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GENERAL SUMMARY

Outstanding features during 1926 were: January.—Serious interference with shipping by dense fog from night of 4th to late forenoon of 6th, and by ice in upper Chesapeake Bay and in tributaries of the bay during the first two decades and at close of month. February.—Heavy ice storm over eastern portion of section, heavy snow in western Maryland, and crippling of telephone service on the Eastern Shore by "northeaster" of 3d–4th; general heavy snowstorm of 9–10th; slight damage to shipping in Baltimore Harbor by high southerly wind of 25th; bombing of ice gorge in Susquehanna River on 26th; interference of steam navigation by ice in upper Chesapeake Bay from 1st to 4th and 11th to 13th. April.—Heavy damage to fruit buds in interior of the Eastern Shore by freeze of 16th; damage generally to fruit buds in central and southern portions of the Eastern Shore and to early peaches and early plums in southern Maryland by freeze of 20th. May.—On 19th, destructive hail in central portion of extreme eastern Washington County; damage to crops and fruit estimated between \$25,000 and \$50,000; also in extreme northern New Castle County, damage to crops and fruit estimated at \$50,000. June.—Destructive hailstorm in extreme northeastern Washington County on 24th; damage to crops and fruit estimated between \$75,000 and \$100,000. July.—Very wet on Eastern Shore; hot wave of 21st–22d; devastating hailstorm interior of northwestern Garrett County on 18th, an unprecedented occurrence in the Allegheny Mountain highlands, with damage to crops and fruit estimated at \$75,000 and to property at \$25,000. Destructive hailstorm in extreme southwestern Allegany County on 24th; damage to crops and fruit estimated at about 50 per cent. August.—Wet spell of most unusual length, 14 days, from 12th to 25th; hot wave of 11–14th. September.—Two wet periods, separated by long interval of fair weather of 10th–22d; streams in Allegany, Washington, and western Frederick Counties overflowed their banks on 23d and on 25th; damage to property and crops estimated at \$750,000 and to highways at \$250,000. October.—Summer temperatures on 3d, 4th, and 5th. November.—Tornado in southern Maryland on 9th; from La Plata, Charles County, to Cedarville, Prince Georges County, a distance of 14 miles. At La Plata, of 60 children in a school house that was wrecked, 14 were killed and all the others but 1 and also the 2 teachers were injured; 9 other persons were injured and 3 were killed; damage to property estimated at \$75,000. At Cedarville, a mother and her two children were injured; damage to property estimated at \$23,000. Southeast gale and heavy rainstorm of 16th; poles blown down on Eastern Shore interrupted telephone, telegraph, and lighting services; streams overflowed their banks in eastern Washington County and in north-central Maryland, and washed away small bridges, trees, fences, etc., and did other damage.

The year, as a whole, was cold, with a mean temperature of 52.8°, which is 1.1° below normal and 1.8° lower than in 1925. January, July, and October were slightly below normal. May was cool. June was very cool. March, April, November, and December were cold. February was mild. August was warm.

September was somewhat mild. March to June, inclusive, gave a mean temperature of 54.4°, or 2.8° below normal.

Precipitation for the year averaged 43.90 inches, which is 2.40 inches above normal and 8.99 inches greater than in 1925. January and December were slightly below normal. A persistent deficiency prevailed from March to June, inclusive, with a total of 8.70 inches, or 60 per cent of normal. February was well above normal. July to November, inclusive, were wet, with a total of 24.93 inches, or one and four-ninths times the normal. Annual amounts were between 32 and 40 inches in the southern Chesapeake Bay region and between 36 and 40 inches in western Washington County and the eastern and central portions of Allegany County. Elsewhere over the section totals were between 40 and 50 inches, except between 50 and 53 inches in the Allegheny Mountain highlands and between 50 and 54 inches in southeastern Kent (Del.) and northeastern Sussex Counties.

Annual snowfall averaged 24.6 inches, which is 2.4 inches below normal and 1.6 inches greater than in 1925. Amounts were below normal, except in western Maryland; in the Allegheny Mountain region they were one and one-half times the normal. Annual snowfall increased from 5 inches at the Maryland-Virginia line on the Eastern Shore northward to 25 inches in extreme northern Delaware; northwestward to 20 inches along the western boundary of the Coastal Plain and to an average of 31 inches in the Blue Ridge Mountains; thence westward to an average of 40 inches at the foothills of the Allegheny Mountains and a rapid increase farther westward to above 80 inches in the highlands, with a maximum of 107 inches at Grantsville. Snowfall was unusually heavy in February and March in the Allegheny Mountain region.

