

RECORD OF OBSERVATIONS at Richmond, Va., for the Month of May, 1921.

DATE	TEMPERATURE.										PRECIPITATION.										DATE					
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Range.	Change.	Mean (max. and min.).	Normal.	Departure.	Total excess or deficiency since 1st of month.	Character.	Beginning.	Ending.	Character.	Beginning.	Ending.	Character.	Beginning.	Ending.	Total (mid. to mid.).	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 at p.m. *††	Amount of precipitation from melted snow (mid. to mid.).
Sunday 1	55	46	9	10	50	63	-13	-13	R	10:50a	11:30a	R	5:25p	9:00p				.04	.09	-.05	-.05	0	0	0	0	1
2	65	45	20	10	55	63	-8	-21										0	.10	-10	-15	0	0	0	0	2
3	52	48	6	4	49	63	-14	-35	R	8:59a	-----							.80	.11	+69	+54	0	0	0	0	3
4	52	44	6	0	49	64	-15	-55	R	-----	DNA	R	DNA	---				.77	.11	+62	+120	0	0	0	0	4
5	53	47	6	0	50	64	-14	-64	R	-----	-----							.61	.11	+50	+150	0	0	0	0	5
6	53	46	7	2	50	64	-14	-82	R	-----	9:00a	R	12:40p	1:50p				.05	.12	-7	+163	0	0	0	0	6
7	73	46	27	20	60	65	-5	-90	R	7:50p	8:10p							.7	.13	-13	+150	0	0	0	0	7
8	77	50	27	8	64	65	-1	-97	R	-----	-----							0	.13	-13	+137	0	0	0	0	8
9	79	49	30	5	64	65	-1	-102	R	-----	-----							0	.13	-13	+124	0	0	0	0	9
10	81	53	28	3	67	66	+1	-105	R	-----	-----							0	.15	-15	+109	0	0	0	0	10
11	67	58	9	14	62	66	-4	-109	R	DNA	6:00a	R	8:05a	9:33a	R	14:00p	4:30p	.06	.14	-.08	+167	0	0	0	0	11
12	72	58	14	5	65	66	-1	-110	R	DNA	DNA	R	DNA	7:20a	R	11:30a	11:53a	.26	.13	+13	+164	0	0	0	0	12
13	76	63	13	5	70	66	+4	-114	R	12:50p	1:05p	R	3:10p	3:30p	R	5:50p	DNA	.20	.11	+29	+152	0	0	0	0	13
14	80	59	21	8	70	67	+3	-117	R	-----	-----							.40	.11	+24	+143	0	0	0	0	14
15	73	63	10	12	68	67	+1	-118	R	10:55a	11:00a	R	3:50p	5:00p	R	6:00p	7:40p	.04	.13	-.09	+143	0	0	0	0	15
16	64	49	15	12	56	67	-11	-129	R	DNA	9:30a							.13	.12	+1	+142	0	0	0	0	16
17	71	46	25	10	58	68	-10	-139										0	.12	-12	+137	0	0	0	0	17
18	76	48	28	3	62	68	-6	-145										0	.12	-12	+178	0	0	0	0	18
19	76	52	24	2	64	68	-4	-149										0	.12	-12	+188	0	0	0	0	19
20	79	52	27	2	66	69	-3	-152										0	.11	-11	+99	0	0	0	0	20
21	83	56	27	4	70	69	+1	-156										0	.12	-12	+85	0	0	0	0	21
22	87	62	25	4	74	69	+5	-161										0	.13	-13	+72	0	0	0	0	22
23	89	62	27	2	76	70	+6	-163	R	4:00p	4:25p	R	6:35p	8:10p				.22	.14	+08	+78	0	0	0	0	23
24	62	53	9	18	58	70	-12	-175	R	9:50a	11:55a	R	8:45p	9:15p				.03	.14	-11	+67	0	0	0	0	24
25	70	52	18	3	61	70	-9	-184	R	7:15a	9:00a	R	4:00p	5:13p				.18	.12	+06	+75	0	0	0	0	25
26	77	63	14	1	70	70	0	-184										0	.13	-13	+62	0	0	0	0	26
27	71	59	12	5	65	70	-5	-189	R	DNA	6:55a							.01	.14	-13	+49	0	0	0	0	27
28	86	62	24	9	74	71	+3	-192	R	5:35p	5:45p	R	5:40p	9:15p				.01	.13	-12	+35	0	0	0	0	28
29	83	66	17	8	74	71	+3	-195	R	11:45a	11:55a	R	12:45p	12:30p	R	1:40p	2:00p	.04	.13	-.09	+26	0	0	0	0	29
30	71	62	9	8	66	71	-5	-200	R	DNA	DNA	R	7:00a	7:55a	R	5:50p	2:00p	.04	.14	-10	+18	0	0	0	0	30
31	78	59	19	10	68	72	-4	-204										0	.14	-14	+02	0	0	0	0	31
S	2231	1678	553	198	1953	2087		Total excess or deficiency since January 1, +41.2	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	3.89	3.85		Total excess or deficiency since January 1, +2.85	0	0	(a)	(a)	(a)
M	72.0	54.1	17.8	6.4	63.2	(a)		(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)

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