

# Kodaikanal Observatory

Bulletin No. CXLV

## PART I

### *Summary of prominence and Calcium flocculus observations for the first half of 1955*

This bulletin embodies the results of observations of prominences made at Kodaikanal Observatory during the first half of 1955 supplemented by data computed from photographs supplied by Mount Wilson and Meudon Observatories for those days on which Kodaikanal had imperfect or no photographs.

*Calcium Prominences on the Limb.*—During the half-year under review, photographs of calcium prominences on the limb were obtained at Kodaikanal on 141 days. Spectroheliograms for 30 days were obtained from Mount Wilson Observatory and for 27 days from the Meudon Observatory. In all records were available for 171 days and these were counted as 170 $\frac{1}{2}$  effective days after giving due weightage for the quality of the photographs.

The mean daily areas (in square minutes of arc) and the mean daily numbers of all prominences derived from all the above records are tabulated below.—

| Combined data |                                      |                    |
|---------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|
|               | Mean daily areas<br>(square minutes) | Mean daily numbers |
| North         | 2.08                                 | 4.12               |
| South         | 1.12                                 | 3.19               |
| TOTAL         | 3.20                                 | 7.31               |

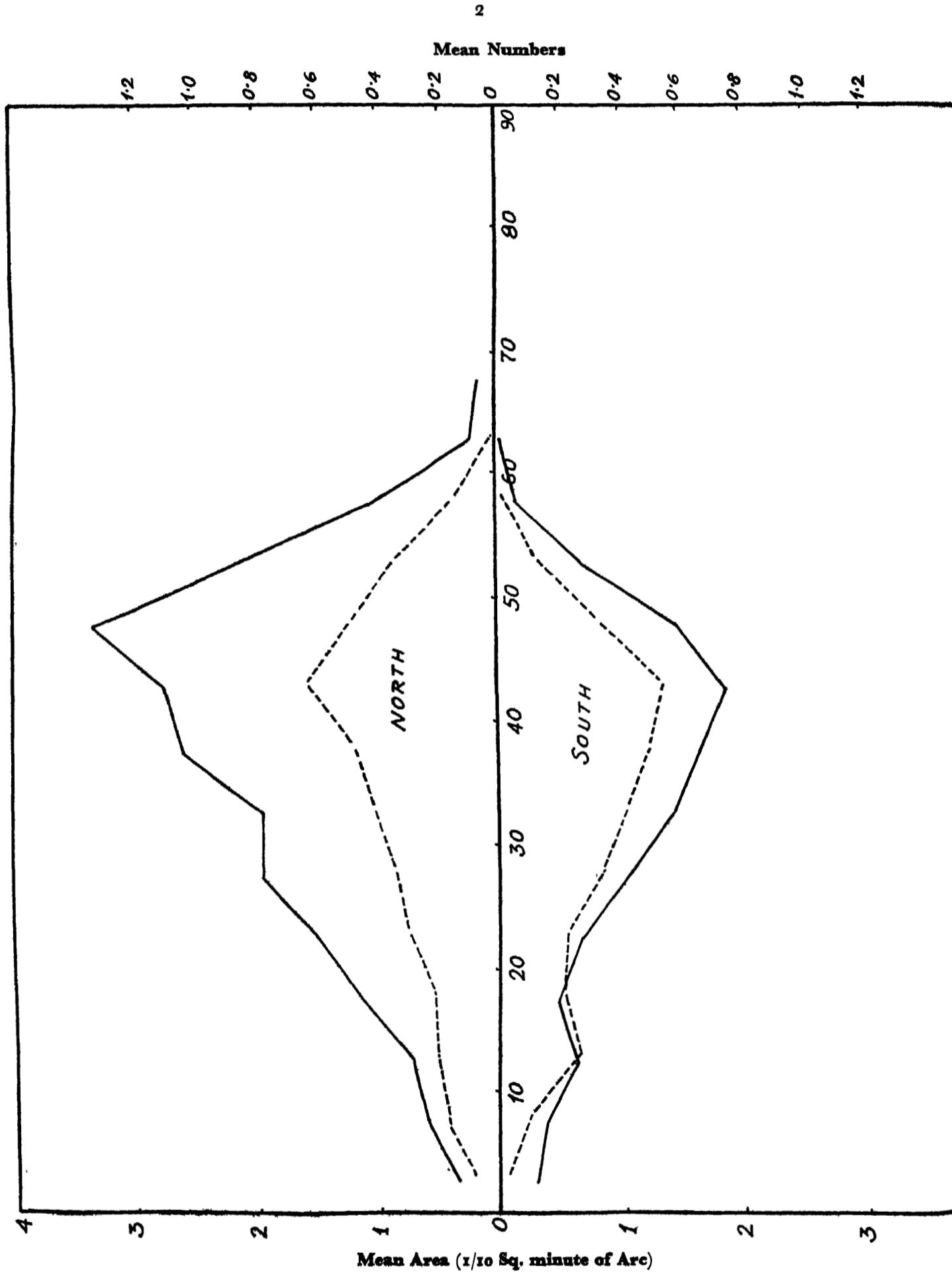
The above figures show that compared to the previous half-year there has been a considerable increase in activity in both areas and numbers, the increase being 76.8% in area and 24.9% in numbers.

For comparison with the data published in bulletins prior to 1923, i.e. before the co-operation of other observatories came into force, the following table gives the values based on Kodaikanal observations alone.

|       | Mean daily areas<br>(square minutes) | Mean daily numbers |
|-------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|
| North | 2.21                                 | 4.24               |
| South | 1.14                                 | 3.28               |
| TOTAL | 3.35                                 | 7.52               |

The distribution of areas and numbers in 5° ranges of latitude as obtained from the combined data is represented in diagram I. The curves for area show pronounced peaks of activity in the latitude zone 45°—50° in the northern hemisphere and 35°—40° in the southern hemisphere.

**DIAGRAM I**  
 Mean Areas and Mean Numbers of  
 Calcium Prominences.  
 January—June 1955.  
 Mean Areas.....Full Line.  
 Mean Numbers.....Broken line.



The monthly, quarterly and half-yearly areas, numbers, heights and extents of prominences as derived from all the available photographs are as follows :—

| Months<br>1955 | Number<br>of days<br>(effective) | Area<br>(square<br>minutes) | Numbers | Daily means                  |         | Mean<br>height<br>" | Mean<br>extent<br>° |
|----------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------|------------------------------|---------|---------------------|---------------------|
|                |                                  |                             |         | Areas<br>(square<br>minutes) | Numbers |                     |                     |
| January        | 29 $\frac{1}{2}$                 | 74.75                       | 189     | 2.51                         | 6.35    | 43.81               | 4.24                |
| February       | 26                               | 92.55                       | 168     | 3.55                         | 6.46    | 49.97               | 5.11                |
| March          | 31                               | 124.25                      | 368     | 4.00                         | 11.89   | 30.39               | 2.68                |
| April          | 27                               | 90.95                       | 233     | 3.97                         | 8.63    | 34.89               | 2.83                |
| May            | 27                               | 93.10                       | 198     | 3.45                         | 5.10    | 49.31               | 4.71                |
| June           | 30                               | 70.15                       | 149     | 2.34                         | 4.96    | 40.77               | 4.23                |
| 1st quarter    | 86 $\frac{1}{2}$                 | 291.55                      | 725     | 3.36                         | 8.31    | 38.37               | 3.65                |
| 2nd quarter    | 84                               | 254.20                      | 520     | 3.02                         | 6.20    | 40.41               | 3.73                |
| 1st half-year  | 170 $\frac{1}{2}$                | 545.75                      | 1,245   | 3.11                         | 7.29    | 39.22               | 3.68                |

The following table gives the distribution of prominences about the sun's axis of rotation :—

| 1955 January—June                      | East  | West  | Percentage<br>East |
|--|-------|-------|--------------------|
| Total areas (square minutes) . . . . . | 269.9 | 281.9 | 48.3               |
| Total numbers . . . . .                | 609   | 636   | 48.9               |

*Observations with the prominence Spectroscope.*—No metallic or eruptive prominence was observed during the half-year. Two bright reversals of H-alpha line and dark reversal of D<sub>3</sub> line on the disc near sunspots were observed.

The mean heights in H-alpha, D<sub>3</sub> and H-beta of 10 prominences observed with the spectroscope and the mean height in the K-line of the same prominences as measured from the calcium spectroheliograms are as follows :—

|                | Mean height<br>" |
|----------------|------------------|
| K              | 65.5             |
| H-alpha        | 58.5             |
| D <sub>3</sub> | 47.8             |
| H-beta         | 41.4             |

*Observations with the Hale Spectrohelioscope.*—Details of Doppler displacements in H-alpha line observed in prominences and dark markings are tabulated below :—

|  | North | South | East | West | Total | Displacements |           |           |
|--|-------|-------|------|------|-------|---------------|-----------|-----------|
|  |       |       |      |      |       | To red        | To violet | Both ways |
| Displacements in prominences . . . . .   | 14    | 9     | 11   | 12   | 23    | ..            | ..        | 23        |
| Displacements in dark markings . . . . . | 4     | 1     | 3    | 2    | 5     | ..            | ..        | 5         |

DIAGRAM I

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*Solar Flares*

Details of solar flares observed during the period are given below :—

| Date<br>1955     | Time (I S T)       |                  |              | Mean<br>latitude | Mean<br>longitude<br>from<br>central<br>meridian | Intensity | Maximum<br>width of<br>H-alpha<br>observed | Remarks                         |
|------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|--|-----------|--|---------------------------------|
|                  | Beginning<br>h. m. | Maximum<br>h. m. | End<br>h. m. |                  |  |           |  |                                 |
| January 18 . . . | 07 45              | ..               | 08 30        | 33°N             | 3°E  | 1         | 1.00                                       | Observed with spectroheliograph |
| February 4 . . . | 07 50              | ..               | 08 15        | 19°N             | 55°W   | 1         | 1.04                                       | Do.                             |
| May 22 . . .     | 07 40              | ..               | 08 15        | 25°N             | 15°W   | 1         | 0.32                                       | Do                              |

*Sudden disappearance of Prominences and H-alpha Dark Markings.*—No sudden disappearance of prominences or H-alpha absorption markings was observed during the period.

*Prominences projected on the disc as absorption markings.*—During the period under review, photographs of the sun's disc in H-alpha line were secured on 146 days at Kodaikanal. Spectroheliograms were also received for 29 days from Mt. Wilson Observatory and for 26 days from Meudon Observatory. On the whole records were available for 180 effective days.

The mean daily areas in millionths of the sun's visible hemisphere (uncorrected for foreshortening) and the mean daily numbers of H-alpha dark markings as derived from the combined photographs are :—

| Combined data   |  |                       |
|-----------------|--|-----------------------|
|                 | Mean daily areas<br>(Millionths of the<br>sun's visible hemi-<br>sphere) | Mean daily<br>numbers |
| North . . . . . | 10,22.9  | 6.96                  |
| South . . . . . | 434.3  | 3.18                  |
| TOTAL           | 14,57.2  | 10.14                 |

Compared to the previous half-year's values, these figures show a marked increase in activity as in the case of the limb prominences. The areas show an increase of 117.7% and the numbers 73.3%.

The figures based on only Kodaikanal photographs are also given below for comparison with similar data :—

| Kodaikanal data only |  |                         |
|----------------------|--|-------------------------|
|                      | Mean daily areas<br>(millionths of the<br>sun's visible hemi-<br>sphere) | Mean daily num-<br>bers |
| North . . . . .      | 902.4  | 6.20                    |
| South . . . . .      | 376.5  | 2.62                    |
| TOTAL                | 1,278.9  | 8.82                    |

The distribution of the areas of the markings in 5° ranges of latitude as obtained from the combined data is shown in diagram II. There is a well-marked zone of maximum activity in the northern hemisphere in the latitude belt 45°—50°. The zone of maximum activity in the southern hemisphere is in the belt 40°—45°.

DIAGRAM II  
Mean Areas of H-Alpha Absorption Markings  
January-June 1955

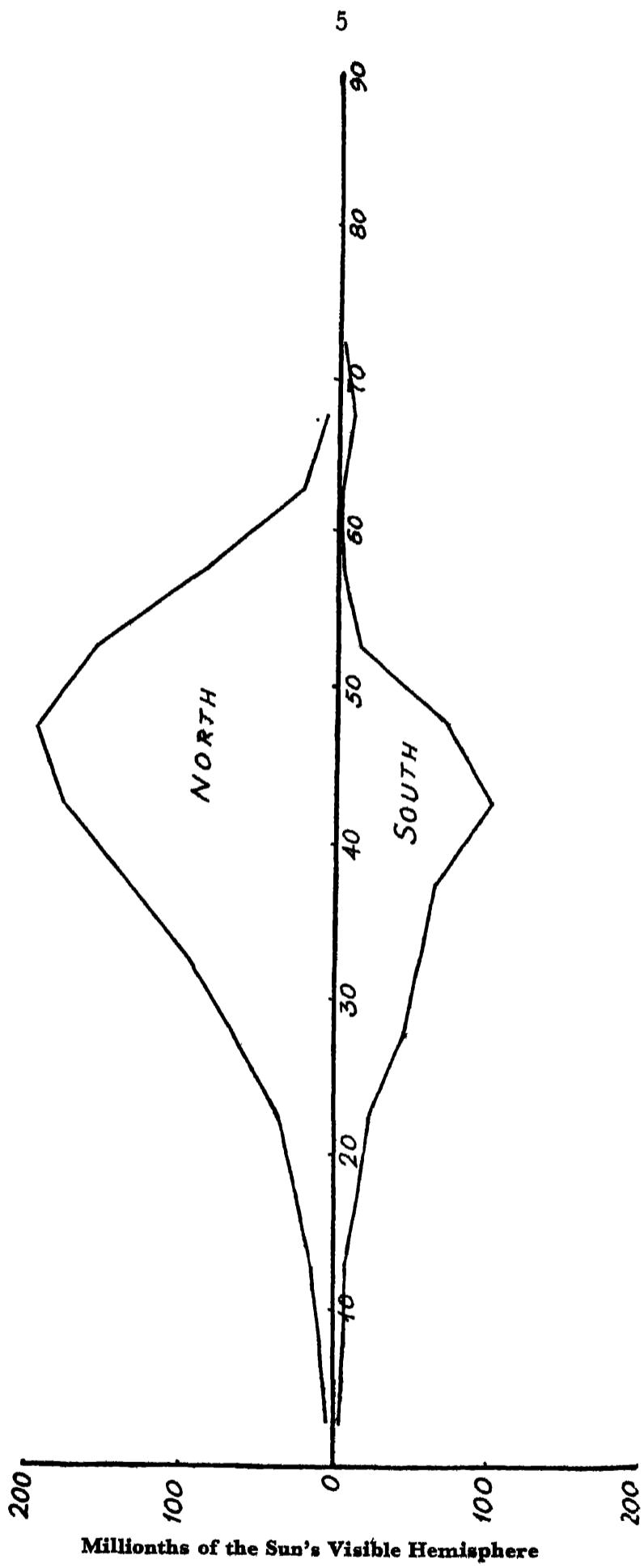


DIAGRAM I

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The distribution of total areas and numbers of the dark markings east and west of the sun's axis is as follows :—

|  | Combined data |         |                    |
|--|---------------|---------|--------------------|
|  | East          | West    | Percentage<br>East |
| Total area (millionths of the sun's visible hemisphere uncorrected for foreshortening) . . . . . | 14,1274       | 12,1530 | 53·6               |
| Total numbers . . . . .  | 983           | 843     | 53·8               |

The Western excess of both areas and numbers seen in the last half-year has now changed into an eastern excess.

*Calcium Flocculus*

Commencing with 1955 this bulletin will incorporate the results of calcium flocculus observations at Kodaikanal supplemented by observations made at the co-operating observatories for days on which Kodaikanal had no observations.

During the half-year under review calcium flocculus spectroheliograms were taken on 143 days at Kodaikanal. Calcium spectroheliograms for 24 days were received from Meudon Observatory. In all observations were available for 167 effective days.

The mean daily areas (in millionths of the sun's visible hemisphere—uncorrected for foreshortening) computed from the combined data are given in the following table :—

|                 | Combined data  |  |
|-----------------|--|--|
|                 | Mean daily area<br>(millionths of the sun's<br>visible hemisphere) |  |
| North . . . . . | 2,009  |  |
| South . . . . . | 1,230  |  |
| <b>TOTAL</b>    | <b>3,239</b>   |  |

The distribution of flocculi East and West of the sun's axis is as follows :—

|  | East    | West    | Percentage<br>East |
|--|---------|---------|--------------------|
| Total area in millionths of the sun's visible hemisphere . . . . . | 26,0114 | 28,0358 | 48·1               |

Our thanks are due to the co-operating observatories for the photographs supplied by them.

## PART II

Brief descriptions of the absolute instruments, the variometers and the system of observations are available in Bulletins No. CXXXII and CXXXVI of this observatory. The data given in this bulletin are derived mainly from the records of the La Cour instruments, but in case of failure of La Cour records the Watson magnetograms have been used.

The adopted values of the scale-coefficients of the horizontal force, vertical force and declination magnetographs for the first half of 1955 are  $80.0 \text{ Y/cm.}$ ,  $115.0 \text{ Y/cm.}$  and  $16.0'/\text{cm.}$  respectively.

*Trends in Magnetic Variations*

The mean value of and the range in horizontal force for the first half of 1955 were  $39,469 \gamma$  and  $99 \gamma$  respectively showing a decrease in the mean value and an increase in the range over the corresponding values viz.  $39,479 \gamma$  and  $87 \gamma$  for the second half of 1954. In the case of vertical force the mean value as well as the range showed an increase over the corresponding values for the previous half-year, the mean value rising from  $2,387 \gamma$  to  $2,394 \gamma$  and the range from  $34 \gamma$  to  $36 \gamma$ . The mean westerly declination decreased from  $2^{\circ}34'4$  to  $2^{\circ}33'9$  and the mean range from  $3.5'$  to  $3.4'$ .