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COMPARATIVE DATA FOR MARYLAND AND DELAWARE

Year	Temperature				Precipitation						
	Mean	Departure from the normal	Highest	Lowest	Average	Departure from the normal	Greatest local	Least local	Greatest in 24 hours	Snowfall	Number of days with 0.01 inch or more
1895.....	52.6	-1.3	102	-18	34.47	-7.03	42.07	14.42	4.80	29.9	94
1896.....	54.0	+0.1	103	-13	37.11	-1.39	64.94	30.18	4.50	23.0	82
1897.....	53.6	+0.3	102	-12	44.97	+3.47	63.85	32.56	14.75	18.4	169
1898.....	54.9	+1.0	105	-20	42.11	+0.61	65.77	32.59	5.93	21.6	109
1899.....	53.5	-0.4	102	-26	40.84	-0.66	51.38	28.69	5.35	40.3	98
1900.....	55.0	+1.1	106	-15	36.66	-4.84	52.19	28.21	5.53	26.8	83
1901.....	52.6	-1.3	106	-15	45.08	+3.58	70.87	34.63	5.45	18.7	99
1902.....	53.6	-0.3	104	-17	43.20	+7.70	61.38	33.75	6.00	33.3	105
1903.....	53.3	-0.6	100	-12	46.94	+5.44	78.72	36.58	6.00	17.9	106
1904.....	51.2	-2.7	102	-20	36.49	-5.01	50.26	25.72	5.90	41.8	96
1905.....	53.3	-0.6	104	-20	43.84	+2.34	64.64	31.88	4.65	36.1	106
1906.....	54.6	+0.7	101	-15	48.01	+6.51	62.92	36.10	8.66	20.7	123
1907.....	52.2	-1.7	99	-29	48.86	+7.36	66.59	37.55	5.00	34.6	121
1908.....	54.1	+0.2	102	-21	40.01	-1.49	52.50	31.63	7.93	32.5	101
1909.....	54.0	+0.1	99	-5	37.47	-4.03	50.45	28.30	3.80	30.0	105
1910.....	53.8	+0.1	99	-15	37.42	-4.08	52.45	26.74	7.19	34.8	109
1911.....	54.9	+1.0	106	-5	43.61	+2.11	55.58	33.62	7.35	23.2	119
1912.....	53.3	-0.6	102	-42	43.42	+1.92	52.68	35.50	6.07	32.2	112
1913.....	56.1	+2.2	102	-6	38.96	-2.52	48.96	25.41	4.05	5.1	108
1914.....	59.4	+5.5	102	-21	35.97	-5.53	43.32	29.35	2.81	37.2	98
1915.....	54.1	+0.2	103	-6	43.58	+2.08	59.39	26.82	5.11	23.1	107
1916.....	53.2	-0.7	101	-11	40.47	-1.03	49.72	26.14	6.00	28.5	112
1917.....	51.3	-2.6	102	-32	40.65	-0.85	54.22	27.17	4.52	35.7	110
1918.....	53.8	-0.1	103	-30	37.96	-3.54	46.95	28.88	4.50	31.4	98
1919.....	54.9	+1.0	105	-19	47.62	+6.12	60.84	30.69	9.02	11.9	114
1920.....	52.3	-0.6	98	-10	44.95	+3.45	56.29	32.49	4.30	20.0	113
1921.....	56.6	+2.7	102	-15	37.72	-3.78	54.12	28.89	5.60	20.5	114
1922.....	55.0	+1.1	100	-15	40.15	-1.45	55.65	24.39	6.75	34.8	111
1923.....	54.4	+0.5	102	-9	40.27	-1.23	50.38	31.47	5.17	22.0	115
1924.....	52.6	-1.3	103	-13	46.26	+4.76	52.70	37.41	4.53	30.5	111
1925.....	54.6	+0.7	104	-31	34.91	-6.59	48.37	27.87	5.25	23.0	112
1926.....	52.8	-1.1	107	-16	43.90	+2.40	54.02	32.08	6.54	24.6	128

