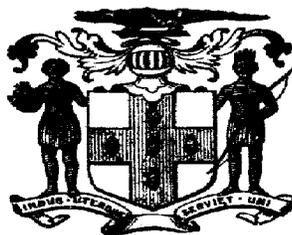


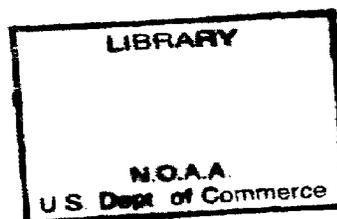
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Manchioneal	3.07	3.67	5.15	9.25	11.58	26.52	4.97	22.24	6.50	12.33	11.04	10.40	126.72	89.46
Priestman's River	4.30	2.10	5.40	9.80	19.20	24.50	4.30	17.20	6.60	16.70	11.85	4.60	126.55	100.58
Bath	5.58	2.20	1.70	5.00	18.90	32.96	6.98	15.50	6.84	18.01	14.47	9.43	137.57	113.30
Barrett's Gap	6.31	4.91	3.30	6.21	19.80	34.70	8.43	16.40	9.01	18.57	18.11	13.64	159.39	...
Millbank	12.16	8.62	6.64	16.18	48.79	41.00	26.76	18.42	5.72	24.38	30.01	32.59	271.27	...
Moore Town	9.21	7.93	9.41	16.72	43.72	26.69	28.68	15.45	13.33	29.03	20.49	23.95	244.61	208.31
Port Antonio	7.09	2.54	6.94	5.44	22.43	29.40	12.01	14.76	5.80	13.13	16.24	12.87	148.65	129.75
Passley Garden	5.25	1.47	5.13	5.65	21.26	30.46	14.15	14.57	6.54	9.34	14.01	12.67	140.50	...
Fellowship	9.48	2.65	4.74	8.34	47.56	36.97	18.81	17.63	6.35	16.78	24.47	16.35	210.13	172.90
Johnson River Br.	3.51	1.55	0.26	2.29	7.38	27.19	7.56	13.48	3.07	8.34	6.54	3.80	84.97	88.36
Trinity Ville	4.08	1.22	0.81	2.22	15.37	30.17	9.11	14.80	3.88	7.70	5.61	3.00	98.06	...
Fruitful Vale	10.01	6.80	10.15	16.32	47.18	14.08	20.37	8.17	8.11	8.63	18.40	16.03	154.25	158.71
Hope Bay	3.10	1.90	6.09	6.64	34.30	16.50	12.20	8.55	5.51	8.15	15.67	11.45	132.06	...
Cedar Valley	5.20	2.09	1.03	2.43	12.68	38.68	10.71	14.18	6.97	9.50	4.08	4.73	112.28	89.45
Moy Hall	5.22	1.89	1.59	2.45	17.89	36.03	10.31	12.16	8.03	9.63	4.07	4.94	114.21	103.41
Paradise	11.59	5.67	10.79	15.39	53.32	10.12	14.58	6.89	10.77	11.82	11.82	16.37	179.13	...
Lennox	10.90	5.92	5.02	7.77	36.52	10.59	10.26	6.13	7.30	8.00	7.70	12.73	128.84	...
Greenvale	7.84	9.99	6.62	17.42	24.76	4.29	11.11	5.41	3.73	4.82	11.57	20.77	128.33	150.84
Darley	6.73	2.42	10.13	8.63	44.22	18.82	13.57	8.79	6.39	13.72	15.08	11.54	160.04	...
Spring Garden	4.94	1.60	3.87	7.70	28.21	7.46	7.13	4.27	7.60	8.14	11.20	12.04	104.16	77.59
Hill Gardens	6.64	2.46	3.30	4.14	17.78	18.09	8.23	11.23	11.80	9.96	5.85	7.25	102.73	100.11
Buff Bay	2.90	1.50	3.80	8.00	26.50	7.20	7.90	3.35	7.15	7.55	9.85	10.30	100.00	97.13
Orange Vale	8.84	12.03	8.60	14.36	24.76	2.19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Belvedere, Portland	5.75	4.52	3.92	14.24	32.12	3.07	9.45	1.79	4.08	6.75	6.41	9.70	101.80	85.94
Windsor Castle, Portland	7.29	0.88	4.86	10.30	20.33	7.00	6.19	3.30	3.37	7.39	9.95	9.76	90.62	83.19
Balcarres	7.21	4.66	6.09	19.97	26.39	7.30	11.01	4.66	12.01	6.09	14.43	28.48	148.30	...
Mt. Holstein	2.53	6.99	2.95	8.36	18.93	10.85	8.20	6.08	10.65	7.19	9.38	11.98	104.09	138.96
Cedar Hurst	1.68	3.52	2.96	6.09	21.70	9.25	4.77	10.16	13.66	7.89	8.38	10.80	100.84	...
Hardware Gap	2.65	3.87	3.33	7.82	32.84	14.35	3.85	15.28	12.84	14.41	6.28	7.11	123.63	9.57
Rose Hill	2.04	1.14	0.99	3.29	18.77	5.68	1.90	10.02	10.59	6.90	4.84	2.42	68.55	104.60
Hermitage	1.00	0.76	2.57	3.12	23.91	12.08	2.08	13.64	14.35	7.95	3.38	3.25	88.09	...
Mount Airy	1.69	4.20	1.41	6.02	26.01	11.24	3.26	12.99	16.64	7.08	9.26	10.59	110.39	...
Stony Hill Ind. School	0.44	0.65	2.83	3.32	28.14	10.50	1.74	11.01	13.43	7.22	2.86	2.51	84.65	97.12
Boon Hall	0.60	0.94	2.00	3.57	27.24	12.58	1.77	12.50	11.91	7.52	5.21	3.86	89.70	...
Brandon Hill	3.15	4.41	0.52	3.08	23.44	13.86	4.90	14.62	12.24	8.59	8.01	6.56	103.38	...
Enfield	13.71	5.30	7.47	13.52	31.78	7.13	10.33	3.42	8.37	3.33	9.98	14.84	129.18	...
Agusta Vale	6.04	0.99	2.36	11.43	14.99	8.40	4.54	0.83	3.19	10.02	9.27	8.74	80.80	70.07
Castleton Gardens	4.72	6.95	2.20	9.10	32.47	13.13	8.36	16.59	15.48	8.11	10.56	18.27	145.94	117.44
Water Valley	5.78	1.00	1.78	9.60	9.78	9.49	4.43	1.35	1.62	3.90	3.63	9.88	62.24	72.57
Albany	5.95	1.40	3.14	8.42	11.39	8.18	5.37	1.52	4.00	6.24	6.71	9.98	72.30	67.54
Lawrence Tavern	1.12	0.93	1.12	4.38	30.79	12.23	2.73	10.38	10.63	6.78	3.56	3.06	87.71	77.25
Wey Hill	3.40	3.06	1.83	5.22	17.52	8.23	5.19	7.51	5.11	5.48	5.66	9.36	77.57	...
Richmond, St. Mary	7.35	2.83	3.04	7.15	14.63	12.65	4.29	3.82	5.06	4.59	5.07	9.83	80.31	76.60
Quebec	5.02	1.18	9.02	6.31	11.75	8.28	4.91	1.94	3.97	10.92	10.10	5.56	78.96	69.23
Above Rocks	0.44	0.72	1.67	8.43	28.23	9.90	1.93	17.15	16.49	7.32	6.84	1.31	100.43	...
Glengoffe	2.05	1.89	2.10	6.55	19.83	10.66	4.31	9.51	11.82	5.70	5.40	6.28	86.10	...
Carew Castle	0.89	1.54	1.12	3.92	25.79	9.27	3.25	15.70	12.86	4.34	5.60	5.02	89.30	86.72
Hampstead, St. Mary	10.55	1.96	9.00	6.80	8.36	8.24	4.29	1.93	3.84	6.02	10.02	12.27	83.28	87.04
Windsor Castle, St. Mary	7.81	3.34	6.59	8.96	12.43	9.78	3.97	8.46	3.98	5.41	10.82	6.36	87.91	...
Troja	3.96	4.66	1.70	5.81	14.27	11.70	2.41	8.31	5.00	5.34	6.37	7.02	76.55	...
Pear Tree Grove	7.11	2.52	3.03	8.90	13.33	11.22	5.00	4.95	7.92	3.03	5.97	7.68	80.66	...
Guy's Hill	6.02	4.16	4.40	7.68	13.21	9.95	4.88	5.45	3.20	4.80	8.39	8.30	83.44	71.62
Lucky Hill	8.14	4.68	5.45	4.75	12.56	9.59	2.96	4.84	4.37	5.35	9.93	9.61	82.23	79.52
Rio Hoe	6.98	3.34	3.25	5.03	18.60	9.21	2.99	7.24	4.38	4.62	7.13	10.51	83.28	77.58
Unity Valley	6.08	3.73	3.59	7.65	27.89	8.29	3.97	7.27	6.89	3.69	5.22	8.33	92.60	81.33
Moneague	5.63	2.46	3.73	4.89	21.86	7.97	2.17	6.67	6.28	4.38	5.85	8.01	79.90	79.83
Claremont	6.95	3.05	1.27	8.27	16.16	4.00	0.83	4.75	6.42	3.98	4.56	14.46	74.70	71.97
Averham Park	6.17	4.48	2.40	11.00	12.09	7.17	1.94	3.93	6.43	5.26	6.94	8.91	76.72	79.26
Albion	5.66	4.49	2.90	9.96	19.58	6.48	3.66	5.66	6.99	3.49	4.73	11.20	84.83	76.27