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## DIAGRAM I

TABLE 1  
Hourly Values of Declination, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

| Date    | Hours G. M. T.             |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|---------|----------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|         | 0                          | 1    | 2    | 3    | 4    | 5    | 6    | 7    | 8    | 9    | 10   | 11   | 12   | 13   | 14   |
| January | 2° plus tabular quantities |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| 1       | 33.3                       | 33.3 | 33.5 | 32.7 | 33.0 | 33.8 | 33.8 | 33.0 | 32.2 | 31.2 | 30.9 | 31.4 | 32.5 | 32.5 | 32.4 |
| 2       | 33.0                       | 33.3 | 33.8 | 33.3 | 33.5 | 34.6 | 34.6 | 34.4 | 33.8 | 32.7 | 31.4 | 31.4 | 32.2 | 32.8 | 32.5 |
| 3       | 33.5                       | 33.6 | 33.8 | 33.3 | 33.2 | 33.6 | 34.0 | 33.6 | 33.0 | 32.5 | 31.7 | 31.4 | 32.2 | 32.8 | 32.4 |
| 4       | 33.2                       | 33.0 | 33.0 | 33.0 | 33.3 | 33.8 | 34.1 | 34.3 | 34.1 | 33.8 | 32.8 | 32.2 | 32.4 | 32.4 | 32.2 |
| 5       | 32.7                       | 32.7 | 32.7 | 32.8 | 33.0 | 34.6 | 34.8 | 34.4 | 34.0 | 33.3 | 32.7 | 31.7 | 31.7 | 32.0 | 32.0 |
| 6       | 32.7                       | 32.0 | 31.2 | 30.9 | 32.2 | 33.8 | 33.8 | 33.8 | 33.8 | 33.6 | 32.8 | 32.4 | 32.2 | 31.7 | 31.4 |
| 7       | 32.8                       | 32.5 | 32.0 | 31.6 | 31.6 | 32.5 | 32.2 | 33.5 | 33.3 | 33.5 | 33.0 | 32.2 | 32.4 | 32.2 | 32.2 |
| 8       | 32.8                       | 32.8 | 32.5 | 32.4 | 31.2 | 32.0 | 32.7 | 33.3 | 33.6 | 33.8 | 33.2 | 32.8 | 32.8 | 32.7 | 32.5 |
| 9††     | 33.0                       | 33.5 | 33.6 | 34.1 | 34.0 | 34.1 | 34.8 | 34.0 | 33.8 | 33.0 | 32.4 | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.4 |
| 10†     | 34.4                       | 34.4 | 34.0 | 33.0 | 32.8 | 33.6 | 33.5 | 34.3 | 33.3 | 33.0 | 32.7 | 32.5 | 32.7 | 32.7 | 32.5 |
| 11      | 33.0                       | 33.2 | 33.0 | 32.8 | 33.0 | 33.6 | 33.6 | 32.2 | 31.2 | 30.9 | 31.1 | 31.4 | 31.9 | 31.4 | 31.4 |
| 12      | 32.7                       | 32.5 | 32.4 | 32.0 | 33.3 | 34.3 | 34.1 | 33.2 | 32.8 | 32.2 | 32.0 | 32.4 | 33.0 | 33.0 | 32.8 |
| 13      | 33.2                       | 33.0 | 33.0 | 32.7 | 33.0 | 33.8 | 34.1 | 33.6 | 32.8 | 31.4 | 31.1 | 31.1 | 31.7 | 32.2 | 32.0 |
| 14      | 33.0                       | 33.0 | 33.0 | 33.0 | 33.6 | 34.6 | 34.9 | 34.3 | 33.0 | 33.0 | 31.7 | 31.1 | 31.2 | 31.4 | 31.4 |
| 15†     | 33.0                       | 33.0 | 32.5 | 32.4 | 32.7 | 33.0 | 33.8 | 33.2 | 32.5 | 31.4 | 31.1 | 31.2 | 32.0 | 32.2 | 32.5 |
| 16      | 32.8                       | 32.7 | 32.4 | 32.4 | 32.7 | 33.6 | 34.6 | 34.6 | 34.1 | 32.8 | 31.9 | 31.4 | 31.7 | 31.9 | 31.4 |
| 17††    | 33.0                       | 33.5 | 33.8 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 33.5 | 33.0 | 32.5 | 31.9 | 31.4 | 31.2 | 32.2 | 31.2 |
| 18††    | 33.8                       | 34.4 | 33.6 | 32.2 | 30.8 | 31.9 | 32.7 | 33.3 | 33.0 | 32.8 | 32.2 | 31.4 | 31.2 | 31.2 | 31.2 |
| 19††    | 32.7                       | 32.8 | 33.0 | 32.0 | 31.4 | 30.9 | 29.8 | 29.5 | 29.3 | 29.6 | 29.0 | 29.5 | 29.6 | 30.3 | 29.8 |
| 20††    | 32.0                       | 32.0 | 32.5 | 32.0 | 32.4 | 32.7 | 32.5 | 32.7 | 33.0 | 32.8 | 32.4 | 31.4 | 31.2 | 31.2 | 31.1 |
| 21      | 32.4                       | 32.4 | 32.5 | 32.7 | 32.7 | 32.7 | 32.8 | 32.8 | 32.5 | 31.6 | 31.4 | 31.4 | 31.4 | 31.4 | 31.7 |
| 22      | 32.8                       | 33.0 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.0 | 33.0 | 33.0 | 32.7 | 32.2 | 32.0 | 32.2 | 32.5 | 32.4 | 32.0 | 32.2 |
| 23      | 33.3                       | 34.1 | 34.6 | 34.0 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.0 | 32.2 | 31.6 | 31.2 | 30.9 | 31.1 | 31.6 | 31.4 | 31.4 |
| 24†     | 33.2                       | 33.6 | 34.3 | 33.6 | 33.2 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.0 | 32.4 | 32.0 | 31.6 | 31.6 | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.4 |
| 25†     | 33.3                       | 34.0 | 34.8 | 34.8 | 34.3 | 34.1 | 34.4 | 33.8 | 33.0 | 32.4 | 32.0 | 32.0 | 32.4 | 32.5 | 32.5 |
| 26†     | 33.0                       | 33.0 | 33.0 | 33.3 | 34.1 | 34.1 | 34.3 | 34.0 | 33.3 | 32.7 | 32.2 | 32.0 | 32.4 | 33.0 | 32.8 |
| 27      | 33.3                       | 33.6 | 34.1 | 33.6 | 33.0 | 33.2 | 33.5 | 33.0 | 32.4 | 31.6 | 31.4 | 31.4 | 32.0 | 32.5 | 32.7 |
| 28      | 33.5                       | 34.0 | 34.6 | 34.8 | 34.8 | 34.8 | 34.6 | 34.6 | 34.1 | 33.6 | 32.8 | 32.5 | 32.4 | 32.7 | 32.8 |
| 29      | 34.6                       | 34.9 | 34.6 | 34.6 | 34.8 | 34.8 | 35.2 | 34.6 | 34.1 | 33.3 | 33.0 | 33.0 | 33.0 | 33.0 | 32.8 |
| 30      | 33.2                       | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.8 | 34.4 | 34.6 | 34.4 | 33.8 | 33.0 | 32.4 | 31.7 | 31.7 | 32.5 | 32.7 | 32.8 |
| 31      | 33.0                       | 32.8 | 32.7 | 32.8 | 33.3 | 33.6 | 33.8 | 33.5 | 33.0 | 32.8 | 32.5 | 32.2 | 32.5 | 32.8 | 32.8 |
| Mean    | 33.1                       | 33.2 | 33.3 | 33.0 | 33.1 | 33.6 | 33.7 | 33.4 | 32.9 | 32.4 | 31.9 | 31.7 | 32.0 | 32.2 | 32.1 |
| Mean†   | 33.4                       | 33.6 | 33.7 | 33.4 | 33.4 | 33.6 | 33.8 | 33.7 | 32.9 | 32.3 | 31.9 | 31.9 | 32.3 | 32.5 | 32.5 |
| Mean††  | 32.9                       | 33.2 | 33.3 | 32.8 | 32.4 | 32.7 | 32.8 | 32.6 | 32.4 | 32.1 | 31.6 | 31.2 | 31.1 | 31.4 | 31.1 |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record, (day omitted for means).

TABLE I

## Hourly Values of Declination, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

January

 $2^\circ$  plus tabular quantities

| Hours G. M. T. |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       | Mean  | Maximum |       | Minimum |      | Range  | Date |
|----------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|-------|---------|------|--------|------|
| 15             | 16    | 17    | 18    | 19    | 20    | 21    | 22    | 23    | Time  |       | Mag.    | Time  | Mag.    |      |        |      |
| '              | '     | '     | '     | '     | '     | '     | '     | '     | H. M. | '     | H. M.   | '     | '       | '    |        |      |
| 32° 2          | 32° 4 | 32° 5 | 32° 7 | 32° 8 | 32° 8 | 32° 8 | 32° 8 | 32° 8 | 32° 6 | 05 30 | 33° 8   | 10 06 | 30° 3   | 3° 5 | 1      |      |
| 32° 5          | 32° 7 | 32° 7 | 32° 8 | 32° 0 | 33° 0 | 33 0  | 33 0  | 33 0  | 33° 0 | 05 50 | 34° 9   | 10 30 | 31° 1   | 3° 8 | 2      |      |
| 32° 5          | 32° 7 | 32° 7 | 32 8  | 32 8  | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33 2  | 32° 9 | 06 50 | 34° 0 | 11 50   | 31° 2 | 2° 8    | 3    |        |      |
| 32° 4          | 32° 7 | 32° 7 | 32 7  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32 7  | 32 7  | 32 7  | 32° 0 | 07 06 | 34° 3   | 11 10 | 31° 7   | 2° 6 | 4      |      |
| 31° 7          | 31 7  | 31 9  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32 7  | 32 7  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32° 8 | 06 02 | 34° 9   | 11 30 | 31° 4   | 3° 5 | 5      |      |
| 31° 4          | 31° 6 | 32° 0 | 32° 2 | 32° 2 | 32° 4 | 32° 7 | 32° 7 | 32° 8 | 32° 4 | 08 10 | 33° 8   | 03 00 | 30° 6   | 3° 2 | 6      |      |
| 32° 0          | 32° 2 | 32° 2 | 32 2  | 32 2  | 32 4  | 32 7  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32 5  | 09 06 | 33° 6   | 03 15 | 31° 1   | 2° 5 | 7      |      |
| 32° 4          | 32 4  | 32 5  | 32 7  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 32° 7 | 08 58 | 33° 8   | 03 30 | 30° 8   | 3° 0 | 8      |      |
| 32° 7          | 32 7  | 32 4  | 32 5  | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 6 | 33° 1 | 06 10 | 34° 0 | 11 30   | 31° 4 | 3° 4    | 9††  |        |      |
| 32° 5          | 32 5  | 32 7  | 32 7  | 32 8  | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 1 | 01 40 | 31° 4   | 10 50 | 31° 9   | 2° 5 | 10†    |      |
| 31° 7          | 32° 0 | 32° 0 | 32° 0 | 32° 2 | 32° 4 | 32° 0 | 32° 4 | 32° 7 | 32° 2 | 05 30 | 33° 8   | 08 30 | 30° 8   | 3° 0 | 11     |      |
| 32° 8          | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 32° 9 | 05 30 | 34° 3   | 10 46 | 31° 7   | 2° 6 | 12     |      |
| 32° 2          | 32° 2 | 32 5  | 32 5  | 32 7  | 32 7  | 32 8  | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 32° 6 | 04 50 | 34° 4   | 10 50 | 30° 4   | 4° 0 | 13     |      |
| 31° 4          | 31° 9 | 31° 9 | 32° 5 | 32° 7 | 32 8  | 32 8  | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 32° 6 | 05 10 | 34° 9   | 10 10 | 30° 6   | 4° 3 | 14     |      |
| 32° 7          | 32 7  | 32 7  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32° 5 | 06 50 | 33° 3   | 10 30 | 30° 8   | 2° 5 | 15†    |      |
| 31° 4          | 32° 0 | 32° 0 | 32° 0 | 32° 2 | 32° 5 | 32° 7 | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32° 6 | 06 30 | 34° 6   | 11 10 | 30° 9   | 3° 7 | 16     |      |
| 30° 6          | 31° 4 | 31° 7 | 31 9  | 32° 4 | 33° 0 | 32° 7 | 32 5  | 33° 8 | 32° 6 | 23 00 | 34° 3   | 14 10 | 29° 8   | 4° 5 | 17††   |      |
| 31° 2          | 31 1  | 31 1  | 31 4  | 31° 4 | 32° 2 | 32° 8 | 32 5  | 32 7  | 32° 2 | 01 26 | 34° 4   | 04 18 | 30° 3   | 4° 1 | 18††   |      |
| 30° 3          | 30° 9 | 31° 2 | 31° 4 | 31° 2 | 31 4  | 31° 4 | 31° 7 | 32 0  | 20° 9 | 02 20 | 33° 0   | 09 50 | 28° 2   | 4° 8 | 19††   |      |
| 31° 1          | 31° 1 | 31° 2 | 31 2  | 31° 4 | 31° 4 | 31° 4 | 31° 4 | 32° 0 | 31 8  | 08 10 | 34° 0   | 15 10 | 30° 9   | 2° 1 | 20††   |      |
| 31° 7          | 31° 9 | 32° 0 | 32° 0 | 32° 0 | 32° 2 | 32° 5 | 32° 7 | 32° 7 | 32° 1 | 23 00 | 33° 0   | 11 10 | 31° 4   | 1° 6 | 21     |      |
| 32° 2          | 32° 4 | 32 7  | 32 5  | 32 4  | 32 7  | 33 0  | 33 0  | 33 0  | 32° 6 | 02 56 | 33° 6   | 09 30 | 31° 7   | 1° 9 | 22     |      |
| 31° 9          | 32° 0 | 32 5  | 32 7  | 32 7  | 32 8  | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 32° 5 | 02 36 | 34° 6   | 10 10 | 30° 8   | 3° 8 | 23     |      |
| 32° 5          | 32° 7 | 32 7  | 32 7  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 33° 0 | 33 2  | 32° 8 | 02 52 | 34° 4 | 10 50   | 31° 4 | 3° 0    | 24†  |        |      |
| 32° 5          | 32° 7 | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32 7  | 32 7  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32° 1 | 03 00 | 34° 9   | 10 10 | 31° 4   | 3° 5 | 25†    |      |
| 32° 8          | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 1 | 06 26 | 34° 4   | 11 30 | 31° 6   | 2° 8 | 26†    |      |
| 32° 8          | 32° 8 | 32° 8 | 32 7  | 32 5  | 32 8  | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 32 8  | 03 00 | 34° 6   | 10 50 | 31° 2   | 3° 4 | 27     |      |
| 33° 0          | 33° 2 | 33 3  | 33 5  | 33 6  | 33 8  | 34° 0 | 34 1  | 34 8  | 33° 7 | 04 10 | 35° 4   | 10 50 | 31° 9   | 3° 5 | 28     |      |
| 32° 8          | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33 0  | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 6 | 06 14 | 35° 4   | 11 10 | 32° 8   | 2° 6 | 29     |      |
| 33° 0          | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 32 8  | 32 8  | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33 1  | 05 10 | 34° 8   | 10 30 | 31° 4   | 3° 4 | 30     |      |
| 32° 7          | 32° 8 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 33° 0 | 32 9  | 06 30 | 31° 1   | 10 30 | 32° 0   | 2° 1 | 31     |      |
| 32° 1          | 32° 3 | 32° 4 | 32 5  | 32 6  | 32 7  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 33° 0 | 32° 7 |       |         |       |         | 3° 2 | Mean   |      |
| 32° 6          | 32° 7 | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32 8  | 32 9  | 32 9  | 32 9  | 33° 0 |       |       |         |       |         |      | Mean†  |      |
| 31° 2          | 31° 4 | 31 5  | 31 7  | 31 8  | 32 2  | 32 3  | 32 2  | 32 8  |       |       |         |       |         |      | Mean†† |      |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record, (day omitted for means).

## DIAGRAM I

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TABLE 2

## Hourly Values of Declination, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

February

2° plus tabular quantities

| Date   | Hours G M T |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |
|--------|-------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|------|------|
|        | 0           | 1    | 2    | 3    | 4    | 5    | 6    | 7    | 8    | 9    | 10   | 11    | 12   | 13   | 14   |
| 1†     | 34.0        | 34.0 | 34.0 | 33.8 | 34.2 | 34.6 | 35.6 | 35.6 | 35.1 | 34.6 | 33.8 | 33.7  | 33.8 | 34.0 | 34.0 |
| 2†     | 35.3        | 35.0 | 35.3 | 35.0 | 35.3 | 35.6 | 35.6 | 35.4 | 34.5 | 33.5 | 32.9 | 32.7  | 33.2 | 33.2 | 33.2 |
| 3      | 34.6        | 35.0 | 35.4 | 35.6 | 35.6 | 35.6 | 35.6 | 35.6 | 34.8 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.0  | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.0 |
| 4††    | 34.0        | 34.2 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.6 | 35.3 | 35.3 | 34.8 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 33.2 | 33.0  | 33.2 | 33.2 | 33.4 |
| 5††    | 34.0        | 34.0 | 34.0 | 33.5 | 33.8 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 33.8 | 33.4 | 33.0 | 32.9 | 33.2  | 33.2 | 33.4 | 33.2 |
| 6      | 34.3        | 35.1 | 35.3 | 35.3 | 35.0 | 35.1 | 34.6 | 34.0 | 33.8 | 33.2 | 32.4 | 32.4  | 33.2 | 33.7 | 33.7 |
| 7      | 34.0        | 34.8 | 35.1 | 34.6 | 35.1 | 36.2 | 36.9 | 36.4 | 35.4 | 34.5 | 33.8 | 33.2  | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.2 |
| 8      | 34.6        | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.5 | 34.6 | 35.6 | 35.6 | 35.6 | 34.8 | 33.5 | 32.9 | 32.9  | 33.4 | 33.7 | 33.8 |
| 9      | 34.0        | 34.2 | 34.0 | 33.4 | 34.5 | 35.4 | 36.4 | 35.6 | 35.0 | 34.0 | 33.2 | 33.4  | 33.8 | 34.0 | 33.8 |
| 10†    | 34.0        | 34.0 | 33.8 | 33.8 | 34.6 | 35.8 | 36.6 | 36.6 | 35.8 | 35.0 | 34.0 | 33.7  | 33.8 | 33.8 | 33.8 |
| 11     | 34.0        | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.5 | 35.9 | 37.2 | 37.2 | 36.7 | 35.6 | 34.6 | 33.8 | 33.7  | 33.7 | 33.8 | 33.8 |
| 12     | 33.0        | 32.9 | 32.7 | 33.0 | 34.5 | 35.6 | 35.6 | 35.6 | 35.0 | 34.0 | 32.9 | 33.0  | 33.4 | 33.4 | 33.4 |
| 13     | 33.7        | 33.2 | 33.0 | 33.2 | 33.7 | 34.6 | 35.0 | 35.0 | 34.3 | 33.3 | 32.4 | 32.4  | 32.4 | 33.0 | 33.2 |
| 14     | 34.0        | 33.8 | 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.8 | 34.3 | 35.1 | 35.9 | 35.3 | 33.8 | 33.2 | 33.0  | 33.0 | 32.4 | 32.4 |
| 15     | 34.0        | 34.0 | 34.0 | 33.8 | 34.6 | 35.4 | 35.6 | 35.6 | 35.1 | 34.5 | 34.0 | 33.8  | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.0 |
| 16     | 33.8        | 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.7 | 34.3 | 35.0 | 35.4 | 35.3 | 35.0 | 33.8 | 32.7 | 32.6  | 33.2 | 33.4 | 33.0 |
| 17     | 34.1        | 34.9 | 34.6 | 34.8 | 35.1 | 35.4 | 35.6 | 35.6 | 35.1 | 34.3 | 33.8 | 33.7  | 33.8 | 34.0 | 34.0 |
| 18     | 34.6        | 34.6 | 35.0 | 34.6 | 34.8 | 35.3 | 35.3 | 35.8 | 35.0 | 34.3 | 33.7 | 33.5  | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.0 |
| 19†    | 33.8        | 33.8 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.3 | 34.8 | 34.8 | 34.8 | 34.2 | 33.7 | 33.8 | 33.8  | 33.8 | 33.8 | 33.8 |
| 20     | 35.3        | 34.8 | 34.8 | 35.1 | 35.3 | 35.4 | 35.6 | 35.4 | 35.0 | 34.3 | 33.8 | 33.7  | 33.8 | 34.0 | 33.7 |
| 21     | 34.0        | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.4 | 33.5 | 34.3 | 35.0 | 34.8 | 33.8 | 32.7 | 32.4 | 32.4  | 32.4 | 32.4 | 32.4 |
| 22††   | 34.0        | 33.7 | 33.2 | 33.5 | 34.3 | 35.0 | 35.3 | 35.0 | 34.8 | 34.6 | 34.2 | 33.5* | 33.4 | 33.7 | 33.8 |
| 23††   | 34.0        | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.5 | 35.3 | 36.1 | 36.6 | 35.9 | 35.0 | 34.0 | 33.2  | 33.2 | 33.7 | 33.5 |
| 24     | 34.0        | 34.2 | 34.5 | 35.0 | 35.6 | 35.9 | 36.4 | 35.9 | 35.1 | 34.0 | 33.8 | 33.7  | 33.7 | 34.0 | 34.0 |
| 25     | 34.0        | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.2 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.6 | 35.8 | 35.6 | 34.8 | 33.4 | 33.8  | 33.7 | 33.8 | 33.8 |
| 26     | 35.3        | 35.1 | 35.1 | 34.3 | 33.7 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 35.0 | 34.8 | 34.3 | 33.8 | 33.8  | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.5 |
| 27†    | 35.0        | 34.8 | 35.0 | 35.0 | 35.0 | 35.3 | 35.8 | 36.1 | 35.8 | 35.6 | 35.4 | 35.3  | 34.2 | 34.0 | 34.2 |
| 28††   | 35.3        | 35.6 | 35.4 | 34.5 | 33.7 | 33.8 | 34.3 | 34.8 | 34.8 | 34.6 | 34.0 | 33.7  | 33.5 | 33.0 | 32.4 |
| Mean   | 34.2        | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.5 | 35.1 | 35.5 | 35.4 | 34.9 | 34.1 | 33.5 | 33.4  | 33.5 | 33.6 | 33.5 |
| Mean†  | 34.4        | 34.3 | 34.4 | 34.3 | 34.7 | 35.2 | 35.7 | 35.7 | 35.1 | 34.5 | 34.0 | 33.8  | 33.8 | 33.8 | 33.8 |
| Mean†† | 34.3        | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.0 | 34.2 | 34.7 | 35.0 | 35.0 | 34.6 | 34.2 | 33.7 | 33.3  | 33.3 | 33.4 | 33.3 |

† Five International quiet days

†† Five International disturbed days

\* Loss of record, (day omitted for means),

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TABLE 2

Hourly Values of Declination, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