Climatological Data for the Year 1926

Stations	Counties	Elevation, feet	Temperature, degrees Fahrenheit						Precipitation						Number of rainy days	Sky			Prevailing direction of wind	
			Length of record, years	Annual mean	Highest	Date	Lowest	Date	Length of record, years	Total for the year	Greatest monthly	Month	Least monthly	Month		Total snowfall	Number of clear days	Number of partly cloudy days		Number of cloudy days
Maryland																				
Aberdeen	Harford	80	8	51.7	99	July 21	6	Jan. 29	8	44.95	5.97	Aug.	1.83	Apr.	20.7	130	104	123	138	nw.
Annapolis	Anne Arundel	45	61	54.1	100	July 21	6	Jan. 29	53	40.20	5.90	Aug.	1.35	May	17.2	125	172	94	99	sw.
Baltimore (U.S.W.B.)	Prince Georges	115	56	54.7	102	July 21	8	Jan. 29	56	45.18	6.46	Nov.	1.46	Apr.	19.7	130	132	101	132	sw.
Bell f.	Montgomery	424	6	52.7	103	July 22	-2	Dec. 19	6	39.49	5.42	Aug.	1.02	Apr.	20.9	127	136	128	101	nw.
Boyd's	Dorchester	25	33	51.9	99	July 21	9	Jan. 13	7	39.12	6.97	Aug.	1.42	Apr.	19.8	113	125	120	120	nw.
Cambridge	Cecil	85	8	53.4	101	July 22	6	Jan. 29	8	47.13	9.49	July	1.40	Apr.	18.8	126	125	90	150	nw.
Cecilton	Prince Georges	230	26	54.1	100	July 22	1	Dec. 19	26	42.45	6.77	Aug.	1.54	May	20.0	137	171	76	118	nw.
Chesapeake City	Cecil	17	29	50.8	102	July 21*	-2	Jan. 11*	7	41.86	7.51	Sept.	2.01	June	29.9	130	144	115	106	nw.
Chesapeake	Washington	530	24	52.5	105	July 22	1	Jan. 29	29	42.92	7.12	Aug.	1.41	May	30.8	125	163	86	116	w.
Clear Spring (a)	do	600	24	52.5	105	July 22	1	Jan. 29	29	42.92	7.12	Aug.	1.41	May	30.8	125	163	86	116	w.
Clear Spring (b)	do	500	24	52.5	105	July 22	1	Jan. 29	29	42.92	7.12	Aug.	1.41	May	30.8	125	163	86	116	w.
Coleman f.	Kent	80	27	53.4	100	July 22	6	Jan. 29	29	46.71	7.18	Sept.	1.79	May	22.0	115	170	93	102	nw.
College Park	Prince Georges	87	39	53.6	102	July 21*	0	Jan. 13	40	43.05	5.36	Nov.	1.73	Apr.	20.7	129	161	93	111	nw.
Crisfield	Somerset	5	7	51.8	95	July 22	-1	Jan. 29	54	38.64	5.98	Aug.	2.10	Mar.	26.4	115	135	114	116	nw.
Cumberland	Allegany	623	43	51.8	106	July 22	-1	Jan. 29	54	38.64	5.98	Aug.	0.72	May	42.8	157	174	78	113	nw.
Darlington	Harford	300	36	51.6	99	July 22	-2	Jan. 13	35	44.40	7.50	Sept.	2.01	Mar.	26.4	115	135	114	116	w.
Easton	Talbot	35	36	54.2	100	July 21*	7	Feb. 11	36	42.80	9.01	Aug.	1.78	Apr.	11.3	111	182	89	94	w.
Emmitsburg	Frederick	720	58	51.1	96	July 22	0	Jan. 29	57	48.57	6.85	Nov.	2.27	Dec.	33.5	141	125	134	106	nw.
Fallston f.	Harford	450	57	51.1	96	July 22	3	Jan. 29*	57	48.57	6.85	Nov.	2.07	May	21.0	141	125	134	106	nw.
Ferry Landing f.	Calvert	45	10	54.2	100	July 21	5	Jan. 29	10	36.39	7.05	Aug.	1.17	May	16.0	114	160	113	92	nw.
Frederick	Frederick	275	52	53.8	107	July 21	5	Jan. 13	52	45.05	7.50	Aug.	1.45	June	28.5	134	152	84	129	nw.
Friendsville	Garrett	1,501	8	48.1	93	July 22*	-8	Jan. 29*	8	45.89	6.18	Aug.	1.11	Apr.	69.5	132	131	70	164	w.
Frostburg	Allegany	1,929	22	48.7	96	July 22	-7	Jan. 29	25	46.69	7.66	Aug.	0.98	May	52.2	140	165	92	108	w.
Grantsville	Garrett	2,351	23	46.0	92	July 22	-12	Dec. 18	33	50.88	7.40	Aug.	1.15	May	107.0	172	72	120	173	nw.
Great Falls f.	Montgomery	290	29	52.2	104	July 21	0	Jan. 13	37	42.26	6.65	Sept.	1.00	Apr.	19.4	118	130	121	114	nw.
Hancock	Washington	455	15	51.4	106	July 22	-3	Jan. 29	16	35.97	5.58	Sept.	1.32	May	38.2	124	178	70	117	nw.
Kedysville	do	400	22	52.9	107	July 22	-3	Jan. 11	22	44.04	7.82	Aug.	1.11	Mar.	26.3	130	162	99	104	nw.