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Port Maria	4.93	1.85	6.00	3.88	9.33	7.11	4.65	2.12	3.88	9.18	8.06	8.36	69.35	68.32
Wentworth	3.23	...	6.24	4.26	9.38	7.57	4.76	1.98	3.47	9.05	8.91	7.82
Oracabessa	5.26	1.83	7.84	3.84	10.71	9.66	3.95	2.80	3.18	9.33	6.91	7.08	72.39	...
Huddersfield	4.42	2.40	6.29	3.29	8.16	10.70	1.74	2.08	4.75	9.27	7.74	6.20	67.04	...
Ocho Rios	5.68	1.50	8.50	4.04	10.40	6.43	3.71	2.58	3.53	6.13	6.16	6.48	65.14	52.92
Rockfield	8.54	3.57	1.84	8.87	10.30	4.53	2.93	2.24	4.41	6.23	6.10	11.65	71.21	73.66
Liberty Hill	3.48	0.86	2.70	6.05	6.45	2.07	1.86	1.98	3.12	4.29	5.11	5.15	43.12	61.00
St. Ann's Bay	6.56	0.80	4.15	5.52	10.61	3.99	3.44	2.87	3.11	6.02	6.08	10.74	63.89	58.29
Richmond Estate	3.45	0.42	3.13	4.20	8.72	4.14	2.44	1.74	2.15	4.31	3.61	5.17	43.48	59.93
Runaway Bay	2.80	0.39	1.09	4.31	9.86	4.08	1.54	0.70	1.90	4.30	2.85	4.29	38.11	27.10
Knapdale	7.94	2.92	2.27	8.69	14.87	5.90	3.03	6.24	8.35	4.56	11.39	...	...	...
Alexandria	1.94	2.39	1.16	4.98	16.00	5.21	1.60	7.52	6.17	4.96	2.23	5.67	59.83	50.96
Bel Air	7.05	0.40	2.55	6.90	16.10	5.05	3.15	2.40	2.55	4.20	5.40	5.95	62.00	...
Brown's Town	5.77	2.81	1.80	10.33	15.64	8.50	1.15	4.74	7.08	6.02	5.65	8.76	78.25	69.16
Watt Town, St. Ann	2.65	4.15	...	7.12	10.57	4.37	1.73	2.52	4.64	2.09	3.67	2.16	...	53.13
Honne Castle	8.69	1.60	0.95	9.60	12.45	7.60	...	1.90	5.70	4.75	6.20	5.90	...	57.81
Arcadia	5.48	0.79	0.73	5.75	10.45	6.18	2.75	2.55	1.82	5.78	5.56	4.44	52.28	51.01
Vale Royal	5.98	1.18	0.69	6.63	11.64	5.78	2.66	1.58	1.67	6.27	4.81	4.68	53.50	56.36
Harmony Hall	6.86	0.00	0.98	5.47	9.35	4.64	3.66	0.91	...	5.52	2.93	3.61	...	42.10

