SSW       | 3      | 0    | SW        | 5      | 1    |
| 26,.....   | ...       | ...    | 2    | ESE       | 4      | 2    | SE        | 4      | 2    | E         | 6      | 2    |
| 27,.....   | ...       | ...    | 3    | SE        | 5      | 2    | SW        | 3      | 0    | SW        | 4      | 0    |
| 28,.....   | ...       | ...    | 0    | SSE       | 4      | 1    | SW        | 4      | 1    | S         | 4      | 1    |
| 29,.....   | ...       | ...    | ...  | SSW       | 3      | 2    | SW        | 4      | 2    | SW        | 5      | 2    |
| 30,.....   | ...       | ...    | 1    | S         | 4      | 1    | S         | 5      | 1    | S         | 4      | 2    |
| 31,.....   | ...       | ...    | 2    | S         | 4      | 2    | SW        | 6      | 2    | SSW       | 6      | 3    |
| Mean,..... | ...       | ...    | 1.5  | E 76° S   | 4.5    | 1.7  | E 89° S   | 4.7    | 1.7  | E 83° S   | 5.2    | 1.6  |



TABLE X.  
VICTORIA PEAK.

| DATE.        | BAROMETER. |        |        | TEMPERATURE. |      |       |       |      |      |      |
|--------------|------------|--------|--------|--------------|------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
|              | 10 a.      | 4 p.   | 10 p.  | 10 a.        | 4 p. | 10 p. | Sun.  | Max. | Min. | Rad. |
| 1886.        | ins.       | ins.   | ins.   | °            | °    | °     | °     | °    | °    | °    |
| July 1,..... | 28.001     | 27.958 | 28.022 | 74.8         | 75.4 | 74.4  | 135.0 | 76.7 | 73.8 | 74.2 |
| " 2,.....    | .034       | 28.014 | .050   | 75.8         | 75.4 | 74.8  | 141.0 | 77.4 | 71.8 | 72.2 |
| " 3,.....    | .074       | .018   | .047   | 75.0         | 74.2 | 73.4  | 137.0 | 76.5 | 73.4 | 72.2 |
| " 4,.....    | .109       | .051   | .079   | 74.8         | 76.4 | 73.8  | 141.0 | 79.2 | 73.2 | 73.4 |
| " 5,.....    | .111       | .066   | .110   | 77.4         | 79.0 | 75.5  | 142.0 | 79.4 | 72.8 | 73.2 |
| " 6,.....    | .136       | .099   | .137   | 77.4         | 78.5 | 75.2  | 151.0 | 81.0 | 73.8 | 69.2 |
| " 7,.....    | .101       | .038   | .070   | 75.6         | 74.0 | 73.2  | 137.0 | 77.0 | 72.8 | 72.2 |
| " 8,.....    | .074       | 28.020 | .034   | 71.8         | 71.8 | 72.2  | 113.0 | 74.4 | 70.8 | 68.2 |
| " 9,.....    | .056       | 27.987 | .062   | 70.5         | 70.4 | 71.2  | 117.0 | 73.8 | 69.8 | 67.2 |
| " 10,.....   | .070       | 28.037 | .067   | 71.8         | 74.0 | 73.2  | 135.0 | 75.2 | 70.2 | 67.2 |
