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? WHY THE WEATHER ?

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SUMMER WEATHER TYPES

What we dread most in summer is hot weather. But the thermometer certainly doesn't tell the whole story. A hot and damp day is much worse than a hot dry day. Usually, too, a windy hot day is more bearable than a quiet one, though with extremedry heat this is not the case. Almost all kinds of summer days are found in almost all regions of the United States but the frequency of the different types differs most widely. Perhaps the worst variety is the hot humid day. Hot rainy days abound in the Gulf States but are very rare on the Pacific Coast. The commonest and next worst type of summer weather is the hot, fair and quiet day that predominates especially in the interior. Canada, especially the western coast, can offer the pleasantest summer climate, as it affords the largest number of moderate, fair and quiet days. The coast of California is preeminently the place for moderate fair and windy weather.

(Tomorrow: Indications of Fair and Warmer)

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