La Plata	Charles	190	10	51.4	100	Aug. 11	6	Jan. 29	10	41.26	6.26	Aug.	1.48	Apr.	19.4	136	159	102	104	nw.
Laurel	Prince Georges	320	32	52.9	100	Aug. 11	3	Dec. 19	32	41.26	6.26	Aug.	1.48	Apr.	19.4	136	159	102	104	nw.
Maryland Line	Baltimore	840	2	50.6	98	July 21	2	Jan. 29	2	47.81	6.89	Sept.	1.98	Apr.	26.0	119	147	122	96	w.
Millington	Kent	27	29	53.4	100	July 22	6	Dec. 19	28	48.23	9.49	July	1.42	Apr.	22.5	125	169	77	119	w.
Newburg	Charles	110	1	51.4	99	Aug. 14	1	Jan. 29	1	58.1	5.81	Nov.	1.56	May	83.4	192	84	153	128	w.
Oakland	Garrett	2,461	27	46.6	95	July 22	-16	Dec. 18	27	53.21	10.13	Aug.	1.36	May	83.4	192	84	153	128	w.
Pleasant Hill	Baltimore	660	27	46.6	95	July 22	-16	Dec. 18	27	53.21	10.13	Aug.	1.36	May	83.4	192	84	153	128	w.
Pocomoke City	Worcester	37	17	54.5	100	July 22	7	Dec. 19	33	48.92	9.53	Aug.	2.05	Mar.	5.5	107	128	138	99	nw.
Princess Anne	Somerset	10	11	54.3	99	July 21	7	Jan. 29*	11	48.29	9.38	Aug.	1.91	May	5.0	116	165	80	120	w.
Public Landing f.	Worcester	57	5	54.1	98	June 30*	6	Jan. 29	5	43.38	8.72	July	1.65	June	12.0	111	134	117	114	nw.
Ridgely	Caroline	25	12	53.8	100	July 22	6	Jan. 29	11	44.85	7.93	Aug.	1.13	Apr.	24.1	125	157	108	100	s.
Rock Hall	Kent	23	21	55.3	99	July 21*	7	Dec. 19	21	43.99	8.41	Aug.	1.69	Apr.	19.4	118	130	121	114	nw.
Salisbury	Wicomico	20	35	55.9	101	July 21	8	Jan. 29	35	32.08	4.47	Aug.	1.18	Apr.	8.6	123	96	108	161	nw.
Solomons	Calvert	1,460	18	51.4	98	July 21*	-2	Jan. 29	18	48.58	5.16	Nov.	1.42	May	22.7	127	106	118	141	nw.
State Sanatorium	Frederick	320	28	52.7	100	July 21	6	Jan. 29	28	48.58	5.16	Nov.	1.42	May	22.7	127	106	118	141	nw.
Takoma	Montgomery	465	33	52.3	104	July 22	-2	Jan. 29	33	41.18	6.67	Aug.	0.19	May	36.9	132	168	101	96	nw.
Towson	Baltimore	770	17	52.0	103	July 21	2	Jan. 29	17	44.47	6.96	Aug.	2.25	Mar.	26.0	137	168	101	96	nw.
Western Port	Allegany	1,000	33	52.3	104	July 22	-2	Jan. 29	33	41.18	6.67	Aug.	0.19	May	36.9	132	168	101	96	nw.
Westminster	Carroll	770	17	52.0	103	July 21	2	Jan. 29	17	44.47	6.96	Aug.	2.25	Mar.	26.0	137	168	101	96	nw.
Woodstock	Baltimore	415	56	52.3	101	July 21	-2	Jan. 13	56	43.22	6.19	Nov.	1.61	Apr.	19.1	126	154	86	125	nw.
District of Columbia																				
Washington (U.S.W.B.)		112	56	54.5	104	July 21	7	Jan. 29	56	43.55	6.80	Sept.	0.79	Apr.	18.2	127	103	119	143	nw.
Delaware																				
Bridgeville	Sussex	45	3	54.1	99	July 22	7	Jan. 29*	3	45.01	11.86	July	1.59	Oct.	11.1	124	173	114	78	nw.
Delaware City	Newcastle	10	40	53.5	99	July 21*	6	Jan. 29	36	37.63	6.77	July	1.39	Apr.	17.2	113	167	109	89	nw.
Dover	Kent	34	37	54.1	100	July 22	5	Dec. 19	37	45.44	8.97	July	1.87	Oct.	16.1	128	182	99	84	sw.
Millford	do	20	34	54.5	100	July 22	7	Jan. 29*	44	54.02	15.20	July	2.08	Oct.	17.4	124	144	141	80	nw.
Millsboro	Sussex	20	34	55.0	102	July 22	6	Dec. 19	34	47.46	10.77	July	1.56	Apr.	5.5	140	165	126	74	nw.
Wilmington	Newcastle	86	33	51.8	96	July 22	5	Jan. 29	33	46.63	9.25	July	1.83	Apr.	25.4	116	180	77	108	sw.
For Maryland and District of Columbia																				
For Delaware				52.7	107	July 21*	-16	Dec. 18		43.61	10.13	Aug.	0.19	May	25.8	128	148	104	113	nw.
For entire section				53.8	102	July 22	5	Jan. 29*		46.04	15.20	July	1.39	Apr.	15.3	120	169	111	85	nw.
				52.8	107	July 21*	-16	Dec. 18		43.90	15.20	July	0.19	May	24.6	128	149	105	111	nw.