| " 11,.....   | .089       | .023   | .086   | 73.6         | 75.6 | 74.5  | 133.6 | 76.2 | 72.9 | 71.2 |
| " 12,.....   | .060       | .009   | .024   | 74.3         | 76.4 | 74.4  | 131.0 | 77.2 | 73.4 | 71.2 |
| " 13,.....   | 27.992     | 27.929 | 27.968 | 75.8         | 76.8 | 74.5  | 138.2 | 78.2 | 73.8 | 71.2 |
| " 14,.....   | .912       | .868   | .863   | 75.5         | 76.0 | 74.0  | 143.1 | 77.6 | 71.9 | 71.5 |
| " 15,.....   | .925       | .894   | .910   | 74.4         | 73.6 | 72.2  | 85.2  | 75.2 | 70.8 | 67.2 |
| " 16,.....   | .950       | .913   | .970   | 72.2         | 72.5 | 72.0  | 107.0 | 73.4 | 70.8 | 68.2 |
| " 17,.....   | .949       | .918   | .900   | 71.8         | 71.0 | 71.5  | 88.0  | 73.8 | 70.9 | 68.2 |
| " 18,.....   | .979       | .990   | .962   | 72.0         | 71.4 | 70.8  | 88.8  | 73.4 | 70.8 | 70.3 |
| " 19,.....   | 28.024     | 28.018 | 28.014 | 72.0         | 73.6 | 72.6  | 135.0 | 76.0 | 70.8 | 71.4 |
| " 20,.....   | .051       | 27.994 | .071   | 72.8         | 74.5 | 72.6  | 138.2 | 75.8 | 71.8 | 69.3 |
| " 21,.....   | .029       | .991   | 27.999 | 73.6         | 74.6 | 72.5  | 144.0 | 76.1 | 71.4 | 69.2 |
| " 22,.....   | 27.983     | .906   | .876   | 72.5         | 74.6 | 73.2  | 141.2 | 75.8 | 71.2 | 70.2 |
| " 23,.....   | .891       | .832   | .839   | 73.6         | 74.4 | 74.6  | 132.2 | 75.9 | 70.8 | 71.2 |
| " 24,.....   | .875       | .823   | .875   | 74.8         | 75.3 | 74.8  | 140.2 | 77.4 | 73.9 | 74.3 |
| " 25,.....   | .880       | .841   | .898   | 75.6         | 76.4 | 74.6  | 127.4 | 78.2 | 74.0 | 72.4 |
| " 26,.....   | .904       | .859   | .908   | 74.8         | 75.4 | 74.4  | 135.2 | 77.4 | 72.8 | 73.6 |
| " 27,.....   | .929       | .888   | .895   | 72.2         | 76.6 | 74.4  | 147.0 | 77.0 | 71.0 | 72.4 |
| " 28,.....   | .991       | .945   | .969   | 75.6         | 77.6 | 76.4  | 144.0 | 79.2 | 73.8 | 73.2 |
| " 29,.....   | 28.018     | .967   | .998   | 76.2         | 76.4 | 75.0  | 149.0 | 78.2 | 73.8 | 74.2 |
| " 30,.....   | .041       | .989   | .984   | 75.4         | 77.4 | 74.2  | 140.0 | 79.4 | 73.8 | 73.2 |
| " 31,.....   | 27.975     | .962   | .976   | 75.0         | 75.6 | 75.4  | 141.0 | 77.5 | 73.8 | 74.2 |
| Mean,.....   | 28.007     | 27.963 | 27.989 | 74.1         | 75.0 | 73.7  | 131.6 | 76.8 | 72.3 | 71.2 |

TABLE XI.  
HUMIDITY AT THE OBSERVATORY AND AT VICTORIA PEAK.

