

VII.—Abstract of a Meteorological Register kept at the Cathmandu Re-

Day.	Observations at 10 A. M.				Obs. at 4 P. M.				Wind ; weather ; rain.		Rain
	Bar.	Thermometer.			Bar.	Thermometer			At 10 A. M.	At 4 P. M.	
		at 32°.	Air.	Wet.		Diff.	at 32°.	Air.				Wet.	Diff.
Mar. 1	25,539	50	43	7	25,464	56	47	9	SW. cloudy.	SW. cloudy.	
2	492	52	44	8	376	63	53	10	W. clear.	W. clear.	
3	437	54	45	9	329	61	46	15	W. ditto.	SW. cloudy.	
4	466	53	47	5	382	64	47	17	W. ditto.	W. clear.	
5	472	53	48	5	306	63	47	16	W. cloudy.	W. ditto.	
6	517	51	45	6	417	63	46	19	SW. ditto.	W. ditto.	
7	509	53	46	7	404	67	48	18	W. clear.	W. ditto.	
8	502	55	48	7	428	68	49	19	W. ditto.	W. ditto.	
9	537	54	47	7	SW. cloudy.		
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13	384	65	47	18		W. ditto.	
14	368	56	47	9	233	65	48	17	W. clear.	W. ditto.	
15	290	53	46	7	214	67	50	17	W. ditto.	W. ditto.	
16	394	55	48	7	279	69	53	16	W. ditto.	W. ditto.	
17	439	57	50	7	321	68	52	16	W. ditto.	W. ditto.	
18	469	57	50	7	338	68	52	16	W. ditto.	SW. cloudy.	
19	449	57	50	7	316	70	52	18	SW. cloudy.	W. clear.	
20	379	58	51	7	263	71	56	15	W. clear.	W. ditto.	
21	309	58	51	7	190	67	52	14	W. ditto.	NW. cloudy.	0173
22	297	55	50	5	234	69	55	14	W. ditto.	W. clear.	
23	387	58	52	6	328	69	55	14	W. ditto.	W. ditto.	
24	439	61	53	8	330	70	56	14	W. ditto.	W. ditto.	
25	409	62	54	8	308	72	57	15	W. ditto.	W. ditto.	
26	384	64	55	9	336	70	57	13	W. ditto.	W. cloudy.	
27	441	65	55	10	353	73	55	18	W. ditto.	W. clear.	
28	311	63	50	13	189	74	52	23	W. ditto.	W. ditto.	
29	231	63	51	12	132	73	49	24	W. ditto.	W. ditto.	
30	262	59	47	12	196	71	49	22	W. ditto.	W. ditto.	
31	343	58	47	11	235	69	51	18	W. ditto.	NW. ditto.	
Mean,	25,410	56.7	48.8	6.9	25,299	64.4	48	16.4			0173
Apr. 1	25,376	58	48	10	25,236	69	48	21	W. clear.	W. clear.	
2	346	62	50	12	236	61	48	13	W. ditto.	NW. cloudy.	
3	390	54	49	5	274	64	54	10	W. cloudy.	NW. ditto.	0065
4	347	55	50	5	254	68	50	18	W. fog.	W. clear.	
5	356	58	56	6	232	71	54	17	W. clear.	W. ditto.	
6	302	60	52	8	229	74	52	22	W. ditto.	W. ditto.	
7	338	62	54	8	227	76	54	22	NW. ditto.	W. ditto.	
8	317	63	52	11	197	76	50	26	W. ditto.	W. ditto.	
9	350	62	50	12	246	72	53	19	SW. cloudy.	SW. cloudy.	
10	342	64	52	12	229	71	51	20	W. clear.	SW. ditto.	
11	280	61	52	9	189	74	55	19	W. ditto.	W. clear.	
12	327	62	53	11	233	75	55	20	SW. clear.	W. ditto.	
13	359	63	53	10	224	77	57	20	S. ditto.	S. calm.	
14	307	66	56	10	..	..	..	..	SW. ditto.		
15	297	67	56	11	178	80	52	28	W. ditto.	W. clear.	
16	277	66	55	11	202	78	54	24	S. calm.	W. ditto.	
17	301	67	54	13	173	75	58	17	S. ditto.	S. cloudy.	
18	217	67	56	11	..	..	..	..	S. ditto.		
19	234	68	57	11	158	76	60	16	S. ditto.	W. calm.	
20	275	70	60	10	175	80	60	20	SW. breezy.	W. breezy.	
21	259	74	57	17	142	82	60	22	SW. calm.	W. ditto.	
22	302	70	56	14	228	81	55	26	SW. ditto.	SW. calm.	
23	409	66	51	15	323	75	59	23	SW. ditto.	SW. ditto.	
24	499	64	50	14	377	74	53	21	SW. ditto.	SW. ditto.	
25	446	62	50	12	..	..	..	..	SW. ditto.		
26	431	63	53	10	337	75	54	21	SW. ditto.	W. clear.	
27	430	66	53	12	..	..	..	..	SW. ditto.		
28	393	66	55	11	295	80	60	20	W. ditto.	SW.	
29	452	69	58	11	221	81	55	26	SW. ditto.	NW.	
30	323	71	55	16	205	80	54	26	SW. ditto.	W.	
Mean,	25,346	64	53	11	25,231	74	54	20			0065