February

2° plus tabular quantities

| 15   | 16   | 17   | 18   | 19   | 20   | 21   | 22   | 23   | Mean  | Maximum |       | Minimum |      | Range | Date   |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|---------|-------|---------|------|-------|--------|
|      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       | Time    | Mag.  | Time    | Mag. |       |        |
|      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      | H. M. | '       | H. M. | '       | '    |       |        |
| 34°0 | 34°3 | 34°5 | 34°8 | 34°8 | 35°0 | 35°0 | 35°1 | 35°1 | 34°5  | 06 50   | 35°6  | 11 30   | 33°4 | 2°2   | 1†     |
| 32°9 | 33°0 | 33°7 | 33°8 | 34°0 | 34°2 | 34°2 | 34°2 | 34°2 | 34°2  | 05 30   | 35°6  | 15 14   | 32°4 | 3°2   | 2†     |
| 33°8 | 34°0 | 33°8 | 33°8 | 33°8 | 33°8 | 33°8 | 33°8 | 33°8 | 34°4  | 06 10   | 35°6  | 17 30   | 33°4 | 2°2   | 3      |
| 33°7 | 33°7 | 33°7 | 33°7 | 33°8 | 33°8 | 33°8 | 33°8 | 33°8 | 33°9  | 06 10   | 35°4  | 11 10   | 32°9 | 2°5   | 4††    |
| 33°2 | 33°2 | 33°4 | 33°7 | 33°7 | 33°7 | 33°7 | 33°8 | 33°8 | 33°6  | 02 40   | 34°2  | 10 10   | 32°4 | 1°8   | 5††    |
| 33°7 | 33°8 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°5 | 34°0 | 34°3 | 34°6 | 34°5 | 34°1  | 02 40   | 35°4  | 10 10   | 32°2 | 3°2   | 6      |
| 33°5 | 33°8 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°2 | 34°3 | 34°4  | 06 50   | 36°9  | 10 50   | 33°0 | 3°9   | 7      |
| 33°8 | 33°8 | 33°8 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°1  | 06 50   | 35°6  | 11 10   | 32°4 | 3°2   | 8      |
| 33°8 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°2  | 06 10   | 36°4  | 10 10   | 33°0 | 3°4   | 9      |
| 33°8 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°4  | 06 10   | 36°9  | 11 30   | 33°5 | 3°4   | 10†    |
| 33°8 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 33°5 | 33°5 | 33°4 | 33°2 | 34°4  | 05 50   | 37°2  | 23 30   | 33°2 | 4°0   | 11     |
| 33°2 | 33°2 | 33°2 | 33°2 | 33°2 | 33°2 | 33°2 | 33°4 | 33°7 | 33°7  | 06 50   | 35°6  | 01 56   | 32°6 | 3°0   | 12     |
| 33°2 | 33°2 | 33°2 | 33°5 | 33°7 | 33°8 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0  | 06 50   | 35°5  | 11 30   | 32°2 | 3°1   | 13     |
| 33°0 | 33°2 | 33°5 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 33°8  | 06 50   | 36°2  | 14 10   | 32°4 | 3°8   | 14     |
| 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°3  | 06 10   | 35°6  | 08 30   | 33°0 | 2°6   | 15     |
| 33°4 | 33°5 | 33°8 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°2 | 34°1 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 33°9  | 06 30   | 35°4  | 11 10   | 32°4 | *3°0  | 16     |
| 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°2 | 34°2 | 34°3 | 34°4  | 06 26   | 35°6  | 11 10   | 33°2 | 2°4   | 17     |
| 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 33°8  | 06 30   | 35°4  | 10 10   | 33°2 | 2°4   | 18     |
| 33°8 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°2  | 05 30   | 35°1  | 09 30   | 33°2 | 1°9   | 19†    |
| 33°4 | 33°4 | 33°7 | 33°7 | 33°7 | 33°7 | 33°8 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°3  | 05 50   | 35°6  | 15 30   | 33°0 | 2°6   | 20     |
| 32°4 | 32°6 | 33°0 | 33°2 | 33°4 | 33°8 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 33°4  | 06 50   | 35°1  | 13 10   | 32°1 | 3°0   | 21     |
| 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°2 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°1 | 34°1  | 06 18   | 35°4  | 02 40   | 32°9 | 2°5   | 22††   |
| 33°7 | 33°8 | 33°8 | 33°8 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°2  | 06 50   | 36°7  | 11 30   | 32°6 | 4°1   | 23††   |
| 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°2 | 34°3 | 34°3 | 34°2 | 34°4  | 06 50   | 36°4  | 11 30   | 33°2 | 3°2   | 24     |
| 34°2 | 34°3 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°2 | 34°6 | 34°8 | 35°0 | 35°3 | 34°4  | 07 50   | 35°8  | 12 10   | 33°2 | 2°6   | 25     |
| 33°7 | 33°7 | 33°8 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°7 | 34°8 | 34°9 | 35°0 | 34°3  | 02 20   | 35°6  | 14 10   | 33°2 | 2°4   | 26     |
| 34°5 | 34°5 | 34°6 | 34°6 | 34°8 | 34°8 | 35°1 | 35°3 | 35°6 | 35°0  | 06 50   | 36°1  | 12 30   | 33°8 | 2°3   | 27†    |
| 32°6 | 33°2 | 33°7 | 33°8 | 34°0 | 34°0 | 34°2 | 34°2 | 34°3 | 34°0  | 01 20   | 35°6  | 13 30   | 32°4 | 3°2   | 28††   |
| 33°6 | 33°7 | 33°8 | 33°9 | 34°0 | 34°8 | 34°1 | 34°2 | 34°2 | 34°2  |         |       |         |      | 2°9   | Mean   |
| 33°8 | 34°0 | 34°2 | 34°2 | 34°3 | 34°4 | 34°5 | 34°6 | 34°8 |       |         |       |         |      |       | Mean†  |
| 33°4 | 33°6 | 33°7 | 33°8 | 33°9 | 33°9 | 33°9 | 34°0 | 34°0 |       |         |       |         |      |       | Mean†† |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record; (day omitted for means).

## DIAGRAM I

March

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TABLE 3  
Hourly Values of Declination, 1955  
[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

2° plus tabular quantities

| Date   | Hours G. M. T |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|--------|---------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|        | 0             | 1    | 2    | 3    | 4    | 5    | 6    | 7    | 8    | 9    | 10   | 11   | 12   | 13   | 14   |
| 1†     | 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 35.1 | 35.8 | 35.9 | 36.3 | 36.6 | 36.3 | 35.8 | 35.1 | 34.7 | 34.7 | 35.0 | 35.1 |
| 2†     | 35.3          | 34.7 | 34.5 | 34.0 | 34.7 | 35.3 | 35.3 | 35.9 | 35.9 | 35.3 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.5 | 34.5 |
| 3†     | 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.7 | 35.8 | 36.1 | 36.1 | 35.9 | 35.6 | 34.8 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 |
| 4†     | 34.5          | 34.3 | 34.3 | 33.9 | 34.3 | 34.8 | 35.9 | 35.3 | 34.8 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.0 | 34.3 | 34.5 |
| 5      | 34.5          | 34.3 | 34.3 | 33.9 | 34.2 | 34.5 | 35.0 | 35.6 | 35.8 | 35.0 | 34.5 | 34.2 | 33.9 | 33.7 | 33.9 |
| 6      | 34.3          | 33.9 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.3 | 35.3 | 35.6 | 35.8 | 35.1 | 34.7 | 33.5 | 33.2 | 33.5 | 33.9 | 34.0 |
| 7††    | 33.7          | 33.1 | 32.9 | 33.1 | 33.9 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.7 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 33.9 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.9 |
| 8      | 33.4          | 32.7 | 32.7 | 32.7 | 33.7 | 34.3 | 34.7 | 35.1 | 34.8 | 34.2 | 33.9 | 33.7 | 33.9 | 34.3 | 34.2 |
| 9††    | 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.0 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.7 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.0 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.7 |
| 10     | 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.7 | 33.9 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.0 | 34.3 | 34.0 | 34.2 | 33.7 | 33.2 | 32.7 | 33.2 | 33.7 |
| 11     | 33.7          | 33.7 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.8 | 35.8 | 35.9 | 36.4 | 36.3 | 35.0 | 34.5 | 34.2 | 33.4 | 33.7 | 34.2 |
| 12     | 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.3 | 33.9 | 34.0 | 34.8 | 35.6 | 35.8 | 35.3 | 34.8 | 34.3 | 33.5 | 33.2 | 33.4 | 33.9 |
| 13     | 33.9          | 33.9 | 34.0 | 34.5 | 35.5 | 35.8 | 35.9 | 36.1 | 35.9 | 35.3 | 34.2 | 33.7 | 34.0 | 34.3 | 34.3 |
| 14     | 33.9          | 33.7 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 35.3 | 36.1 | 36.1 | 35.9 | 35.9 | 35.9 | 35.1 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 |
| 15     | 34.5          | 34.7 | 35.1 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 34.3 | 34.8 | 35.3 | 34.2 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 34.0 | 34.2 | 34.2 |
| 16     | 34.3          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.0 | 34.3 | 34.8 | 35.0 | 34.8 | 35.1 | 35.3 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.7 | 34.7 | 34.8 |
| 17     | 35.9          | 36.3 | 36.7 | 35.8 | 35.1 | 35.3 | 35.8 | 35.5 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 33.7 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 33.7 | 34.2 |
| 18     | 35.3          | 35.3 | 35.3 | 34.8 | 35.1 | 35.9 | 36.1 | 36.1 | 36.1 | 35.6 | 34.8 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 34.0 | 34.3 |
| 19     | 34.8          | 33.9 | 33.9 | 33.9 | 34.7 | 35.0 | 35.6 | 36.1 | 36.1 | 35.8 | 34.8 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 |
| 20     | 35.8          | 35.6 | 35.3 | 34.7 | 34.7 | 35.3 | 35.3 | 35.5 | 35.8 | 35.8 | 34.8 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 |
| 21     | 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.8 | 35.5 | 35.9 | 35.9 | 35.1 | 34.0 | 33.5 | 34.0 | 34.5 | 34.5 |
| 22††   | 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.8 | 35.0 | 35.8 | 36.4 | 36.9 | 37.2 | 37.7 | 37.4 | 35.9 | 34.3 | 32.9 | 31.6 | 31.1 |
| 23     | 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.8 | 34.7 | 34.8 | 35.5 | 35.8 | 36.1 | 36.1 | 35.6 | 34.7 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 |
| 24     | 34.2          | 33.7 | 33.4 | 33.9 | 34.7 | 35.1 | 35.3 | 35.3 | 35.9 | 35.6 | 34.8 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.3 |
| 25     | 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 34.0 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.2 | 32.9 | 33.1 | 33.5 | 34.0 | 34.3 |
| 26     | 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 35.0 | 35.8 | 35.8 | 35.0 | 33.9 | 33.5 | 33.4 | 33.2 | 33.4 |
| 27     | 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.0 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.7 | 35.1 | 35.3 | 35.3 | 34.5 | 33.9 | 33.7 | 34.2 | 34.2 |
| 28     | 34.3          | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.5 | 34.8 | 35.5 | 36.1 | 36.1 | 35.6 | 34.8 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.3 |
| 29†    | 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.0 | 33.5 | 33.7 | 34.2 | 34.8 | 35.3 | 35.8 | 35.8 | 34.8 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.3 |
| 30††   | 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.2 | 33.2 | 32.9 | 33.4 | 34.5 | 35.6 | 35.6 | 34.8 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 |
| 31††   | 33.9          | 33.7 | 32.6 | 32.4 | 32.9 | 33.5 | 34.7 | 35.3 | 34.5 | 34.0 | 33.5 | 32.9 | 33.2 | 33.9 | 34.2 |
| Mean   | 34.4          | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.1 | 34.4 | 34.9 | 35.3 | 35.6 | 35.5 | 35.1 | 34.4 | 33.9 | 33.9 | 34.0 | 34.1 |
| Mean†  | 34.7          | 34.5 | 34.4 | 34.2 | 34.6 | 35.2 | 35.6 | 35.8 | 35.7 | 35.4 | 34.7 | 34.4 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 34.6 |
| Mean†† | 34.2          | 34.1 | 33.8 | 33.5 | 34.0 | 34.5 | 35.0 | 35.5 | 35.4 | 35.0 | 34.4 | 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.4 | 33.4 |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record; (day omitted for means)

TABLE 3  
Hourly Values of Declination, 1955  
[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

| Hours G. M. T |      |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |       | Mean  | Maximum |       | Minimum |      | Range  | Date |  |
|---------------|------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|---------|-------|---------|------|--------|------|--|
| 15            | 16   | 17   | 18    | 19   | 20   | 21   | 22   | 23   | Time  |       | Time    | Mag.  | Time    | Mag. |        |      |  |
|               |      |      |       |      |      |      |      |      | H. M. | '     | H. M.   | '     |         |      |        |      |  |
| 35.1          | 35.3 | 35.3 | 35.3* | 35.3 | 35.3 | 35.3 | 35.3 | 35.3 | 06 42 | 36.7  | 11 50   | 34.5  | 2.2     | 1†   |        |      |  |
| 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5  | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 07 30 | 35.9  | 05 10   | 34.0  | 1.9     | 2†   |        |      |  |
| 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5  | 34.3 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.8 | 06 30 | 36.1  | 13 30   | 34.2  | 1.9     | 3†   |        |      |  |
| 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5  | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 06 10 | 35.3  | 11 50   | 33.7  | 1.6     | 4†   |        |      |  |
| 34.0          | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.2  | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 07 30 | 35.8  | 13 10   | 33.7  | 2.1     | 5    |        |      |  |
| 33.7          | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.7  | 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.7 | 33.9 | 34.1  | 06 30 | 35.9    | 10 30 | 32.9    | 3.0  | 6      |      |  |
| 33.9          | 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.2  | 33.4 | 33.4 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.8  | 07 30 | 34.7    | 02 00 | 32.9    | 1.8  | 7††    |      |  |
| 34.0          | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.3  | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 04 00 | 34.0  | 07 50   | 35.1  | 03 00   | 32.7 | 2.4    | 8    |  |
| 33.7          | 33.7 | 33.4 | 33.4  | 33.4 | 33.2 | 32.7 | 32.7 | 33.5 | 03 00 | 33.9  | 07 30   | 35.1  | 10 10   | 32.6 | 2.5    | 9††  |  |
| 33.2          | 33.5 | 33.7 | 33.7  | 33.7 | 33.7 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 33.9 | 02 52 | 35.0  | 12 12   | 32.7  | 2.3     | 10   |        |      |  |
| 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5  | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 07 10 | 36.7  | 12 10   | 33.2  | 3.5     | 11   |        |      |  |
| 34.2          | 34.3 | 34.0 | 33.7  | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 34.0 | 34.3 | 04 2  | 35.9  | 12 30   | 32.9  | 3.0     | 12   |        |      |  |
| 34.2          | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.2  | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 06 50 | 36.1  | 11 30   | 33.4  | 2.7     | 13   |        |      |  |
| 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5  | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 06 30 | 36.1  | 03 00   | 33.5  | 2.6     | 14   |        |      |  |
| 34.3          | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3  | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.2 | 02 20 | 35.1  | 03 00   | 32.9  | 2.2     | 15   |        |      |  |
| 35.0          | 35.0 | 35.0 | 34.5  | 34.7 | 35.2 | 35.3 | 35.3 | 35.8 | 34.8  | 10 02 | 35.5    | 03 06 | 33.4    | 2.1  | 16     |      |  |
| 34.2          | 34.3 | 34.5 | 34.5  | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.7 | 34.8 | 35.1 | 03 04 | 34.7  | 12 06   | 32.6  | 4.1     | 17   |        |      |  |
| 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.0  | 33.7 | 33.7 | 34.0 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 06 30 | 36.3  | 11 50   | 33.7  | 2.6     | 18   |        |      |  |
| 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5  | 34.7 | 35.1 | 35.5 | 35.3 | 35.8 | 04 30 | 36.1  | 01 40   | 33.7  | 2.4     | 19   |        |      |  |
| 34.2          | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.2  | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 08 30 | 35.8  | 18 30   | 34.0  | 1.0     | 20   |        |      |  |
| 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5  | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 07 12 | 35.9  | 11 30   | 33.2  | 2.7     | 21   |        |      |  |
| 31.6          | 32.1 | 32.4 | 32.7  | 33.2 | 33.5 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 04 4  | 34.4  | 08 10   | 37.7  | 14 54   | 30.5 | 7.2    | 22†† |  |
| 34.5          | 34.2 | 33.7 | 33.1  | 32.9 | 32.9 | 33.1 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 06 30 | 36.1  | 21 38   | 32.7  | 3.4     | 23   |        |      |  |
| 34.3          | 34.2 | 34.0 | 34.0  | 34.0 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 08 10 | 35.9  | 02 00   | 32.9  | 3.0     | 24   |        |      |  |
| 34.3          | 34.2 | 33.7 | 33.7  | 33.7 | 34.0 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 01 00 | 34.5  | 10 18   | 32.9  | 1.6     | 25   |        |      |  |
| 33.7          | 34.3 | 34.5 | 34.5  | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 07 50 | 35.9  | 13 10   | 32.9  | 3.0     | 26   |        |      |  |
| 34.2          | 34.2 | 33.7 | 33.7  | 33.9 | 33.7 | 33.9 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 08 02 | 35.3  | 11 30   | 33.4  | 1.9     | 27   |        |      |  |
| 34.5          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5  | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 08 08 | 36.1  | 12 30   | 33.9  | 2.2     | 28   |        |      |  |
| 34.3          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5  | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.8 | 08 10 | 35.9  | 03 02   | 33.4  | 2.5     | 29†  |        |      |  |
| 34.3          | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5  | 34.9 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 34.2 | 07 50 | 35.6  | 03 10   | 32.9  | 2.7     | 30†† |        |      |  |
| 34.2          | 34.3 | 34.0 | 33.7  | 33.7 | 34.2 | 33.9 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 09 08 | 35.3  | 02 36   | 31.9  | 3.4     | 31†† |        |      |  |
| 34.2          | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.1  | 34.1 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.4 | 34.5 |       |       |         |       |         | 2.7  | Mean   |      |  |
| 34.6          | 34.7 | 34.7 | 34.7  | 34.6 | 34.7 | 34.7 | 34.7 | 34.7 |       |       |         |       |         |      | Mean†  |      |  |
| 33.5          | 33.7 | 33.6 | 33.5  | 33.6 | 33.6 | 33.6 | 33.8 | 34.0 | 34.1  |       |         |       |         |      | Mean†† |      |  |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record ; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 4