| DATE.<br>1886. | RELATIVE HUMIDITY. |      |       |                |      |       | TENSION OF AQUEOUS VAPOUR. |       |       |                |       |  |
|----------------|--------------------|------|-------|----------------|------|-------|----------------------------|-------|-------|----------------|-------|--|
|                | OBSERVATORY.       |      |       | VICTORIA PEAK. |      |       | OBSERVATORY.               |       |       | VICTORIA PEAK. |       |  |
|                | 10 a.              | 4 p. | 10 p. | 10 a.          | 4 p. | 10 p. | 10 a.                      | 4 p.  | 10 p. | 10 a.          | 4 p.  |  |
| July 1,.....   | 78                 | 77   | 87    | 99             | 98   | 100   | 0.916                      | 0.908 | 0.920 | 0.856          | 0.856 |  |
| " 2,.....      | 75                 | 74   | 93    | 98             | 99   | 96    | .897                       | .886  | .874  | .876           | .873  |  |
| " 3,.....      | 79                 | 73   | 81    | 98             | 93   | 90    | .911                       | .826  | .835  | .854           | .783  |  |
| " 4,.....      | 72                 | 63   | 85    | 88             | 82   | 98    | .868                       | .775  | .870  | .767           | .747  |  |
| " 5,.....      | 72                 | 78   | 85    | 82             | 86   | 91    | .820                       | .879  | .881  | .774           | .852  |  |
| " 6,.....      | 79                 | 77   | 80    | 92             | 82   | 87    | .911                       | .883  | .828  | .864           | .801  |  |
| " 7,.....      | 78                 | 91   | 83    | 88             | 94   | 91    | .845                       | .855  | .797  | .781           | .793  |  |
| " 8,.....      | 87                 | 90   | 91    | 96             | 97   | 96    | .821                       | .880  | .856  | .750           | .766  |  |
| " 9,.....      | 92                 | 81   | 88    | 95             | 95   | 96    | .821                       | .750  | .795  | .706           | .708  |  |
| " 10,.....     | 83                 | 79   | 88    | 97             | 95   | 97    | .868                       | .844  | .873  | .766           | .801  |  |
| " 11,.....     | 85                 | 81   | 88    | 99             | 91   | 95    | .935                       | .895  | .932  | .822           | .801  |  |
| " 12,.....     | 79                 | 84   | 85    | 96             | 95   | 95    | .898                       | .926  | .902  | .817           | .873  |  |
| " 13,.....     | 75                 | 77   | 85    | 98             | 90   | 94    | .867                       | .913  | .902  | .868           | .826  |  |
| " 14,.....     | 71                 | 81   | 91    | 91             | 92   | 94    | .820                       | .942  | .897  | .806           | .828  |  |
| " 15,.....     | 95                 | 96   | 92    | 98             | 96   | 94    | .901                       | .874  | .848  | .828           | .798  |  |
| " 16,.....     | 92                 | 83   | 87    | 94             | 98   | 97    | .821                       | .821  | .821  | .745           | .780  |  |
| " 17,.....     | 84                 | 84   | 82    | 98             | 96   | 96    | .837                       | .795  | .836  | .769           | .730  |  |
| " 18,.....     | 90                 | 83   | 83    | 97             | 100  | 96    | .850                       | .824  | .795  | .767           | .770  |  |
| " 19,.....     | 87                 | 79   | 89    | 97             | 90   | 93    | .858                       | .850  | .856  | .763           | .751  |  |
| " 20,.....     | 81                 | 81   | 86    | 98             | 91   | 94    | .857                       | .855  | .845  | .792           | .778  |  |
| " 21,.....     | 78                 | 73   | 80    | 91             | 86   | 95    | .846                       | .792  | .787  | .758           | .739  |  |
| " 22,.....     | 72                 | 75   | 81    | 95             | 89   | 91    | .786                       | .806  | .803  | .761           | .770  |  |
| " 23,.....     | 84                 | 75   | 80    | 100            | 100  | 99    | .899                       | .849  | .856  | .826           | .853  |  |
| " 24,.....     | 77                 | 76   | 87    | 99             | 95   | 98    | .901                       | .900  | .915  | .856           | .841  |  |
| " 25,.....     | 81                 | 83   | 88    | 99             | 91   | 99    | .948                       | .936  | .920  | .874           | .882  |  |
| " 26,.....     | 85                 | 85   | 84    | 98             | 92   | 95    | .929                       | .921  | .864  | .848           | .807  |  |
| " 27,.....     | 95                 | 72   | 86    | 94             | 94   | 95    | .841                       | .853  | .897  | .745           | .866  |  |
| " 28,.....     | 76                 | 75   | 87    | 95             | 89   | 91    | .897                       | .925  | .957  | .845           | .845  |  |
| " 29,.....     | 81                 | 70   | 81    | 95             | 94   | 96    | .952                       | .907  | .882  | .863           | .860  |  |
| " 30,.....     | 77                 | 78   | 84    | 92             | 95   | 93    | .934                       | .935  | .904  | .807           | .894  |  |
| " 31,.....     | 79                 | 72   | 77    | 96             | 98   | 95    | .930                       | .890  | .867  | .836           | .870  |  |
| Mean,.....     | 81                 | 79   | 85    | 95             | 93   | 95    | 0.877                      | 0.868 | 0.865 | 0.806          | 0.809 |  |

TABLE XII.