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	at 32°.	Air.	Wet	Diff.	at 32°.	Air.	Wet	Diff.			
May 1	25,359	71	54	17	25,317	72	55	17	SW. clear.	NW. cloudy.	
2	369	66	52	14	279	78	56	22	SW. ditto.	NW. clear.	
3	404	65	54	11	317	68	56	12	W. cloudy.	W. ditto.	0173
4	454	55	50	5	323	56	50	6	N. W. rain.	NW. rainy.	519
5	377	56	50	6	210	64	54	10	N. W. ditto.	W. clear.	519
6	365	60	54	6	297	71	55	19	W. clear.	W. fine.	
7	419	66	56	10	331	76	60	16	W. ditto.	W. ditto.	
8	391	70	58	12	233	79	56	23	NW. ditto.	W. ditto.	048
9	354	68	57	11	260	77	58	19	W. fine.	W. ditto.	173
10	382	65	57	8	269	75	57	18	SW. clear.	W. ditto.	
11	370	66	56	9	250	77	56	21	NW. ditto.	SW. cloudy.	
12	347	66	54	12	283	76	55	21	NE. ditto.	NW. ditto.	
13	283	70	55	15	182	78	56	22	NE. ditto.	W. ditto.	
14	281	71	58	13	199	79	60	19	NE. ditto.	W. hazy.	
15	279	72	58	14	199	81	60	21	NE. ditto.	W. ditto.	
16	287	72	58	14	205	82	58	24	NE. ditto.	W. ditto.	
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18											
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21	233	75	58	17	123	82	62	20	NE. clear.	W. cloudy.	
22	250	73	60	13	164	83	62	21	E. cloudy.	NW. ditto.	
23	267	75	62	13	168	84	64	20	NE. clear.	W. ditto.	
24	285	71	60	11	185	82	62	20	NE. ditto.	W. clear.	
25	306	74	61	13	219	80	64	18	SE. cloudy.	W. cloudy.	
26	337	76	63	13	249	82	66	16	NE. clear.	SW. ditto.	
27	290	73	65	8	273	83	65	18	NE. ditto.	W. ditto.	596
28	221	76	65	8	140	84	66	18	E. ditto.	W. clear.	
29	180	78	68	10	093	97	65	22	NE. ditto.	W. ditto.	
30	139	79	68	11	082	88	65	23	NE. ditto.	W. ditto.	
31	179	80	66	15	117	87	66	21	NE. ditto.	W. cloudy.	
Mean,	25,319	69	58	11	25,217	78	59	19			2023
June 1	25,166	77	64	13	25,093	86	64	23	W. clear.	W. clear.	
2	122	77	60	17	029	82	64	18	NE. ditto.	W. ditto.	
3	139	75	58	19	097	85	57	28	N. ditto.	W. ditto.	
4	246	74	57	17	168	84	58	26	W. ditto.	W. ditto.	
5	307	75	60	15	231	86	58	27	NE. ditto.	W. ditto.	
6	287	76	58	20	195	85	57	28	NE. hazy.	W. hazy.	
7	242	77	57	20	195	86	60	26	E. ditto.	W. ditto.	
8	330	77	62	18	225	82	65	17	E. ditto.	SW. cloudy.	
9	349	75	61	14	224	83	62	21	W. clear.	W. clear.	
10	288	74	65	9	207	82	62	20	NE. cloudy.	NW. ditto.	0346
11	265	76	61	15	194	84	61	23	NW. clear.	W. ditto.	
12	250	77	62	15	173	86	61	25	NW. ditto.	W. ditto.	
13	276	77	62	16	173	87	62	26	NE. ditto.	W. ditto.	
14	209	79	61	18	135	87	61	26	NW. ditto.	W. ditto.	
15	176	77	60	17	098	89	61	27	NW. ditto.	W. ditto.	
16	153	81	60	21	082	89	63	26	NW. ditto.	W. ditto.	
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20	The	first	fall	of	rain at	1 P.	M.	win	d at	W. thun	der.
21	26,371	75	66	9	25,280	78	70	8	E. cloudy.	SE. cloudy.	580
22	362	73	66	7	256	78	70	8	SE. ditto.	E. ditto.	436
23	262	74	66	9	235	75	67	8	SE. ditto.	SE. rain.	173
24	232	74	67	7	147	76	67	9	SE. ditto.	NW. cloudy.	173
25	159	74	66	8	112	78	70	8	NW. ditto.	W. ditto.	1547
26	142	74	70	4	094	77	71	6	E. ditto.	E. ditto.	
27	166	74	67	7	082	78	70	8	E. ditto.	SW. ditto.	510
28	118	74	69	5	054	77	69	8	E. ditto.	W. ditto.	376
29	150	74	69	5	074	77	70	7	SE. ditto.	SW. ditto.	1557
30	178	73	67	6	082	78	71	7	NE. ditto.	W. ditto.	856
Mean,	25,228	75.5	63.3	12.3	25,150	71.2	64.3	16.9			6303

