

METEOROLOGICAL RECORD.

For the week ending April 2, in Boston, according to observations furnished by Sergeant J. W. Smith of the United States Signal Corps:

DATE	Bar-ometer.		Ther-mometer.		Relative humidity.		Direction of wind.		Velocity of wind.		Wet'h'r *		Rainfall in inches.		
	Daily mean.	Daily mean.	Maximum.	Minimum.	8.00 A.M.	8.00 P.M.	Daily mean.	8.00 A.M.	8.00 P.M.	8.00 A.M.	8.00 P.M.	8.00 A.M.		8.00 P.M.	
S. 27	30.05	36	38	34	53	76	64	N	W	E	13	5	O.	O.	0
M. 28	30.16	34	37	30	76	81	78	N	S	E	9	12	O.	O.	T
T. 29	30.28	34	43	26	50	57	54	N	W	S	14	10	C.	C.	0
W. 30	30.42	41	50	32	59	48	54	S	W	S	2	10	O.	C.	0
T. 31	30.36	36	40	31	78	95	86	S	E	E	4	10	O.	N.	.07
F. 1	30.06	39	42	36	87	93	92	E	W	W	19	9	O.	O.	1.15
S. 2	29.74	49	54	44	64	74	69	S	W	W	11	20	C.	C.	0
<b>Mean</b>	30.15		43	34			71								1.22

\* O., cloudy; C., clear; F., fair; G., fog; H., hazy; S., smoky; R., rain; T., threatening; N., snow; —, below zero. † Indicates trace of rainfall. **Mean** for week.

CHANGES IN THE MEDICAL CORPS U. S. NAVY FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 9, 1904.

E. C. TAYLOR, assistant surgeon. Detached from the Naval Museum of Hygiene and Medical School, Washington, D. C., and ordered to the naval hospital, naval station, San Juan, P. R., sailing from New York, N. Y., about April 9.

F. E. CAMPBELL, assistant surgeon. Detached from the Naval Museum of Hygiene and Medical School, Washington, D. C., and ordered to the "Constellation."

J. D. MANCHESTER, assistant surgeon. Ordered to the "Columbia," April 11.

T. N. PEASE, assistant surgeon. Ordered to the "Harford," April 14.

J. S. F. REEVES, assistant surgeon. Ordered to the "Minneapolis," April 14.

A. R. WENTWORTH, surgeon. Granted leave for one month from April 5.

L. W. BISHOP, assistant surgeon. Detached from treatment at the naval hospital, Hare Island, Cal. Ordered home and granted sick leave for two months.

OFFICIAL LIST OF THE CHANGES OF STATION AND DUTIES OF COMMISSIONED AND NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND MARINE HOSPITAL SERVICE FOR THE SEVEN DAYS ENDED APRIL 7, 1904.

VON EZDORF, R. H., passed assistant surgeon. Detailed as recorder of board of examiners that met at Washington, D. C., April 4, 1904, for the examination of candidates for appointment as assistant surgeon. April 6, 1904.

FOSTER, M. H., passed assistant surgeon. Bureau letter of March 19, granting Passed Assistant Surgeon Foster leave of absence for ten days from March 30, amended so that said leave shall be effective April 29. April 6, 1904.

ANDERSON, J. F., passed assistant surgeon. Relieved from duty as recorder of board of examiners that met at Washington, D. C., April 4, 1904, for the examination of candidates for appointment as assistant surgeon. April 6, 1904.

MCCLENTIC, T. B., assistant surgeon. Relieved from duty in the Hygienic Laboratory, Washington, D. C., and directed to proceed to Tampico, Mexico, for duty in the office of the United States Consul. April 2, 1904.

GLOVER, M. W., assistant surgeon. To proceed to Vancouver, B. C., for special temporary duty. April 3, 1904.

WARREN, B. S., assistant surgeon. Granted leave of absence for six days from April 10. April 5, 1904.

MONCURE, J. A., acting assistant surgeon. Department letter granting Acting Assistant Surgeon Moncure leave of absence for thirty days from April 1, 1904, amended so that said leave shall be effective from April 10. March 31, 1904.

BOARD CONVENEED.

Board convened to meet at Stapleton, N. Y., April 4, 1904, for the physical examination of officers of the Revenue Cutter Service. Detail for the board: Passed Assistant Surgeon A. C. Smith, Chairman. Assistant Surgeon T. W. Salmon, Recorder.

BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS RECEIVED.

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The Pathology of Leukemia. By Edward T. Williams, M.D. Reprint.

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Progressive Medicine. A Quarterly Digest of Advances, Discoveries, and Improvements in the Medical and Surgical Sciences. Edited by Hobart Amory Hare, M.D., assisted by H. R. M. Landis, M.D. Illustrated. Philadelphia and New York. Lea Brothers & Co. March 1, 1904.

A System of Practical Surgery. By Prof. E. von Bergmann, M.D., Prof. P. von Bruns, M.D., and Prof. J. von Mikulicz, M.D. Vol. I. Surgery of the Head. Translated and Edited by William T. Bull, M.D., and Walton Martin, M.D. Illustrated. New York and Philadelphia: Lea Brothers & Co. 1904.

Peritomy or Peridectomy. By L. Webster Fox, A.M., M.D. Reprint.

Conical Cornea—An Historical Review together with a New Non-Operative Method of Treatment. By L. Webster Fox, A.M., M.D. Reprint.

Sarcoma of the Orbit, Report of a Case Cured by the X-ray. By L. Webster Fox, A.M., M.D. Reprint.

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De la Stérilisation des Sondes en Gomme et en Caoutchouc par la vapeur et de leur conservation stérile. Par le Dr. Albert Freudenberg (de Berlin). Reprint.

Injections intra-vésicales d'Iodoforme dans le Traitement de la Cystite Ammoniacale. De l'Acide Camphorique comme Prophylactique de la Fièvre Urinaire. Par le Dr. Albert Freudenberg (de Berlin). Reprint.

Immune Sera. Haemolysins, Cytotoxins, and Precipitins. By Prof. A. Wassermann, M.D. Authorized Translation by Charles Boldman, M.D. First edition. New York: John Wiley & Sons. London: Chapman & Hall, Limited. 1904.

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Typhoid Epidemiology. By Richard Weil, M.D. Reprint.

Lectures, Chiefly Clinical and Practical, on Disease of the Lungs and the Heart. By James Alexander Lindsay, M.D., F.R.C.P. (Lond.), M.A. New York: William Wood & Co. 1904.

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