AMOUNT AND CLASSIFICATION OF CLOUDS AND DIRECTION WHENCE COMING.

| DATE.     | 1 a.    |                                    |                         | 4 a.    |                          |              | 7 a.    |                                    |                       | 10 a.   |                                    |                        |
|-----------|---------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|---------|--------------------------|--------------|---------|------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|------------------------------------|------------------------|
|           | Amount. | Name.                              | Direction               | Amount. | Name.                    | Direction    | Amount. | Name.                              | Direction             | Amount. | Name.                              | Direction              |
| 1886.     |         |                                    |                         |         |                          |              |         |                                    |                       |         |                                    |                        |
| 1, .....  | 9       | cum-nim.                           | SW                      | 9       | nim.                     | SW           | 7       | c-cum.<br>cum.                     | SW                    | 5       | c-cum.<br>cum.                     | NE<br>WSW              |
| 2, .....  | 10      | nim.                               | SW                      | 10      | nim.                     | SW           | 10      | cum-nim.                           | SW                    | 7       | c-cum.<br>sm-cum.<br>cum.          | NE<br>ENE<br>SW        |
| 3, .....  | 10      | cum-nim.                           | ...                     | 10      | cum-nim.                 | SW           | 10      | cum-nim.                           | SW                    | 6       | c-str.<br>cum.                     | NE<br>SW               |
| .....     | 3       | edm.                               | SW                      | 5       | cum.                     | SSW          | 6       | c-str.<br>cum.                     | NE<br>SSW             | 7       | c-str.<br>cum.                     | NE<br>SSW              |
| .....     | 4       | cum.                               | S                       | 6       | cum.                     | S            | 1       | c.                                 | ...                   | 5       | c.<br>cum.                         | SE<br>NE               |
| .....     | 2       | cum.                               | ESE                     | 1       | cum.                     | ESE          | 3       | cum.                               | SE                    | 7       | c.<br>cum.                         | NE<br>SE               |
| .....     | 8       | cum.                               | SE                      | 9       | cum-nim.                 | E            | 9       | cum.<br>cum-nim.                   | SE<br>ESE             | 7       | c-str.<br>cum<br>cum-nim.          | ....<br>E<br>ESE       |
| .....     | 9       | str-cum.                           | ESE                     | 10      | nim.                     | E            | 10      | nim.                               | SE                    | 10      | nim.                               | SSE                    |
| 9, .....  | 10      | cum-nim.                           | ...                     | 10      | nim.                     | SSE          | 10      | str.<br>cum-nim.                   | S                     | 10      | nim.                               | SSE                    |
| 10, ..... | 3       | c-str.<br>cum.                     | ...                     | 9       | nim.                     | SSW          | 10      | str.<br>cum-nim.                   | ...                   | 10      | cum.<br>cum-nim.                   | N<br>E                 |
| 11, ..... | 5       | cum-str.                           | SE                      | 9       | nim.                     | SE           | 9       | cum-nim.                           | SE                    | 9       | c-cum.<br>nim.                     | SSW<br>SE              |
| 12, ..... | 9       | cum.<br>nim.                       | E                       | 7       | nim.                     | ESE          | 6       | R-cum.                             | ESE                   | 6       | R-cum.                             | ESE                    |
| .....     | 3       | edm.                               | E                       | 8       | nim.                     | E            | 5       | cum.                               | E                     | 5       | c-cum.<br>cum.                     | ESE<br>E               |
| .....     | 2       | c.<br>sm-cum.                      | NE                      | 8       | nim.                     | N            | 9       | sm-cum.<br>cum-nim.                | NE<br>N               | 10      | str-cum.<br>cum-nim.               | NE<br>N                |
