

OBSERVATIONS at Richmond, Virginia, for the Month of MAY 1927, 192

PRECIPITATION.

DATE.	PRECIPITATION.																Total (mid. to mid.) (b)††	Normal.	Departure.	Total excess or deficiency since 1st of month.	Hail and sleet un-melted. p. m. to p. m. *††	Snow un-melted. p. m. to p. m. *††	Hail, sleet, and snow on ground p. m. *††	Amount of precipitation from melted snow (mid. to mid.)	DATE.				
	(a) Maximum.	(a) Minimum.	(a) Range.	(a) Change.	(a) Mean (max. and min.).	Normal.	Departure.	Total excess or deficiency since 1st of month.	Character. +	Beginning.	Ending.	Character. +	Beginning.	Ending.	Character. +	Beginning.										Ending.	In.	In.	In.
1	67	42	25	0	54	62	-8	-8	R	-	DNA							.01	.09	-.08	-.08	0	0	0	0	1			
2	77	46	31	8	62	62	0	-8										0	.10	-.10	-.18	0	0	0	0	2			
3	85	55	30	8	70	63	+7	-1										0	.11	-.11	-.29	0	0	0	0	3			
4	81	60	21	0	70	63	+7	+6	R	1:10P	2:43P							.41	.11	+30	+01	0	0	0	0	4			
5	80	56	24	2	68	63	+5	+11	R	DNA	DNA							T	.11	-.11	-.10	0	0	0	0	5			
6	64	56	8	8	60	64	-4	+7	R	DNA	7:25A	R	8:10A	8:20A	R	12:30P	2:15P	.03	.12	-.09	-.19	0	0	0	0	6			
7	76	54	22	5	65	64	+1	+8	R	DNA	DNA							T	.13	-.13	-.32	0	0	0	0	7			
8	73	57	16	0	65	64	+1	+9	R	3:54P	6:55P	R	8:45P	11:15P				.05	.13	-.08	-.40	0	0	0	0	8			
9	82	62	20	7	72	65	+7	+16										0	.13	-.13	-.53	0	0	0	0	9			
10	83	68	15	4	76	65	+11	+27	R	10:30P	10:35P							T	.15	-.15	-.68	0	0	0	0	10			
11	82	64	18	3	73	65	+8	+35	R	10:30P	11:30P							.02	.14	-.12	-.80	0	0	0	0	11			
12	64	53	11	15	58	66	-8	+27	R	11:40A	12:40P	R	2:15P	2:45P	R	5:20P	5:55P	R	DNP	-	.04	.13	-.09	-.89	0	0	0	0	12
13	67	52	15	2	60	66	-6	+21	R	-	DNA							.03	.11	-.08	-.97	0	0	0	0	13			
14	71	52	19	2	62	66	-4	+17	R	7:45A	7:48A	R	12:10P	1:25P	R	3:50P	4:35P	.33	.11	+22	-.75	0	0	0	0	14			
15	69	49	20	3	59	66	-7	+10	R	1:25P	1:30P	R	2:20P	6:00P				T	.13	-.13	-.88	0	0	0	0	15			
16	62	45	17	5	54	67	-13	-3	R	10:53A	11:12A	R	7:05P	7:33P				T	.12	-.12	-1.00	0	0	0	0	16			
17	69	45	24	3	57	67	-10	-13	R	<del>12:00P</del>	<del>12:01P</del>	R						0	.12	-.12	-1.12	0	0	0	0	17			
18	76	51	25	7	64	67	-3	-16	R	12:00P	12:01P	R	12:45P	3:59P				.37	.12	+25	-.87	0	0	0	0	18			
19	89	60	29	10	74	67	+7	-9	R	DNA	DNA	R	5:45P	8:04P				.04	.12	-.08	-.95	0	0	0	0	19			
20	78	61	17	4	70	68	+2	-7	R	7:30A	8:40A							T	.11	-.11	-1.06	0	0	0	0	20			
21	78	58	20	2	68	68	0	-7										0	.12	-.12	-1.18	0	0	0	0	21			
22	83	57	26	2	70	68	+2	-5										0	.13	-.13	-1.31	0	0	0	0	22			
23	87	68	19	8	78	69	+9	+4										0	.14	-.14	-1.45	0	0	0	0	23			
24	89	70	19	2	80	69	+11	+15										0	.14	-.14	-1.59	0	0	0	0	24			
25	86	64	22	5	75	69	+6	+21	R	1:58P	4:40P							.79	.18	+67	-.92	0	0	0	0	25			
26	80	60	20	5	70	69	+1	+22	R	2:36P	3:12P							T	.13	-.13	-1.05	0	0	0	0	26			
27	72	53	19	8	62	70	-8	+14										0	.14	-.14	-1.19	0	0	0	0	27			
28	66	53	13	2	60	70	-10	+4	R	12:05P								.38	.13	+25	-.94	0	0	0	0	28			
29	67	57	10	2	62	70	-8	-4	R		DNA	R	11:02A	11:20A	R	4:00P	9:20P	.04	.13	-.09	-.03	0	0	0	0	29			
30	75	58	17	4	66	70	-4	-8	R	6:08A	6:55A							.03	.14	-.11	-1.14	0	0	0	0	30			
31	79	61	18	4	70	71	-1	-9	R	4:20P	5:19P							.73	.14	+59	-.55	0	0	0	0	31			
S	2357	1747	610	140	2054	2063	Total excess or deficiency since Jan. 1,		(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	3.30	3.85	Total excess or deficiency since Jan. 1,		0	0	(a)	(a)	(a)		
M	76.0	56.4	19.7	4.5	66.3	(a)	+175		(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	-4.85		(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)		

All data are in the standard of time in local use. † Use the following abbreviations: R—rain, S<sup>d</sup>—dry snow, S<sup>m</sup>—moist snow, H—hail, Sl—sleet. †† T indicates trace of precipitation, ††† Enter the local standard time of observation. \* Inches and tenths.