## Hourly Values of Declination, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

April

° plus tabular quantities

| Date   | Hours G. M. T. |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|--------|----------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|        | 0              | 1    | 2    | 3    | 4    | 5    | 6    | 7    | 8    | 9    | 10   | 11   | 12   | 13   | 14   |
| 1      | 33.5           | 33.1 | 32.7 | 32.6 | 33.9 | 33.9 | 34.2 | 34.7 | 34.8 | 34.5 | 34.1 | 33.9 | 32.9 | 32.7 | 33.4 |
| 2      | 33.5           | 33.2 | 33.5 | 33.2 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 35.0 | 35.6 | 35.9 | 35.5 | 34.5 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 |
| 3      | 34.5           | 34.5 | 34.2 | 33.5 | 32.9 | 33.5 | 34.0 | 34.3 | 34.8 | 35.0 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.2 |
| 4      | 34.7           | 34.8 | 34.5 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 34.0 | 34.5 | 34.8 | 34.8 | 34.8 | 34.2 | 33.7 | 33.9 | 34.2 | 34.3 |
| 5†     | 33.7           | 33.2 | 33.2 | 33.1 | 33.7 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.8 | 35.3 | 34.7 | 33.7 | 33.9 | 33.2 | 33.7 | 33.5 |
| 6      | 34.2           | 33.4 | 33.7 | 33.1 | 34.0 | 34.5 | 34.7 | 35.1 | 35.3 | 35.1 | 34.5 | 34.2 | 34.0 | 34.2 | 34.2 |
| 7††    | 34.2           | 33.7 | 32.9 | 32.6 | 32.9 | 33.2 | 34.2 | 34.7 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 33.5 | 33.4 | 34.0 | 34.3 | 34.3 |
| 8      | 34.0           | 33.7 | 33.9 | 33.5 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 35.0 | 35.0 | 34.5 | 34.2 | 33.9 | 34.2 | 33.9 | 33.5 |
| 9      | 33.7           | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.1 | 32.9 | 33.7 | 34.0 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 33.9 | 33.4 | 33.2 | 33.4 | 33.7 |
| 10     | 34.3           | 34.5 | 34.3 | 33.9 | 34.7 | 35.1 | 35.8 | 35.8 | 35.8 | 34.8 | 34.5 | 33.9 | 33.4 | 33.5 | 34.2 |
| 11     | 34.5           | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.8 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 35.0 | 35.0 | 35.0 | 34.3 | 33.9 | 33.1 | 33.4 | 34.0 | 34.3 |
| 12     | 34.5           | 33.7 | 33.1 | 32.9 | 33.2 | 34.2 | 34.8 | 34.8 | 34.3 | 34.0 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 34.0 |
| 13     | 33.7           | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.9 | 34.7 | 35.5 | 36.4 | 36.4 | 36.4 | 35.5 | 34.7 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 |
| 14     | 33.7           | 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 34.2 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.7 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 33.9 | 33.4 | 33.2 | 34.2 |
| 15     | 34.2           | 34.2 | 34.0 | 33.8 | 33.7 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.8 | 35.6 | 35.5 | 34.5 | 33.7 | 34.0 | 34.2 | 34.2 |
| 16†    | 34.3           | 34.0 | 33.7 | 34.2 | 34.8 | 35.3 | 34.7 | 35.1 | 34.8 | 34.7 | 34.0 | 33.4 | 33.7 | 34.3 | 34.5 |
| 17†    | 34.3           | 33.4 | 32.9 | 34.2 | 34.8 | 35.1 | 35.6 | 36.1 | 35.9 | 35.3 | 34.5 | 34.0 | 33.9 | 34.3 | 34.5 |
| 18†    | 33.5           | 32.7 | 32.4 | 33.5 | 34.7 | 35.1 | 35.8 | 35.8 | 35.8 | 35.1 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.0 |
| 19†    | 33.9           | 33.2 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 34.0 | 34.8 | 35.5 | 36.1 | 35.6 | 35.1 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 34.5 |
| 20     | 34.5           | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 35.3 | 36.1 | 36.4 | 36.1 | 35.1 | 33.9 | 34.2 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.4 | 33.7 |
| 21     | 33.7           | 32.9 | 32.7 | 33.1 | 33.7 | 34.7 | 36.1 | 37.4 | 36.3 | 34.7 | 33.7 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 33.2 | 33.9 |
| 22     | 33.7           | 33.1 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 33.1 | 33.5 | 34.0 | 34.7 | 34.5 | 34.2 | 34.0 | 32.9 | 32.7 | 33.2 | 33.7 |
| 23†    | 35.1           | 34.7 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 35.3 | 37.1 | 37.4 | 36.7 | 35.8 | 34.8 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.5 |
| 24     | 34.3           | 34.0 | 33.9 | 34.2 | 35.3 | 36.6 | 36.7 | 36.7 | 36.1 | 35.8 | 35.0 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 |
| 25     | 33.2           | 32.6 | 32.4 | 32.7 | 33.9 | 35.3 | 36.7 | 37.4 | 36.6 | 35.9 | 34.8 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.3 |
| 26     | 33.2           | 32.6 | 32.1 | 32.4 | 33.7 | 35.3 | 36.1 | 36.4 | 35.8 | 34.8 | 34.3 | 33.4 | 32.9 | 33.5 | 34.2 |
| 27††   | 33.2           | 32.6 | 32.4 | 32.4 | 33.2 | 34.5 | 35.5 | 36.1 | 35.8 | 35.1 | 34.2 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.5 |
| 28††   | 32.1           | 31.5 | 31.3 | 31.3 | 31.9 | 33.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.2 | 33.7 | 33.2 | 32.9 | 33.1 | 33.5 | 33.9 |
| 29††   | 32.9           | 32.6 | 32.6 | 32.1 | 33.5 | 34.8 | 35.3 | 35.5 | 34.7 | 33.7 | 32.9 | 32.7 | 32.9 | 33.7 | 34.2 |
| 30     | 33.4           | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 33.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.2 | 33.5 | 32.7 | 32.7 | 33.7 | 33.7 |
| Mean   | 33.9           | 33.5 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.9 | 34.6 | 35.2 | 35.5 | 35.8 | 34.8 | 34.1 | 33.6 | 33.6 | 33.9 | 34.1 |
| Mean†  | 34.2           | 33.6 | 33.3 | 33.8 | 34.5 | 35.2 | 35.7 | 36.1 | 35.8 | 35.2 | 34.4 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.3 | 34.4 |
| Mean†† | 33.2           | 32.7 | 32.5 | 32.3 | 33.0 | 34.1 | 34.8 | 35.1 | 34.9 | 34.3 | 33.5 | 33.1 | 33.3 | 33.7 | 33.9 |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record, (day omitted for means).

TABLE 4

## Hourly Values of Declination, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

April

 $2^\circ$  plus tabular quantities

| Hours G. M. T. |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      | Mean | Maximum |      | Minimum |      | Range | Date   |
|----------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|---------|------|---------|------|-------|--------|
| 15             | 16   | 17   | 18   | 19   | 20   | 21   | 22   | 23   |      |      | Time    | Mag  | Time    | Mag  |       |        |
| '              | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | H    | M       | '    | H. M.   | '    | '     |        |
| 33 4           | 33 4 | 33 5 | 33 5 | 32 7 | 32 9 | 33 7 | 34 0 | 33 7 | 33 6 | 07   | 40      | 34 8 | 13 10   | 32 3 | 2 5   | 1      |
| 34 0           | 33 5 | 33 4 | 33 7 | 34 0 | 34 5 | 33 2 | 33 9 | 34 5 | 34 1 | 07   | 40      | 35 9 | 17 44   | 32 7 | 3 2   | 2      |
| 33 9           | 33 9 | 33 7 | 33 9 | 33 9 | 34 2 | 34 2 | 34 3 | 34 5 | 34 1 | 08   | 26      | 35 0 | 03 16   | 32 3 | 2 7   | 3      |
| 34 3           | 34 3 | 33 9 | 33 4 | 33 4 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 34 1 | 08   | 32      | 34 8 | 18 30   | 32 7 | 2 1   | 4      |
| 33 2           | 33 5 | 33 4 | 33 1 | 33 2 | 33 4 | 33 4 | 33 5 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 08   | 10      | 35 3 | 11 30   | 32 3 | 3 0   | 5††    |
| 34 3           | 34 2 | 34 2 | 34 2 | 34 2 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 08   | 16      | 35 3 | 11 47   | 32 9 | 2 4   | 6      |
| 34 5           | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 7 | 35 0 | 35 0 | 35 0 | 35 0 | 34 2 | 07   | 00      | 35 0 | 02 46   | 32 1 | 2 9   | 7††    |
| 33 5           | 33 5 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 33 8 | 07   | 44      | 35 0 | 18 10   | 32 6 | 2 4   | 8      |
| 34 2           | 34 2 | 34 2 | 34 2 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 33 9 | 06   | 30      | 34 5 | 03 00   | 32 7 | 1 6   | 9      |
| 34 2           | 34 2 | 34 3 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 5 | 07   | 16      | 35 8 | 13 58   | 32 9 | 2 9   | 10     |
| 34 5           | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 2 | 34 0 | 34 0 | 34 2 | 34 3 | 34 5 | 34 3 | 05   | 58      | 35 0 | 11 08   | 32 6 | 2 4   | 11     |
| 34 0           | 34 0 | 33 9 | 33 9 | 33 7 | 33 5 | 33 5 | 33 5 | 33 5 | 33 8 | 06   | 36      | 34 8 | 02 16   | 32 3 | 2 5   | 12     |
| 34 5           | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 2 | 33 7 | 33 5 | 33 5 | 34 6 | 06   | 34      | 36 4 | 01 12   | 33 2 | 3 2   | 13     |
| 34 2           | 34 2 | 34 0 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 34 0 | 34 0 | 34 2 | 34 0 | 34 0 | 07   | 14      | 34 7 | 12 22   | 32 4 | 2 3   | 14     |
| 34 3           | 34 3 | 34 2 | 34 2 | 34 0 | 34 0 | 34 2 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 07   | 30      | 35 6 | 11 10   | 32 7 | 2 9   | 15     |
| 34 8           | 35 3 | 35 3 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 5 | 06   | 36      | 35 3 | 11 22   | 32 7 | 2 6   | 16†    |
| 34 8           | 34 7 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 2 | 07   | 30      | 36 1 | 01 50   | 32 3 | 3 8   | 17†    |
| 34 2           | 34 2 | 34 2 | 34 2 | 34 2 | 34 2 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 07   | 06      | 36 1 | 01 42   | 33 1 | 4 0   | 18†    |
| 34 5           | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 07   | 06      | 36 1 | 01 46   | 32 7 | 3 4   | 19†    |
| 33 7           | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 5 | 33 5 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 05   | 32      | 36 6 | 11 02   | 32 7 | 3 9   | 20     |
| 34 3           | 34 3 | 34 2 | 34 2 | 34 0 | 34 0 | 34 2 | 34 2 | 34 2 | 34 1 | 07   | 00      | 37 4 | 02 02   | 32 4 | 5 0   | 21     |
| 34 0           | 34 2 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 7 | 33 8 | 07   | 10      | 34 7 | 11 30   | 32 1 | 2 6   | 22     |
| 34 5           | 34 5 | 34 3 | 34 2 | 34 2 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 8 | 07   | 10      | 37 4 | 11 02   | 33 7 | 3 7   | 23†    |
| 34 5           | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 33 9 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 33 1 | 33 2 | 34 6 | 06   | 26      | 36 7 | 21 42   | 32 7 | 4 0   | 24     |
| 34 3           | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 0 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 5 | 33 7 | 34 4 | 07   | 02      | 37 4 | 01 50   | 32 1 | 5 3   | 25     |
| 34 3           | 34 5 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 0 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 5 | 33 7 | 34 2 | 06   | 58      | 36 4 | 02 06   | 31 3 | 5 1   | 26     |
| 34 0           | 34 2 | 34 5 | 34 7 | 33 9 | 32 9 | 32 1 | 31 3 | 31 8 | 33 7 | 06   | 52      | 36 1 | 21 14   | 30 5 | 5 6   | 27††   |
| 34 2           | 34 2 | 34 0 | 33 2 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 33 1 | 33 1 | 33 2 | 06   | 30      | 34 5 | 01 46   | 30 5 | 4 0   | 28††   |
| 34 3           | 34 2 | 34 0 | 34 0 | 34 0 | 33 7 | 33 9 | 33 7 | 33 5 | 33 7 | 06   | 30      | 35 5 | 02 54   | 31 3 | 4 2   | 29††   |
| 33 7           | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 5 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 33 5 | 07   | 10      | 34 5 | 11 18   | 32 6 | 1 9   | 30     |
| 34 2           | 34 2 | 34 1 | 34 0 | 33 9 | 33 9 | 33 9 | 33 9 | 33 8 | 33 9 | 34 1 |         |      |         |      | 3 3   | Mean   |
| 34 6           | 34 6 | 34 6 | 34 4 | 34 4 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 |      |         |      |         |      |       | Mean†  |
| 34 0           | 34 1 | 34 1 | 33 9 | 33 7 | 33 6 | 33 5 | 33 3 | 33 4 |      |      |         |      |         |      |       | Mean†† |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record ; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 5

## Hourly Values of Declination, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

May

 $^{\circ}$  plus tabular quantities

| Date   | Hours G M T. |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|--------|--------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|        | 0            | 1    | 2    | 3    | 4    | 5    | 6    | 7    | 8    | 9    | 10   | 11   | 12   | 13   | 14   |
| 1      | '            | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    |
| 2      | 32 4         | 31 9 | 31 3 | 31 9 | 33 4 | 33 9 | 34 3 | 34 5 | 33 9 | 33 7 | 32 9 | 32 7 | 32 1 | 32 4 | 32 9 |
| 3      | 32 9         | 32 6 | 32 1 | 32 4 | 33 7 | 34 5 | 35 0 | 35 5 | 34 5 | 33 9 | 33 4 | 32 7 | 32 7 | 33 4 | 33 4 |
| 4      | 32 9         | 32 1 | 31 5 | 31 9 | 33 4 | 34 3 | 34 8 | 35 8 | 35 6 | 35 0 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 2 | 34 2 | 34 0 |
| 5      | 32 7         | 32 3 | 31 8 | 31 6 | 33 2 | 34 7 | 35 6 | 35 6 | 35 1 | 34 7 | 34 2 | 33 5 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 32 9 |
| 6††    | 32 9         | 32 3 | 32 3 | 32 3 | 33 2 | 34 5 | 35 1 | 36 1 | 35 9 | 35 3 | 34 2 | 34 0 | 33 9 | 32 6 | 32 3 |
| 7††    | 33 7         | 32 7 | 32 6 | 31 9 | 32 4 | 33 5 | 34 8 | 35 3 | 34 8 | 33 9 | 32 7 | 32 6 | 32 4 | 32 7 | 33 1 |
| 8††    | 32 9         | 32 7 | 32 1 | 31 6 | 32 1 | 33 7 | 35 1 | 35 6 | 35 5 | 35 0 | 34 0 | 33 1 | 32 9 | 32 7 | 33 5 |
| 9      | 33 2         | 33 2 | 33 1 | 33 2 | 33 7 | 35 1 | 35 9 | 35 9 | 35 6 | 34 7 | 34 0 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 33 1 |
| 10     | 33 2         | 32 7 | 32 6 | 32 4 | 33 7 | 35 3 | 36 1 | 36 4 | 36 4 | 35 6 | 34 5 | 33 9 | 32 9 | 33 2 | 33 9 |
| 11     | 33 7         | 33 4 | 33 2 | 32 9 | 33 4 | 35 0 | 36 1 | 36 4 | 36 1 | 35 1 | 34 5 | 34 0 | 33 4 | 33 5 | 33 5 |
| 12     | 32 7         | 32 1 | 31 3 | 31 3 | 32 1 | 33 7 | 34 5 | 34 8 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 33 5 | 32 7 | 32 6 | 32 9 | 32 9 |
| 13     | 32 6         | 31 6 | 31 6 | 32 3 | 33 5 | 35 0 | 35 8 | 35 3 | 35 1 | 34 5 | 34 3 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 |
| 14     | 34 3         | 33 9 | 33 9 | 33 5 | 33 7 | 34 5 | 35 1 | 35 9 | 36 1 | 35 6 | 34 5 | 33 5 | 32 9 | 32 7 | 32 9 |
| 15     | 33 1         | 32 7 | 32 1 | 31 5 | 32 3 | 33 7 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 33 9 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 34 0 |
| 16     | 34 3         | 34 2 | 33 4 | 32 7 | 32 7 | 33 5 | 34 2 | 34 7 | 34 7 | 34 3 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 9 | 34 2 | 34 2 |
| 17†    | 34 0         | 33 5 | 33 2 | 32 9 | 34 5 | 35 1 | 36 1 | 36 1 | 35 9 | 34 8 | 34 3 | 34 0 | 34 2 | 34 5 | 34 5 |
| 18     | 34 3         | 34 2 | 34 0 | 33 5 | 34 0 | 34 8 | 35 3 | 35 3 | 34 8 | 34 3 | 34 0 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 34 0 | 34 5 |
| 19†    | 34 3         | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 9 | 35 1 | 35 9 | 36 1 | 36 1 | 35 6 | 34 7 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 5 | 34 5 |
| 20     | 34 3         | 33 4 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 33 5 | 34 5 | 35 1 | 36 1 | 36 1 | 35 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 |
| 21†    | 33 7         | 33 2 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 33 5 | 34 8 | 35 5 | 35 8 | 35 3 | 34 7 | 34 3 | 34 2 | 34 3 | 34 5 | 34 5 |
| 22     | 34 3         | 33 7 | 31 5 | 34 0 | 34 8 | 35 6 | 36 3 | 36 4 | 36 1 | 35 6 | 34 5 | 34 0 | 33 7 | 33 9 | 34 2 |
| 23†    | 33 7         | 33 2 | 33 4 | 34 3 | 34 8 | 35 6 | 36 4 | 36 7 | 36 3 | 35 3 | 34 0 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 33 5 | 33 9 |
| 24†    | 34 2         | 33 4 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 33 7 | 35 3 | 36 6 | 37 4 | 36 2 | 35 6 | 34 8 | 34 2 | 33 7 | 33 9 | 34 3 |
| 25††   | 34 2         | 33 4 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 33 7 | 35 0 | 35 8 | 36 1 | 35 8 | 35 1 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 5 |
| 26††   | 32 7         | 31 9 | 30 8 | 30 8 | 30 8 | 32 9 | 34 0 | 34 8 | 35 3 | 34 5 | 33 4 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 33 1 |
| 27     | 32 7         | 32 4 | 31 9 | 31 3 | 32 4 | 33 5 | 34 5 | 34 8 | 35 3 | 35 3 | 34 8 | 34 2 | 33 7 | 32 9 | 33 4 |
| 28     | 32 9         | 31 9 | 31 3 | 31 3 | 32 1 | 33 5 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 2 | 33 5 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 32 9 |
| 29     | 32 9         | 32 7 | 32 4 | 32 1 | 32 6 | 33 7 | 35 0 | 35 8 | 35 8 | 34 7 | 34 3 | 33 7 | 33 5 | 33 4 | 33 5 |
| 30     | 33 1         | 32 9 | 32 4 | 32 7 | 33 2 | 34 0 | 34 7 | 34 3 | 34 2 | 33 9 | 33 4 | 33 2 | 33 7 | 33 7 | 33 7 |
| 31     | 32 6         | 32 6 | 32 7 | 32 7 | 32 9 | 34 0 | 33 5 | 33 4 | 34 3 | 34 0 | 34 0 | 33 7 | 34 0 | 34 3 | 34 3 |
| Mean   | 33 4         | 32 9 | 32 5 | 32 5 | 33 2 | 34 4 | 35 2 | 35 5 | 35 3 | 34 8 | 34 1 | 33 6 | 33 5 | 33 5 | 33 7 |
| Mean†  | 34 0         | 33 4 | 33 2 | 33 3 | 34 1 | 35 2 | 36 1 | 36 4 | 34 1 | 35 2 | 34 4 | 33 9 | 33 9 | 34 2 | 34 3 |
| Mean†† | 33 3         | 32 6 | 32 1 | 31 9 | 32 4 | 33 9 | 35 0 | 35 6 | 35 5 | 34 8 | 33 8 | 33 4 | 33 3 | 33 0 | 33 3 |

† Five International quiet days

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record, (day omitted for means).

TABLE 5

## Hourly Values of Declination, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

May

 $2^\circ$  plus tabular quantities

| 15   | 16   | 17   | 18   | 19   | 20   | 21   | 22   | 23   | Mean | Maximum |      | Minimum |      | Range | Date   |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|---------|------|---------|------|-------|--------|
|      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      | Time    | Mag  | Time    | Mag  |       |        |
|      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      | H M  | '       | H M. | '       |      |       |        |
| 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.7 | 32.6 | 32.7 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 07 10   | 34.5 | 02 00   | 31.3 | 3.2   | 1      |
| 33.4 | 33.2 | 33.2 | 33.1 | 32.9 | 33.1 | 32.9 | 32.7 | 32.9 | 33.3 | 06 50   | 35.5 | 02 40   | 32.1 | 3.4   | 2      |
| 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.2 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 33.1 | 33.5 | 33.6 | 07 10   | 35.8 | 02 16   | 31.5 | 4.3   | 3      |
| 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.7 | 33.4 | 33.4 | 08 30   | 34.8 | 02 20   | 32.4 | 2.4   | 4      |
| 32.9 | 33.2 | 33.4 | 33.5 | 33.7 | 33.9 | 34.0 | 34.2 | 33.9 | 33.6 | 06 30   | 35.6 | 02 40   | 31.3 | 4.3   | 5      |
| 32.9 | 33.5 | 34.0 | 34.2 | 33.5 | 33.2 | 32.9 | 33.4 | 33.9 | 33.7 | 07 58   | 36.1 | 01 40   | 31.8 | 4.3   | 6††    |
| 33.4 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.4 | 33.2 | 34.9 | 32.9 | 32.7 | 33.2 | 06 58   | 35.6 | 02 40   | 31.9 | 3.7   | 7††    |
| 33.9 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 33.4 | 07 10   | 35.8 | 02 40   | 31.3 | 4.5   | 8††    |
| 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.4 | 33.2 | 33.5 | 33.7 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.8 | 07 10   | 35.9 | 12 50   | 32.7 | 3.2   | 9      |
| 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.5 | 32.9 | 33.2 | 33.7 | 33.9 | 07 10   | 36.6 | 02 40   | 31.9 | 4.7   | 10     |
| 33.5 | 33.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 33.8 | 06 50   | 36.4 | 02 54   | 32.6 | 3.8   | 11     |
| 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 34.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 33.0 | 06 30   | 35.0 | 03 00   | 31.3 | 3.7   | 12     |
| 34.3 | 34.3 | 33.9 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.7 | 34.0 | 34.2 | 33.9 | 06 10   | 35.8 | 02 16   | 31.3 | 4.5   | 13     |
| 33.4 | 34.2 | 33.9 | 33.5 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.2 | 33.2 | 34.0 | 06 50   | 36.1 | 12 22   | 32.6 | 3.5   | 14     |
| 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.9 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 33.6 | 07 50   | 34.7 | 03 02   | 31.8 | 2.9   | 15     |
| 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.7 | 34.0 | 07 10   | 34.7 | 02 50   | 32.7 | 2.0   | 16     |
| 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 06 30   | 36.1 | 03 20   | 32.9 | 3.2   | 17†    |
| 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 07 10   | 35.3 | 03 30   | 33.4 | 1.9   | 18     |
| 34.7 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.6 | 34.6 | 07 50   | 36.3 | 02 20   | 33.7 | 2.6   | 19†    |
| 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.5 | 34.2 | 33.9 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 34.3 | 06 30   | 36.1 | 03 14   | 32.9 | 3.2   | 20     |
| 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 06 30   | 35.8 | 03 10   | 32.6 | 3.2   | 21†    |
| 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 34.5 | 06 30   | 36.4 | 02 00   | 33.5 | 2.9   | 22     |
| 34.2 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.4 | 06 50   | 36.7 | 11 10   | 32.9 | 3.6   | 23†    |
| 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.9 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 06 50   | 37.4 | 03 12   | 32.6 | 4.8   | 24†    |
| 35.1 | 35.6 | 35.8 | 35.0 | 35.0 | 34.0 | 33.5 | 32.6 | 32.3 | 32.7 | 06 46   | 36.4 | 21 10   | 32.1 | 4.3   | 25††   |
| 33.1 | 33.1 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 08 30   | 35.6 | 02 40   | 30.3 | 5.3   | 26††   |
| 33.2 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.7 | 32.4 | 32.7 | 32.7 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 33.3 | 08 10   | 35.5 | 03 14   | 31.3 | 4.2   | 27     |
| 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 33.0 | 08 10   | 34.5 | 02 40   | 31.3 | 3.2   | 28     |
| 33.2 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 33.1 | 06 30   | 35.9 | 03 06   | 31.9 | 4.0   | 29     |
| 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.4 | 32.7 | 32.7 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 33.4 | 06 10   | 35.0 | 03 06   | 32.6 | 2.4   | 30     |
| 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 33.4 | 33.2 | 33.4 | 33.4 | 33.4 | 33.6 | 07 50   | 34.5 | 01 00   | 32.4 | 2.1   | 31     |
| 33.7 | 33.8 | 33.7 | 33.6 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.4 | 33.5 | 33.6 | 33.8 |         |      |         |      | 3.5   | Mean   |
| 34.4 | 34.5 | 34.4 | 34.4 | 34.4 | 34.4 | 34.4 | 34.4 | 34.4 |      |         |      |         |      |       | Mean†  |
| 33.7 | 33.8 | 33.9 | 33.8 | 33.5 | 33.1 | 32.8 | 32.9 | 33.0 |      |         |      |         |      |       | Mean†† |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Lost of record; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 6

