

MONTHLY RECORD OF OBSERVATIONS at Richmond, for the Month of October, 1903.

DATE.	TEMPERATURE.							PRECIPITATION.										CHARACTER OF DAY.	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).
								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.	
1903	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)					†			†		(b) ††					In.	In.		Oct 1903		
Thursday 1	78	51	27	4	64	-2									0							5	P. cloudy	1	
2	80	60	20	6	70	+4							R	1.40 pm	2.16 pm	.03						8	cloudy	2	
3	71	62	9	4	66	+1							R	1.15 pm	3.10 pm	.01						9	cloudy	3	
4	75	61	14	2	68				R	DR	DR										8	cloudy	4		
5	81	60	21	2	70																7	P. cloudy	5		
6	82	63	20	3	73								R	12.40 pm	12.58 pm	.04						7	P. cloudy	6	
7	81	63	18	1	72																6	P. cloudy	7		
8	71	50	21	12	60								R	8.01 am	1.35 pm	1.39						10	cloudy	8	
9	62	48	14	5	55																10	cloudy	9		
10	56	48	8	3	52				R	8.25 pm (9)	DR		R	2.01 pm	10.50 am	0					10	cloudy	10		
11	56	52	4	2	54				R	7.35 am	DR		R	2.44 pm	2.72 pm	.55					10	cloudy	10		
12	72	53	19	8	62				R	6.40 am	DR		R	7.05 am	7.20 pm	.07					10	cloudy	11		
13	69	48	21	4	58				R	DR	DR										5	P. cloudy	12		
14	73	50	23	4	62																0	clear	13		
15	68	48	20	4	58																1	clear	14		
16	77	58	19	10	68																10	cloudy	15		
17	67	57	10	6	62				R	DR	---		R	---	---	1.06					7	P. cloudy	16		
18	61	45	16	9	53				R	---	DR					.04					10	cloudy	17		
19	63	39	24	2	51																0	clear	18		
20	77	44	33	9	60																3	clear	19		
21	71	52	19	2	62																0	clear	20		
22	73	48	25	2	60																0	clear	21		
23	68	47	21	2	58																2	clear	22		
24	51	42	9	12	46				R	9.15 pm (23)	DR		R	7.22 pm	7.40 pm	I					9	cloudy	23		
25	58	39	19	2	48				R	DR	DR		R	10.52 pm	10.58 am	.04					10	cloudy	24		
26	62	39	23	2	50				R	DR	DR					.02					6	P. cloudy	25		
27	54	35	19	6	44																1	clear	26		
28	66	36	30	7	51																0	clear	27		
29	69	37	32	2	53																0	clear	28		
30	67	39	28	0	53																1	clear	29		
31	69	47	22	5	58																8	cloudy	30		
S	2429	1521	608	142	1821				(a)	(a)	(a)		(a)	(a)		3.44		(a)	(a)	(a)	0	(a)	170	(a)	(a)
M	68.7	49.1	19.6	4.6	58.7				(a)	(a)	(a)		(a)	(a)		(a)		(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	5.5	(a)	(a)	

† Use the following abbreviations: R—rain, S^d—dry snow, S^m—moist snow, Sl—sleet, H—hall. †† T indicates trace of precipitation.