*Also on other dates.

†Post Office addresses of these stations are as follows: Of Bell, Glendale; of Coleman, Worton; of Fallston, Bagley; of Ferry Landing, Owings; of Great Falls, Bethesda; of Pleasant Hill, Owings Mills; of Public Landing, Snow Hill.

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The annual number of days with 0.01 inch or more of precipitation for the section averaged 128, or 20 above normal.

The annual amount of sunshine was below normal. Sunshine was abundant in January, March, and May; was normal in April; but was deficient in February and from June to December, inclusive.

The growing season, interval between the last general killing frost in spring and the first general killing frost in autumn, was about 15 days longer in the divisions to westward of Chesapeake Bay and about 5 days longer on the Eastern Shore than in 1925.

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Wheat and rye yields were good; of oats, fair to good. The early potato crop was fair to good; the late crop was good. The sweet potato crop was good; it was a heavy crop on the southern Eastern Shore. The corn crop was fair. The tomato crop, poor to fair. Tobacco was a heavy crop. The yield of apples and pears was unusually large; the peach crop was fair. Strawberry and cherry yields were good; of blackberries and raspberries, heavy.—J. B., jr.

Monthly and Annual Precipitation for the Year 1926, with Departures from the Normal

Stations	January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		October		November		December		Annual		
	Precipitation	Departure	Precipitation	Departure	Precipitation	Departure	Precipitation	Departure	Precipitation	Departure	Precipitation	Departure	Precipitation	Departure	Precipitation	Departure	Precipitation	Departure	Precipitation	Departure	Precipitation	Departure	Precipitation	Departure	Precipitation	Departure	
Maryland																											
Aberdeen	2.74	-0.22	3.73	+0.38	2.10	-1.80	1.83	-2.32	2.26	-2.83	4.14	-2.63	5.62	+1.17	5.97	+1.31	5.83	+0.63	4.08	-1.12	3.93	-2.30	2.72	-0.57	44.95	-5.70	
Annapolis	3.25	-0.12	4.81	+0.38	2.17	-1.80	1.37	-2.32	1.35	-2.83	1.61	-2.63	5.80	+1.17	5.90	+1.31	4.55	+0.63	2.14	-1.12	5.23	+2.30	3.02	-0.57	40.20	-5.70	
Baltimore (U. S. W. B.)	3.57	-0.12	3.27	+0.76	2.19	-1.69	1.46	-1.81	2.60	-0.96	2.46	-1.38	5.74	+0.92	5.58	+1.37	4.19	+0.34	4.24	+1.22	6.46	+3.54	3.89	-0.19	45.18	+2.00	
Bell	2.57	-0.08	4.08	+0.76	2.04	-1.02	1.30	-1.81	2.12	-0.96	2.02	-1.38	3.95	+0.92	5.42	+1.37	4.83	+0.34	2.84	-1.22	5.32	+2.50	3.29	-0.19	39.49	+2.00	
Boys	3.50	-0.63	3.51	-0.05	2.09	-2.02	1.42	-2.28	1.89	-1.62	1.99	-1.79	6.21	+1.56	6.97	+2.62	3.64	+0.57	2.38	-0.86	2.87	+0.18	2.97	-0.87	39.12	-4.59	
Cambridge	2.64	-0.37	3.86	+0.96	2.66	-1.40	1.40	-2.62	2.62	-0.87	3.87	-1.78	4.26	-0.28	6.77	+2.45	3.92	+0.65	2.71	-0.06	5.93	+3.51	3.50	+0.04	42.45	-0.57	
Cecilton	2.79	-0.93	4.49	+1.69	2.26	-1.64	1.56	-2.33	1.54	-1.89	2.72	-1.78	4.26	-0.28	6.77	+2.45	3.92	+0.65	2.71	-0.06	5.93	+3.51	3.50	+0.04	42.45	-0.57	
Cheltenham	3.87	-0.21	3.87	-0.21	2.21	-1.96	1.96	-3.45	3.45	-3.93	3.93	-7.85	7.85	-4.41	4.41	-4.99	4.99	-3.02	3.02	-3.39	3.39	-3.44	3.44	-3.86	3.86	-3.92	3.92
Chesapeake City	3.27	+0.92	2.07	-0.91	2.03	-0.74	2.11	-1.24	2.01	-1.87	5.21	+1.23	5.17	+1.36	7.51	+4.64	3.16	+0.61	4.41	+2.46	2.25	-0.49	41.86	+5.63			
Clear Spring (*)	2.88	-0.39	4.11	+1.36	2.05	-1.43	2.35	-0.91	1.41	-2.42	3.14	-0.92	3.38	-0.61	7.12	+2.90	6.78	+3.89	3.10	+0.40	4.36	+2.24	2.24	-1.04	42.92	+3.07	
Clear Spring (°)	2.59	-0.86	4.04	+0.97	2.26	-1.38	1.93	-1.60	1.79	-1.59	3.59	-0.66	6.97	+2.35	6.98	+2.47	7.18	+3.77	2.94	+0.18	3.39	+0.87	3.05	-0.71	46.71	+4.36	
Coleman	3.30	+0.04	4.36	+1.19	2.03	-1.60	1.73	-1.74	2.47	-1.41	2.14	-1.88	4.01	-0.43	5.17	+1.24	5.12	+1.90	4.25	+1.61	5.36	+2.84	3.11	+0.03	43.05	+1.79	
Crisfield	3.67	-2.10	2.10	-2.35	2.51	-2.44	2.44	-6.75	6.75	-8.62	8.62	-3.72	3.72	-2.76	2.76	-4.05	4.05	-1.05	2.32	-0.80	3.65	+1.05	3.43	+0.34	42.80	+2.11	
Cumberland	3.32	+0.79	3.88	+1.35	2.10	-0.96	1.51	-1.21	2.72	-2.76	2.13	-1.95	3.70	+0.47	5.98	+2.50	4.90	+2.17	3.68	+1.31	4.35	+2.21	2.37	-0.15	38.64	+3.77	
Darlington	3.59	+0.15	3.87	+0.64	2.01	-1.42	1.18	-1.14	2.75	-0.75	2.02	-1.92	4.20	-0.29	2.95	-1.80	7.50	+3.99	5.61	+2.56	4.97	+2.24	2.75	-0.97	44.40	+1.29	
Easton	3.43	+0.34	3.32	+0.21	1.82	-1.84	1.78	-1.51	2.84	-0.45	2.74	-1.04	4.41	-0.10	9.01	+4.86	4.05	+1.05	2.32	-0.80	3.65	+1.05	3.43	+0.34	42.80	+2.11	