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Duncans	3.69	0.50	0.63	5.43	9.65	4.49	2.30	0.35	0.29	5.12	2.58	2.44	37.47	
Clark's Town	6.44	0.99	1.18	6.50	9.95	6.29	3.79	3.21	2.69	10.92	7.20	5.03	64.19	
Falmouth	3.73	0.58	1.44	3.67	9.34	6.98	2.61	1.23	0.99	2.94	2.85	4.34	40.70	38.20
The Hague	3.95	1.13	1.25	4.51	11.19	10.12	2.59	1.17	2.43	3.73	3.32	4.08	49.47	
Wales	5.85	0.00	1.05	8.55	14.65	10.35	0.90	2.20	6.05		2.60			
Adelphi	4.30	0.93	2.34	11.20	13.02	8.90	3.94	3.21	5.95	4.56	5.11	5.97	69.43	
Success	3.30	0.40	3.39	5.82	9.16	3.71	1.32	0.99	4.77	3.17	2.87	3.39	42.29	36.48
Rose Hall	2.64	0.11	3.03	3.48	9.43	3.92	1.16	1.26	5.69	3.54	2.07	5.39	41.72	39.38
Cianamon Hill	2.79	0.20	2.74	3.72	9.62	3.36	1.02	1.49	5.40	3.89	2.68	4.14	41.05	41.25
Tryall	2.75	0.25	2.70	3.80	9.30	5.32	1.00	1.21	5.70	4.40	2.37	5.67	44.47	46.27
Running Gut	2.88	0.09	3.01	2.85	9.38	4.39	1.05	0.92	5.57	3.23	2.05	5.07	40.49	39.56
Spring Estate	3.60	0.15	2.55	4.30	9.85	5.84	0.84	0.62	6.20	3.90	2.08	5.70	45.63	40.38
Friendship	4.08	1.32	1.07	8.94	10.92	17.31	3.38	5.72	8.18	8.75	7.62		60.91	66.73
Retirement	4.17	1.04	1.26	9.30	10.82	21.46	4.44	7.33	9.50	2.45	7.34		66.73	
Rosemount	2.29	0.33	0.69	5.20	9.84	12.51	2.89	4.53	5.60	3.41	4.10	3.48	54.87	
Montego Bay	2.02	0.26	1.19	5.76	10.70	13.18	3.71	5.33	5.79	4.35	5.10	2.78	60.17	54.47
Anchovy	1.37	0.25	2.33	7.22	11.07	13.84	6.72	5.10	12.77	8.04	6.60	2.54	78.45	55.67
Hopewell	4.20	0.31	4.21	5.11	13.53	12.49	4.44	4.39	7.10	5.55	5.71	6.94	78.98	
Blue Hole	4.18	0.14	0.53	7.28	8.63	17.25	5.70	3.50	6.86	5.12	6.10	1.18	66.47	80.87
Cascade	7.29	4.61	5.13	9.08	12.95	24.90	9.32	14.76	12.41	8.14	11.08	6.22	125.89	
Lucea	3.36	0.59	1.64	5.20	4.16	11.81	7.38	4.75	2.63	6.67	6.19	6.74	61.12	64.51
Haighton Court	3.73						8.19	5.17	1.92	6.34	7.71		60.69	
Kendal, (Hanover)	6.68	1.88	3.82	6.99	16.37	16.64	11.40	19.29	12.05	14.90	5.44	2.31	117.77	
Cousins Cove	4.08	1.55	1.04	5.28	6.73	14.18	10.17	8.46	5.61	8.85	8.58	4.75	79.28	
Green River	5.24	1.87	3.21	4.74	10.20	9.21	6.81	11.92	6.81	7.77	5.21	1.80	74.79	
Green Island	4.25	4.66	0.99	5.43	7.69	9.62	11.75	10.48	9.15	10.03	6.25	1.73	82.03	78.16
Haighton Hall	4.66	3.37	2.71	4.45	9.72	8.26	8.35	9.99	7.00	7.57	4.82	1.91	72.81	
Knollis	0.86	1.61	3.15	6.64	21.40	12.23	4.87	10.82	8.94	6.92	5.32	2.24	85.00	
Highgate	1.09	1.83	3.31	7.95	21.12	13.87	2.37	17.56	11.73	9.38	4.51	2.85	98.07	
Rio Magno	3.23	3.10	1.87	4.16	13.07	8.58	3.83	7.07	3.22	4.13	7.07	7.89	67.22	
Riversdale	1.21	3.11	1.93	4.23	12.61	12.89	8.83	10.90	6.67	3.25	4.98	6.06	76.67	
Headworks, R. C. C.	0.67		2.20	3.61	19.02	12.48	0.61	10.78	8.67	5.61	1.96	1.33	82.58	52.42
Bog Walk	0.91	1.52	3.72	5.03	24.49	11.01	4.14	9.99	9.47	6.89	3.78	1.63	70.22	
Linstead	0.88	1.30	2.04	4.08	23.68	10.59	5.34	7.85	7.30	4.85	6.59	2.20	76.70	70.22
Ewerton	2.10	0.25	1.57	2.06	26.43	9.78	0.00	6.18	3.41	2.85	5.10	1.86	61.59	
Guanaboa Vale	2.51	0.74	5.55		18.06	16.07	0.58	8.02	7.08	6.69	1.03	1.77		
Cave Valley	1.09	0.30	1.15	7.14	36.78	11.69	2.81	9.19	9.15	10.38	4.23	2.11	96.02	65.88
Point Hill	3.89	1.69	5.46	5.34	34.06	23.24	2.51	12.25	5.21	9.51	6.39	2.97	112.52	92.48
Brown's Hall	3.51	0.94	5.63	5.22	24.14	20.50	1.86	13.47	6.00	5.84	1.76	2.81	91.68	79.29
Bellas Gate	2.35	0.76	2.31	3.03	30.04	21.70	1.35	8.81	2.26	7.28	1.23	1.27	82.39	44.76
Rock River	3.36	1.28	1.10	5.62	32.59	16.19	0.90	7.03	13.27	8.18	2.22	0.00	91.74	
Crofts Hill	3.67	2.12	3.40	3.96	38.91	17.87	2.98	8.88	19.35	6.01	6.50	1.15	114.80	57.46
Far Enough	2.72	1.76	2.20	7.01	28.03	18.30	2.98	8.83	11.11	2.98	5.64	2.49	94.05	
Suttons	5.29	1.94	3.39		36.29	17.80	1.69	6.69	10.84	10.32	3.49	2.89		
Chapelton	3.39	1.33	2.70	5.50	28.51	19.10	2.26	8.19	7.93	7.43	4.66	1.30	92.30	61.16
Crooked River	3.04	1.45	3.46	6.51	21.77	21.22	2.72	7.95	7.44	7.05	3.56	1.57	87.74	
Colonels Ridge	4.49	2.32	3.97	5.97	33.57	20.94	2.26	13.36	5.97	4.19	4.26	1.85	103.15	
James Hill	3.25	2.89	3.82	7.25	35.65	16.15	3.51	7.83	6.10	6.02	5.09	3.92	101.48	
Frankfield	5.70	2.00	4.59	9.15	43.59	21.50	4.16	10.00	10.60	6.45	4.74	2.05	124.53	58.40

