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A recent survey of the instruction in meteorology provided at institutions of higher education in the United States shows that now, as in the past, the courses offered in this subject are, as a rule, elementary and descriptive, laying little stress upon physics and mathematics and in some cases are devoted entirely to climatology. There are a few exceptions, however. It appears that truly advanced instruction in meteorology, with a good course in physics as a prerequisite, is given at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (Cambridge, Mass.), the California Institute of Technology (Pasadena) and St. Louis University (St. Louis, Mo.)

Brief courses are given in the physics departments of the following institutions and are supposed to follow preparation in physics:

University of Florida, Gainesville, Fla.

University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho.

University of Iowa, Iowa City, Ia.

Kansas State College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences, Manhattan, Kans.

University of Maine, Orono, Me.

Post-Graduate School, U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.

University of Oregon, Eugene, Ore.

University of Southern California, Los Angeles, Calif.

Stanford University, Palo Alto, Calif. (Atmospheric electricity).

Utah State Agricultural College, Logan, Utah.

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