

TOTAL PRECIPITATION IN INCHES AT THE UNDERMENTIONED PLACES IN CANADA, 1890.

PLACES.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.
Charlottetown, P.E.I.	3·29	3·19	6·24	3·55	2·94	3·86
Halifax, N.S.	3·91	4·58	9·88	2·95	3·96	3·43
Fredericton, N.B.	3·21	4·17	4·39	1·77	9·08	5·14
Montreal, Que.	4·40	4·45	1·53	2·11	4·85	2·72
Toronto, Ont.	3·36	3·48	1·48	2·11	2·62	4·87
Winnipeg, Man.	0·51	0·82	1·54	1·21	1·15	2·15
Regina, N.W.T.	0·35	0·47	0·45	0·13	0·13	4·96
Victoria, B.C.	3·96	2·33	1·50	0·86	0·98	2·10

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PLACES.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Charlottetown, P.E.I.	1·09	5·30	8·75	8·10	4·23	5·89
Halifax, N.S.	2·13	7·04	4·53	6·60	3·19	7·22
Fredericton, N.B.	2·44	5·88	3·72	2·13	2·81	4·25
Montreal, Que.	2·78	8·08	3·57	2·69	3·32	2·79
Toronto, Ont.	4·11	3·03	1·85	4·94	3·59	1·94
Winnipeg, Man.	5·61	3·05	3·06	3·67	0·43	0·46
Regina, N.W.T.	2·04	2·04	0·96	1·99	0·20	*0·70
Victoria, B.C.	0·64					**0·78

*Calgary. **New Westminster.

With the exception of July, the rain fall generally was above the average, in marked contrast to the preceding year. During the 17th and 18th September there was a very heavy fall of rain in the Maritime Provinces, as much as 7·17 inches being reported from Charlottetown, P.E.I., as having fallen there during the storm.

Storm
Signal
Service.

22. The Storm Signal Service Branch of the Meteorological Service issued 1,213 warnings of approaching storms between the 1st December, 1889, and the 30th November, 1890, of which number 996, or 82·1 per cent., were verified. One of the worst storms occurred on 30th November, 1890, along the Atlantic coast the gale reaching almost hurricane force. At