## Hourly Values of Declination, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

June

 $2^\circ$  plus tabular quantities

| Date   | Hours G. M. T. |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|--------|----------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|        | 0              | 1    | 2    | 3    | 4    | 5    | 6    | 7    | 8    | 9    | 10   | 11   | 12   | 13   | 14   |
| 1      | 32 9           | 32 3 | 31 9 | 31 6 | 32 1 | 33.4 | 34 8 | 35 6 | 35 5 | 35 1 | 34 8 | 34 2 | 33 5 | 33 9 | 34 5 |
| 2      | 32 9           | 32 7 | 32 6 | 33 4 | 34 3 | 35 1 | 35 9 | 36 6 | 36 3 | 36 1 | 35 9 | 35 1 | 34 3 | 34 2 | 34 3 |
| 3      | 33 9           | 32 6 | 31 9 | 31 9 | 32 9 | 35 0 | 35 9 | 36 4 | 36 9 | 36 3 | 35 6 | 35 0 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 5 |
| 4      | 34 0           | 33 5 | 33 2 | 32 4 | 32 7 | 34 3 | 35 5 | 35 9 | 35 6 | 35 1 | 34 5 | 34 3 | 33 7 | 33 1 | 33 5 |
| 5†     | 32 4           | 31 9 | 31 1 | 31.1 | 32 1 | 33 9 | 35 5 | 36 3 | 36 4 | 36 1 | 35 0 | 34 5 | 34 2 | 34 3 | 34 3 |
| 6      | 32.7           | 32 1 | 31.1 | 31 0 | 31 6 | 33 4 | 34.8 | 35 9 | 35 9 | 35 5 | 34 3 | 33 9 | 33 7 | 34 0 | 34 2 |
| 7      | 32 4           | 31 0 | 30 0 | 30 5 | 33 2 | 35.6 | 37 2 | 37 7 | 37 7 | 36 9 | 35 9 | 34 8 | 34 5 | 35 0 | 35 0 |
| 8††    | 34 3           | 33 5 | 32 3 | 31 8 | 32 6 | 35 0 | 36 6 | 36.6 | 36 3 | 35 8 | 35 5 | 34.5 | 34 2 | 33 7 | 33 4 |
| 9      | 32 4           | 31 5 | 31 0 | 31 1 | 32 3 | 34 0 | 35 1 | 35 6 | 35 5 | 34 0 | 33 2 | 32 7 | 32 6 | 32 9 | 33 5 |
| 10†    | 32 9           | 32 3 | 31 8 | 32 3 | 33.2 | 34 8 | 36.1 | 36 3 | 36 3 | 35 3 | 34.2 | 33 2 | 33 2 | 33 7 | 34 5 |
| 11     | 34 5           | 34.5 | 34 3 | 33 4 | 33 4 | 34 7 | 36 1 | 37 2 | 37 7 | 36 4 | 35 8 | 35 0 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 |
| 12     | 34 2           | 33 5 | 32 9 | 32 4 | 33 1 | 34 3 | 34 8 | 35 6 | 35 5 | 34 5 | 33 5 | 33 4 | 33 5 | 33 9 | 34 2 |
| 13     | 33 5           | 32 9 | 32 9 | 33 2 | 34.5 | 35 6 | 36 4 | 36 4 | 35 3 | 34 3 | 33 9 | 33 5 | 33 1 | 32 9 |      |
| 14     | 34 2           | 33 2 | 32 7 | 33.2 | 34 3 | 35 8 | 36 9 | 36 9 | 35 3 | 34 2 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 33 4 | 33 9 |      |
| 15††   | 33.2           | 32 7 | 32.4 | 32.6 | 33 5 | 35 0 | 36 3 | 37 1 | 37 1 | 35 5 | 34 3 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 |
| 16††   | 32.9           | 32 6 | 32 6 | 32 7 | 33 5 | 34.5 | 35 5 | 36 1 | 36 1 | 35 8 | 34 8 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 5 | 34.8 |
| 17     | 34 2           | 33 9 | 33 4 | 33 5 | 34.7 | 35 5 | 36 4 | 36 9 | 36 1 | 35 5 | 34.5 | 34 0 | 33 9 | 34 2 | 34 3 |
| 18     | 33 5           | 32 9 | 32 6 | 32 7 | 33.2 | 34 0 | 35 1 | 35 9 | 35 8 | 35 0 | 34 2 | 33 9 | 33 7 | 33 5 | 33 5 |
| 19     | 33 5           | 32.9 | 32 0 | 33 5 | 34 5 | 35 6 | 35 1 | 36 3 | 36 3 | 36 3 | 34 8 | 34.3 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 3 |
| 20     | 32.9           | 32 4 | 31 8 | 32 3 | 33 5 | 35 0 | 36 1 | 36 9 | 37 1 | 36 6 | 35 0 | 34 3 | 34 0 | 34 3 | 34.5 |
| 21†    | 33 2           | 32 9 | 33 2 | 34 0 | 35.1 | 36 1 | 36 7 | 37 1 | 37 1 | 35 9 | 34 5 | 33 9 | 33 4 | 33 7 | 34 2 |
| 22     | 33.5           | 33.1 | 32 7 | 32 9 | 34 0 | 35 3 | 36 4 | 36 7 | 36 9 | 36 3 | 35 0 | 35 6 | 35 0 | 34.5 | 34 3 |
| 23††   | 34 0           | 33 2 | 32 7 | 32 4 | 32 9 | 33 2 | 34.5 | 36 1 | 36 4 | 35 9 | 35 8 | 35 3 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 35 1 |
| 24††   | 33 5           | 32.9 | 32 7 | 32 7 | 33 5 | 35 1 | 36 9 | 37 5 | 37 5 | 36 7 | 35 3 | 35 0 | 35.3 | 35.3 | 34 7 |
| 25     | 34.3           | 33 9 | 33 7 | 34 0 | 35 1 | 36 1 | 37 2 | 37 5 | 37 1 | 35 6 | 34 5 | 34 0 | 33 4 | 33 4 | 34 2 |
| 26†    | 32 9           | 32 6 | 32 1 | 32 4 | 33 5 | 35 0 | 34 8 | 37 2 | 37 4 | 36 6 | 35 0 | 34 0 | 33 4 | 33 5 | 34 0 |
| 27     | 33.1           | 32.6 | 32 4 | 32 7 | 33 7 | 35 1 | 35 9 | 36 7 | 36 9 | 36 3 | 35 3 | 34 8 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 |
| 28     | 32.9           | 32 9 | 32 9 | 33 1 | 34 0 | 34.8 | 35 6 | 35 9 | 35.8 | 35 9 | 35 3 | 35 3 | 35 3 | 35 3 | 35 6 |
| 29     | 35.3           | 35 3 | 35 1 | 34 5 | 34 0 | 34 8 | 35 9 | 37 1 | 37 1 | 35 8 | 34.5 | 34 3 | 34 3 | 34 5 | 34 5 |
| 30†    | 33 9           | 32 9 | 32 9 | 32 9 | 33 5 | 34.5 | 35 5 | 36 4 | 37 2 | 36 4 | 35 6 | 34 8 | 34 5 | 34 5 | 34 5 |
| Mean   | 33.5           | 32 9 | 32 5 | 32.6 | 33 5 | 34 8 | 35 8 | 36 5 | 36 6 | 35 8 | 34 8 | 34 3 | 34 0 | 34 1 | 34 3 |
| Mean†  | 33 1           | 32 5 | 32 2 | 32.5 | 33 5 | 34 9 | 35.7 | 36 7 | 36 9 | 36 1 | 34 9 | 34 1 | 33 7 | 33 9 | 34 3 |
| Mean†† | 33 6           | 33 0 | 32.5 | 32 4 | 33 2 | 34.6 | 36 0 | 36 7 | 36 7 | 35 9 | 35 1 | 34 7 | 34 6 | 34 5 | 34 5 |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 6

## Hourly Values of Declination, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

June

2° plus tabular quantities

| 15   | 16   | 17   | 18   | 19   | 20   | 21   | 22   | 23   | Mean | Maximum |      | Minimum |      | Range | Date   |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|---------|------|---------|------|-------|--------|
|      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      | Time    | Mag  | Time    | Mag  |       |        |
| '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | '    | H M  | '       | H M. | '       | '    |       |        |
| 34.5 | 34.0 | 33.9 | 33.7 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 33.6 | 07 26   | 35.6 | 03 30   | 31.3 | 4.3   | 1      |
| 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.6 | 07 10   | 36.7 | 02 40   | 32.1 | 4.6   | 2      |
| 34.8 | 35.3 | 35.3 | 35.5 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.6 | 08 10   | 36.9 | 02 40   | 31.8 | 5.1   | 3      |
| 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.2 | 32.9 | 32.6 | 32.6 | 32.7 | 32.7 | 32.9 | 33.7 | 07 10   | 35.9 | 03 14   | 32.1 | 3.8   | 4      |
| 34.3 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 33.4 | 32.9 | 32.7 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 33.7 | 07 50   | 36.6 | 02 48   | 31.0 | 5.6   | 5†     |
| 33.9 | 33.4 | 33.2 | 32.9 | 32.7 | 32.1 | 31.9 | 32.1 | 32.1 | 33.3 | 08 10   | 36.1 | 02 52   | 31.0 | 5.1   | 6      |
| 35.0 | 34.8 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 07 50   | 37.7 | 02 50   | 29.7 | 8.0   | 7      |
| 32.7 | 32.9 | 32.7 | 32.1 | 32.9 | 32.2 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.8 | 07 42   | 36.6 | 03 02   | 30.8 | 5.8   | 8††    |
| 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.4 | 32.9 | 32.7 | 32.9 | 32.7 | 33.2 | 06 30   | 35.9 | 02 54   | 31.0 | 4.9   | 9      |
| 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.7 | 34.8 | 34.2 | 06 30   | 36.3 | 02 40   | 31.1 | 5.2   | 10†    |
| 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 33.9 | 34.2 | 34.7 | 07 50   | 37.7 | 03 14   | 32.6 | 5.1   | 11     |
| 34.0 | 33.9 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.9 | 07 10   | 35.9 | 03 14   | 32.4 | 3.5   | 12     |
| 33.4 | 34.0 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 34.2 | 06 30   | 36.4 | 02 30   | 32.1 | 4.3   | 13     |
| 34.0 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.0 | 34.2 | 33.9 | 33.5 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 34.3 | 05 30   | 36.9 | 02 20   | 32.1 | 4.8   | 14     |
| 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.4 | 07 10   | 37.1 | 02 40   | 32.1 | 5.0   | 15††   |
| 35.1 | 35.0 | 34.8 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.4 | 06 50   | 36.1 | 01 40   | 31.9 | 4.2   | 16††   |
| 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.4 | 33.4 | 33.5 | 34.4 | 06 30   | 36.9 | 02 20   | 32.9 | 4.0   | 17     |
| 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.4 | 33.4 | 33.2 | 33.2 | 33.4 | 33.5 | 33.7 | 33.8 | 07 16   | 36.6 | 02 30   | 32.6 | 4.0   | 18     |
| 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.4 | 33.2 | 33.2 | 33.2 | 34.2 | 06 30   | 36.3 | 02 10   | 32.4 | 3.9   | 19     |
| 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.4 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.7 | 34.2 | 08 38   | 37.1 | 02 30   | 31.3 | 5.8   | 20     |
| 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 33.9 | 33.7 | 34.5 | 07 30   | 37.1 | 01 18   | 32.6 | 4.5   | 21†    |
| 34.3 | 34.5 | 34.2 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.2 | 33.4 | 34.4 | 08 22   | 36.9 | 02 50   | 32.7 | 4.2   | 22     |
| 35.6 | 35.3 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 34.3 | 07 30   | 36.9 | 03 50   | 32.4 | 4.5   | 23††   |
| 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.7 | 07 30   | 37.5 | 02 30   | 31.9 | 5.6   | 24††   |
| 34.2 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.4 | 33.2 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 34.4 | 07 30   | 37.5 | 01 30   | 32.9 | 4.6   | 25     |
| 34.2 | 33.9 | 33.5 | 33.4 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 32.9 | 33.9 | 07 30   | 37.4 | 02 20   | 31.8 | 5.6   | 26†    |
| 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.2 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 33.5 | 33.5 | 33.4 | 33.2 | 34.3 | 07 30   | 37.4 | 02 00   | 31.9 | 5.5   | 27     |
| 35.5 | 35.3 | 35.1 | 35.0 | 35.1 | 35.1 | 35.1 | 35.1 | 35.1 | 34.9 | 07 30   | 36.1 | 02 50   | 32.6 | 3.5   | 28     |
| 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.0 | 33.7 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 34.8 | 07 18   | 37.5 | 03 50   | 33.5 | 4.0   | 29     |
| 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.6 | 07 50   | 37.2 | 02 54   | 32.6 | 4.6   | 30†    |
| 34.3 | 34.3 | 34.1 | 34.0 | 33.8 | 33.7 | 33.6 | 33.6 | 33.6 | 34.2 |         |      |         |      | 4.8   | Mean   |
| 34.4 | 34.2 | 34.1 | 34.0 | 33.8 | 33.7 | 33.8 | 33.7 | 33.7 |      |         |      |         |      |       | Mean†  |
| 34.5 | 34.4 | 34.2 | 34.1 | 34.0 | 33.9 | 33.8 | 33.8 | 33.8 |      |         |      |         |      |       | Mean†† |

† Five International quiet days

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 7  
Hourly Values of Horizontal Force, 1955  
[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

| January |     | 39,000 γ plus tabular quantities |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|---------|-----|----------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|         |     | Hours G M T                      |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| Date    | 0   | 1                                | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  |     |
| 1       | γ   | γ                                | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   |
| 2       | 459 | 459                              | 476 | 498 | 524 | 530 | 530 | 502 | 466 | 446 | 443 | 446 | 462 | 473 | 470 | 170 |
| 3       | 451 | 455                              | 470 | 490 | 518 | 538 | 534 | 514 | 484 | 454 | 444 | 462 | 478 | 483 | 483 |     |
| 4       | 458 | 462                              | 474 | 498 | 522 | 542 | 537 | 506 | 474 | 443 | 430 | 438 | 457 | 468 | 460 |     |
| 5       | 466 | 462                              | 484 | 499 | 527 | 550 | 554 | 540 | 511 | 481 | 457 | 457 | 467 | 459 | 462 |     |
| 6       | 458 | 456                              | 472 | 492 | 528 | 570 | 580 | 570 | 538 | 494 | 466 | 459 | 462 | 467 | 466 |     |
| 7       | 462 | 459                              | 451 | 472 | 513 | 536 | 545 | 534 | 506 | 475 | 466 | 470 | 470 | 474 | 466 |     |
| 8       | 470 | 462                              | 464 | 481 | 490 | 508 | 519 | 532 | 516 | 498 | 480 | 478 | 472 | 468 | 466 |     |
| 9††     | 454 | 452                              | 457 | 473 | 512 | 534 | 528 | 524 | 514 | 490 | 470 | 460 | 465 | 466 | 462 |     |
| 10†     | 462 | 471                              | 462 | 462 | 470 | 484 | 502 | 494 | 498 | 476 | 470 | 462 | 454 | 444 | 449 |     |
| 11      | 469 | 467                              | 470 | 473 | 490 | 498 | 492 | 481 | 470 | 462 | 452 | 460 | 471 | 474 | 468 |     |
| 12      | 467 | 468                              | 474 | 488 | 508 | 514 | 500 | 473 | 456 | 448 | 444 | 454 | 458 | 444 | 430 |     |
| 13      | 459 | 452                              | 465 | 482 | 506 | 514 | 507 | 492 | 476 | 446 | 442 | 454 | 465 | 465 | 466 |     |
| 14      | 465 | 463                              | 481 | 482 | 503 | 524 | 513 | 484 | 450 | 450 | 452 | 448 | 445 | 445 | 450 |     |
| 15†     | 460 | 460                              | 469 | 488 | 511 | 534 | 542 | 526 | 497 | 466 | 462 | 468 | 471 | 466 | 458 |     |
| 16      | 460 | 460                              | 462 | 481 | 498 | 508 | 508 | 497 | 476 | 460 | 454 | 460 | 464 | 468 | 462 |     |
| 17††    | 466 | 463                              | 455 | 480 | 502 | 519 | 537 | 540 | 528 | 503 | 486 | 492 | 492 | 482 | 470 |     |
| 18††    | 465 | 462                              | 461 | 464 | 494 | 513 | 525 | 521 | 516 | 506 | 510 | 500 | 456 | 446 | 388 |     |
| 19††    | 443 | 419                              | 406 | 394 | 390 | 402 | 400 | 444 | 425 | 422 | 404 | 406 | 409 | 410 | 409 |     |
| 20††    | 435 | 436                              | 435 | 436 | 412 | 426 | 398 | 378 | 371 | 388 | 364 | 382 | 375 | 390 | 369 |     |
| 21      | 425 | 418                              | 423 | 420 | 435 | 444 | 441 | 454 | 457 | 449 | 444 | 444 | 444 | 441 | 433 |     |
| 22      | 438 | 444                              | 454 | 474 | 489 | 498 | 497 | 488 | 478 | 468 | 460 | 458 | 449 | 449 | 444 |     |
| 23      | 439 | 444                              | 454 | 467 | 487 | 498 | 510 | 502 | 499 | 474 | 459 | 452 | 457 | 457 | 452 |     |
| 24†     | 457 | 458                              | 462 | 474 | 492 | 516 | 517 | 505 | 490 | 473 | 459 | 452 | 452 | 443 | 441 |     |
| 25†     | 454 | 453                              | 456 | 482 | 505 | 523 | 522 | 497 | 476 | 460 | 460 | 460 | 458 | 449 | 446 |     |
| 26†     | 454 | 456                              | 466 | 484 | 497 | 513 | 518 | 505 | 486 | 476 | 472 | 468 | 468 | 462 | 460 |     |
| 27      | 457 | 454                              | 462 | 476 | 494 | 518 | 538 | 544 | 531 | 513 | 500 | 492 | 486 | 492 | 494 |     |
| 28      | 466 | 465                              | 473 | 490 | 514 | 538 | 544 | 531 | 513 | 500 | 492 | 486 | 492 | 492 | 494 |     |
| 29      | 444 | 446                              | 446 | 467 | 500 | 514 | 516 | 505 | 478 | 457 | 438 | 441 | 446 | 450 | 450 |     |
| 30      | 460 | 462                              | 459 | 476 | 498 | 510 | 512 | 508 | 494 | 482 | 470 | 462 | 462 | 459 | 453 |     |
| 31      | 454 | 454                              | 460 | 489 | 513 | 532 | 529 | 521 | 494 | 471 | 460 | 466 | 464 | 462 | 464 |     |
| Mean    | 456 | 455                              | 460 | 474 | 495 | 511 | 513 | 502 | 483 | 466 | 456 | 457 | 459 | 458 | 452 |     |
| Mean†   | 459 | 460                              | 463 | 479 | 497 | 512 | 510 | 493 | 475 | 463 | 459 | 462 | 467 | 462 | 459 |     |
| Mean††  | 446 | 441                              | 437 | 435 | 440 | 454 | 453 | 458 | 453 | 448 | 438 | 439 | 428 | 426 | 410 |     |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Less of record; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 7

