

MONTHLY WEATHER REPORT.

WAR DEPARTMENT, SIGNAL SERVICE, U. S. ARMY, DIVISION OF TELEGRAMS AND REPORTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF COMMERCE AND AGRICULTURE.

Table showing the Daily and Monthly Means of Barometer, Wind and Thermometer, Monthly Velocity of Wind and amount of Rainfall, with the Prevailing Direction of Wind for the Month of November, 1875.

Table with columns: Date, Mean Daily Barometer, Mean Daily Thermometer, Rain-fall. Rows for Nov 1-30 and Monthly Mean.

Highest barometer, Nov. 25, 1.30 P. M., 30.326. Lowest barometer, Nov. 16, 1 P. M., 29.990. Monthly range of barometer, 1.336. Highest temperature, Nov. 8, 9 A. M., 63 degrees. Lowest temperature, Nov. 27, 5 A. M., 28 degrees. Monthly range of temperature, 35 degrees. Greatest daily range of temperature, Nov. 29, 26 degrees. Mean of maximum temperatures, 50.5. Mean of minimum temperatures, 38.8. Mean daily range of temperatures, 11.7. Total rainfall, 14.77 inches. Prevailing wind, south. Total number of miles traveled, 2,308. Maximum velocity of wind, November 10, 8 A. M., 28 miles per hour. Number of cloudy days, other than those on which rain fell, four (4). Number of days on which rain fell, twenty-one (21).

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