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Station.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year.	Average.
	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.
Mocho	6.30	3.37	4.28	12.10	22.87	19.73	4.46	9.51	6.57	9.47	2.13	2.33	103.12	68.43
Clarendon Park	5.60	1.23	2.10	8.96	26.02	21.58	8.95	6.80	6.98	8.73	3.32	2.00	102.57	
Borobridge	4.48	2.80	1.98	7.78	37.15	18.99	4.40	5.91	4.65	5.28	4.18	2.96	100.65	
Spaldings	5.22	2.28	1.65	8.70	36.14	20.01	5.05	7.08	6.80	5.44	5.02	1.99	105.38	62.54
Porus	7.02	1.57	4.47	9.54	25.44	27.51	6.33	11.05	3.85	7.07	4.00	1.90	109.75	
Williamsfield	8.51	2.14	4.04	10.31	30.07	26.92	8.26	8.06	6.14	7.92	4.27	2.15	118.79	
Brokenhurst	8.20	3.99	3.20	13.55	29.96	29.09	10.22	6.92	6.64	8.11	6.07	2.50	128.45	80.50
Shooters Hill	7.91	1.73	3.34	8.61	39.34	23.40	7.77	5.21	4.40	8.12	4.67	1.76	116.26	66.00
Wait-a-Bit	5.03	3.59	4.85	14.15	31.85	15.59	4.90	14.75	14.74	7.76	6.60	8.38	132.19	84.46
Christiana	4.23	1.88	2.22	10.68	30.91	13.46	5.48	5.90	6.56	5.96	2.63	1.58	91.49	73.05
Clifton Hill	10.33	3.28	3.35	17.77	42.67	40.85	12.75	9.83	4.40	12.05	7.30	2.65	167.23	69.76
Kendal, Manchester	5.71	1.80	3.10	11.51	38.80	20.99	6.90	5.40	4.07	7.81	5.24	1.54	112.87	76.37
Mereworth	7.97	3.41	4.91	14.74	30.26	30.78	13.96	6.28	8.78	8.54	6.71	3.53	139.87	
Mandeville	8.75	1.88	2.30	16.95	30.98	27.09	10.74	6.72	5.58	7.09	4.68	2.72	125.48	77.00
Ulster Spring	4.82	1.10	3.12	8.25	21.67	7.47	4.03	12.21	10.93	6.56	5.31	6.00	91.47	83.34
Greenvale	5.01	3.42	5.16	16.21	30.30	16.47	8.90	4.95	10.93	6.40	3.84	1.57	113.22	
Albert Town	5.20	1.75	4.04	7.61	28.13	9.73	3.30	10.80	5.45	7.44	9.22	4.11	96.78	80.41
Craighead	4.25	1.85	3.32	10.22	30.46	9.26	4.13	13.16	12.70	5.29	5.42	4.19	104.25	
Warsop	5.87	2.70	1.88	7.42	25.52	7.15	4.54	10.57	10.14	4.49	10.19	7.40	97.87	
Troy	3.26	3.04	1.85	9.85	28.08	11.61	6.04	13.47	16.19	8.02	7.93	5.37	114.71	98.31
Wallingford	3.25	3.48	3.06	12.47	32.45	12.72	2.30	25.01	14.16	13.49	5.57	6.55	134.60	85.74
Balaclava	4.11	1.97	3.33	9.23	29.63	10.13	2.75	10.59	9.53	7.74	4.10	3.56	96.67	78.53
Wakefield	3.65	0.20	1.25	7.20		8.32	3.85	3.50	7.10	5.80	4.05	5.20		
Maggotty	2.70	1.25	4.65	9.04	19.84	10.38	3.74	15.30	9.79	10.41	14.58	2.35	104.03	96.77
Lacovia	3.22	1.12	1.60	9.80	13.64	9.18	1.55	10.48	4.66	7.42	4.89	4.38	71.94	
Kempshot	3.78	1.01	1.31	9.99	11.66	12.12	4.70	4.98	9.90	9.53	4.54	3.63	77.15	77.29
Mocho, St. James	2.84	1.73	4.78	12.12	37.48	11.18		16.18			8.49			
Bandon Pen	2.90	0.85		13.54	20.52	8.73	4.44	6.05	13.11	12.49	6.52	2.93		

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Station.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year.	Average.
	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.
Catadupa	3.42	1.42	4.78	10.91	23.96	9.99	6.62	12.37	15.42	8.23	7.32	3.37	107.81	105.15
Cambridge, St. James	4.29	0.72	3.07	9.42	21.71	12.35	6.08	9.05	9.33	9.56	8.35	2.57	96.50	93.87
New Market	3.76	1.61	1.11	9.38	18.65	13.92	3.31	13.39	7.85	11.24	7.82	6.48	98.52	98.37
Kew Park	2.61	0.78	2.94	11.80	22.81	10.85	9.09	15.40	9.88	6.77	10.54	1.50	104.97	94.31
The Bog, New Market	3.25	2.50	0.54	11.64	18.39	9.64	3.53	12.65	10.35	9.68	7.30	7.15	96.62	104.93
Bethel Town Dist.	2.46	1.40	2.61	11.08	21.30	11.59	7.13	12.39	8.85	8.50	9.99	1.41	98.71	119.69
Burnt Ground	3.12	1.29	2.08	9.00	31.25	14.70	7.34	10.16	15.21	8.81	3.76	1.87	108.59	93.77
Haughton Grove	1.83	1.51	1.66	9.55	18.73	12.66	7.21	12.14	12.90	8.88	3.82	1.79	92.69	94.95
Darliston	4.80	1.19	4.95	12.89	21.87	12.65	7.87	17.11	14.16	15.23	11.01	5.68	129.41	116.61
Bluefields	3.96	1.21	1.46	8.57	11.26	10.27	3.75	9.04	10.67	6.50	16.70	5.73	89.12	94.77
Whithorn	9.75	0.49	2.40	10.11	14.92	12.48	9.46	15.64	11.98	10.77	5.75	3.29	107.04	95.13
Water Works Pen	4.69	0.57	2.33	9.78	15.17	9.13	9.39	17.46	15.14	11.65	5.24	4.70	105.25	90.16
Askenish	3.25	2.10	1.50	7.40	21.58	14.82	9.22	19.10	11.40	11.74	7.75	4.00	113.86	102.29
Grange Hill	3.13	1.45	1.78	8.55	10.50	9.97	5.33	10.97	13.28	8.11	4.21	2.93	80.16	99.50
King's Vale	2.74	1.50	1.70	6.05	9.28	6.91	2.11	4.91	2.81	3.70	2.29	1.11	45.11	87.53

