

RAIN AND SNOWFALL IN CANADA—Continued.

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	Rain.	Snow.	Rain.	Snow.	Rain.	Snow.	Rain.	Snow.
	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.
1874	39·53	117·1	13·74	62·6	11·49	43·0		
1875	29·86	136·0	12·19	41·6	21·93	19·3		
1876	26·13	105·7	19·89	66·8	14·20	9·5		
1877	31·95	89·7	19·17	20·9	31·48	5·4		
1878	40·15	73·3	21·22	27·6	24·47	11·8		
1879	24·92	152·4	21·01	41·2	37·80	60·8		
1880	21·88	132·0	19·62	34·6	26·98	73·2		
1881	31·12	116·4	13·63	63·8	33·64	33·6		
1882	28·07	169·2	13·62	61·4	21·24	31·3		
1883	27·59	110·3	13·13	34·1	14·06	29·0		
1884	38·83	75·0	18·00	45·2	14·19	17·8		
1885	29·49	102·5	11·76	31·5	19·49	18·7		
1886	32·92	60·7	9·01	28·2	33·31	34·7		
1887	33·73	96·1	13·33	45·5	48·12	33·5		
1888	31·66	74·5	11·43	37·9	43·53	56·4		
1889	25·59	49·4	9·37	37·5	33·60	27·2	6·02	32·1
1890	41·26	85·4	17·92	30·8	42·32	41·9	12·49	36·1
1891	29·96	62·2	15·54	46·5	45·56	43·1	12·91	33·3
1892	35·07	50·5	13·07	52·8	41·26	98·0	9·75	44·8
1893	29·82	92·6	12·84	54·4	50·58	70·3	8·54	46·7
1894	28·65	105·8	12·62	47·0	41·92	70·4	9·24	41·7
1895	32·32	99·6	14·64	44·4	35·07	67·0	10·54	31·3
1896	28·86	56·7	16·00	62·9	36·38	58·5	10·57	60·3
1897	33·63	56·4	9·66	59·1	41·10	42·6	11·84	53·2

* Any average rain or snow for British Columbia is misleading. The various parts of the province seem to have an amount of precipitation dependent on the position of the particular locality. As far as can be ascertained the following division may convey a somewhat definite idea.

	Rain. In.	Snow. In.	Total. In.
Coast	56·56	34·8	60·04
South interior	6·06	26·2	8·68
North interior	18·67	134·2	32·09
Vancouver Island	32·43	22·2	34·65
North part of coast	99·98	51·8	105·16

The following are the latitudes and longitudes of Ottawa (the seat of the Federal Government) and of the capitals of the several provinces; also of the chief commercial centres other than capital cities:—

Province.	Capital.	Latitudes.	Longitudes.
British Columbia	Victoria	48·24	123·19
Manitoba	Winnipeg	49·53	97·70
New Brunswick	Fredericton	45·57	66·38
Nova Scotia	Halifax	44·39	63·36
Ontario	Toronto	43·39	79·23
Prince Edward Island	Charlottetown	46·14	63·10
Quebec	Quebec	46·48	71·13
North-west Territories	Regina	50·27	104·37
Dominion	Ottawa	45·26	75·42