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Observations of solar radiation. Cairo. [1914] p. 114–126. 27½ cm. (Survey dept., Egypt. Helwan observ. Bull. no. 14.)

**Gorczyński, Władysław.**
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O Ciśnieniu Powietrza w Polsce i w Europie. (Pression Atmosphérique en Pologne et en Europe.) Warsaw, 1917. 265 p. 14 figs. 54 charts. 30 cm. [Text in Polish; résumé in French.] [Abstract in this REVIEW, p. 412.]

O wyznaczaniu stopnia kontynentalizmu wedug amplitud temperatury. (Méthode de calculer le degré du continentalisme en fonction de la température.) Warsaw. 1918. p. 500–547. 25 cm. (Extrait des Comptes rendus de la Société des sciences de Varsovie. 1918. XI Année. Fasc. 4.) [Text in Polish; résumé in French.]

O zmianach okresowych w ciągu doby i o obserwacyach dugoletnicc ciśnienia powietrza w Polsce. (Variation diurne de la pression atmosphérique et quelques longues séries d'observations barométriques en Pologne.) Warsaw. 1916. p. 365–403. 25 cm. (Comptes rendus de la Société des sciences de Varsovie. 1916. IX Année. Fasc. 4.) [Text in Polish; résumé in French.]

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Environmental changes and their effect upon boll-shedding in cotton. New York. 1920. 131 p. 25 cm. (Annals of the New York academy of sciences, vol. 29.)

**Moreux, Abbé Th.**
Comment prévoir le temps. Paris. 1919. 269 p. 21½ cm.

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O teoryi pradow prostoliniowych w atmosferze. (Théorie des courants rectilignes dans atmosphère.) Warsaw. 1917. p. 282–322. 25 cm. (Extrait des Comptes rendus de la Société des sciences de Varsovie. 1917. X Année. Fasc. 3.) [Text in Polish; résumé in French.]

**Rondeleux, M.**
Cyclones. Théorie succincte, prévision et manoeuvre préventive d'après les trauvaux météorologiques récents. Manuel à l'usage des navigateurs. Paris. 1916. 80 p. 25 cm. (Extrait des *Annales hydrographiques, 1916.*)

**Shaw, H. Knox.**
Solar radiation during 1914. Cairo. 1915. p. 149–167. 27½ cm. (Ministry of public works, Egypt. Physical service. Helwan observatory. Bull. no. 17.)

**Somigliana, C., & Vercelli, F.**
Previsione matematica della temperatura nei grandi trafori alpini. Torino. 1912. p. 327–377. 33 cm. (Estr. dalle Memorie della R. Accademia delle scienze di Torino, serie 2, tom. 63.)

**U. S. Air service.**
Meteorology and aeronautics. Washington. 1920. 8 p. 28 cm. (Air service information circular, v. 1, no. 77.) [Abstract in later REVIEW.]

**Zi-ka-wei observatory.**
Atlas of the tracks of 620 typhoons 1893–1918, by Louis Froc, S. J., Director, Zi-ka-wei observatory. Zi-ka-wei (Chang-hai). 1920. 4 p. 23 charts. 31 cm.

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**Durst, C. S.** The upper air and its relation to wind at the surface of the globe.

*Meteorological magazine. London. v. 55. July, 1920.*
**Dines, W[illiam] H[enry].** The tilting rain gauge: a new autographic instrument. p. 112–113.
**Locke, A. S.** Temperature and "scent" [in hunting]. p. 117. [Dogs can follow a scent easily when the ground is warmer than the air, but only with difficulty when the ground is colder.]

*Nature. London. v. 105. July 22, 1920.*
**Van Everdingen, E.** Aerial navigation and meteorology. p. 637–638. [Criticizes Annexe G. of the Convention for the regulation of aerial navigation.]
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**Ward, Robert De C[ourcy].** Mr. Maxwell Hall, M. A., F. R. A. S. [Obituary.] p. 313–314.

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**Whiting, Wendell M.** Record weather. Excessive precipitation, temperature extremes, high winds, blizzards, hurricanes, and tornadoes. p. 190–191.

*Archives des sciences physiques et naturelles. Genève. 123 année. Mai juin, 1920.*
**Gruner, P[aul].** La formation de rayons dans la lumière pourprée. p. 247–248.
**Borel, Ch[arles], & Jaquerod, A.** Sur un constituant inconnu de l'air atmosphérique. p. 265. [Laboratory experiments to determine whether an unknown light gas exists in the atmosphere. Results negative.]

*France. Académie des sciences. Comptes rendus. Paris. Tome 171. 12 juillet 1920.*
**Żeil, G.** Sur la constante proportionnelle reliant la fréquence sismique à la fréquence des chutes pluviales. p. 117–119. [Abstract in June REVIEW, p. 356.]