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A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colonial Secretary.

11th April, 1919.

ROYAL OBSERVATORY.

No. 168.—Extract of Meteorological Observations made at the Royal Observatory Hongkong, during the month of March, 1919.

DATE.	BARO- METER AT M.S.L.	TEMPERATURE.			HUMIDITY.		CLOUDI- NESS.	SUN- SHINE.	RAIN.	WIND.	
		Max.	Mean.	Min.	Rel.	Abs.				Dir.	Vel.
	ins.	°	°	°	p. c.	ins.	p. c.	hrs.	ins.	Points.	Miles p.h.
1,	30.00	68.1	65.4	63.7	94	0.59	94	2.0	...	E	12.4
2, .....	.04	71.9	67.0	63.3	92	.61	82	4.0	...	E by S	12.8
3, .....	.12	68.8	64.2	61.6	85	.51	91	4.6	...	E by S	19.3
4, .....	.08	74.6	68.8	64.2	81	.57	89	3.7	...	ESE	11.3
5, .....	.03	73.0	68.6	66.0	92	.64	89	2.9	...	E	8.0
6, .....	.02	78.8	70.1	64.6	88	.65	68	5.1	...	NW by W	2.4
7, .....	.01	71.8	68.0	66.1	95	.65	82	6.8	...	E	10.1
8, .....	.00	70.5	67.2	64.6	95	.63	97	2.6	...	E	12.0
9, .....	.03	72.6	69.7	67.5	94	.69	97	0.1	...	E	9.7
10, .....	.14	70.0	64.2	61.3	88	.53	100	...	...	E	21.2
11, .....	.12	64.1	61.7	59.9	87	.48	100	...	...	E	24.1
12, .....	.09	68.9	65.8	63.5	88	.56	98	...	0.020	E by S	12.0
13, .....	.09	64.1	60.7	59.2	96	.51	100	...	0.025	E by N	19.6
14, .....	.03	65.7	62.1	59.4	96	.54	98	2.1	0.010	E	22.0
15, .....	.05	66.9	65.4	64.1	98	.61	100	...	0.045	E	7.4
16, .....	.07	64.5	62.3	60.4	89	.50	100	0.2	0.010	E	27.8
17, .....	.03	67.0	64.1	61.3	90	.54	99	2.0	...	E	22.5
18, .....	.05	73.0	68.3	65.3	95	.66	59	7.1	...	E	13.1
19, .....	.10	75.1	68.9	65.2	92	.65	49	8.5	...	NNW	3.9
20, .....	.09	69.9	66.8	65.1	79	.52	82	6.2	...	E	21.9
21,	29.94	75.8	68.9	65.4	89	.63	87	5.4	...	E by S	12.4
22, .....	.87	77.9	73.0	69.1	91	.74	93	0.2	...	SE by S	6.4
23, .....	.85	82.3	77.6	75.3	84	.80	99	4.6	...	S by W	10.2
24, .....	.86	78.0	75.5	73.4	93	.82	98	0.1	0.115	SE by S	5.6
25, .....	.95	82.8	76.1	72.2	90	.81	88	5.7	...	ESE	10.3
26,	30.08	73.2	65.7	63.4	87	.55	98	...	0.020	E by N	28.8
27,	29.99	70.1	67.7	65.2	88	.59	87	6.1	...	E	17.5
28,	30.02	77.6	69.9	64.1	90	.66	99	0.5	0.020	E by N	10.4
29, .....	.13	64.2	60.1	58.2	88	.46	100	...	0.205	NE by N	7.0
30, .....	.15	57.5	56.0	55.0	92	.41	100	...	0.385	N by E	6.7
31, .....	.10	60.4	57.1	53.8	82	.38	100	...	0.900	NE by E	9.8
Mean,	30.04	70.9	66.7	63.9	90	0.60	91	Sum. 80.5	Sum. 1.755	E	13.5

MEANS AND EXTREMES FOR MARCH:—

Maximum.....	30.14	72.9	68.1	64.5	91	.60	97	182.3	11.485	...	19.2
Mean, (1884-1918),	30.06	67.0	62.9	59.6	83	.49	83	87.5	2.787	E by N	15.5
Minimum,	29.99	61.8	58.9	55.9	74	.42	57	25.0	0.170	...	12.0

The rainfall for the month of March at the Botanical Gardens was 1 in. .77 on 11 days, at the Matilda Hospital, Mount Kellett, it was 1 in. .47 on 8 days, and at the Police Station, Taipo, it was 2 ins. .04 on 11 days.

T. F. CLAXTON,
Director.

4th April, 1919.

SUPREME COURT.

No. 169.—The Offices of the Supreme Court will be open daily from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. during the Easter Vacation, except on Public and General Holidays, when the offices will be entirely closed, subject, however, to the provisions of section 5 of the Supreme Court (Vacations) Ordinance, 1898, so far as it relates to the Criminal Sessions. The Easter Vacation commences on the 18th April, 1919, and terminates on the 24th April, 1919, (both days inclusive).

No. 170.—It is hereby notified for general information that, pursuant to Section 5 of the Criminal Procedure Ordinances, 1899-1913, His Honour the Chief Justice has ordered that the next Criminal Sessions for the despatch of the business of the Court shall be held on Friday, the 25th day of April, 1919, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

HUGH A. NISBET,
Registrar.

11th April, 1919.