

ROYAL OBSERVATORY.

No. 204.—Extract of Meteorological Observations made at the Royal Observatory, Hongkong, during the month of March, 1920.

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,	30.22	65.0	60.0	56.5	78	0.41	80	8.0	...	E	16.3
2, .....	.13	65.1	61.6	57.9	83	.45	95	0.8	0.175	E by S	18.3
3, .....	.16	58.3	55.6	53.0	86	.38	100	...	0.190	ENE	10.5
4, .....	.22	58.4	54.2	50.6	77	.32	100	...	...	ENE	8.0
5, .....	.28	57.2	54.8	53.5	78	.34	100	...	...	NE	9.6
6, .....	.30	58.4	54.9	51.9	77	.33	100	0.3	...	E by N	10.7
7, .....	.11	60.0	57.1	54.4	77	.36	100	0.1	...	E	22.9
8, .....	.00	66.6	62.6	58.0	94	.54	96	...	...	E	16.0
9,	29.95	69.0	64.8	61.2	97	.60	97	0.5	...	E	16.1
10, .....	.92	69.0	63.4	60.0	98	.57	97	1.0	...	E	18.9
11, .....	.92	80.4	71.8	66.8	92	.71	98	2.0	0.010	E by S	5.2
12,	30.01	70.5	59.0	55.4	93	.47	100	...	0.695	E by N	13.3
13, .....	.02	56.6	54.2	52.1	87	.37	100	...	0.080	NE by N	4.8
14, .....	.05	55.8	53.9	53.0	91	.38	100	...	0.180	NNW	3.9
15, .....	.13	63.4	58.1	53.4	69	.33	99	0.3	...	E	9.2
16, .....	.12	62.7	60.3	58.1	61	.32	100	...	...	E	22.2
17, .....	.11	63.6	60.4	59.1	76	.40	100	0.4	...	E	22.6
18, .....	.08	64.2	60.7	58.9	76	.40	95	6.6	...	E	29.2
19, .....	.07	66.9	62.7	59.0	87	.50	97	2.0	...	E by S	17.2
20, .....	.04	70.0	65.3	61.4	85	.53	55	8.6	...	E by S	17.2
21,	29.97	72.3	66.8	62.0	90	.59	73	4.0	...	E	13.8
22, .....	.93	70.7	67.1	64.9	91	.60	95	0.7	...	E	14.8
23,	30.01	68.1	65.1	63.6	92	.57	100	0.8	...	E by S	22.0
24, .....	.07	71.6	67.6	64.4	85	.58	55	8.8	...	E by S	14.2
25, .....	.13	67.1	64.6	61.3	89	.54	97	...	...	E by N	14.0
26, .....	.15	69.4	63.9	60.4	79	.47	76	7.6	...	E	19.4
27, .....	.13	68.0	64.2	60.3	82	.49	55	8.1	0.035	E	20.2
28, .....	.08	71.0	66.2	62.4	81	.52	71	4.8	...	E	18.5
29, .....	.00	73.7	69.2	66.1	82	.58	77	5.1	...	E	17.5
30,	29.99	76.6	71.5	68.7	88	.68	90	7.2	0.025	E by S	11.4
31,	30.01	76.7	71.8	69.4	91	.71	95	4.9	...	E by S	11.2
Mean,	30.08	66.7	62.4	59.3	84	0.49	90	82.6	1.390	E	15.1

MEANS AND EXTREMES FOR MARCH :—

Maximum,	30.14	72.9	68.1	64.5	91	.60	97	182.3	11.485	...	19.2
Mean, (1884-1918),	30.06	67.0	62.9	59.6	83	.49	83	87.5	2.787	E by N	15.5
Minimum,	29.99	61.8	58.9	55.9	74	.42	57	25.0	0.170	...	12.0

The rainfall for the month of March at the Botanical Gardens was 1^{in.} 50 on 10 days, at the Matilda Hospital, Mount Kellett, it was 1^{in.} 20 on 8 days, and at the Police Station, Taipo, it was 2^{ins.} 15 on 9 days.

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