

FINAL MONTHLY RECORD OF OBSERVATIONS at Richmond, Va., for the Month of DEC 1916, 191

DATE.	TEMPERATURE.							PRECIPITATION.												DATE.						
	(a) Maximum.	(b) Minimum.	(c) Range.	(d) Change.	(e) Mean (max. and min.).	(f) Normal.	(g) Departure.	Beginning.			Ending.			Beginning.			Ending.									
								Character. †		Character. †		Character. †		Character. †		Character. †		Character. †		Character. †						
Friday																										
1	50	34	16	8	42	44	- 2 - 2																			
2	58	37	21	6	48	44	+ 4 + 2																			
3	57	34	23	2	46	44	+ 2 + 4	R	6.15P	6.20P																
4	67	41	26	8	54	43	+ 17 + 15	R	DNP	DNP																
5	72	54	18	9	63	43	+ 20 + 35																			
6	59	40	19	13	50	43	+ 7 + 42																			
7	63	34	29	2	48	43	+ 5 + 47																			
8	70	35	35	4	52	42	+ 10 + 57																			
9	63	33	30	4	48	42	+ 6 + 63	R	5.30A	5.45A																
10	48	23	25	12	36	42	- 6 + 57																			
11	40	26	14	3	33	42	- 9 + 48	R	7.30A	1.15P	R	7.25P	9.10P													
12	42	29	13	3	36	42	- 6 + 42	R	DNA	10.00A	SM	10.00A	10.45A													
13	45	25	20	1	35	H1	- 6 + 36																			
14	37	21	16	6	29	H1	- 12 + 24																			
15	38	26	7	1	30	H1	- 11 + 13	SM	DNA	8.10A	SM	8.10A	10.00A	SM	10.00A	3.10P										
16	28	16	12	8	22	H1	- 19 - 6																			
17	50	25	25	16	38	H0	- 2 - 8																			
18	30	23	7	12	26	H0	- 14 - 22	SD	12.15P	---																
19	28	17	11	4	22	H0	- 18 - 40	SD	----	DNA																
20	46	12	34	7	29	H0	- 11 - 51	R	10.10P	----																
21	42	35	7	9	38	H0	- 2 - 53	R	----	DNA	R	8.30P	----													
22	47	31	16	1	39	H0	- 1 - 54	R	----	DNA																
23	48	26	22	2	37	H0	- 3 - 57																			
24	44	34	10	2	39	39	- 0 - 57	R	8.20P	9.20P																
25	52	34	18	4	43	39	+ 4 - 53																			
26	46	28	18	6	37	39	- 2 - 55																			
27	52	35	17	7	44	39	+ 5 - 50	R	DNA	DNA	R	7.55A	10.00A	R	12.20P	1.30P										
28	58	36	22	3	47	39	+ 8 - 42	R	DNA	2.00P																
29	45	27	18	11	36	39	- 3 - 45																			
30	37	23	14	6	30	39	- 9 - 54																			
31	37	22	15	0	30	39	- 9 - 63																			
S	1494	916	578	180	1207	1270	Total excess or deficiency since January 1,	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	340	300	Total excess or deficiency since January 1,	T	91	(a)	(a)	(a)
M	18.2	29.5	18.6	5.8	38.9	(a)	- 2.71	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	- 4.48	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)		

All data are in the standard of time in local use. * Use the following abbreviations: R—rain, SD—dry snow, SM—moist snow, H—hail, Sl—sleet. ** T indicates trace of precipitation. *** Enter the local standard time of observation. * Inches and tenths.