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	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.
Morant Point L. H.	2.14	0.75	1.12	5.73	3.78	14.74	1.75	9.86	4.25	11.70	5.43	5.08	66.33	66.77
Golden Grove	3.07	0.79	3.15	4.08	7.65	17.71				11.09				
Pleasant Hill	3.19	1.14	2.00	4.73	9.78	22.20	2.75	13.90	3.92	14.26	8.70	4.59	91.16	66.95
East Prospect	3.38	1.13	1.89	3.91	9.61	21.76	3.09	10.97	3.03	17.06	6.07	5.97	87.87	75.11
Morant Bay	3.24	0.50	0.85	1.73	3.97	20.80	3.47	11.35	3.43	10.77	5.71	3.12	68.94	67.25
Aeolus Valley	1.94	1.32	0.81	1.06	6.95	24.11			2.93	9.76	4.51			
Yallahs	2.65	1.10	0.20	0.20	3.93	18.28	3.34	7.43	5.73	14.28	6.15	1.55	64.84	
Easington	1.75	0.44	0.38	0.38	6.29	24.01	7.35	9.11	3.01	9.46	4.40	1.17	67.75	59.11
Mavis Bank	2.51	1.06	2.87	1.32	13.31	18.34	2.87	8.42	4.59	6.90	2.09	3.92	68.20	
Bull Bay	0.25	0.26	0.08	0.06	3.28	12.65	2.28	4.58	1.10	6.00	0.90	0.62	32.06	30.08
Dallas Castle	0.85			4.29	8.43	16.95	1.39	10.54	10.22	8.44	3.19	2.53		
Gordon Town	1.61	1.01	0.54	2.32	15.08	16.51	3.24	9.30	7.75	5.29	2.56	2.49	67.70	60.90
Irish Town	1.51	2.06	2.30	3.86	25.46	22.60	2.02	13.48	14.12	8.27	2.09	2.53	100.30	59.06
Hope Gardens	0.27	0.72	0.61	1.47	13.31	12.16	2.18	7.41	10.40	5.28	1.53	1.60	56.94	52.21
Waireka														
Iver	0.61	1.14	1.69		18.73	7.43	1.66	9.31	9.43	5.11	5.23	2.15		
Plumb Point L. H.	0.60	0.40	0.35	0.00	7.88	21.85	2.40	6.00	3.04	6.73	0.35	2.10	51.70	32.22
Barbican	1.17	0.38	1.45	1.31	17.60	9.38	1.36	7.59	8.96	4.91	2.25	2.16	58.52	
King's House Gardens	0.23	0.44	0.58		14.77	9.41	1.22	5.68	5.61	8.00	2.21	2.17		44.00
Cavaliers	0.99	0.55	0.16	1.04	11.67	13.22	0.94	4.32	1.42	5.40	1.12	1.92	42.85	
Constant Spring	0.16	0.54	3.37	4.21	24.07	9.70	1.68	9.05	13.05	5.70	3.87	1.65	77.05	
Upper Kingston	0.96	0.53	0.19	0.79	10.44	14.77	1.08	4.44	1.38	4.10	0.92	1.37	40.97	26.18
Parade Garden	0.65	0.64	0.18	0.97	8.89	14.79	1.17	3.73	1.20	3.85	0.61	1.12	37.80	
Kingston, P. W. D.	0.66	0.55	0.20	1.20	8.95	13.80	0.97	3.94	0.57	3.79	0.59	1.12	38.34	31.56
Halfway Tree	0.52	0.63	0.57	1.09	12.51	12.53	0.86	4.15	3.54	5.57	2.10	3.16	47.23	36.60
Clifton Pen	0.97	0.92	0.50	1.07	13.46	16.78	1.21	5.58	1.22	5.94	1.23	1.85	50.73	33.48
Seaward Pen	0.00	0.64	0.88	1.98	14.18	12.24	0.41	4.66	4.13	6.04	0.71	1.67	47.54	
Red Hills	0.25	0.67	2.89	3.59	25.84	14.55	1.19	9.58	8.36	10.47	2.42	2.06	81.87	
Quarantine Station	1.26	0.54	0.49	0.16	5.33	18.20	0.73	1.98	0.52	6.71	2.77	1.50	40.19	23.77
Hematine	0.96	0.39	2.63	2.64	12.42	13.16	0.52	5.33	0.93	6.60	1.24	1.12	47.94	36.72
Spanish Town	0.80	0.36	2.66	3.51	13.88	13.88	0.38	5.41	5.59	7.10	1.05	1.21	55.83	41.53
The Stewartry	0.77	0.66	1.43	7.96	20.81	12.62	0.35	6.81	7.68					
Hog Hole, St. Catherine	1.12		1.90	6.28	21.38	14.02	0.54	6.66	8.43	8.30	1.41	1.13		47.19
Old Harbour	3.29	2.28	2.89	2.47	14.28	17.05	0.81	3.63	4.64	8.60	0.58	2.02	63.44	49.37
May Pen	5.37	0.83	2.35	4.24	16.70	16.14	1.95	5.96	3.23	5.21	2.23	2.12	66.83	51.77
Glen Muir	6.68	0.50	1.50	6.35	16.80	13.75	2.80	5.30	3.40	5.40	3.50	1.00	66.98	
Cottage	2.62	2.78	1.85	1.28	6.43	14.93	2.79	3.45	2.62	12.08	3.93	1.59	56.35	
Belle Plain	5.41	2.10	2.36	10.83	21.74	23.22	5.26	6.92	6.69	12.76	6.50	2.55	105.34	
Milk River	3.27	3.21	0.91	6.63	14.65	20.83	5.04	4.10	2.75	11.90	1.35	2.78	77.42	45.49
Retrieve	2.88	1.56		6.00	11.82	17.42	3.37	3.13	1.87	5.12	2.91	2.93		44.09
Hog Hole, S. Man.	6.72	3.59	1.65	7.83	18.21									59.93
Stone's Hope	6.67	3.24	2.55	7.19	21.07	26.14	7.90	6.71	6.84	7.90	4.61	3.04	103.86	66.17
Newport, Man.	7.26	2.62	3.57	6.39	24.77	23.04	7.92	7.40	6.48	6.42	5.72	2.84	104.43	68.22
Alligator Pond	4.59	0.36	0.78	4.30	7.78	18.05	5.57	3.37	4.43	5.25	2.83	3.26	60.57	40.73
Fairfield	5.72	2.63	5.16	15.63	32.87	14.99	6.76	3.72	8.44	5.31	3.69	2.64	107.56	62.66

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	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.
Myersville ..	7.65	0.82	2.41	9.84	22.02	11.46	3.34	4.41	10.02	5.90	2.19	2.76	82.82	..
Southfield, St. Elizabeth ..	6.98	0.55	1.18	5.73	11.68	24.98	5.31	7.34	3.53	7.17	3.17	3.03	80.65	49.44
Windsor, St. Elizabeth ..	6.63	0.92	1.81	5.91	27.29	14.75	3.84	6.66	6.08	7.00	5.39	3.24	89.52	..
Torrington ..	5.83	0.43	2.33	6.97	27.13	19.50	3.89	7.74	5.91	6.99	4.47	2.87	94.06	55.41
Santa Cruz ..	3.24	1.34	3.86	11.02	34.29	10.45	2.31	8.41	10.89	10.24	3.11	5.18	104.34	79.35
Hounslow ..	4.23	0.80	3.08	6.15	22.38	12.40	3.35	4.86	3.53	4.42	2.65	3.00	70.85	..
Pedro Plains ..	4.02	0.79	0.79	4.94	12.32	14.02	2.56	3.15	4.85	3.42	0.72	1.93	53.51	32.07
Mountainside ..	3.82	1.36	0.76	9.68	21.21	11.26	1.86	4.48	5.06	5.02	2.86	4.42	71.79	45.09
Fort Charles ..	2.75	2.01	1.53	4.76	15.18	8.30	1.93	3.00	2.18	3.03	2.43	2.56	49.68	..
Black River ..	3.69	0.46	0.93	5.04	13.17	11.00	1.05	6.69	7.13	5.52	3.45	2.10	60.23	50.95
Font Hill ..	3.90	1.85	3.05	5.50	7.15	11.50	2.20	7.05	9.05	10.45	2.95	3.05	67.70	57.64
Mount Edgewcombe ..	2.87	0.79	1.36	5.08	10.10	7.15	2.15	9.98	6.38	10.26	7.20	3.52	66.84	69.11
Sweet River ..	3.70	0.30	2.04	5.16	8.91	9.32	5.93	9.17	9.30	4.77	..	..	..	71.59
Sav.-la-Mar ..	3.52	0.58	2.28	5.22	6.99	7.54	3.70	8.02	10.22	7.56	5.52	3.71	64.86	62.09
Little London ..	4.27	4.51	2.36	7.24	9.06	11.68	7.50	13.80	11.40	14.90	7.35	6.45	100.52	70.18
Retreat ..	3.73	1.23	1.47	5.70	7.54	9.25	4.02	7.97	9.69	8.04	4.01	2.68	65.33	69.97
Negril Point L. H. ..	3.97	1.09	2.42	6.28	7.92	7.84	3.40	4.91	5.71	7.29	2.04	2.34	55.21	54.09

COMPARATIVE TABLE OF RAINFALL FOR 1936.

