

ORIGINAL MONTHLY RECORD OF OBSERVATIONS at Richmond, Va., for the Month of June, 1898.

DATE.	TEMPERATURE.							PRECIPITATION.										DATE.							
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Range.	Change.	Mean. (Max. and Min.)	Normal.	Departure.	TOTAL EXCESS OR DEFICIENCY.		8 A. M.		8 P. M.		TOTAL.	Normal.	Departure.	TOTAL EXCESS OR DEFICIENCY.		SNOWFALL. (Inches and tenths.)		Average daily cloudiness (0 to 10).	CHARACTER OF DAY.			
								Since 1st of month.	Since Jan. 1st.	Character.	Beginning.	Ending.	Character.				Beginning.		Ending.	8 p. m. to 8 p. m.			Since 1st of month.	Since Jan. 1st.	Unmelted. 8 p. m. to 8 p. m.
1898.	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)					†			†	(b) ††					In.	In.			1898.		
1	85	60	25	4	72									0								2	Clear	1	
2	82	60	22	1	71									0								2	Clear	2	
3	84	61	23	1	72					R	12.14 a.m.	JN.		.09								2	Clear	3	
4	76	61	15	4	68								R	1.50 p.m.	1.55 p.m.							7	Pt. cloudy	4	
5	71	61	10	2	66					R	7.85 a.m.	7.55 a.m.	R	3.35 p.m.	3.45 p.m.							10	Cloudy	5	
6	80	57	23	2	68									0								0	Clear	6	
7	82	57	25	2	70									0								1	Clear	7	
8	86	57	29	2	72									0								0	Clear	8	
9	92	65	27	6	78								R	4.15 p.m.	5.00 p.m.							7	Pt. cloudy	9	
10	91	72	19	4	82									0								4	Pt. cloudy	10	
11	92	68	24	2	80					R	JN.	JN.	R	8.08 a.m.	8.40 a.m.							6	Pt. cloudy	11	
12	97	69	28	8	83								R	4.30 p.m.	6.05 p.m.							4	Pt. cloudy	12	
13	90	69	21	3	80								R	2.45 p.m.	3.20 p.m.							5	Pt. cloudy	13	
14	92	71	21	2	82					R	10.50 p.m. <sup>13"</sup>	JN.		.04								8	Cloudy	14	
15	88	66	22	5	77								R	2.20 P.m.	3.30 P.m.							8	Cloudy	15	
16	75	64	11	7	70					R	-----	9.15 P.m. <sup>15"</sup>	R	6.50 p.m.	7.05 p.m.							10	Cloudy	16	
17	68	60	8	6	64					R	10.00 P.m. <sup>16"</sup>	10.15 P.m. <sup>16"</sup>	R	-----	9.00 a.m.							10	Cloudy	17	
18	68	59	9	0	64					R	12.15 a.m.	-----	R	11.05 a.m.	6.00 P.m.							10	Cloudy	17	
18	68	59	9	0	64					R	10.45 p.m. <sup>17"</sup>	JN.	R	11.35 a.m.	3.00 P.m.							10	Cloudy	18	
19	82	63	19	8	72					R	-----	JN.	R	6.00 p.m.	-----							10	Cloudy	18	
19	82	63	19	8	72					R	7.35 a.m.	-----	R	-----	9.00 a.m.							10	Cloudy	19	
20	80	63	17	0	72					R	10.50 p.m. <sup>19"</sup>	11.10 p.m. <sup>19"</sup>	R									2	Clear	20	
21	83	61	22	0	72					R				0								5	Pt. cloudy	21	
22	77	56	21	6	66									0								3	Clear	22	
23	80	59	21	4	70									0								1	Clear	23	
24	90	60	30	5	75									0								4	Pt. cloudy	24	
25	95	76	19	11	86									0								4	Pt. cloudy	25	
26	97	73	24	1	85								R	4.10 p.m.	6.45 p.m.							6	Pt. cloudy	26	
27	93	70	23	3	82									0								4	Pt. cloudy	27	
28	96	74	22	3	85									0								4	Pt. cloudy	28	
29	86	73	13	5	80					R	9.45 P.m. <sup>28"</sup>	10.05 P.m. <sup>28"</sup>		.02								7	Pt. cloudy	29	
29	86	73	13	5	80					R	6.05 a.m.	6.15 a.m.										7	Pt. cloudy	29	
30	91	70	21	0	80									0								4	Pt. cloudy	30	
31																									31
S	2549	1935	614	102	2244			(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	2.98			(a)	(a)	(a)	0	(a)	150	(a)	(a)	
M	85.0	64.5	20.5	3.4	74.8	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	57.0	(a)	(a)	

† Use the following abbreviations: R—rain, S<sup>d</sup>—dry snow, S<sup>m</sup>—moist snow, Sl—sleet, H—hail. †† T indicates trace of precipitation.