March.—'Clear' means a cloudless sky not a clear atmosphere. During the greater part of this month there has been a thick haze from 11 A. M. till sunset. In ordinary seasons this does not commence before the month of May, but this year we have not our usual frequent spring showers.

April.—The Barometrical range between 10 and 4 is .115. The Thermometrical range 10°. Mean depression of wet bulb, 15.5.

This is a most unusually dry season. The frequent spring showers peculiar to this climate have been altogether wanting this season. A heavy haze 25 days out of the 30.

May.—The hottest, and driest month of May within the recollection of the oldest inhabitants. The observations made in the northern end of a western open verandah : mean barometrical range for the day, 96; do. thermometrical 9°; average depression of wet bulb 15°.

June.—From the 1st to the 20th the weather was hotter and drier than has ever before been recollectd in Cathmandu. Mean temperature from 1st to 16th 77° at 10 A. M.; do. do. at 4 P. M. 85°. Mean temp. from 21st to 30th at 10 A. M. 73°; do. do. at 4 P. M. 77°.

VIII.—Proceedings of the Asiatic Society.

Wednesday Evening, 2nd August, 1837.

The Rev. W. H. MILL, D. D., Vice-President, in the chair.

RUSTOMJEE COWASJEE, Esq., Baboo SUTTOHURN GHOSAL, and Captain BOGLE, were elected members of the Society.

Dr. G. G. SPILSBURY and Major J. R. OUSLEY were proposed by the Secretary, seconded by Mr. CRAIGROFT.

Dr. G. MCPHERSON, *Berhampore*, proposed by Capt. PEMBERTON, seconded by Col. MACLEOD.

Letters from Messrs J. MUIR and G. W. BACON, acknowledged their election.

Letter from the Royal Societies of London and Edinburgh, and from the Society of Arts, acknowledged receipt of the 20th vol. of Asiatic Researches.

The Secretary read correspondence with Government pursuant to the resolution of last meeting regarding the museum.

To H. T. PRINSEP, Esq.

Secretary to Government, General Department.

SIR,

I am directed by the Asiatic Society to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, dated the 28th ultimo, to the address of their President conveying the reply of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council to the Society's representation on the subject of their museum of antiquities and natural history.

The Society feel that they have every reason to be highly flattered with the consideration and consideration extended to their address by the members of government; and although a reference to the Honorable the Court of Directors has been deemed indispensable before finally determining on the adoption of the Society's proposition for the formation of a national museum at the cost of the state, still they entertain the most sanguine assurance of a favorable issue under the encouragement and recommendation with which His Lordship in Council has been pleased to promise that the reference home shall be accompanied.

On the strength of this confident expectation a very full meeting of the Society held, on the 5th instant, came to the resolution that it would be unadvisable at such a juncture to break up the establishment, and abandon the incipient museum upon which they had for two years devoted so considerable a portion of their income, and thus perhaps have to recommence their collections a year hence, should the Honorable Court acquiesce in the proposed measure.

It was consequently resolved that a second respectful application should be submitted to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council in immediate connection with their former address to inquire :—

Whether, in order to maintain the Society's Museum in its present state of efficiency, pending the reference on the subject of its extension and conversion into a