Division.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total 1936.	Average 60 years.
	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.
North-Eastern Division ..	5.55	3.01	3.74	7.57	20.88	14.69	6.54	8.81	7.10	8.66	8.58	9.63	104.76	99.54
Northern Division ..	3.90	1.25	2.53	5.69	15.00	10.03	3.20	4.75	5.79	5.70	4.66	4.37	66.85	56.68
West-Central Division ..	4.80	1.78	2.70	10.44	24.09	14.72	6.21	11.33	9.21	8.83	6.87	3.44	104.42	87.84
Southern Division ..	3.04	1.23	1.64	4.63	13.44	15.65	3.21	6.89	5.42	7.71	3.13	2.74	68.73	51.42
Means for 1936 ..	4.32	1.82	2.65	7.08	18.35	13.77	4.79	7.95	6.88	7.73	5.81	5.05	86.20	..
Average for 60 years 1870-1929 ..	4.00	3.13	3.35	4.77	8.77	6.53	4.75	6.93	7.94	10.21	8.29	5.20	..	73.87

COMPARATIVE TABLE OF RAINY DAYS, 1936.

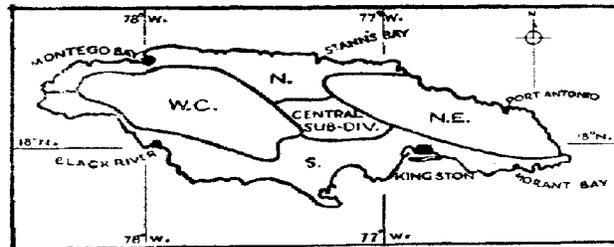
The Island.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.
Means for 1936 ..	8	6	7	9	17	18	8	12	13	14	12	11	135
Averages for 35 years 1895-1929 ..	8	7	8	9	12	10	9	11	13	14	12	9	122

MEAN RAINFALL FOR EACH PARISH, 1936.

Parish.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.	Average 10 years.
	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.	In.
Kingston ..	0.72	0.53	0.23	0.74	9.04	16.30	1.41	4.48	1.55	4.62	0.62	1.43	41.67	30.46
St. Andrew ..	1.15	1.28	1.62	3.39	19.91	13.27	2.43	9.59	9.74	7.35	4.07	3.91	77.71	68.47
St. Thomas ..	3.66	1.65	1.20	2.78	9.90	25.56	6.01	12.43	4.93	12.16	7.22	5.09	92.59	79.95
Portland ..	7.04	4.64	6.18	11.07	31.12	16.39	12.32	9.89	7.65	11.87	14.84	15.28	148.27	136.13
St. Mary ..	6.42	2.77	5.06	7.61	14.35	9.21	4.92	4.08	4.95	7.08	8.22	9.79	84.46	83.72
St. Ann ..	5.39	2.30	2.67	7.15	15.37	6.11	2.47	4.17	5.12	4.91	5.43	7.40	68.49	65.76
Trelawny ..	4.84	1.35	1.78	7.21	17.04	8.19	3.39	5.61	6.19	6.18	5.37	5.01	72.16	61.52
St. James ..	3.14	0.65	2.51	7.50	13.62	9.74	3.27	4.81	7.83	5.79	4.88	4.12	67.86	64.22
Hanover ..	4.19	2.27	2.54	6.33	12.67	13.23	7.90	9.84	7.15	8.09	6.22	3.32	83.75	81.25
Westmoreland ..	4.05	1.29	2.21	8.51	13.70	9.80	6.18	11.88	10.76	9.47	7.57	3.64	89.06	83.75
St. Elizabeth ..	4.36	1.30	2.06	7.84	20.50	12.71	3.05	9.92	8.58	7.85	5.14	3.49	86.80	65.74
Manchester ..	6.72	2.44	3.32	11.08	28.07	23.19	7.98	6.36	6.19	7.24	4.54	2.41	109.54	70.82
Clarendon ..	4.43	2.00	2.71	7.11	27.78	18.71	3.72	7.87	7.87	7.68	4.03	2.35	96.06	59.98
St. Catherine ..	2.24	1.71	2.64	4.87	19.25	13.72	2.77	8.72	6.45	6.11	3.95	3.40	75.83	64.75
Means 1936 ..	4.17	1.87	2.62	6.66	18.02	14.01	4.84	7.82	6.78	7.60	5.86	5.05	85.30	72.62

TABLE OF GREATEST AND LEAST MONTHLY FALLS IN 1936.

Month	Greatest Fall.			Least Fall.	
	Amount. Ins.	Place.	Amount. Ins.	Place.	
January	13.71	Enfield	0.00	Seaward Pen	
February	12.03	Orange Vale	0.00	Harmony Hall and Wales	
March	10.79	Paradise	0.16	Cavaliers	
April	19.97	Balcarres	0.00	Plumb Point Lighthouse	
May	53.32	Paradise	3.28	Bull Bay	
June	41.00	Millbank	2.07	Liberty Hill	
July	28.68	Moore Town	0.00	Ewarton	
August	25.01	Wallingford	0.35	Duncans	
September	19.40	Williamsfield (West)	0.29	Duncans	
October	29.03	Moore Town	2.09	Watt Town	
November	30.01	Millbank	0.35	Plumb Pt. Lighthouse	
December	32.59	Millbank	0.00	Rock River	
Year	21.57	Millbank	32.06	Bull Bay	



RAINFALL DIVISIONS.

The Northern Division comprises the northern shores from Port Maria to Davis' Cove, including the central part of the Island which forms the Central Sub-division; the Southern Division comprises the southern shores from Holland Bay to South Negril; the North-eastern and West-Central Divisions are the remaining parts of the Island bounded by the sea and the other Divisions.

A Map showing these Rainfall Divisions is published in Mr. Maxwell Hall's "Rainfall of Jamaica," following page 27, 1911 Edition, and of page 33 of 1934 Edition, an outline of which is given below.

YEAR 1936.
METEOROLOGICAL—JAMAICA

CLIMATIC CONDITIONS.

Precipitation.

The Island total rainfall for the year 1936, was excessive, giving the highest, with 86.20 inches, since the year 1933, recording the phenomenal total of 116.55 ins. The month of May, with a total of 18.35 ins. represented more than double its normal. The months of January, April, May, June, July and August were above their averages. The other months were below. The total mean number of rainy days for the Island was 135 as compared to the 35-year average of 122. The abnormal rains caused considerable damage to roads, bridges and cultivation.

The data following give a condensed report of the most important features concerning each Division or parish, with respect to the incidence of precipitation, in reference to the monthly results.

