

ROYAL OBSERVATORY.

No. 129.—Extract of Meteorological Observations made at the Royal Observatory, Hongkong, during the month of March, 1918.

DATE.	BARO-METER AT M.S.L.	TEMPERATURE.			HUMIDITY.		CLOUDI-NESS.	SUN-SHINE.	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	59.5	56.9	83	0.42	100	...	0.005	E by N	13.1
2.	.28	61.6	57.7	55.3	72	.34	95	4.2	...	E by N	16.0
3.	.27	65.1	60.6	55.9	73	.39	99	0.2	...	E	14.5
4.	.18	68.7	62.5	59.5	78	.44	50	6.3	...	E	14.5
5.	.15	67.1	63.4	61.3	81	.48	63	8.3	...	E	14.9
6.	.14	74.5	67.9	63.8	78	.53	40	9.6	...	ESE	11.2
7.	.16	66.8	62.9	60.0	87	.50	86	4.4	0.005	E by S	14.3
8.	.07	73.6	65.5	61.6	82	.51	64	3.7	...	E by S	9.0
9.	.02	72.8	65.5	62.8	86	.54	47	6.3	...	E by S	14.5
10.	.06	74.8	67.4	62.4	81	.54	85	2.7	...	E	9.2
11.	.17	64.7	61.9	59.8	79	.44	87	5.9	...	E	19.7
12.	.14	63.4	61.3	59.5	60	.33	60	7.0	...	E by N	24.2
13.	.11	64.6	60.4	58.7	78	.41	97	...	0.235	E by N	11.5
14.	.14	67.0	61.0	57.6	75	.40	72	3.3	0.010	NE by E	6.5
15.	.17	67.0	59.8	54.1	59	.30	11	10.7	...	N by E	6.3
16.	.14	65.2	60.4	56.5	75	.39	12	9.4	...	ESE	9.5
17.	.10	66.2	62.0	57.1	76	.42	31	9.6	...	E by S	11.6
18.	.06	69.7	65.5	62.9	85	.53	57	7.6	...	E by S	12.6
19.	.02	72.1	66.4	63.3	87	.56	78	1.6	0.105	ESE	5.8
20.	29.96	76.7	68.8	63.0	84	.59	81	7.1	0.005	SW by W	4.6
21.	.97	68.3	63.9	62.2	94	.55	98	...	0.015	E	17.7
22.	.99	64.9	63.7	62.3	93	.54	100	...	0.010	E	23.7
23.	.83	76.9	68.7	63.1	88	.62	98	4.0	...	ESE	15.6
24.	.71	77.6	72.4	69.0	90	.71	100	1.3	0.015	S	8.7
25.	.79	78.2	72.6	66.1	83	.66	98	2.5	0.010	N by W	4.9
26.	.99	65.6	64.3	62.0	72	.44	100	E by N	20.6
27.	30.05	63.0	61.1	59.0	82	.45	100	...	0.045	E by N	31.5
28.	.00	65.0	62.3	60.3	92	.51	100	...	0.440	E	18.2
29.	.02	69.3	65.5	63.2	83	.52	100	0.2	0.200	N by E	4.3
30.	.09	67.9	64.7	62.3	80	.49	95	2.2	...	E	14.9
31.	.11	66.0	63.2	61.3	87	.50	88	4.0	0.005	E by S	19.7
Mean.	30.07	68.6	64.0	60.7	81	0.49	77	Sum. 122.1	Sum. 1.105	E	13.6

MEANS AND EXTREMES FOR MARCH:—

Maximum.....	30.14	72.9	68.1	64.5	91	.58	97	182.3	11.485	...	19.2
Mean, (1884-1913),	30.06	67.1	62.8	59.6	83	.49	84	84.1	2.987	E by N	15.8
Minimum.....	29.99	63.5	58.9	55.9	74	.42	57	25.0	0.170	...	12.5

The rainfall for the month of March at the Botanical Gardens was 1^{in.} .35 on 11 days, at the Matilda Hospital, Mount Kellett, it was 1^{in.} .36 on 12 days, and at the Police Station, Taipo, it was 1^{in.} .29 on 11 days.

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4th April, 1918.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 130.—Roll of Midwives who have been duly certified under the Midwives Ordinance, 1910, Ordinance No. 22 of 1910:—