## Hourly Values of Horizontal Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

January

39,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| Hours G. M. T |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | Mean | Maximum |      | Minimum |      | Range | Date   |
|---------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|---------|------|---------|------|-------|--------|
| 15            | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  |      | Time    | Mag. | Time    | Mag. |       |        |
| γ             | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ    | H. M.   | γ    | H. M.   | γ    | γ     |        |
| 465           | 460 | 460 | 462 | 460 | 462 | 465 | 456 | 449 | 472  | 05 50   | 534  | 09 34   | 433  | 101   | 1      |
| 474           | 465 | 458 | 465 | 466 | 468 | 466 | 459 | 453 | 477  | 04 58   | 542  | 09 44   | 436  | 106   | 2      |
| 470           | 470 | 468 | 466 | 468 | 470 | 471 | 471 | 474 | 475  | 05 02   | 543  | 10 10   | 420  | 117   | 3      |
| 460           | 451 | 416 | 458 | 459 | 456 | 454 | 459 | 460 | 478  | 06 22   | 550  | 16 42   | 441  | 115   | 4      |
| 468           | 465 | 462 | 466 | 469 | 470 | 470 | 474 | 470 | 488  | 06 06   | 582  | 00 52   | 455  | 127   | 5      |
| 462           | 460 | 458 | 454 | 457 | 468 | 470 | 471 | 470 | 478  | 06 10   | 548  | 02 04   | 447  | 101   | 6      |
| 460           | 458 | 458 | 451 | 450 | 444 | 452 | 458 | 458 | 475  | 06 40   | 535  | 19 14   | 441  | 94    | 7      |
| 460           | 456 | 459 | 459 | 466 | 464 | 462 | 471 | 477 | 477  | 06 10   | 538  | 01 16   | 450  | 88    | 8      |
| 444           | 444 | 420 | 433 | 444 | 440 | 446 | 449 | 450 | 460  | 06 06   | 505  | 16 50   | 409  | 96    | 9††    |
| 462           | 460 | 460 | 458 | 459 | 460 | 465 | 465 | 465 | 469  | 04 56   | 500  | 10 06   | 444  | 56    | 10†    |
| 444           | 457 | 460 | 460 | 465 | 462 | 455 | 452 | 470 | 465  | 04 38   | 518  | 14 04   | 420  | 98    | 11     |
| 467           | 465 | 468 | 466 | 468 | 474 | 470 | 468 | 464 | 471  | 04 54   | 521  | 09 40   | 438  | 83    | 12     |
| 454           | 453 | 452 | 452 | 452 | 458 | 455 | 460 | 460 | 465  | 04 40   | 556  | 12 46   | 439  | 117   | 13     |
| 448           | 441 | 442 | 458 | 462 | 460 | 460 | 460 | 460 | 474  | 05 50   | 546  | 16 10   | 436  | 110   | 14     |
| 464           | 460 | 460 | 460 | 462 | 465 | 465 | 466 | 468 | 469  | 04 54   | 510  | 09 02   | 450  | 60    | 15†    |
| 457           | 454 | 456 | 456 | 454 | 454 | 462 | 461 | 466 | 481  | 06 20   | 542  | 18 46   | 449  | 93    | 16     |
| 360           | 375 | 394 | 408 | 434 | 442 | 438 | 447 | 446 | 457  | 05 50   | 527  | 15 20   | 334  | 193   | 17††   |
| 401           | 402 | 403 | 422 | 412 | 442 | 444 | 442 | 432 | 416  | 07 18   | 496  | 05 36   | 372  | 124   | 18††   |
| 374           | 398 | 418 | 432 | 436 | 427 | 427 | 428 | 433 | 407  | 03 32   | 457  | 09 58   | 356  | 101   | 19††   |
| 430           | 436 | 440 | 438 | 435 | 444 | 435 | 436 | 438 | 438  | 07 46   | 458  | 03 20   | 416  | 42    | 20††   |
| 442           | 440 | 440 | 433 | 428 | 433 | 439 | 438 | 440 | 455  | 05 26   | 508  | 19 20   | 426  | 82    | 21     |
| 452           | 446 | 446 | 446 | 448 | 450 | 451 | 460 | 458 | 463  | 06 06   | 520  | 00 36   | 438  | 82    | 22     |
| 444           | 441 | 452 | 446 | 438 | 439 | 468 | 460 | 456 | 464  | 05 20   | 526  | 19 44   | 432  | 94    | 23     |
| 444           | 450 | 448 | 446 | 448 | 449 | 448 | 448 | 449 | 464  | 05 40   | 532  | 15 10   | 441  | 91    | 24†    |
| 457           | 456 | 454 | 452 | 450 | 449 | 451 | 452 | 457 | 470  | 05 36   | 524  | 19 40   | 446  | 78    | 25†    |
| 460           | 460 | 460 | 460 | 462 | 463 | 465 | 463 | 465 | 470  | 05 50   | 524  | 10 14   | 446  | 78    | 26†    |
| 489           | 484 | 458 | 441 | 435 | 434 | 460 | 412 | 442 | 482  | 05 30   | 546  | 18 46   | 426  | 120   | 27     |
| 450           | 458 | 460 | 460 | 458 | 457 | 458 | 458 | 454 | 463  | 05 06   | 522  | 10 14   | 434  | 88    | 28     |
| 452           | 458 | 459 | 454 | 458 | 454 | 458 | 465 | 460 | 470  | 06 10   | 519  | 14 06   | 449  | 70    | 29     |
| 462           | 458 | 458 | 449 | 454 | 452 | 453 | 460 | 457 | 472  | 04 58   | 538  | 18 20   | 448  | 90    | 30     |
| 462           | 460 | 460 | 466 | 468 | 468 | 465 | 472 | 476 | 472  | 05 50   | 514  | 01 26   | 453  | 61    | 31     |
| 450           | 450 | 450 | 451 | 452 | 454 | 457 | 457 | 458 | 466  |         |      |         |      | 95    | Mean   |
| 457           | 457 | 456 | 455 | 456 | 457 | 459 | 459 | 461 |      |         |      |         |      |       | Mean†  |
| 402           | 411 | 415 | 427 | 432 | 439 | 438 | 440 | 441 |      |         |      |         |      |       | Mean†† |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days

\* Loss of record; (day omitted for means)

TABLE 8

## Hourly Values of Horizontal Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

February

39,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| Date   | Hours G. M. T |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|--------|---------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|        | 0             | 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  |
| 1†     | 471           | 470 | 473 | 477 | 509 | 529 | 529 | 522 | 513 | 497 | 491 | 481 | 473 | 471 | 475 |
| 2†     | 457           | 455 | 465 | 494 | 521 | 545 | 549 | 541 | 500 | 473 | 458 | 463 | 459 | 455 | 447 |
| 3      | 455           | 469 | 473 | 484 | 489 | 495 | 495 | 495 | 487 | 471 | 471 | 469 | 468 | 463 | 458 |
| 4††    | 463           | 469 | 473 | 489 | 505 | 521 | 532 | 521 | 503 | 492 | 463 | 436 | 435 | 441 | 447 |
| 5††    | 453           | 445 | 447 | 468 | 477 | 485 | 481 | 477 | 465 | 453 | 447 | 452 | 439 | 436 | 435 |
| 6      | 454           | 454 | 455 | 485 | 500 | 509 | 503 | 503 | 492 | 457 | 452 | 455 | 445 | 441 | 441 |
| 7      | 444           | 452 | 449 | 469 | 489 | 509 | 513 | 519 | 505 | 477 | 454 | 451 | 455 | 451 | 441 |
| 8      | 449           | 453 | 457 | 475 | 505 | 529 | 536 | 521 | 491 | 457 | 438 | 441 | 449 | 458 | 455 |
| 9      | 457           | 459 | 473 | 485 | 517 | 520 | 516 | 505 | 484 | 474 | 463 | 452 | 459 | 464 | 457 |
| 10†    | 445           | 445 | 452 | 484 | 509 | 525 | 525 | 509 | 497 | 479 | 457 | 455 | 454 | 452 | 455 |
| 11     | 462           | 462 | 461 | 484 | 521 | 547 | 545 | 519 | 501 | 469 | 449 | 445 | 454 | 460 | 457 |
| 12     | 430           | 438 | 453 | 477 | 501 | 523 | 522 | 507 | 485 | 463 | 459 | 451 | 452 | 451 | 449 |
| 13     | 450           | 441 | 445 | 473 | 485 | 509 | 516 | 511 | 492 | 466 | 454 | 453 | 454 | 451 | 451 |
| 14     | 457           | 455 | 457 | 483 | 500 | 517 | 533 | 535 | 513 | 471 | 453 | 453 | 459 | 452 | 449 |
| 15     | 447           | 447 | 449 | 465 | 489 | 511 | 511 | 505 | 476 | 450 | 447 | 453 | 461 | 463 | 463 |
| 16     | 455           | 453 | 451 | 469 | 493 | 514 | 519 | 513 | 497 | 475 | 451 | 449 | 465 | 465 | 454 |
| 17     | 473           | 475 | 476 | 477 | 488 | 508 | 513 | 507 | 489 | 473 | 462 | 460 | 452 | 453 | 458 |
| 18     | 468           | 471 | 473 | 491 | 513 | 533 | 525 | 501 | 473 | 449 | 453 | 460 | 468 | 467 | 465 |
| 19†    | 449           | 455 | 465 | 489 | 515 | 537 | 537 | 525 | 493 | 473 | 463 | 465 | 471 | 471 | 465 |
| 20     | 471           | 471 | 482 | 511 | 525 | 535 | 542 | 540 | 517 | 493 | 481 | 479 | 481 | 473 | 455 |
| 21     | 455           | 460 | 463 | 482 | 517 | 535 | 535 | 532 | 489 | 475 | 475 | 477 | 468 | 453 | 447 |
| 22††   | 464           | 455 | 458 | 477 | 492 | 513 | 519 | 517 | 508 | 495 | 467 | 452 | 450 | 451 | 453 |
| 23††   | 465           | 460 | 454 | 467 | 487 | 508 | 524 | 535 | 525 | 497 | 445 | 415 | 413 | 421 | 431 |
| 24     | 453           | 458 | 469 | 485 | 495 | 514 | 523 | 527 | 497 | 476 | 455 | 455 | 465 | 470 | 461 |
| 25     | 471           | 468 | 466 | 479 | 484 | 508 | 524 | 521 | 517 | 487 | 476 | 457 | 445 | 451 | 441 |
| 26     | 460           | 457 | 461 | 473 | 484 | 505 | 511 | 508 | 495 | 481 | 465 | 464 | 463 | 461 | 457 |
| 27†    | 467           | 466 | 476 | 485 | 501 | 529 | 540 | 533 | 521 | 509 | 492 | 477 | 471 | 473 | 467 |
| 28††   | 477           | 489 | 487 | 481 | 465 | 454 | 439 | 465 | 466 | 459 | 453 | 441 | 435 | 418 | 415 |
| Mean   | 458           | 459 | 463 | 481 | 499 | 517 | 520 | 515 | 496 | 475 | 460 | 456 | 456 | 455 | 452 |
| Mean†  | 458           | 458 | 466 | 486 | 511 | 533 | 536 | 526 | 505 | 486 | 472 | 468 | 466 | 464 | 462 |
| Mean†† | 464           | 464 | 464 | 476 | 485 | 496 | 499 | 503 | 493 | 479 | 455 | 439 | 434 | 433 | 436 |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 8

## Hourly Values of Horizontal Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

| 39,000 γ plus tabular quantities |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | Mean  | Maximum |       | Minimum |      | Range  | Date |  |
|----------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|---------|-------|---------|------|--------|------|--|
| Hours G. M. T.                   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       | Time    | Mag.  | Time    | Mag. |        |      |  |
| 15                               | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  |     |       | H. M.   | γ     | H. M.   | γ    |        |      |  |
| γ                                | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | H. M. | γ       | H. M. | γ       | γ    | γ      |      |  |
| 473                              | 470 | 465 | 465 | 463 | 462 | 463 | 459 | 457 | 482 | 05 52 | 535     | 22 42 | 455     | 80   | 1†     |      |  |
| 444                              | 442 | 442 | 449 | 455 | 453 | 454 | 454 | 455 | 472 | 06 40 | 557     | 16 28 | 437     | 120  | 2†     |      |  |
| 449                              | 443 | 446 | 447 | 449 | 451 | 455 | 458 | 463 | 467 | 06 32 | 499     | 16 06 | 439     | 60   | 3      |      |  |
| 445                              | 444 | 433 | 449 | 441 | 449 | 457 | 450 | 449 | 467 | 05 58 | 537     | 16 48 | 425     | 112  | 4††    |      |  |
| 431                              | 431 | 434 | 439 | 452 | 441 | 444 | 453 | 454 | 452 | 03 02 | 493     | 15 10 | 429     | 64   | 5††    |      |  |
| 431                              | 425 | 436 | 447 | 451 | 445 | 447 | 457 | 445 | 460 | 05 18 | 517     | 16 18 | 420     | 97   | 6      |      |  |
| 444                              | 440 | 443 | 442 | 453 | 455 | 451 | 451 | 451 | 463 | 06 50 | 521     | 16 02 | 436     | 85   | 7      |      |  |
| 451                              | 457 | 460 | 442 | 444 | 449 | 458 | 461 | 460 | 466 | 06 38 | 541     | 10 31 | 431     | 110  | 8      |      |  |
| 455                              | 459 | 455 | 447 | 441 | 441 | 443 | 447 | 445 | 467 | 04 42 | 524     | 19 32 | 439     | 85   | 9      |      |  |
| 457                              | 455 | 455 | 455 | 455 | 462 | 459 | 463 | 461 | 469 | 05 58 | 535     | 01 34 | 439     | 96   | 10†    |      |  |
| 447                              | 438 | 458 | 434 | 421 | 422 | 422 | 416 | 425 | 463 | 05 40 | 553     | 19 22 | 412     | 141  | 11     |      |  |
| 447                              | 447 | 441 | 432 | 437 | 434 | 447 | 451 | 453 | 460 | 05 24 | 529     | 00 22 | 425     | 104  | 12     |      |  |
| 452                              | 453 | 441 | 446 | 444 | 453 | 455 | 455 | 456 | 463 | 06 50 | 519     | 17 02 | 437     | 82   | 13     |      |  |
| 449                              | 449 | 442 | 457 | 455 | 455 | 451 | 453 | 451 | 469 | 07 22 | 537     | 16 54 | 439     | 98   | 14     |      |  |
| 459                              | 457 | 457 | 459 | 455 | 455 | 455 | 455 | 455 | 464 | 05 38 | 519     | 10 02 | 446     | 73   | 15     |      |  |
| 451                              | 454 | 455 | 457 | 473 | 471 | 471 | 473 | 471 | 471 | 05 46 | 521     | 10 40 | 447     | 74   | 16     |      |  |
| 459                              | 463 | 461 | 461 | 461 | 460 | 459 | 465 | 465 | 472 | 06 20 | 515     | 12 32 | 447     | 68   | 17     |      |  |
| 465                              | 465 | 463 | 463 | 455 | 453 | 441 | 447 | 445 | 471 | 05 14 | 535     | 21 06 | 439     | 96   | 18     |      |  |
| 465                              | 463 | 463 | 462 | 461 | 464 | 464 | 465 | 468 | 477 | 05 34 | 547     | 00 23 | 445     | 102  | 19†    |      |  |
| 447                              | 445 | 443 | 452 | 461 | 465 | 463 | 461 | 458 | 481 | 06 50 | 545     | 15 40 | 441     | 104  | 20     |      |  |
| 453                              | 457 | 457 | 455 | 459 | 465 | 469 | 471 | 468 | 476 | 06 32 | 543     | 14 40 | 443     | 100  | 21     |      |  |
| 457                              | 455 | 455 | 455 | 460 | 464 | 467 | 471 | 468 | 472 | 05 31 | 523     | 11 10 | 447     | 76   | 22††   |      |  |
| 428                              | 428 | 420 | 425 | 436 | 441 | 444 | 449 | 453 | 457 | 06 34 | 551     | 13 40 | 412     | 139  | 23††   |      |  |
| 452                              | 442 | 441 | 443 | 453 | 469 | 476 | 471 | 469 | 472 | 06 50 | 535     | 16 18 | 440     | 95   | 24     |      |  |
| 437                              | 445 | 443 | 439 | 441 | 455 | 447 | 461 | 461 | 468 | 07 20 | 529     | 14 54 | 434     | 95   | 25     |      |  |
| 455                              | 454 | 455 | 455 | 455 | 467 | 470 | 471 | 468 | 471 | 06 20 | 517     | 16 24 | 452     | 65   | 26     |      |  |
| 465                              | 466 | 467 | 465 | 469 | 473 | 479 | 481 | 487 | 486 | 06 31 | 546     | 15 40 | 459     | 87   | 27††   |      |  |
| 420                              | 425 | 433 | 441 | 441 | 443 | 442 | 448 | 449 | 449 | 00 58 | 503     | 05 50 | 399     | 104  | 28†    |      |  |
| 449                              | 449 | 449 | 449 | 451 | 454 | 455 | 458 | 458 | 468 |       |         |       |         | 93   | Mean   |      |  |
| 461                              | 459 | 458 | 459 | 461 | 463 | 464 | 464 | 466 |     |       |         |       |         |      | Mean†  |      |  |
| 435                              | 436 | 435 | 442 | 446 | 448 | 451 | 454 | 455 |     |       |         |       |         |      | Mean†† |      |  |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 9

## Hourly Values of Horizontal Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

March

39,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| Date     | Hours G M T |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|----------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|          | 0           | 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  |
| 1†       | γ           | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   |
| 2†       | 450         | 447 | 461 | 477 | 507 | 517 | 527 | 515 | 499 | 479 | 460 | 457 | 456 | 450 | 451 |
| 3†       | 447         | 445 | 447 | 463 | 487 | 507 | 516 | 511 | 502 | 495 | 480 | 475 | 474 | 471 | 466 |
| 4†       | 466         | 467 | 474 | 491 | 518 | 531 | 543 | 519 | 503 | 495 | 484 | 484 | 481 | 475 |     |
| 5        | 467         | 468 | 479 | 503 | 528 | 543 | 514 | 530 | 507 | 483 | 466 | 467 | 474 | 477 | 477 |
| 6        | 469         | 459 | 466 | 484 | 507 | 523 | 519 | 511 | 493 | 482 | 469 | 469 | 469 | 461 | 453 |
| 7††      | 468         | 459 | 466 | 484 | 507 | 523 | 519 | 511 | 493 | 482 | 469 | 469 | 469 | 461 | 453 |
| 8        | 466         | 467 | 474 | 491 | 518 | 531 | 543 | 519 | 503 | 495 | 484 | 484 | 481 | 475 |     |
| 9††      | 467         | 468 | 479 | 503 | 528 | 543 | 514 | 530 | 507 | 483 | 466 | 467 | 474 | 477 | 477 |
| 10       | 469         | 459 | 466 | 484 | 507 | 523 | 519 | 511 | 493 | 482 | 469 | 469 | 469 | 461 | 453 |
| 11       | 468         | 459 | 466 | 484 | 507 | 523 | 519 | 511 | 493 | 482 | 469 | 469 | 469 | 461 | 453 |
| 12       | 467         | 458 | 465 | 483 | 505 | 524 | 530 | 514 | 491 | 483 | 469 | 469 | 469 | 461 | 453 |
| 13       | 466         | 459 | 466 | 483 | 504 | 525 | 532 | 509 | 491 | 483 | 466 | 466 | 466 | 462 |     |
| 14       | 468         | 459 | 466 | 483 | 505 | 524 | 533 | 511 | 490 | 477 | 469 | 468 | 468 | 455 | 455 |
| 15       | 467         | 458 | 465 | 483 | 506 | 529 | 535 | 512 | 495 | 476 | 463 | 451 | 450 | 452 | 449 |
| 16       | 466         | 459 | 466 | 483 | 507 | 528 | 538 | 515 | 496 | 477 | 460 | 466 | 461 | 457 |     |
| 17       | 465         | 458 | 465 | 483 | 505 | 525 | 533 | 515 | 503 | 480 | 453 | 448 | 442 | 442 | 447 |
| 18       | 464         | 457 | 464 | 482 | 504 | 524 | 532 | 513 | 501 | 481 | 455 | 451 | 451 | 447 |     |
| 19       | 463         | 457 | 463 | 481 | 503 | 523 | 531 | 510 | 498 | 485 | 462 | 465 | 462 | 459 |     |
| 20       | 462         | 456 | 462 | 480 | 502 | 522 | 530 | 509 | 495 | 476 | 463 | 451 | 450 | 452 | 449 |
| 21       | 461         | 455 | 461 | 479 | 501 | 521 | 529 | 507 | 493 | 473 | 453 | 457 | 454 | 451 | 451 |
| 22††     | 460         | 454 | 460 | 478 | 499 | 519 | 528 | 506 | 492 | 472 | 452 | 450 | 444 | 444 | 439 |
| 23       | 463         | 458 | 463 | 481 | 501 | 521 | 529 | 508 | 494 | 474 | 455 | 452 | 450 | 447 |     |
| 24       | 462         | 456 | 462 | 480 | 500 | 519 | 528 | 506 | 493 | 472 | 455 | 450 | 444 | 444 | 439 |
| 25       | 461         | 455 | 461 | 479 | 500 | 520 | 528 | 505 | 492 | 471 | 458 | 455 | 455 | 458 | 459 |
| 26       | 460         | 454 | 460 | 478 | 498 | 518 | 527 | 505 | 491 | 471 | 451 | 451 | 447 | 447 | 447 |
| 27       | 463         | 458 | 462 | 479 | 501 | 521 | 529 | 507 | 496 | 476 | 456 | 457 | 451 | 457 |     |
| 28       | 462         | 456 | 461 | 478 | 498 | 516 | 527 | 505 | 493 | 479 | 459 | 457 | 455 | 456 | 467 |
| 29†      | 461         | 455 | 460 | 477 | 498 | 511 | 528 | 504 | 491 | 479 | 459 | 456 | 456 | 459 | 469 |
| 30††     | 460         | 454 | 460 | 477 | 497 | 510 | 527 | 503 | 490 | 478 | 456 | 455 | 455 | 454 | 476 |
| 31††     | 459         | 453 | 459 | 477 | 495 | 517 | 523 | 498 | 442 | 410 | 403 | 407 | 423 | 423 | 418 |
| Mean .   | 455         | 454 | 463 | 485 | 508 | 527 | 530 | 519 | 496 | 476 | 465 | 459 | 456 | 453 | 450 |
| Mean†    | 460         | 458 | 465 | 484 | 510 | 528 | 536 | 528 | 512 | 494 | 476 | 470 | 471 | 470 | 467 |
| Mean†† . | 460         | 458 | 470 | 494 | 514 | 539 | 540 | 528 | 495 | 470 | 458 | 454 | 442 | 425 | 417 |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 9