January. This month shewed a small excess. The North-eastern Division, although below normal, gauged a mean of 5.55 ins. and the Southern Division giving the least with 3.04 ins. But all the other Divisions, although with less rainfall, were above the averages. The heaviest precipitation occurred during the latter part of the month, particularly on the 23rd and 29th. The greatest total fall for the month was 13.71 inches at Enfield, in the North-eastern Division, and the heaviest fall in 24 hours was 8.00 ins. at the same station, on the 29th.

The mean number of rainy days was eight, which corresponds to the normal. The greatest number was twenty-one at Port Antonio, in the North-eastern Division.

The Parish of Portland recorded the most with 7.04 ins. and the parish of Kingston, the least, with only 0.72 inch.

February. The precipitation for the Island was much below the 60-year average.—Each Division suffering a deficiency. (This is usually the driest month). Most of this restricted rainfall appears to have occurred during the first few days, and again at the end of the month, particularly on the 1st and 2nd and again on the 27th and 29th.

The greatest total fall for the month was 12.03 ins. at Orange Vale in the North-eastern Division, and the heaviest fall in 24 hours was 3.62 ins. at Green Island in the Northern Division on the 21st. No rain fell at Harmony Hall and Wales in the Northern Division.

The mean number of rainy days was six, the average being seven. The greatest number being eight—teen at Manchioneal in the North-eastern Division.

The parish of Portland recorded the most with 4.64 ins. whilst the parish of Kingston had the least with only 0.53 inch.

March. The mean monthly rainfall, for the Island, was below the average in all the Divisions, except the Northern, which gave a slight excess. The heaviest precipitation appears to have occurred on the 1st, 11th, and 12th and again on the 19th when very heavy showers fell in Western St. Mary and Eastern St. Ann, causing considerable damage to roads in that section. The greatest total fall for the month was 10.79 ins. at Paradise in the North-eastern Division, and the heaviest fall in 24 hours was 6.50 ins. at Ocho Rios in the Northern Division, on the 19th.

The mean number of rainy days was seven, the average being eight. The greatest number being sixteen at Paradise in the North-eastern Division.

The parish of Portland recorded the most, with 6.16 ins. and the parish of Kingston the least with only 0.23 of an inch.

April. The Island mean monthly rainfall was above the average in all Divisions particularly in the West-central Division. The heaviest rainfall occurred during the latter half of the month, especially between the 19th and the 21st. The heaviest fall in 24 hours was 9.32 ins. on the 20th at Balcarres in the North-eastern Division. The greatest fall for the month was 19.97 ins. at the same station. No rain fell at Plumb Point Light House, in the Southern Division.

The mean number of rainy days was nine, which is the average for the month.

The parish of Manchester recorded the most rainfall with 11.08 ins. followed by Portland with 11.07 ins. The parish of Kingston was the least with only 0.74 of an inch.

May. The "May Season" was much in evidence, for the mean monthly rainfall was more than double the average in all Divisions, and was the second highest May rainfall on record; the highest being 21.24 ins. in the year 1838, followed by 1936 with 18.35 ins. Very heavy rains occurred towards the end of the month, particularly on the 28th which caused serious damage to roads, on many of which traffic was interrupted by inundation, landslips and breakaways. The rains were general throughout the Island, (and were also experienced at George Town, Grand Cayman Island with 20.67 ins.) but were heaviest in St. Andrew, Portland, St. Elizabeth, Manchester, Clarendon and St. Catherine.

The greatest total fall for the month was 53.32 ins. at Paradise in the North-eastern Division, and the heaviest fall in 24 hours was 17.85 ins. at Cave Valley (in St. Ann) on the 28th. Other heavy falls occurred on the 28th at Shooters Hill, 16.48 ins. (gauge overflowed) Bellas Gate 15.65 ins., Borobridge 15.60 ins., Spaldings 15.27 ins., Kendal (Manchester), 14.65 ins., Castleton 12.95 ins., Ewarton 12.86 ins. and several other stations gauged over 10 inches.

The mean number of rainy days was seventeen, the average being twelve. Millbank in the North-eastern Division had the record number of thirty-one, followed by Moore Town with thirty. Several other stations had from twenty-seven to twenty-nine rainy days.

The parish of Portland had the greatest monthly fall of 31.12 ins. followed by Manchester with 28.07 ins. and Clarendon 27.78 ins. Parish of Kingston showing the least with 9.04 ins. All the parishes were markedly above the 10-year normals.

June. The mean monthly rainfall was much above the average in all the Divisions, especially in the Southern Division which had over three times its normal. Very heavy and continuous rains fell during this month, particularly in the first three weeks, causing much damage to roads. These rains were general throughout the Island, but heaviest in Kingston, St. Andrew, St. Thomas, Portland, Manchester, Clarendon and St. Catherine. The greatest total fall for the month was 41.00 ins. at Millbank in the North-eastern Division, and the heaviest fall in 24 hours was 7.65 ins. at Southfield in the Southern Division on the 12th.

The mean number of rainy days was eighteen; the average being ten. Manchioneal and Bath, in the North-eastern Division, had most rainy days, twenty-nine each.

The parish of St. Thomas had the most precipitation with 25.56 inches, followed by Manchester with 23.19 ins. and Clarendon with 18.71 ins. The parish of St. Ann had the least with 6.11 ins.

There was a weather disturbance about 600 miles to the West of Negril Point on the 12th which possibly contributed to these heavy rainfalls.

Grand Cayman shewed a heavy total for June, with 11.20 ins. also a heavy fall in 24 hours of 2.25 ins. on the 11th.

July. The Island mean monthly rainfall was slightly above the normal in all the Divisions, except the West-central which was about four-fifths of the normal. The heaviest precipitation appears to have occurred during the first week, particularly on the 7th. The greatest total fall for the month was 28.68 ins. at Moore Town, in the North-eastern Division, and the heaviest fall in 24 hours was 9.55 ins. at Clifton Hill in the West-central Division on the 7th.

The mean number of rainy days was eight, being one less than the average. Moore Town, in the North-eastern Division, had most rainy days—twenty-four. No rain fell at Ewerton in the Central Sub-Division.

The parish of Portland recorded the highest rainfall of 12.52 ins., followed by Manchester with 7.98 ins. and Hanover with 7.90 ins. The parish of Kingston had the lowest, 1.41 inch.

August. The Island mean rainfall was above the normal, shewing 7.95 ins. as against the normal of 6.93 ins. All the Divisions, except the Northern, were in excess. The heaviest precipitation occurred in the latter half of the month, particularly on the 28th, but generally, the rainfall was well distributed, as the mean number of rainy days was twelve as against the average of eleven. Mulgrave in the West-Central Division, had most rainy days, twenty-seven.

The greatest total fall for the month was 25.01 ins. at Wallingford, in the West-central Division, and the heaviest fall in 24 hours was 8.60 ins. on the 26th at Manchioneal in the North-eastern Division.

The parish of St. Thomas recorded the highest with 12.43 ins. followed by Westmoreland with 11.88 ins. and St. Elizabeth with 9.92 ins. The lowest mean occurred in St. Mary with 4.08 ins.

