

GENERAL COMMENTS ON THE MONTH.

MAY PROVED A SUNNY AND RELATIVELY WARM MONTH WITH ONLY 80% OF ITS USUAL RAINFALL. GROUND FROST WAS 91% OF AVERAGE THOUGH AIR FROST WAS COMPLETELY ABSENT. ALL TEMPERATURES WERE ABOVE NORMAL, SOME BY AS MUCH AS 1.7C. ONLY HALF AS MUCH THUNDER WAS RECORDED AS COULD HAVE BEEN EXPECTED AND THERE WAS NO OCCURRENCE OF SNOW OR SLEET. ALL IN ALL, A PLEASANT MONTH WITH WHICH TO END SPRING.