Emmitsburg	3.48	+0.15	4.46	+1.31	2.34	-1.76	2.63	-0.73	2.39	-1.82	3.02	-1.02	6.19	+1.58	4.43	-0.45	6.67	+2.63	4.80	+1.42	6.85	+3.68	2.72	-0.91	48.57	+2.07	
Fallston	3.24	-0.50	4.28	+0.66	2.13	-1.88	2.17	-1.37	2.07	-1.77	3.02	-1.02	6.19	+1.58	4.43	-0.45	6.67	+2.63	4.80	+1.42	6.85	+3.68	2.72	-0.91	48.57	+2.07	
Ferry Landing	2.55	-0.31	3.42	+0.76	1.64	-1.18	1.17	-1.91	1.91	-1.91	1.91	-1.91	3.97	-0.35	7.10	+3.85	6.52	+3.27	3.61	+1.03	6.14	+3.66	2.78	-0.33	45.05	+4.98	
Frederick	3.21	+0.02	3.96	+1.01	2.13	-1.19	2.12	-1.23	1.96	-1.84	1.45	-2.91	3.67	-0.35	7.50	+3.85	6.52	+3.27	3.61	+1.03	6.14	+3.66	2.78	-0.33	45.05	+4.98	
Friendsville	4.17	-0.02	3.88	-3.85	1.11	-1.18	1.18	-3.57	3.57	-3.95	3.95	-6.18	6.18	-6.10	6.10	-4.58	4.58	-2.19	2.19	-5.13	5.13	-4.68	4.68	-3.92	3.92	-3.92	3.92
Frostburg	3.66	-0.02	4.94	+2.26	2.85	-0.94	1.17	-2.44	0.98	-3.20	2.85	-2.12	6.01	+1.98	7.66	+3.49	5.67	+2.42	3.77	+0.83	4.06	+1.62	3.07	-1.04	46.69	+3.92	
Grantsville	4.59	+0.87	5.95	+2.82	4.51	+0.56	1.91	-1.66	1.15	-2.89	3.61	-0.80	6.27	+1.96	7.40	+3.46	5.01	+2.15	3.37	+0.70	2.94	+0.29	4.17	+0.65	50.88	+8.11	
Great Falls	2.62	-0.54	4.49	+1.81	1.90	-1.41	1.00	-2.03	1.80	-1.70	1.83	-1.94	3.63	-0.52	6.98	+2.63	6.65	+3.37	3.53	+1.01	5.56	+3.35	2.87	-0.29	42.26	+3.74	
Hancock	2.67	-0.08	4.16	+2.00	1.46	-1.81	1.34	-1.37	1.32	-1.94	2.36	-2.05	2.97	-0.80	5.92	+1.89	5.58	+2.70	2.79	+0.16	4.07	+1.95	2.23	-0.54	35.97	+0.11	
Keedysville	3.17	-0.04	3.57	+1.02	1.11	-1.83	2.39	-0.75	2.20	-1.17	3.00	-1.04	3.96	+0.15	7.32	+3.60	6.87	+3.99	2.86	+0.11	5.03	+3.10	2.16	-0.72	44.04	+6.42	
La Plata	2.71	-0.39	3.39	+0.76	1.76	-1.91	1.91	-1.91	1.91	-1.91	1.91	-1.91	3.97	-0.35	7.10	+3.85	6.52	+3.27	3.61	+1.03	6.14	+3.66	2.78	-0.33	45.05	+4.98	
Laurel	2.87	-0.58	3.42	+0.48	1.99	-1.76	1.48	-2.09	2.15	-1.46	2.11	-1.99	5.17	+0.49	6.26	+1.69	4.16	+0.82	3.80	+1.04	5.10	+2.66	2.75	-0.78	41.26	-1.48	
Maryland Line	3.06	-0.37	3.73	+0.76	2.29	-1.98	1.98	-2.30	2.30	-2.56	2.56	-2.86	2.86	-3.66	3.66	-5.25	5.25	-4.79	4.79	-4.29	4.29	-5.81	5.81	-3.08	3.08	-3.08	3.08
Millington	2.99	-0.60	4.80	+1.55	2.15	-1.89	1.42	-2.20	2.43	-0.80	4.15	+0.36	9.49	+4.79	5.71	+1.37	5.28	+1.70	3.20	+0.29	2.97	+0.40	3.64	-0.13	48.23	+4.84	
Newburg	2.72	-1.57	5.48	+2.11	4.18	+0.37	2.61	-1.38	1.36	-3.11	3.36	-1.32	5.58	+0.89	10.13	+5.97	4.32	+1.17	5.03	+1.79	2.76	+0.08	5.73	+1.94	53.21	+6.94	
Oakland	2.86	-0.37	3.83	+0.76	1.75	-1.91	1.60	-1.60	3.17	-2.86	2.86	-3.66	5.03	-0.70	5.25	-1.37	5.79	+2.49	4.29	-0.29	5.81	+0.08	3.08	-0.08	43.21	+6.94	
Pleasant Hill	2.80	-0.42	4.01	+0.57	2.05	-1.85	2.19	-1.23	2.38	-0.81	4.89	+1.14	7.10	+2.77	9.53	+4.42	3.00	+0.23	3.78	+0.56	3.23	+0.81	3.98	+0.75	48.92	+6.94	
Public Landing	3.23	-0.39	3.44	+0.34	2.68	-1.27	2.59	-1.03	1.91	-1.06	2.81	-0.02	5.82	-1.82	9.38	+5.29	4.21	+1.58	3.76	+1.04	3.54	+1.12	4.92	+1.31	48.29	+8.73	
Ridgely	2.67	-0.44	3.13	+0.10	1.86	-1.72	2.33	-0.98	1.92	-1.65	1.65	-2.18	8.72	+4.21	7.11	+2.65	4.82	+1.75	1.85	-1.16	3.94	+1.36	3.38	+0.24	43.38	+2.18	
Rock Hall	3.10	-0.31	4.57	+1.33	1.97	-1.57	1.13	-2.20	1.51	-1.69	2.69	-0.79	7.76	+3.00	7.93	+3.43	5.15	+1.26	2.39	+0.36	4.09	+1.25	2.62	-0.39	44.85	+3.68	
Salisbury	2.83	-0.81	3.56	+0.48	2.32	-1.80	1.69	-1.72	2.88	-0.55	2.34	-1.41	7.58	+3.72	8.41	+3.03	2.44	-0.74	3.27	+0.04	3.63	+0.82	3.04	-0.44	43.99	+0.62	
Solomons	2.26	-0.63	3.09	+0.13	1.82	-1.48	1.18	-1.74	2.29	-0.72	2.20	-1.04	4.32	+0.05	4.47	+0.70	3.08	+0.43	1.74	-0.85	2.31	+0.31	3.32	+0.62	32.08	-4.22	
State Sanatorium	2.63	-0.26	3.13	-0.97	2.63	-2.06	3.13	-0.97	2.63	-2.06	3.13	-0.97	2.63	-2.06	3.13	-0.97	2.63	-2.06	3.13	-0.97	2.63	-2.06	3.13	-0.97	2.63	-2.06	
Takoma	3.05	-0.62	5.18	+2.26	1.93	-1.79	1.75	-1.72	1.42	-1.88	1.45	-2.71	3.13	-0.50	4.44	+0.27	4.57	+1.18	3.34	+0.79	5.16	+3.04	3.16	-0.45	38.58	-3.13	
Towson	4.15	+1.58	4.17	+1.77	1.89	-1.23	2.03	-1.63	2.03	-1.63	2.03	-1.63	2.03	-1.63	2.03	-1.63	2.03	-1.63	2.03	-1.63	2.03	-1.63	2.03	-1.63	2.03	-1.63	
Western Port	3.15	+0.08	3.74	+0.61	2.25	-1.48	2.68	-0.34	2.32	-1.63	3.18	+0.02	2.48	-2.04	6.96	+2.55	5.81	+1.90	3.77	+1.26	5.42	+2.61	2.71	-0.66	44.47	+2.91	
Westminster	2.68	-0.77	3.73	+0.62	1.90	-1.81	1.61	-1.55	2.76	-0.97	2.69	-1.10	3.44	-0.70	7.52	+1.43	6.86	+2.27	3.88	+0.88	6.10	+3.32	2.85	-0.29	43.22	+1.33	
Woodstock	3.80	+0.23	4.17	+0.75	2.07	-1.78	0.79	-2.46	2.22	-1.61	1.66	-2.52	4.20	-0.45	5.50	+1.10	6.80	+3.21	4.23	+1.14	5.29	+2.58	3.02	-0.14	43.55	+0.05	
District of Columbia																											
Washington (U. S. W. B.)	2.85	-0.62	3																								

