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The following Extract of Meteorological Observations, made at the Hongkong Observatory during the Month of February, 1899, is published.

By Command,

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EXTRACT OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS, MADE AT THE HONGKONG OBSERVATORY DURING THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1899.

DATE.	BARO-METER AT M.S.L.	TEMPERATURE.			HUMIDITY.		CLOUDINESS.	SUNSHINE.	RAIN.	WIND.	
		Max.	Mean.	Min.	Rel.	Abs.				Dir.	Vel.
	ins.	°	°	°	p. c.	ins.	p. c.	hrs.	ins.	Points.	Miles. p. h.
1,.....	30.20	62.4	58.0	54.5	68	0.33	27	9.0	...	E	11.6
2,.....	.23	62.8	57.0	53.7	63	.29	89	1.1	0.010	NE by N	11.1
3,.....	.24	64.0	57.4	52.9	49	.24	36	8.3	...	NNE	9.7
4,.....	.27	63.2	56.7	51.1	37	.17	0	9.6	...	NE	13.3
5,.....	.32	61.0	54.9	49.3	39	.16	40	5.5	...	NE by E	5.8
6,.....	.30	61.0	54.8	47.6	51	.22	0	9.2	...	E by S	8.7
7,.....	.28	66.4	58.2	51.3	52	.26	0	9.1	...	E by S	6.5
8,.....	.22	69.2	61.7	56.5	38	.22	9	9.0	...	E by S	13.6
9,.....	.17	62.9	60.9	58.5	62	.33	19	6.9	...	E by N	26.7
10,.....	.10	66.5	61.9	58.5	74	.41	60	6.9	...	E by S	18.6
11,.....	.08	74.5	66.4	60.8	76	.49	53	7.2	...	E by S	18.2
12,.....	.17	64.1	59.0	56.5	83	.42	85	3.6	...	E	21.6
13,.....	.12	65.0	60.1	56.3	76	.40	96	0.9	0.005	E	15.3
14,.....	.02	67.1	62.2	59.0	86	.48	98	2.9	...	E	18.8
15,.....	29.97	72.8	63.9	58.8	86	.51	61	6.6	0.035	NW by W	6.7
16,.....	30.00	63.4	60.4	57.3	83	.44	60	3.4	...	E by N	23.2
17,.....	.00	59.6	57.7	54.1	87	.42	100	0.0	0.160	ENE	15.3
18,.....	.03	59.8	55.5	49.8	70	.31	94	0.3	0.490	N	5.5
19,.....	29.97	56.7	54.6	52.7	88	.37	100	0.0	0.575	ENE	24.5
20,.....	.92	58.9	57.7	55.0	94	.45	100	0.0	0.900	E	12.1
21,.....	.96	58.9	57.0	55.4	85	.40	97	0.0	0.030	NW by W	8.0
22,.....	30.05	67.0	58.0	50.3	59	.29	24	9.9	...	N	7.8
23,.....	.13	65.7	57.9	51.0	58	.28	14	8.9	...	NE by E	7.1
24,.....	.05	61.8	58.9	53.3	63	.31	85	0.8	...	E	15.8
25,.....	29.99	63.6	61.3	59.9	82	.45	99	3.1	...	E	25.6
26,.....	30.01	64.5	62.8	60.2	84	.48	100	0.1	...	E by N	27.7
27,.....	.04	71.0	66.7	63.7	86	.56	69	8.2	...	E	14.1
28,.....	.05	72.8	67.5	64.7	89	.60	65	5.9	...	E by S	13.0
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Mean or Total,	30.10	64.5	59.6	55.5	70	0.37	60	136.4	2.205	E by N	14.3

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