| .....     | 19      | nim.                               | SW                      | 10      | nim.                     | SW           | 10      | nim.                               | SW                    | 10      | nim.                               | SW                     |
| .....     | 10      | nim.                               | ...                     | 10      | nim.                     | ...          | 10      | nim.                               | ...                   | 10      | nim.                               | ...                    |
| 7, .....  | 10      | nim.                               | ...                     | 10      | nim.                     | ...          | 10      | nim.                               | S                     | 10      | nim.                               | S                      |
| 18, ..... | 10      | nim.                               | S                       | 10      | nim.                     | SE           | 10      | nim.                               | SE                    | 10      | nim.                               | SE                     |
| 19, ..... | 9       | c-str.<br>sm-cum.                  | SSE                     | 10      | cum-nim.                 | S            | 9       | R-cum.<br>cum-nim.                 | SSE<br>ESE            | 10      | cum.<br>cum-nim.                   | SE<br>SE               |
| 20, ..... | 7       | cum.                               | SE                      | 8       | cum.                     | E            | 6       | cum.                               | ESE                   | 5       | cum.                               | E                      |
| 21, ..... | 8       | c-str.<br>c-cum.<br>cum.<br>c-str. | ENE<br>ENE<br>ESE<br>SE | 3       | c-str.<br>cum.<br>c-str. | E<br>E<br>SE | 5       | c-str.<br>c-cum.<br>cum.<br>c-str. | NE<br>ENE<br>E<br>SSW | 9       | c-str.<br>cum.<br>cum.<br>c-str.   | ....<br>ESE<br>S<br>NE |
| 22, ..... | 2       | c-cum.<br>cum.                     | SE                      | 5       | c-cum.<br>cum.           | SE           | 5       | c-cum.<br>cum.                     | SSW                   | 7       | c-cum.<br>cum.                     | SSW<br>W               |
| 23, ..... | 10      | nim.                               | SW                      | 10      | nim.                     | W            | 9       | cum-nim.<br>cum.<br>cum-nim.       | W<br>W<br>SW          | 10      | cum-nim.<br>c-cum.<br>cum.<br>cum. | WSW<br>E<br>W<br>SW    |
| 24, ..... | 9       | cum.                               | SSW                     | 8       | nim.                     | SW           | 9       | c-cum.<br>cum-nim.                 | NE<br>SW              | 7       | c-cum.<br>cum.                     | ENE<br>SW              |
| 25, ..... | 9       | cum.                               | S                       | 4       | cum.                     | ...          | 7       | c-cum.<br>cum-nim.                 | WSW                   | 7       | c-cum.<br>cum.                     | SW<br>E                |
| 26, ..... | 10      | cum-str.                           | NE                      | 10      | nim.                     | ENE          | 9       | c-cum.<br>nim.<br>cum.             | ESE<br>E<br>ESE       | 8       | c-cum.<br>cum.                     | ESE                    |
| 27, ..... | 10      | cum.                               | NE                      | 9       | cum-nim.                 | E            | 10      | c-cum.<br>nim.                     | E<br>ESE              | 10      | nim.                               | W                      |
| 28, ..... | 8       | cum.                               | SW                      | 9       | cum.                     | SSW          | 5       | c-cum.<br>cum.                     | SSW                   | 8       | c-str.<br>cum.                     | ENE<br>SW              |
| 29, ..... | 0       | ...                                | ...                     | 10      | nim.                     | SW           | 5       | sm-cum.<br>cum.                    | S<br>SW               | 3       | c.<br>cum.                         | SE<br>SSW              |
| .....     | 2       | cum.                               | SSW                     | 5       | cum.                     | S            | 7       | c-cum.<br>cum.                     | SW                    | 9       | c-str.<br>sm-cum.<br>nim.          | ENE<br>SW              |
| .....     | 6       | cum.                               | SSW                     | 8       | cum.                     | SW           | 9       | c-cum.<br>cum-nim.                 | S<br>SW               | 3       | c-cum.<br>cum.                     | WNW                    |
| .....     | 7.0     | .....                              | ...                     | 8.1     | .....                    | ...          | 7.7     | .....                              | ...                   | 7.7     | .....                              | ...                    |

TABLE XII,—Continued.