Monthly and Annual Mean Temperatures for the Year 1926, with Departures from the Normal

Stations	January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		October		November		December		Annual	
	Temperature	Departure	Temperature	Departure	Temperature	Departure	Temperature	Departure	Temperature	Departure	Temperature	Departure	Temperature	Departure	Temperature	Departure	Temperature	Departure	Temperature	Departure	Temperature	Departure	Temperature	Departure	Temperature	Departure
Maryland																										
Aberdeen	30.8	.....	32.0	.....	37.0	.....	49.0	.....	61.1	.....	66.6	.....	74.4	.....	74.2	.....	66.8	.....	54.6	.....	42.9	.....	30.4	.....	51.7	.....
Annapolis	33.8	-0.5	35.2	+0.4	40.0	-3.4	50.6	-2.9	62.1	-2.1	68.9	-4.6	76.2	-1.5	77.2	+1.0	69.2	-0.5	58.0	-0.1	44.5	-2.3	33.4	-3.7	54.1	-1.7
Baltimore (U.S. W. B.)	34.5	+0.5	35.6	+0.2	39.8	-2.5	51.6	-2.0	64.5	+0.1	69.7	-3.0	77.4	0.0	76.8	+1.3	69.6	+1.1	58.0	-0.2	45.6	-0.7	33.6	-3.6	54.7	-0.8
Bell	30.8	.....	34.6	.....	38.2	.....	50.6	.....	62.4	.....	68.2	.....	75.6	.....	75.3	.....	68.6	.....	55.2	.....	41.6	.....	30.8	.....	52.7	.....
Boysds	31.7	.....	34.4	.....	38.3	.....	50.3	.....	63.0	.....	67.2	.....	74.9	.....	74.4	.....	67.6	.....	55.2	.....	42.0	.....	30.8	.....	52.5	.....
Cambridge	34.8	-0.7	37.2	+1.8	40.2	-4.9	52.4	-2.6	62.8	-2.7	69.2	-4.5	76.9	-1.2	76.4	+0.1	69.5	-1.0	58.4	-0.8	46.2	-1.2	35.2	-2.7	54.9	-1.7
Cecilton	33.0	.....	34.1	.....	39.0	.....	50.6	.....	62.8	.....	68.4	.....	76.1	.....	75.6	.....	68.5	.....	56.4	.....	45.2	.....	31.7	.....	53.4	.....
Chesterham	33.8	-0.5	36.6	+1.9	40.3	-4.8	52.4	-1.3	63.4	-0.1	68.6	-2.6	75.8	+0.2	75.9	+2.4	68.8	+0.6	56.9	-0.3	43.5	-1.6	33.0	-2.7	54.1	-0.8
Chesapeake City	29.9	-0.6	32.5	+2.2	36.2	-5.2	47.4	-3.5	60.0	-0.9	66.8	-3.7	74.0	-0.1	73.4	+1.4	66.4	+0.3	53.6	-1.1	41.4	-1.2	29.6	-3.0	56.8	-1.3
Clear Spring (*)	30.2	+0.4	33.0	+4.5	37.4	-2.7	50.4	0.0	62.8	+1.7	67.4	-1.1	75.1	+1.6	74.4	+2.8	68.8	+3.4	55.8	+1.9	42.8	+0.4	31.4	-0.4	52.5	+1.0
Coleman	32.8	-0.5	34.0	+0.8	39.0	-4.9	50.4	-2.7	62.3	-1.3	68.5	-3.4	76.0	-0.6	75.6	+1.2	68.7	-0.5	57.6	-0.7	44.4	-1.8	31.8	-4.1	53.4	-1.6
College Park	32.4	-0.9	35.5	+1.3	39.7	-4.0	51.3	-1.8	62.7	+0.1	68.2	-3.1	76.0	+0.8	75.9	+2.3	69.0	+1.3	58.2	+0.1	43.2	-1.2	32.7	-3.3	53.6	-0.7
Crisfield	.....	.....	39.5	.....	42.1	.....	53.0	.....	63.6	.....	70.3	.....	77.5	.....	77.0	.....	70.1	.....	60.5	.....	48.5	.....	36.8	.....	51.7	.....
Cumberland	30.8	-0.1	33.4	+0.5	35.9	-4.1	48.4	-3.7	63.1	+0.4	67.2	-3.4	74.7	+0.7	74.4	+2.4	67.2	+1.8	54.4	+0.2	40.2	-2.2	31.7	-2.3	51.8	-0.8
Darlington	30.6	-0.2	32.4	+1.6	36.8	-4.6	48.9	-2.9	61.6	-0.4	67.4	-2.7	74.0	-0.5	74.2	+1.8	66.7	+0.2	54.6	-0.6	42.0	-1.6	29.8	-3.9	51.6	-1.1
Easton	34.4	-0.2	36.8	+2.2	39.8	-4.5	51.2	-2.4	62.0	-1.5	68.8	-2.6	76.0	-0.1	76.4	+2.2	69.6	+1.0	56.9	-0.9	45.6	-0.7	33.3	-3.7	54.2	-1.0
Emmitsburg	31.0	+0.3	32.6	+0.6	37.2	-3.2	49.6	-2.3	63.0	+1.1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	65.9	-0.1	54.4	-0.6	42.1	-0.9	30.5	-2.8	51.1	.....
Fallston	32.0	+0.2	31.6	-0.1	36.8	-3.1	48.7	-2.1	60.6	-0.7	66.0	-3.6	73.0	-1.0	72.6	+0.6	65.7	-0.3	54.1	-1.0	42.2	-1.2	30.3	-3.6	51.1	-1.3
Ferry Landing	34.2	.....	36.5	.....	40.4	.....	51.8	.....	63.2	.....	68.8	.....	75.3	.....	76.2	.....	68.8	.....	57.4	.....	44.6	.....	31.3	.....	54.2	.....
Frederick	28.1	-0.1	34.4	+1.6	39.2	-3.1	51.9	-1.0	65.2	+1.7	68.9	-3.1	77.3	+1.3	76.7	+2.8	68.6	+1.2	56.0	+0.3	43.2	-0.8	31.3	-3.4	53.8	-0.2
Friendsville	28.1	-0.1	30.6	.....	32.2	.....	43.9	.....	58.1	.....	62.0	.....	69.6	.....	70.0	.....	64.9	.....	52.2	.....	36.6	.....	28.8	.....	48.1	.....
Frostburg	28.8	-0.9	30.0	+0.1	33.2	-6.1	44.6	-5.6	59.3	-0.5	62.6	-5.4	70.8	-0.8	70.0	.....	64.9	+0.2	53.0	-1.3	38.0	-3.8	29.0	-2.8	48.7	-2.2