## Hourly Values of Horizontal Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

March

39,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| 15  | Hours G. M. T. |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | Mean  | Maximum |       | Minimum |     | Range  | Date |
|-----|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|---------|-------|---------|-----|--------|------|
|     | 16             | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  |     |       | Time    | Mag.  | Time    | Mag |        |      |
| γ   | γ              | γ   | γ   | γ   | γγ  | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | H. M. | γ       | H. M. | γ       | γ   |        |      |
| 452 | 453            | 449 | 447 | 450 | 452 | 449 | 447 | 445 | 467 | 06 02 | 533     | 17 50 | 442     | 91  | 1†     |      |
| 461 | 459            | 458 | 459 | 461 | 461 | 463 | 465 | 467 | 472 | 05 14 | 517     | 01 20 | 444     | 73  | 2†     |      |
| 474 | 471            | 472 | 471 | 468 | 467 | 466 | 469 | 469 | 487 | 05 58 | 545     | 19 18 | 461     | 84  | 3†     |      |
| 475 | 475            | 479 | 480 | 474 | 468 | 463 | 459 | 459 | 485 | 05 22 | 547     | 21 34 | 457     | 90  | 4†     |      |
| 449 | 443            | 448 | 451 | 452 | 453 | 455 | 456 | 452 | 471 | 05 02 | 525     | 16 20 | 434     | 91  | 5      |      |
| 440 | 443            | 449 | 453 | 451 | 447 | 447 | 447 | 445 | 463 | 05 10 | 543     | 10 10 | 431     | 112 | 6      |      |
| 455 | 447            | 431 | 456 | 439 | 451 | 455 | 447 | 441 | 461 | 05 14 | 537     | 17 10 | 421     | 116 | 7††    |      |
| 442 | 443            | 443 | 471 | 464 | 452 | 449 | 452 | 452 | 461 | 04 50 | 528     | 00 40 | 434     | 94  | 8      |      |
| 411 | 427            | 419 | 441 | 424 | 395 | 401 | 418 | 427 | 450 | 05 20 | 533     | 19 50 | 391     | 142 | 9††    |      |
| 445 | 443            | 443 | 439 | 439 | 439 | 439 | 433 | 439 | 454 | 06 22 | 517     | 12 14 | 423     | 94  | 10     |      |
| 444 | 447            | 459 | 449 | 451 | 451 | 455 | 459 | 458 | 454 | 04 54 | 515     | 12 06 | 416     | 99  | 11     |      |
| 445 | 442            | 447 | 442 | 443 | 443 | 444 | 452 | 451 | 466 | 05 58 | 549     | 16 02 | 435     | 114 | 12     |      |
| 447 | 447            | 443 | 451 | 447 | 458 | 463 | 455 | 452 | 467 | 05 02 | 535     | 16 50 | 435     | 100 | 13     |      |
| 455 | 456            | 445 | 466 | 455 | 447 | 456 | 455 | 447 | 470 | 05 46 | 535     | 17 22 | 440     | 95  | 14     |      |
| 455 | 453            | 456 | 455 | 455 | 443 | 435 | 439 | 445 | 462 | 05 50 | 515     | 20 50 | 431     | 84  | 15     |      |
| 455 | 455            | 456 | 451 | 453 | 451 | 471 | 463 | 459 | 466 | 06 10 | 509     | 01 42 | 445     | 64  | 16     |      |
| 455 | 453            | 455 | 463 | 466 | 469 | 467 | 466 | 472 | 472 | 05 50 | 539     | 11 44 | 439     | 100 | 17     |      |
| 451 | 458            | 475 | 447 | 439 | 451 | 458 | 453 | 452 | 475 | 05 54 | 549     | 19 22 | 429     | 120 | 18     |      |
| 459 | 463            | 463 | 461 | 457 | 459 | 463 | 461 | 461 | 473 | 06 42 | 522     | 01 10 | 446     | 76  | 19     |      |
| 460 | 465            | 465 | 463 | 466 | 471 | 471 | 471 | 466 | 485 | 06 20 | 543     | 00 46 | 457     | 86  | 20     |      |
| 473 | 471            | 473 | 477 | 475 | 471 | 477 | 482 | 479 | 487 | 06 02 | 549     | 01 50 | 460     | 89  | 21     |      |
| 335 | 362            | 376 | 389 | 400 | 415 | 423 | 433 | 436 | 452 | 05 54 | 575     | 14 44 | 315     | 260 | 22††   |      |
| 458 | 451            | 432 | 416 | 410 | 417 | 451 | 440 | 434 | 462 | 06 32 | 531     | 19 20 | 405     | 126 | 23     |      |
| 444 | 442            | 445 | 447 | 448 | 455 | 455 | 456 | 453 | 463 | 04 58 | 527     | 00 24 | 430     | 97  | 24     |      |
| 459 | 455            | 455 | 451 | 445 | 447 | 452 | 449 | 451 | 472 | 05 48 | 547     | 18 54 | 439     | 108 | 25     |      |
| 439 | 447            | 459 | 459 | 463 | 464 | 466 | 471 | 471 | 467 | 06 02 | 565     | 13 42 | 413     | 152 | 26     |      |
| 469 | 463            | 459 | 459 | 460 | 460 | 460 | 462 | 465 | 483 | 04 46 | 561     | 16 26 | 455     | 106 | 27     |      |
| 469 | 469            | 467 | 469 | 471 | 471 | 471 | 469 | 465 | 482 | 06 06 | 541     | 12 34 | 462     | 79  | 28     |      |
| 469 | 466            | 465 | 468 | 469 | 469 | 469 | 468 | 468 | 485 | 06 34 | 555     | 11 34 | 461     | 94  | 29†    |      |
| 469 | 463            | 465 | 463 | 463 | 465 | 463 | 478 | 463 | 494 | 06 14 | 586     | 18 16 | 459     | 127 | 30††   |      |
| 427 | 437            | 434 | 430 | 440 | 447 | 439 | 455 | 445 | 448 | 05 44 | 541     | 09 34 | 389     | 152 | 31††   |      |
| 450 | 451            | 451 | 453 | 452 | 452 | 455 | 456 | 454 | 470 |       |         |       |         | 107 | Mean   |      |
| 466 | 465            | 465 | 465 | 464 | 463 | 462 | 462 | 462 |     |       |         |       |         |     | Mean†  |      |
| 419 | 427            | 425 | 436 | 433 | 435 | 436 | 446 | 442 |     |       |         |       |         |     | Mean†† |      |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 10  
Hourly Values of Horizontal Force, 1955  
[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

April

39,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| Date   | Hours G. M. T. |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|--------|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|        | 0              | 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  |
| 1      | 440            | 439 | 444 | 471 | 492 | 500 | 504 | 481 | 468 | 461 | 450 | 436 | 428 | 438 | 444 |
| 2      | 433            | 442 | 448 | 464 | 492 | 512 | 520 | 500 | 471 | 450 | 438 | 440 | 455 | 436 | 438 |
| 3      | 450            | 452 | 452 | 466 | 493 | 518 | 519 | 503 | 492 | 480 | 461 | 459 | 456 | 442 | 424 |
| 4      | 448            | 452 | 466 | 488 | 518 | 544 | 533 | 524 | 506 | 490 | 456 | 440 | 444 | 446 | 448 |
| 5††    | 452            | 450 | 455 | 480 | 524 | 548 | 533 | 527 | 514 | 482 | 460 | 458 | 450 | 448 | 429 |
| 6      | 452            | 458 | 461 | 492 | 508 | 511 | 519 | 511 | 505 | 492 | 479 | 455 | 452 | 448 | 446 |
| 7††    | 459            | 452 | 464 | 484 | 516 | 535 | 534 | 512 | 487 | 470 | 448 | 450 | 458 | 461 | 450 |
| 8      | 460            | 458 | 463 | 486 | 519 | 536 | 521 | 498 | 477 | 460 | 456 | 464 | 458 | 464 | 458 |
| 9      | 458            | 455 | 466 | 503 | 524 | 540 | 544 | 524 | 496 | 474 | 461 | 460 | 465 | 468 | 469 |
| 10     | 463            | 462 | 476 | 504 | 544 | 573 | 577 | 557 | 522 | 500 | 478 | 456 | 423 | 412 | 418 |
| 11     | 449            | 448 | 458 | 488 | 511 | 529 | 522 | 508 | 482 | 472 | 464 | 460 | 466 | 466 | 460 |
| 12     | 466            | 468 | 476 | 492 | 515 | 536 | 520 | 505 | 492 | 472 | 468 | 455 | 448 | 452 | 460 |
| 13     | 455            | 456 | 456 | 484 | 496 | 508 | 516 | 512 | 507 | 503 | 487 | 468 | 466 | 460 | 461 |
| 14     | 464            | 461 | 471 | 488 | 519 | 532 | 520 | 498 | 480 | 460 | 460 | 465 | 464 | 461 | 458 |
| 15     | 462            | 462 | 472 | 500 | 524 | 548 | 554 | 552 | 538 | 512 | 488 | 478 | 479 | 476 | 472 |
| 16†    | 468            | 466 | 476 | 503 | 526 | 556 | 572 | 556 | 519 | 490 | 468 | 460 | 466 | 468 | 466 |
| 17†    | 466            | 468 | 487 | 522 | 556 | 570 | 556 | 532 | 512 | 490 | 467 | 464 | 463 | 460 | 468 |
| 18†    | 471            | 472 | 488 | 512 | 533 | 538 | 532 | 514 | 482 | 458 | 466 | 479 | 486 | 472 | 465 |
| 19†    | 474            | 482 | 494 | 517 | 532 | 538 | 530 | 521 | 504 | 492 | 490 | 490 | 492 | 484 | 478 |
| 20     | 492            | 494 | 514 | 538 | 564 | 575 | 548 | 511 | 487 | 460 | 453 | 462 | 470 | 468 | 460 |
| 21     | 459            | 462 | 476 | 504 | 534 | 546 | 564 | 549 | 519 | 472 | 455 | 456 | 460 | 463 | 457 |
| 22     | 466            | 466 | 484 | 514 | 524 | 524 | 501 | 477 | 452 | 440 | 439 | 446 | 456 | 460 | 463 |
| 23†    | 466            | 465 | 476 | 506 | 533 | 565 | 570 | 550 | 522 | 496 | 472 | 464 | 468 | 472 | 468 |
| 24     | 470            | 468 | 479 | 510 | 540 | 572 | 573 | 556 | 530 | 500 | 470 | 472 | 484 | 467 | 439 |
| 25     | 447            | 444 | 455 | 479 | 511 | 524 | 532 | 528 | 496 | 472 | 452 | 446 | 442 | 440 | 439 |
| 26     | 442            | 446 | 455 | 479 | 518 | 520 | 525 | 511 | 479 | 489 | 432 | 430 | 431 | 436 | 436 |
| 27††   | 450            | 444 | 452 | 479 | 508 | 492 | 532 | 532 | 512 | 492 | 469 | 455 | 450 | 444 | 448 |
| 28††   | 392            | 388 | 392 | 412 | 432 | 444 | 448 | 428 | 410 | 396 | 396 | 424 | 422 | 424 |     |
| 29††   | 416            | 416 | 433 | 456 | 484 | 492 | 484 | 464 | 426 | 410 | 380 | 367 | 386 | 404 | 416 |
| 30     | 428            | 428 | 436 | 463 | 482 | 490 | 480 | 476 | 458 | 439 | 425 | 424 | 427 | 431 | 434 |
| Mean   | 454            | 454 | 464 | 489 | 516 | 531 | 529 | 514 | 492 | 471 | 456 | 452 | 454 | 452 | 450 |
| Mean†  | 469            | 471 | 484 | 512 | 536 | 553 | 552 | 535 | 508 | 485 | 473 | 471 | 475 | 471 | 469 |
| Mean†† | 494            | 490 | 489 | 462 | 493 | 502 | 506 | 493 | 470 | 450 | 429 | 425 | 434 | 436 | 435 |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record ; (data omitted for means).

TABLE 10

## Hourly Values of Horizontal Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

April

39,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| 15  | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  | Mean | Maximum |     | Minimum |     | Range | Date   |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|---------|-----|---------|-----|-------|--------|
|     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |      | Time    | Mag | Time    | Mag |       |        |
| γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ    | H M     | γ   | H. M    | γ   | γ     |        |
| 448 | 446 | 448 | 444 | 456 | 455 | 460 | 464 | 456 | 457  | 05 16   | 514 | 11 32   | 426 | 88    | 1      |
| 423 | 407 | 402 | 408 | 416 | 426 | 429 | 456 | 452 | 448  | 06 02   | 529 | 17 06   | 401 | 128   | 2      |
| 412 | 418 | 428 | 428 | 432 | 434 | 440 | 444 | 418 | 456  | 05 14   | 535 | 15 42   | 408 | 127   | 3      |
| 450 | 452 | 452 | 440 | 455 | 445 | 447 | 452 | 452 | 469  | 05 34   | 546 | 18 20   | 434 | 112   | 4      |
| 444 | 445 | 441 | 440 | 448 | 455 | 447 | 447 | 448 | 468  | 04 48   | 556 | 13 44   | 416 | 140   | 5††    |
| 444 | 447 | 450 | 452 | 456 | 460 | 463 | 470 | 468 | 471  | 05 40   | 524 | 14 34   | 436 | 88    | 6      |
| 450 | 445 | 450 | 452 | 468 | 466 | 462 | 456 | 452 | 470  | 04 50   | 544 | 10 20   | 435 | 109   | 7††    |
| 456 | 452 | 450 | 444 | 450 | 456 | 460 | 460 | 460 | 469  | 04 52   | 542 | 17 48   | 440 | 102   | 8      |
| 472 | 472 | 474 | 468 | 470 | 472 | 471 | 462 | 468 | 481  | 05 18   | 546 | 00 58   | 453 | 93    | 9      |
| 424 | 428 | 436 | 452 | 448 | 448 | 449 | 444 | 444 | 472  | 05 34   | 579 | 13 48   | 409 | 170   | 10     |
| 464 | 460 | 462 | 462 | 464 | 462 | 458 | 458 | 472 | 472  | 04 46   | 532 | 01 08   | 444 | 88    | 11     |
| 460 | 466 | 461 | 464 | 460 | 457 | 452 | 456 | 452 | 473  | 05 06   | 538 | 12 02   | 440 | 98    | 12     |
| 464 | 464 | 466 | 466 | 472 | 468 | 460 | 456 | 459 | 475  | 06 20   | 526 | 01 48   | 451 | 75    | 13     |
| 458 | 460 | 458 | 458 | 358 | 462 | 462 | 464 | 464 | 473  | 04 54   | 537 | 08 58   | 457 | 80    | 14     |
| 468 | 468 | 462 | 465 | 468 | 470 | 468 | 471 | 472 | 489  | 07 10   | 557 | 16 16   | 454 | 103   | 15     |
| 466 | 474 | 476 | 476 | 481 | 472 | 468 | 470 | 472 | 488  | 05 40   | 576 | 11 04   | 458 | 118   | 16†    |
| 469 | 468 | 467 | 468 | 475 | 476 | 473 | 472 | 472 | 488  | 04 58   | 571 | 12 08   | 455 | 116   | 17†    |
| 468 | 468 | 472 | 471 | 472 | 474 | 472 | 472 | 470 | 484  | 05 04   | 540 | 09 06   | 453 | 87    | 18†    |
| 481 | 482 | 484 | 482 | 479 | 480 | 481 | 487 | 490 | 494  | 05 08   | 543 | 00 20   | 470 | 73    | 19†    |
| 456 | 456 | 457 | 452 | 454 | 456 | 460 | 459 | 458 | 484  | 05 08   | 582 | 18 04   | 445 | 137   | 20     |
| 464 | 464 | 464 | 460 | 460 | 458 | 466 | 464 | 465 | 481  | 05 58   | 566 | 10 48   | 448 | 118   | 21     |
| 466 | 472 | 470 | 466 | 470 | 475 | 472 | 474 | 468 | 473  | 05 08   | 528 | 09 52   | 425 | 103   | 22     |
| 468 | 466 | 466 | 466 | 466 | 466 | 466 | 468 | 470 | 487  | 05 08   | 572 | 01 08   | 461 | 111   | 23†    |
| 451 | 452 | 440 | 482 | 408 | 410 | 414 | 420 | 439 | 475  | 06 02   | 580 | 18 38   | 400 | 180   | 24     |
| 438 | 432 | 436 | 442 | 441 | 452 | 448 | 448 | 446 | 462  | 05 44   | 533 | 16 08   | 426 | 107   | 25     |
| 440 | 444 | 446 | 448 | 442 | 444 | 452 | 444 | 443 | 458  | 05 24   | 529 | 11 02   | 422 | 107   | 26     |
| 450 | 451 | 472 | 464 | 428 | 396 | 384 | 400 | 460 | 460  | 06 48   | 539 | 21 46   | 370 | 169   | 27††   |
| 420 | 422 | 420 | 414 | 414 | 418 | 410 | 423 | 420 | 415  | 05 18   | 458 | 01 42   | 372 | 86    | 28††   |
| 420 | 417 | 410 | 434 | 431 | 424 | 439 | 439 | 428 | 428  | 04 24   | 501 | 11 02   | 362 | 139   | 29††   |
| 436 | 433 | 434 | 434 | 440 | 444 | 441 | 436 | 434 | 444  | 04 42   | 512 | 11 32   | 416 | 96    | 30     |
| 451 | 451 | 452 | 452 | 453 | 454 | 453 | 454 | 454 | 469  |         |     |         |     | 112   | Mean   |
| 470 | 472 | 473 | 473 | 475 | 474 | 472 | 474 | 475 |      |         |     |         |     |       | Mean†  |
| 437 | 436 | 439 | 441 | 438 | 438 | 431 | 430 | 430 |      |         |     |         |     |       | Mean†† |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 11