AMOUNT AND CLASSIFICATION OF CLOUDS AND DIRECTION WHENCE COMING.

| DATE.        | 1 p.    |                            |                | 4 p.    |                              |               | 7 p.    |                               |            | 10 p.   |                    |            | Da<br>ar<br>Mon<br>Me |
|--------------|---------|----------------------------|----------------|---------|------------------------------|---------------|---------|-------------------------------|------------|---------|--------------------|------------|-----------------------|
|              | Amount. | Name.                      | Direction      | Amount. | Name.                        | Direction     | Amount. | Name.                         | Direction  | Amount. | Name.              | Direction  |                       |
| 1886.        |         |                            |                |         |                              |               |         |                               |            |         |                    |            |                       |
| July 1,..... | 8       | c-cum.<br>c-str.<br>cum.   | NE<br>SW<br>NE | 10      | c-str.<br>cum.               | NE<br>SW      | 10      | cum.                          | SW         | 9       | cum-nim.           | SSW        | 8.                    |
| " 2,.....    | 8       | c-str.<br>cum.             | NE<br>SW       | 10      | c-str.<br>cum.               | NE<br>SW      | 10      | c-str.<br>sm cum.<br>cum-nim. | ENE<br>SW  | 9       | cum-nim.           | SW         | 9.                    |
| " 3,.....    | 6       | c-str.<br>cum.             | NE<br>SW       | 7       | c-str.<br>cum.               | NE<br>SW      | 8       | c-str.<br>cum.                | NE<br>WSW  | 1       | c-str.             | ...        | 7                     |
| " 4,.....    | 5       | c-str.<br>cum.             | NE<br>SW       | 7       | c-str.<br>cum.               | NNE<br>SSW    | 10      | c-str.                        | NNE        | 1       | c-str.             | ...        | 5.                    |
| " 5,.....    | 4       | c.<br>cum.                 | NE<br>SSE      | 6       | c-str.<br>cum.               | NE<br>SSE     | 6       | c.                            | NE         | 1       | cum.               | SE         | 4.                    |
| " 6,.....    | 4       | c-str.<br>cum.             | NE<br>SE       | 4       | c-str.<br>cum.               | WSW<br>SE     | 6       | cum.                          | SE         | 8       | c-cum.<br>cum.     | ESE        | 4.                    |
| " 7,.....    | 10      | nim.                       | ESE            | 10      | nim.                         | ESE           | 10      | str.<br>cum-nim.              | SE         | 10      | c-cum.<br>cum-nim. | ESE        | 4.                    |
| " 8,.....    | 10      | nim.                       | SE             | 10      | str.<br>cum-nim.             | SSW           | 10      | str.<br>cum-nim.              | SSW        | 10      | str.<br>cum-nim.   | ESE        | 4.                    |
| " 9,.....    | 10      | cum.<br>cum-nim.           | S<br>SE        | 10      | cum.<br>cum-nim.             | SSW<br>SSE    | 10      | str.<br>cum-nim.              | SSE        | 9       | c-str.<br>sm-cum.  | ESE        | 9.                    |
| " 10,.....   | 10      | c-str.<br>cum.             | N<br>E         | 10      | c-str.<br>cum-nim.           | N<br>ENE      | 8       | c-str.<br>R-cum.              | ESE        | 6       | cum.               | ESE        | 8.                    |
| " 11,.....   | 7       | c-cum.<br>cum-nim.         | E              | 10      | c-str.<br>cum.               | WNW<br>E      | 10      | str.<br>cum-nim.              | ESE        | 10      | cum-nim.           | ESE        | 8.                    |
| " 12,.....   | 7       | cum.                       | ESE            | 7       | c-str.<br>cum.<br>cum-nim.   | WNW<br>W<br>E | 5       | c-cum.<br>cum.                | ESE        | 2       | cum.               | SE         | 6.                    |
| " 13,.....   | 6       | c-cum.<br>cum.             | E              | 9       | c-str.<br>cum-nim.           | E             | 9       | c-cum.<br>cum.                | NE<br>E    | 5       | c-cum.<br>cum.     | E          | 6.                    |
| " 14,.....   | 10      | str-cum.<br>cum-nim.       | N              | 10      | str.<br>cum-nim.             | NNW           | 10      | str.<br>nim.                  | W          | 10      | nim.               | SW         | 6.                    |
