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Hurricanes! These, the world's most destructive storms, are technically known as "tropical cyclones." In the West Indies they are called "hurricanes," in the Philippines, "baguios," and in the China Sea, "typhoons." While they are in the aggregate more harmful than even the tornado, the intensest storm, they also do considerable good in that they bring beneficial rains which more than offsets the damage caused by their squalls, lightning and extremely heavy precipitation.

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