

ORIGINAL MONTHLY RECORD OF OBSERVATIONS at Richmond, Va, for the Month of December, 1903.

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.)	On ground at 8 p. m.
190	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)																	190				
Tuesday	41	28	13	0	34																	4	pt. cloudy	1		
	40	29	11	0	34																	6	pt. cloudy	2		
	41	29	12	1	35																	8	cloudy	3		
	48	30	18	4	39																	6	pt. cloudy	4		
	52	39	13	7	46																	8	cloudy	5		
	40	27	13	12	34																	1	clear	6		
	38	22	16	2	36																	0	clear	7		
	52	32	20	6	42																	5	pt. cloudy	8		
	39	35	4	5	37				R	DR	7.15 am											10	cloudy	9		
	43	30	13	1	36																	8	cloudy	10		
	38	24	14	5	31																	0	clear	11		
	50	25	25	7	38																	3	pt. cloudy	12		
	56	33	23	6	44				R	DR	-----	R	-----	8.50 am								4	pt. cloudy	13		
	42	31	11	8	36																	8	cloudy	14		
	39	28	11	2	34																	3	clear	15		
	37	23	14	6	28																	9	cloudy	16		
	36	23	13	2	30																	0	clear	17		
	38	22	16	0	30																	0	clear	18		
	40	24	16	2	32																	9	cloudy	19		
	55	33	22	12	44				R	8.10 pm ⁽¹⁹⁾	-----	R	-----	1.03 pm								7	pt. cloudy	20		
	46	32	14	5	39																	7	pt. cloudy	21		
	52	32	20	3	44																	0	clear	22		
	51	27	24	3	39																	0	clear	23		
	49	35	14	3	42																	10	cloudy	24		
	33	41	12	5	47				R	6.50 am	-----	R	-----	1.04 pm								10	cloudy	25		
	41	19	22	17	30																	2	clear	26		
	42	16	26	1	29																	3	clear	27		
	37	25	12	2	31																	0	clear	28		
	51	24	27	7	38																	2	clear	29		
	36	29	7	6	32																	0	clear	30		
	46	21	25	2	34																	4	pt. cloudy	31		
S	1378	868	510	146	1123				(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)								4	pt. cloudy	(a)		
M	44.5	28.0	16.5	4.6	36.2	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	2.28	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	0.9	(a)	13.9	(a)	(a)
																						4.5	(a)	(a)		

Precipitation from rain occurring with snow (with pt. cl.)

0.9

44.5
- 8.6

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