| " 15,.....   | 10      | nim.                       | WSW            | 10      | nim.                         | SSW           | 10      | nim.                          | SW         | 10      | nim.               | SV         | 6.                    |
| " 16,.....   | 10      | nim.                       | SW             | 10      | str.<br>cum-nim.             | ESE           | 10      | str-cum.                      | W          | 10      | str-cum.           | W          | 6.                    |
| " 17,.....   | 10      | nim.                       | S              | 10      | nim.                         | SSW           | 10      | nim.                          | S          | 10      | nim.               | S          | 6.                    |
| " 18,.....   | 10      | nim.                       | SSE            | 10      | cum-nim.                     | SE            | 10      | nim.                          | SE         | 9       | c-str.<br>cum-nim. | NNW<br>SSE | 6.                    |
| " 19,.....   | 9       | cum.<br>cum-nim.           | SE<br>ESE      | 6       | c-cum.<br>cum.               | SE            | 5       | c-cum.<br>cum.                | ESE        | 4       | cum.               | E          | 7.                    |
| " 20,.....   | 4       | c.<br>cum.                 | SSE            | 7       | c.<br>c-str.<br>cum.         | NNE<br>ESE    | 3       | c.<br>cum.                    | BNE<br>ESE | 2       | c-str.<br>cum.     | SE         | 5                     |
| " 21,.....   | 10      | c-str.<br>cum.             | SSE            | 10      | c-str.<br>c-cum.<br>cum.     | ENE<br>SE     | 5       | c-str.<br>cum-str.            | ...        | 1       | c-str.             | ...        | 6                     |
| " 22,.....   | 9       | c-str.<br>cum.             | SSW            | 8       | c-str.                       | NNE           | 4       | c.                            | NE         | 10      | nim.               | SSW        | 6.                    |
| " 23,.....   | 10      | cum.<br>cum-nim.           | W<br>SW        | 10      | c-cum.<br>cum.               | SSW<br>W      | 6       | cum.                          | SSW        | 7       | cum-nim.           | SW         | 9.                    |
| " 24,.....   | 9       | c.<br>c-cum.<br>cum.       | ENE<br>WSW     | 10      | c-cum.<br>cum.               | SW<br>NE      | 10      | c-str.<br>cum.                | SSE        | 2       | c-str.<br>cum.     | SSE        | 8.0                   |
| " 25,.....   | 8       | c.<br>sm-cum.<br>cum.      | ...            | 10      | sm-cum.                      | WSW<br>WNW    | 10      | cum-str.                      | ESE        | 5       | cum-str.           | ESE        | 7.5                   |
| " 26,.....   | 7       | c-str.<br>cum-nim.         | S<br>E         | 10      | c-cum.<br>nim.               | S<br>ESE      | 10      | cum.<br>nim.                  | E          | 8       | cum-nim.           | E          | 9.                    |
| " 27,.....   | 6       | c-cum.<br>cum.             | SSW<br>WSW     | 6       | c.<br>cum.                   | SSW<br>W      | 5       | cum-str.                      | WSW        | 1       | cum.               | WSW        | 9.                    |
| " 28,.....   | 7       | c.<br>cum.                 | ENE<br>SSW     | 3       | c-str.<br>cum.               | NNW<br>SW     | 3       | cum.                          | SSW        | 3       | cum-nim.           | S          | 5                     |
| " 29,.....   | 5       | c.<br>cum.                 | SSE<br>SSW     | 9       | c-str.<br>cum.               | SSE<br>WSW    | 10      | c-str.<br>cum.                | W          | 2       | c-str.             | ...        | 5                     |
| " 30,.....   | 10      | c-str.<br>cum-nim.         | SW             | 9       | c-str.<br>cum.               | S<br>W        | 10      | c-str.<br>cum.                | ESE<br>SSW | 0       | ...                | ...        | 5                     |
| " 31,.....   | 3       | c-str.<br>cum-str.<br>cum. | ...            | 10      | cum-nim.<br>cum-str.<br>cum. | WSW           | 10      | str.<br>cum.                  | SW         | 1       | cum.               | SW         | 5.                    |
| Mean,.....   | 7.8     | ...                        | ...            | 8.6     | ...                          | ...           | 8.2     | ...                           | ...        | 5.7     | ...                | ...        | 7.4                   |

TABLE XIII.  