Grantsville	26.8	-0.2	28.8	+2.4	29.6	-7.2	42.6	-3.6	55.5	-1.1	59.2	-4.7	67.7	-1.2	67.7	+1.3	62.0	+0.8	49.2	-0.9	38.0	-2.9	26.9	-2.5	46.0	-1.6
Great Falls	31.8	-0.8	35.3	+2.8	38.9	-4.7	51.0	-2.2	62.8	-0.6	68.2	-3.0	75.8	+0.2	75.7	+2.3	68.8	+0.9	55.4	-0.8	42.2	-1.7	32.2	-1.9	53.2	-0.8
Hancock	31.2	+1.6	32.5	+2.1	36.9	-5.4	48.8	-3.8	60.9	-1.9	65.8	-5.8	73.9	-1.0	73.6	+0.5	66.8	-1.0	53.6	-0.8	41.0	-2.3	31.3	-1.9	51.4	-1.6
Keedysville	30.8	-0.9	34.0	+1.7	38.8	-4.4	50.2	-3.1	63.4	+0.4	67.8	-3.6	76.0	+0.5	75.6	+2.2	68.4	+0.8	55.6	-0.3	42.6	-1.1	31.2	-2.5	52.9	-0.8
La Plata	35.0	.....	37.6	.....	41.0	.....	53.8	.....	63.8	.....	67.8	.....	75.0	-0.2	75.0	+1.7	67.6	0.0	56.0	+0.3	42.9	-1.5	31.8	-2.8	52.9	-0.9
Laurel	32.2	-0.2	34.6	+2.0	39.1	-4.0	50.8	-2.0	62.3	-0.6	67.8	-3.1	75.0	-0.2	75.0	+1.7	67.6	0.0	56.0	+0.3	42.9	-1.5	31.8	-2.8	52.9	-0.9
Maryland Line	30.0	.....	31.0	.....	35.3	.....	48.0	.....	61.3	.....	65.9	.....	73.6	.....	72.7	.....	65.6	.....	53.8	.....	41.7	.....	28.8	.....	50.6	.....
Millington	33.1	-0.6	34.4	+1.1	39.0	-5.0	51.0	-2.5	62.4	-0.8	67.6	-3.7	75.6	-0.5	75.8	+1.9	68.4	0.0	56.6	-0.7	44.8	-0.4	31.9	-3.9	53.4	-1.2
Newburg	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	63.8	.....	68.8	.....	76.4	.....	77.0	.....	69.7	.....	58.2	.....	46.5	.....	35.0	.....	51.1	.....
Oakland	26.8	-1.2	29.2	+1.8	30.5	-6.4	48.0	-3.2	56.0	+0.5	60.0	-3.7	67.8	+1.1	67.8	+2.3	62.8	+2.1	49.8	+0.5	37.4	-0.5	28.2	-1.3	46.6	-0.7
Princess Anne	35.7	-1.2	38.4	+1.5	40.2	-5.4	51.0	-3.4	61.4	-1.5	68.6	-2.6	75.9	-0.1	76.3	+1.9	68.8	0.0	57.7	0.0	45.8	-1.5	34.6	-4.3	54.5	-1.4
Public Landing	35.8	-0.4	38.3	+1.6	39.2	-5.8	49.6	-2.9	60.2	-1.4	68.0	-3.1	76.1	+1.1	76.8	+2.9	69.2	+0.9	58.2	-0.4	44.9	-2.5	35.2	-4.0	54.3	-1.2
Ridgely	34.4	+0.1	36.2	+2.1	40.0	-3.9	51.4	-1.8	62.6	-0.7	69.7	-2.0	76.2	+0.1	76.0	+1.9	68.4	-0.2	56.9	-0.3	44.8	-1.0	32.8	-3.4	54.1	-0.8
Rock Hall	32.8	-0.5	34.0	+0.5	38.6	-6.4	50.4	-2.7	62.6	+0.5	68.4	-4.8	75.8	-1.0	76.5	+1.6	69.4	+0.1	58.0	-0.5	45.2	-0.8	33.4	-3.5	53.8	-1.4
Salisbury	36.6	-0.4	38.2	+1.0	40.5	-5.1	51.4	-3.2	62.2	-1.6	70.4	-1.8	77.0	+0.4	77.0	+2.2	69.9	+0.8	57.7	-0.8	46.6	-2.0	35.8	-2.6	55.3	-0.9
Solomons	35.0	-0.6	38.4	+2.8	41.0	-3.6	52.8	-1.4	63.6	-1.4	70.2	-3.3	77.6	-0.5	78.1	+1.1	71.0	-0.5	59.7	-0.6	47.0	-1.6	35.9	-2.8	55.9	-1.0
State Sanatorium	30.6	+0.7	31.6	+1.2	35.3	-5.4	.....	.....	61.4	+0.3	65.7	-4.0	73.9	+0.6	.....	.....	66.3	+1.0	54.0	-1.3	40.6	-2.3	29.0	-3.0	.....	.....
Takoma	32.2	-0.1	32.8	+0.6	38.9	-4.2	50.6	-2.4	63.0	+0.3	67.6	-2.7	75.2	+0.3	74.4	+1.6	67.0	0.0	55.6	-0.5	43.3	-1.2	32.0	-2.4	52.7	-0.9
Western Port	33.0	+2.3	34.8	+3.4	37.5	-4.4	48.8	-3.0	63.3	+1.4	66.2	-3.3	73.4	0.0	73.6	+1.8	68.0	+1.5	55.6	+1.0	41.7	-1.1	32.0	-1.2	52.3	-0.2
Westminster	32.5	+1.6	32.4	+1.0	37.2	-4.6	49.0	-3.7	61.8	-0.6	67.0	-4.4	75.2	0.0	74.1	+1.0	66.8	-1.2	55.1	-0.7	42.7	-1.9	30.3	-3.3	52.0	-1.6
Woodstock	31.6	-0.3	34.0	+1.0	38.1	-3.3	50.8	-1.6	62.5	-0.6	66.4	-4.6	73.7	-1.5	73.9	+1.3	67.2	+1.1	55.0	+0.1	42.4	-0.8	32.0	-2.3	52.3	-1.0
District of Columbia																										
Washington (U.S. W. B.)	33.8	+0.4	36.5	+1.2	40.1	-2.5	51.9	-1.4	64.3	+0.6	69.1	-3.1	76.7	-0.1	76.4	+1.0	69.0	+0.9	57.2	-0.2	45.0	-0.2	33.8	-2.8	54.5	-0.5
Delaware																										
Bridgeville	34.6	-0.3	37.1	+2.4	39.6	-4.6	51.4	-1.8	62.0	-1.2	69.0	-2.3	75.4	-0.5	75.7	+1.5	68.6	+0.1	57.0	-0.2	44.8	-1.3	33.6	-3.6	54.1	-0.9
Delaware City	32.8	+0.3	33.1	-0.6	39.0	-2.3	50.2	-2.1	62.8	-0.3	69.1	-3.0	76.5	-0.1	76.4	+1.7	68.6	+0.2	56.6	-1.0	45.2	-0.5	31.4	-4.6	53.5	-1.0
Dover	34.4	-0.6	35.4	+0.2	39.8	-3.0	51.1	-2.2	62.4	-1.0	69.3	-3.2	76.2	-0.4	76.5	+2.1	69.0	+0.6	56.9	-0.3	45.2	-0.8	32.6	-4.1	54.1	-1.0
Millford	35.6	-0.1	37.1	+1.9	40.2	-4.9	51.2	-2.9	62.6	-1.4	69.2	-2.9	75.6	-1.1	76.2	+1.2	69.2	-0.1	57.6	-0.8	45.4	-1.8	34.2	-3.8	54.5	-1.4