

ORIGINAL MONTHLY RECORD OF OBSERVATIONS at Washington D.C., for the Month of December, 1913.

DATE.	TEMPERATURE.						Total excess or deficiency since 1st of month.	Character.	Beginning.	Ending.	Character.	Beginning.	Ending.	Character.	Beginning.	Ending.	Character.	PRECIPITATION.						DATE.									
	Maximum. (b)	Minimum. (b)	Range. (b)	Change. (b)	Mean. (Max. and Min.) (b)	Normal.												Departure.	Total (Mid. to mid.) (b) ††	Normal.	Departure.	Total excess or deficiency since 1st of month. *p.m. to *p.m. ††	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.) (b) ††						
Monday 1	46	40	6	3	43	40	+3	+3	R	6.05 a.m.	7.25 a.m.	R	8.40 a.m.	9.45 a.m.	R	10.50 a.m.	2.33 p.m.	R	3.35 p.m.	5.10 p.m.	6.35 p.m.	7.20 p.m.	0.04	.09	-.05	-.05	0	0	0	0	1		
2	54	44	10	6	49	39	+10	+13																0	.09	-.09	-.14	0	0	0	0	2	
3	61	46	15	5	54	39	+15	+28																0	.08	-.08	-.22	0	0	0	0	3	
4	57	40	17	6	48	39	+9	+37																0	.08	-.08	-.30	0	0	0	0	4	
5	64	48	16	8	56	38	+18	+55																0	.08	-.08	-.38	0	0	0	0	5	
6	56	42	14	7	49	38	+11	+66																0	.08	-.08	-.46	0	0	0	0	6	
7	55	37	18	3	46	38	+8	+74	R	12.45 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	R	7.55 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	R	9.04 p.m.	11.04 p.m.							0.27	.09	+18	-.28	0	0	0	0	7	
8	37	25	12	15	31	38	-7	+67	S <sup>d</sup>	1.10 a.m.	1.30 a.m.													T	.09	-.09	-.37	0	T	0	T	8	
9	41	28	13	3	34	37	-3	+64																0	.09	-.09	-.46	0	0	0	0	9	
10	40	24	16	2	32	37	-5	+59																0	.10	-.10	-.56	0	0	0	0	10	
11	39	29	10	2	34	37	-3	+56	S <sup>m</sup>	8.13 a.m.	8.22 a.m.													T	.09	-.09	-.65	0	T	0	T	11	
12	58	27	31	8	42	37	+5	+61																0	.10	-.10	-.75	0	0	0	0	12	
13	66	33	33	8	50	36	+14	+75																0	.10	-.10	-.85	0	0	0	0	13	
14	59	30	29	6	44	36	+8	+83																0	.10	-.10	-.95	0	0	0	0	14	
15	53	33	20	1	43	36	+7	+90																0	.11	-.11	-1.06	0	0	0	0	15	
16	55	32	23	1	44	36	+8	+98																0	.12	-.12	-1.18	0	0	0	0	16	
17	56	36	20	2	46	36	+10	+108																0	.13	-.13	-1.31	0	0	0	0	17	
18	50	34	16	4	42	35	+7	+115																0	.12	-.12	-1.43	0	0	0	0	18	
19	42	25	17	8	34	35	-1	+114																0	.12	-.12	-1.55	0	0	0	0	19	
20	46	26	20	2	36	35	+1	+115																0	.11	-.11	-1.66	0	0	0	0	20	
21	43	30	13	0	36	35	+1	+11.6	R	5.20 p.	5.40 p.	R	6.55 p.	9.25 p.										.06	.11	-.05	-1.71	0	0	0	0	21	
22	44	34	10	3	39	35	+4	+120																0	.12	-.12	-1.83	0	0	0	0	22	
23	49	36	13	3	42	35	+7	+127	R	9.35 a.m.	5.20 p.m.													.61	.10	+51	-132	0	0	0	0	23	
24	46	34	12	2	40	34	+6	+133																0	.11	-.11	-1.43	0	0	0	0	24	
25	42	36	6	1	39	34	+5	+138	R	10.20 a.														1.10	.11	+99	-.44	0	0	0	0	25	
26	40	33	7	3	36	34	+2	+140	R	---	5.30 a.	R	7.15 a.	9.20 a.										21	.71	+10	-.34	0	0	0	0	26	
27	37	25	12	5	31	34	-3	+137																0	.10	-.10	-.44	0	0	0	0	27	
28	39	24	15	1	32	34	-2	+135																0	.10	-.10	-.54	0	0	0	0	28	
29	42	27	15	2	34	34	±0	+135																0	.11	-.11	-.65	0	0	0	0	29	
30	38	24	14	3	31	34	-3	+132																0	.11	-.11	-.76	0	0	0	0	30	
31	37	28	9	1	32	34	-2	+130																0	.11	-.11	-.87	0	0	0	0	31	
S.	1492	1010	482	124	1249	1119			(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	2.29	3.16			Total excess or deficiency since January 1, -3.45	0	T	(a)	(a)	(a)
M.	48.1	32.6	15.5	4.0	40.3	(a)			(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(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<sup>d</sup>—dry snow, S<sup>m</sup>—moist snow, H—hail, SI—sleet. †† T indicates trace of precipitation. ††† Enter the local standard time of observation. \*Inches and tenths.

\* Melted as it fell.