RAINFALL AT DIFFERENT STATIONS.

| DATE.        | OBSERVATORY. |           | STONE CUTTERS' ISLAND. | VICTORIA PEAK. |
|--------------|--------------|-----------|------------------------|----------------|
|              | Amount.      | Duration. | Amount.                | Amount.        |
| 1886.        | ins.         | hrs.      | ins.                   | ins.           |
| July 1,..... | 0.295        | 6         | 2.51                   | 0.27           |
| " 2,.....    | 0.270        | 3         | 0.40                   | ...            |
| " 3,.....    | ...          | ...       | ...                    | ...            |
| " 4,.....    | ...          | ...       | ...                    | ...            |
| " 5,.....    | ...          | ...       | ...                    | ...            |
| " 6,.....    | 0.070        | 2         | 0.05                   | ...            |
| " 7,.....    | 1.825        | 16        | 1.28                   | 1.66           |
| " 8,.....    | 0.820        | 10        | 0.95                   | 1.25           |
| " 9,.....    | 0.160        | 5         | 0.16                   | 0.48           |
| " 10,.....   | 0.785        | 4         | 0.72                   | 0.33           |
| " 11,.....   | 0.620        | 7         | 0.53                   | 0.64           |
| " 12,.....   | 0.080        | 3         | 0.14                   | 0.21           |
| " 13,.....   | 0.035        | 2         | 0.03                   | ...            |
| " 14,.....   | 2.995        | 17        | 3.95                   | 4.10           |
| " 15,.....   | 13.355       | 24        | 10.70                  | 14.56          |
| " 16,.....   | 1.535        | 14        | 1.81                   | 2.39           |
| " 17,.....   | 1.730        | 18        | 1.21                   | 1.31           |
| " 18,.....   | 0.960        | 6         | 1.02                   | 0.78           |
| " 19,.....   | 0.210        | 2         | 0.45                   | ...            |
| " 20,.....   | ...          | ...       | ...                    | ...            |
| " 21,.....   | 0.020        | 1         | 0.01                   | ...            |
| " 22,.....   | 0.740        | 5         | 0.78                   | 0.58           |
| " 23,.....   | 0.135        | 2         | ...                    | ...            |
| " 24,.....   | ...          | ...       | ...                    | ...            |
| " 25,.....   | 0.555        | 4         | 0.57                   | 0.52           |
| " 26,.....   | 0.765        | 7         | 0.54                   | 1.66           |
| " 27,.....   | 0.095        | 1         | 0.31                   | ...            |
| " 28,.....   | 0.030        | 1         | 0.10                   | ...            |
| " 29,.....   | ...          | ...       | 0.05                   | ...            |
| " 30,.....   | 0.110        | 2         | 0.35                   | 0.16           |
| " 31,.....   | 0.125        | 1         | ...                    | 0.12           |
| Total,.....  | 28.320       | 163       | 28.62                  | 31.02          |

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