September. The mean monthly Island Rainfall was below the average in all Divisions. The general mean was 6.88 ins. as against the normal of 7.94 ins. The greatest total fall for the month was 19.40 ins., at Williamsfield in the parish of Westmoreland, in the West-central Division; and the heaviest fall in 24 hours was 5.60 ins. at Castleton Gardens in the North-eastern Division, on the 10th.

The mean number of rainy days was thirteen which corresponds to the average.

The greatest number of rainy days was twenty-five at Castleton, Mulgrave, Holland and Fairfield.

The parish of Westmoreland recorded the highest monthly fall of 10.76 ins. followed by St. Andrew with 9.74 ins. and St. Elizabeth with 8.58 ins. The lowest recorded was at Kingston, with only 1.55 inch.

October. The "Season" rains fell below the normal, for the Island mean monthly precipitation gave only 7.73 ins. as against the 60-year normal of 10.21 ins., representing about three-quarters of the average. But it was proportionally well distributed in each Division. The number of rainy days was fourteen which is the average for 35 years. The West-central Division gave the highest mean of 8.83 ins. and sixteen rainy days. The Northern gave the lowest with 5.70 ins.

The greatest total fall for the month was 29.03 ins. at Moore Town, in the North-eastern Division, and the heaviest fall in 24 hours was 5.66 ins. at Millbank in the same Division, on the 6th. Moore Town station had most rainy days, with twenty-five.

The mean rainfall for the parish of St. Thomas shews 12.16 ins. which is the highest, followed by Portland with 11.87 inches, and Westmoreland with 9.47 ins. The parish of Kingston with only 4.62 ins. was the lowest. There were no very excessive flood rains to cause heavy damage.

November. The Island monthly rainfall was much below the average in all the Divisions, except the West-central which was slightly in excess. This restricted rainfall was, however, fairly well distributed, the mean number of rainy days being twelve which corresponds to the average for the month. The greatest total fall for the month was 30.01 ins. at Millbank in the North-eastern Division, and the heaviest fall in 24 hours was 7.60 ins. at Fellowship, in the same Division, on the 6th.

The greatest number of rainy days was twenty-four, at Comfort Castle and at Averham Park.

The parish of Portland recorded the highest with 14.84 ins. as against its 10 year average of 26.04 ins. followed by St. Mary with 8.22 ins. and Westmoreland, 7.57 ins. The parish of Kingston gave the lowest, with only 0.62 inch.

December. The Island mean rainfall was slightly below the normal. The North-eastern and Northern Divisions were below, while the West-central and Southern Divisions were above their normals. The greatest total fall for the month was 32.59 inches at Millbank in the North-eastern Division, and the heaviest fall in 24 hours was 6.50 ins. at Port Antonio in the same Division on the 17th.

The mean number of rainy days was eleven; the average for the month being nine. Barrett's Gap in the North-eastern Division had most rainy days, twenty-four.

The parish of Portland recorded the highest monthly mean fall of 15.28 ins., followed by St. Mary with 9.79 ins. and St. Ann with 7.40 ins. Kingston with 1.43 inch was lowest.

The parish of Portland recorded the greatest rainfall for seven months of the year, and the parish of Kingston shewed the least for ten months out of the twelve.

THE ISLAND RAINFALL FOR THE YEAR, 1936.

The total mean rainfall, derived from the twelve monthly averages, embracing the Four Divisions of the Island, for the year 1936, as supplied by about 250 reporting Stations, from all Sections of the Island, was 86.20 ins. as compared to the 60-year Island rainfall normal of 73.87 ins. The first half of the year, gauged a mean total of 47.99 ins. as against the aggregate possible normal of 30.55 ins. which is equivalent to 57% above the normal. The second half of the year gauged 38.21 ins. as against the aggregate normal of 43.32 ins. equivalent to 12% below the normal. On the whole the Island Rainfall was 12.33 ins. above the 60-year average. Each of the Divisions was in excess as given in total rainfall in inches.

DIVISIONS.

	North- Eastern.	Northern.	West- Central.	Southern.
	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.
Rainfall Total 1936 ..	104.76	66.88	104.42	68.73
Total 60-year Average ..	99.54	56.68	87.84	51.42
Percentage of Excess ..	5.2%	18.0%	19.0%	33.6%

The mean total of rainy days for the year was 135, as against the 35-year average of 122, or 13 days average excess of rainy days.

Taking the year's rainfall total as 86.20 ins. in 135 days with rain, a mean of 0.64 inch per rainy day is derived. June had a mean of 18 rainy days, which stands the greatest; whilst February had only 6.

The parish of Portland gauged the greatest total mean of 148.27 ins. for the year followed by Manchester with 109.54 ins. The parish of Kingston had the least fall for the year with 41.67 inches.

A reprint of the Annual Table of Rainfall which appeared in the Weather Report No. 725 for December, 1936, page 7, is subjoined.

HAILSTORMS.

A hailstorm, accompanied by heavy rain, was reported from Trinity Ville and Mavis Bank Factory, (St. Thomas) on October 14th; also at Labyrinth on the 15th.

NORTHERS.

Kingston. Moderate on the 23rd and 24th February.

Negril. Light norther throughout the month of March.

Morant Point. Norther on 23rd and 24th February; also on 17th and 28th November.

Northers also occurred on the northside during the latter part of December.

EARTHQUAKES.

There were no Earthquakes reported for the month of January, September, October and December. The following eight months experienced shocks of slight to moderate intensity:—

February 12th	8.30 p.m. Intensity II, felt at Albany, Dry Harbour, Rosemount, Fairfield, James' Hill, Coleyville, Warsop, Balaclava, Catadupa, Springfield, Malvern, Pedro Plains, Black River and Negril.
March 5th.	10 a.m. Intensity I, felt at Clifton Hill.
March 23rd	about 7.40 p.m. Intensity I, felt at Mundeville, Balaclava, Fairfield, Windsor, Malvern and Harkers Hall.
March 23rd	9.10 p.m. at Malvern.
April 3rd	5.40 a.m. Intensity I, Black River.
April 16th	12.37 p.m. Easington and Seaforth.
April 20th	7.30 a.m., Kingston and Barbican.
April 20th	8.27 p.m. Intensity II, felt at Moy Hall, Aeolus Valley, Barbican and Kingston.
May 28th	11.20 p.m. Intensity II, felt at 27 places, over a large area, including the parishes of Kingston, St. Andrew, St. Mary, St. Catherine, St. Ann, Clarendon and St. Elizabeth.
June 20th	10.20 a.m. Intensity I, Kingston.
July 14th	4.46 a.m. Intensity varying from I to II, over an area including the parishes of Kingston, St. Andrew, St. Mary, St. Ann and St. Catherine.
August 16th	8.55 p.m. Intensity I, felt at Mount Cressy and Barbican.
November 17th	Intensity I, felt at Clifton Hill.

SOLAR HALOS.

Complete solar halos seen at Kingston on April, 15th at 10.45 a.m. also partial one on 16th about noon.