## Hourly Values of Horizontal Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

May

39,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| Date    | Hours G.M.T. |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|---------|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|         | 0            | 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  |
| 1       | γ            | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   |
| 2       | 434          | 435 | 447 | 479 | 492 | 509 | 508 | 492 | 476 | 458 | 444 | 428 | 433 | 439 | 441 |
| 3       | 441          | 439 | 448 | 471 | 498 | 516 | 524 | 516 | 496 | 480 | 470 | 454 | 450 | 450 | 450 |
| 4       | 448          | 449 | 450 | 471 | 492 | 499 | 508 | 504 | 491 | 478 | 474 | 470 | 466 | 462 | 459 |
| 5       | 460          | 468 | 484 | 504 | 522 | 531 | 516 | 504 | 495 | 482 | 474 | 466 | 464 | 455 | 441 |
| 6††     | 448          | 448 | 460 | 494 | 535 | 548 | 540 | 528 | 492 | 474 | 460 | 454 | 460 | 464 | 460 |
| 7††     | 471          | 466 | 474 | 488 | 520 | 532 | 540 | 524 | 518 | 484 | 444 | 423 | 399 | 370 | 372 |
| 8††     | 446          | 437 | 439 | 456 | 492 | 490 | 495 | 492 | 469 | 430 | 414 | 424 | 431 | 436 | 436 |
| 9       | 452          | 450 | 460 | 486 | 512 | 520 | 513 | 500 | 474 | 450 | 441 | 431 | 420 | 421 | 433 |
| 10      | 433          | 437 | 447 | 464 | 479 | 482 | 484 | 476 | 472 | 460 | 452 | 444 | 440 | 440 | 444 |
| 11      | 442          | 444 | 454 | 479 | 496 | 507 | 500 | 498 | 483 | 468 | 450 | 430 | 438 | 449 | 450 |
| 12      | 444          | 448 | 458 | 476 | 512 | 536 | 530 | 522 | 500 | 472 | 455 | 450 | 450 | 450 | 450 |
| 13      | 455          | 454 | 456 | 472 | 504 | 519 | 524 | 517 | 501 | 484 | 461 | 452 | 444 | 450 | 450 |
| 14      | 444          | 444 | 449 | 472 | 500 | 520 | 520 | 506 | 504 | 496 | 488 | 488 | 488 | 480 | 475 |
| 15      | 465          | 466 | 475 | 490 | 516 | 497 | 504 | 516 | 507 | 506 | 485 | 452 | 448 | 443 | 444 |
| 16      | 474          | 482 | 477 | 476 | 448 | 460 | 479 | 496 | 498 | 482 | 460 | 447 | 436 | 440 | 440 |
| 17†     | 452          | 459 | 475 | 492 | 511 | 519 | 516 | 498 | 468 | 444 | 444 | 455 | 456 | 455 | 454 |
| 18      | 476          | 477 | 481 | 489 | 488 | 493 | 492 | 492 | 490 | 482 | 478 | 474 | 474 | 471 | 466 |
| 19†     | 468          | 468 | 482 | 496 | 511 | 518 | 519 | 511 | 504 | 488 | 468 | 458 | 462 | 466 | 464 |
| 20      | 458          | 468 | 471 | 488 | 508 | 527 | 528 | 532 | 530 | 512 | 493 | 476 | 478 | 476 | 468 |
| 21†     | 462          | 467 | 480 | 474 | 520 | 532 | 533 | 532 | 521 | 506 | 500 | 488 | 482 | 474 | 474 |
| 22      | 468          | 472 | 479 | 495 | 506 | 516 | 522 | 518 | 512 | 500 | 490 | 476 | 468 | 468 | 467 |
| 23†     | 466          | 468 | 478 | 498 | 519 | 532 | 540 | 535 | 524 | 504 | 482 | 472 | 471 | 472 | 470 |
| 24†     | 474          | 472 | 479 | 496 | 533 | 557 | 568 | 553 | 536 | 517 | 495 | 476 | 472 | 468 | 468 |
| 25††    | 468          | 467 | 470 | 482 | 528 | 549 | 551 | 547 | 531 | 510 | 493 | 480 | 478 | 478 | 477 |
| 26††    | 391          | 384 | 386 | 389 | 422 | 450 | 469 | 462 | 454 | 430 | 410 | 410 | 408 | 410 | 408 |
| 27      | 423          | 425 | 427 | 438 | 475 | 498 | 514 | 522 | 514 | 498 | 476 | 458 | 448 | 429 | 434 |
| 28      | 432          | 430 | 442 | 456 | 473 | 485 | 480 | 478 | 470 | 454 | 442 | 434 | 425 | 424 | 426 |
| 29      | 441          | 446 | 448 | 462 | 485 | 506 | 507 | 501 | 494 | 470 | 461 | 449 | 442 | 446 | 440 |
| 30      | 440          | 448 | 458 | 471 | 492 | 501 | 510 | 494 | 480 | 467 | 458 | 452 | 444 | 444 | 444 |
| 31      | 453          | 454 | 468 | 480 | 492 | 506 | 509 | 486 | 470 | 458 | 450 | 453 | 465 | 465 | 461 |
| Mean .  | 451          | 452 | 460 | 476 | 499 | 512 | 515 | 509 | 497 | 479 | 464 | 455 | 452 | 450 | 449 |
| Mean† . | 464          | 467 | 479 | 491 | 519 | 532 | 535 | 526 | 511 | 492 | 478 | 470 | 469 | 467 | 466 |
| Mean††  | 446          | 441 | 446 | 460 | 495 | 508 | 514 | 505 | 489 | 461 | 440 | 434 | 427 | 423 | 425 |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record ; (day omitted for means).

TABLE II

## Hourly Values of Horizontal Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

May

39,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| 15  | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  | Mean | Maximum |      | Minimum |      | Range | Date   |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|---------|------|---------|------|-------|--------|
|     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |      | Time    | Mag. | Time    | Mag. |       |        |
| γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ    | H. M.   | γ    | H. M.   | γ    | γ     | γ      |
| 441 | 441 | 441 | 440 | 444 | 439 | 439 | 442 | 441 | 453  | 04 58   | 516  | 11 08   | 426  | 90    | 1      |
| 447 | 445 | 447 | 448 | 449 | 449 | 448 | 444 | 450 | 464  | 05 44   | 528  | 01 10   | 434  | 94    | 2      |
| 459 | 450 | 444 | 442 | 448 | 451 | 456 | 460 | 462 | 466  | 06 12   | 511  | 17 56   | 436  | 75    | 3      |
| 434 | 438 | 448 | 450 | 450 | 452 | 446 | 446 | 442 | 470  | 04 46   | 515  | 15 04   | 432  | 103   | 4      |
| 449 | 457 | 461 | 468 | 471 | 472 | 482 | 491 | 491 | 479  | 05 12   | 552  | 14 56   | 442  | 110   | 5      |
| 398 | 415 | 426 | 437 | 436 | 434 | 431 | 438 | 442 | 453  | 04 20   | 560  | 13 28   | 357  | 211   | 6††    |
| 448 | 446 | 448 | 450 | 452 | 455 | 450 | 444 | 440 | 451  | 03 58   | 508  | 09 26   | 408  | 100   | 7††    |
| 436 | 420 | 426 | 429 | 436 | 436 | 433 | 431 | 428 | 452  | 05 24   | 542  | 12 06   | 408  | 194   | 8††    |
| 444 | 444 | 444 | 450 | 448 | 448 | 448 | 447 | 447 | 453  | 04 18   | 487  | 00 48   | 432  | 55    | 9      |
| 450 | 450 | 453 | 450 | 452 | 448 | 441 | 444 | 443 | 459  | 05 26   | 520  | 11 20   | 420  | 100   | 10     |
| 452 | 452 | 454 | 452 | 455 | 455 | 456 | 452 | 452 | 468  | 05 06   | 540  | 00 12   | 442  | 98    | 11     |
| 448 | 444 | 444 | 444 | 441 | 444 | 447 | 452 | 449 | 465  | 06 38   | 530  | 19 48   | 440  | 90    | 12     |
| 471 | 473 | 463 | 455 | 455 | 455 | 458 | 464 | 465 | 477  | 05 50   | 527  | 00 10   | 441  | 86    | 13     |
| 442 | 449 | 441 | 448 | 450 | 450 | 449 | 448 | 451 | 468  | 04 40   | 530  | 16 42   | 439  | 91    | 14     |
| 458 | 458 | 458 | 453 | 456 | 461 | 468 | 472 | 476 | 473  | 06 06   | 524  | 01 08   | 448  | 76    | 15     |
| 440 | 440 | 444 | 443 | 446 | 450 | 450 | 451 | 450 | 459  | 07 02   | 502  | 11 48   | 434  | 68    | 16     |
| 458 | 458 | 458 | 459 | 460 | 461 | 462 | 468 | 476 | 469  | 05 48   | 522  | 10 54   | 441  | 81    | 17†    |
| 460 | 458 | 458 | 458 | 462 | 460 | 468 | 467 | 470 | 478  | 05 22   | 496  | 15 42   | 456  | 40    | 18     |
| 460 | 459 | 458 | 458 | 458 | 462 | 460 | 459 | 458 | 476  | 06 30   | 525  | 19 22   | 456  | 60    | 19†    |
| 468 | 463 | 466 | 468 | 468 | 466 | 467 | 468 | 464 | 484  | 06 26   | 545  | 00 28   | 457  | 88    | 20     |
| 468 | 466 | 462 | 462 | 464 | 466 | 465 | 468 | 466 | 485  | 05 54   | 536  | 17 18   | 460  | 76    | 21†    |
| 468 | 466 | 470 | 468 | 468 | 466 | 466 | 468 | 470 | 482  | 04 46   | 528  | 18 40   | 460  | 68    | 22     |
| 471 | 478 | 480 | 479 | 480 | 482 | 480 | 477 | 474 | 489  | 06 06   | 543  | 00 24   | 464  | 79    | 23†    |
| 468 | 469 | 468 | 471 | 468 | 466 | 468 | 464 | 464 | 490  | 05 34   | 571  | 21 36   | 463  | 108   | 24†    |
| 510 | 514 | 517 | 522 | 475 | 464 | 438 | 414 | 394 | 490  | 06 28   | 554  | 22 46   | 373  | 181   | 25††   |
| 408 | 411 | 416 | 418 | 421 | 421 | 422 | 423 | 423 | 419  | 06 12   | 475  | 03 26   | 335  | 140   | 26††   |
| 433 | 434 | 427 | 434 | 439 | 445 | 446 | 438 | 429 | 454  | 07 08   | 524  | 00 30   | 421  | 103   | 27     |
| 438 | 434 | 431 | 432 | 434 | 438 | 439 | 439 | 438 | 445  | 04 54   | 494  | 12 14   | 418  | 76    | 28     |
| 438 | 434 | 438 | 436 | 437 | 439 | 440 | 442 | 444 | 456  | 05 38   | 512  | 15 50   | 430  | 82    | 29     |
| 440 | 439 | 452 | 453 | 450 | 450 | 448 | 452 | 454 | 463  | 06 02   | 514  | 15 36   | 438  | 76    | 30     |
| 461 | 456 | 458 | 461 | 462 | 462 | 458 | 460 | 460 | 467  | 05 12   | 509  | 10 12   | 448  | 61    | 31     |
| 451 | 450 | 452 | 453 | 453 | 453 | 453 | 453 | 452 | 466  |         |      |         |      | 94    | Mean   |
| 465 | 466 | 465 | 466 | 466 | 467 | 467 | 467 | 468 |      |         |      |         |      |       | Mean†  |
| 440 | 441 | 447 | 451 | 444 | 442 | 435 | 430 | 425 |      |         |      |         |      |       | Mean†† |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 12

## Hourly Values of Horizontal Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

June

39,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| Date     | Hours G M T |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|----------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|          | 0           | 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  |
| 1        | 458         | 464 | 475 | 491 | 514 | 534 | 542 | 521 | 504 | 498 | 480 | 468 | 457 | 454 | 457 |
| 2        | 460         | 463 | 474 | 482 | 485 | 496 | 494 | 491 | 480 | 487 | 462 | 450 | 441 | 438 | 445 |
| 3        | 451         | 454 | 457 | 473 | 496 | 522 | 517 | 510 | 493 | 476 | 462 | 454 | 450 | 450 | 449 |
| 4        | 462         | 464 | 473 | 494 | 512 | 526 | 535 | 512 | 486 | 463 | 451 | 453 | 454 | 458 | 453 |
| 5†       | 450         | 454 | 465 | 490 | 521 | 540 | 538 | 521 | 502 | 509 | 455 | 452 | 459 | 466 | 463 |
| 6        | 458         | 463 | 470 | 494 | 526 | 540 | 561 | 533 | 510 | 481 | 454 | 441 | 444 | 452 | 452 |
| 7        | 450         | 448 | 454 | 478 | 521 | 541 | 538 | 522 | 494 | 462 | 442 | 437 | 447 | 453 | 452 |
| 8††      | 462         | 466 | 478 | 499 | 514 | 516 | 514 | 495 | 478 | 465 | 466 | 462 | 458 | 454 | 434 |
| 9        | 449         | 455 | 468 | 488 | 518 | 531 | 525 | 499 | 475 | 443 | 431 | 422 | 430 | 439 | 443 |
| 10†      | 460         | 462 | 472 | 492 | 524 | 538 | 546 | 534 | 508 | 476 | 446 | 437 | 442 | 450 | 450 |
| 11       | 450         | 452 | 457 | 482 | 502 | 516 | 534 | 535 | 532 | 519 | 510 | 476 | 463 | 462 | 460 |
| 12       | 465         | 465 | 466 | 476 | 505 | 514 | 520 | 510 | 490 | 467 | 433 | 430 | 434 | 450 | 450 |
| 13       | 456         | 453 | 454 | 471 | 502 | 519 | 537 | 524 | 497 | 486 | 473 | 468 | 462 | 454 | 437 |
| 14       | 476         | 479 | 482 | 499 | 525 | 550 | 545 | 534 | 500 | 458 | 442 | 434 | 425 | 438 | 444 |
| 15††     | 460         | 468 | 474 | 486 | 500 | 522 | 523 | 505 | 486 | 456 | 450 | 443 | 442 | 443 | 450 |
| 16††     | 462         | 462 | 469 | 490 | 510 | 518 | 521 | 507 | 505 | 490 | 449 | 446 | 438 | 436 | 438 |
| 17       | 451         | 452 | 457 | 473 | 486 | 506 | 514 | 526 | 522 | 510 | 490 | 455 | 449 | 446 | 452 |
| 18       | 466         | 466 | 463 | 478 | 496 | 514 | 514 | 526 | 520 | 500 | 470 | 462 | 459 | 460 |     |
| 19       | 462         | 470 | 478 | 482 | 518 | 536 | 537 | 538 | 526 | 510 | 479 | 472 | 468 | 462 | 460 |
| 20       | 460         | 462 | 470 | 470 | 487 | 510 | 526 | 530 | 518 | 498 | 470 | 458 | 462 | 476 | 479 |
| 21†      | 464         | 466 | 470 | 486 | 506 | 521 | 526 | 527 | 518 | 508 | 484 | 463 | 460 | 460 | 460 |
| 22       | 470         | 476 | 483 | 498 | 514 | 532 | 542 | 550 | 538 | 524 | 500 | 519 | 505 | 487 | 486 |
| 23††     | 478         | 476 | 473 | 482 | 502 | 519 | 538 | 558 | 555 | 536 | 510 | 497 | 490 | 483 | 485 |
| 24††     | 452         | 447 | 449 | 455 | 479 | 508 | 518 | 527 | 510 | 490 | 462 | 462 | 454 | 449 | 442 |
| 25       | 460         | 460 | 468 | 474 | 487 | 510 | 527 | 534 | 500 | 484 | 458 | 431 | 446 | 452 | 457 |
| 26†      | 470         | 470 | 474 | 479 | 491 | 505 | 512 | 510 | 508 | 502 | 489 | 473 | 462 | 462 | 468 |
| 27       | 462         | 462 | 466 | 478 | 497 | 510 | 518 | 517 | 510 | 500 | 483 | 465 | 462 | 466 | 467 |
| 28       | 467         | 463 | 466 | 478 | 502 | 510 | 504 | 498 | 497 | 490 | 490 | 485 | 475 | 473 | 475 |
| 29       | 470         | 470 | 470 | 481 | 501 | 516 | 521 | 518 | 502 | 486 | 471 | 466 | 473 | 476 | 476 |
| 30†      | 477         | 483 | 486 | 490 | 491 | 494 | 502 | 510 | 512 | 507 | 497 | 481 | 471 | 472 | 472 |
| Mean .   | 461         | 463 | 469 | 483 | 504 | 520 | 527 | 521 | 506 | 489 | 469 | 459 | 456 | 457 | 457 |
| Mean† .  | 464         | 467 | 473 | 487 | 507 | 520 | 527 | 520 | 510 | 500 | 474 | 461 | 459 | 462 | 463 |
| Mean†† . | 463         | 464 | 469 | 482 | 501 | 517 | 523 | 518 | 507 | 487 | 467 | 462 | 456 | 453 | 450 |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days

\* Loss of record ; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 12

## Hourly Values of Horizontal Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

June

39,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| Hours G. M. T. |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |      | Mean  | Maximum |       | Minimum |      | Range  | Date |
|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-------|---------|-------|---------|------|--------|------|
| 15             | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  | Time | Mag   | Time    | Mag.  | Time    | Mag. |        |      |
| γ              | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | H. M | γ     | H. M    | γ     | H. M    | γ    | γ      |      |
| 459            | 454 | 461 | 462 | 461 | 460 | 462 | 462 | 462 | 478  | 05 34 | 547     | 13 06 | 451     | 96   | 1      |      |
| 449            | 453 | 454 | 454 | 450 | 451 | 452 | 452 | 454 | 462  | 05 14 | 500     | 12 42 | 436     | 64   | 2      |      |
| 454            | 456 | 458 | 454 | 454 | 454 | 453 | 454 | 458 | 466  | 05 26 | 526     | 13 42 | 446     | 80   | 3      |      |
| 449            | 450 | 449 | 448 | 450 | 453 | 455 | 452 | 450 | 469  | 05 46 | 538     | 15 02 | 443     | 95   | 4      |      |
| 458            | 453 | 451 | 450 | 453 | 455 | 457 | 459 | 458 | 474  | 05 20 | 542     | 10 44 | 446     | 96   | 5†     |      |
| 452            | 452 | 451 | 460 | 454 | 446 | 443 | 442 | 454 | 472  | 05 54 | 562     | 11 32 | 437     | 125  | 6      |      |
| 450            | 458 | 457 | 458 | 459 | 460 | 460 | 452 | 469 | 469  | 05 02 | 550     | 10 46 | 433     | 117  | 7      |      |
| 413            | 422 | 434 | 439 | 446 | 452 | 446 | 446 | 452 | 463  | 03 38 | 526     | 14 54 | 406     | 120  | 8††    |      |
| 448            | 452 | 454 | 460 | 462 | 454 | 454 | 462 | 461 | 463  | 05 34 | 540     | 10 50 | 418     | 122  | 9      |      |
| 452            | 451 | 452 | 450 | 450 | 450 | 450 | 450 | 450 | 471  | 05 56 | 561     | 11 06 | 434     | 127  | 10†    |      |
| 457            | 458 | 460 | 456 | 451 | 451 | 454 | 460 | 469 | 478  | 07 08 | 540     | 18 26 | 450     | 90   | 11     |      |
| 452            | 454 | 457 | 458 | 458 | 460 | 460 | 458 | 457 | 466  | 06 06 | 524     | 10 10 | 426     | 98   | 12     |      |
| 440            | 456 | 459 | 458 | 467 | 468 | 470 | 469 | 476 | 479  | 05 44 | 542     | 14 10 | 428     | 114  | 13     |      |
| 447            | 451 | 446 | 446 | 450 | 458 | 454 | 454 | 457 | 471  | 05 32 | 564     | 11 42 | 418     | 146  | 14     |      |
| 454            | 450 | 447 | 451 | 457 | 454 | 454 | 457 | 458 | 466  | 05 38 | 537     | 11 50 | 434     | 103  | 15††   |      |
| 436            | 446 | 444 | 445 | 450 | 452 | 451 | 451 | 452 | 465  | 06 44 | 530     | 12 54 | 426     | 104  | 16††   |      |
| 447            | 449 | 454 | 454 | 458 | 456 | 457 | 456 | 466 | 470  | 08 10 | 527     | 12 58 | 442     | 85   | 17     |      |
| 458            | 455 | 458 | 460 | 460 | 458 | 460 | 462 | 463 | 474  | 07 34 | 540     | 16 06 | 454     | 86   | 18     |      |
| 460            | 460 | 458 | 457 | 456 | 456 | 457 | 458 | 459 | 480  | 06 54 | 546     | 18 02 | 454     | 92   | 19     |      |
| 478            | 477 | 462 | 463 | 462 | 466 | 468 | 466 | 466 | 479  | 07 32 | 535     | 11 06 | 457     | 78   | 20     |      |
| 462            | 463 | 462 | 464 | 466 | 468 | 468 | 470 | 472 | 480  | 05 50 | 534     | 12 54 | 458     | 76   | 21†    |      |
| 478            | 478 | 482 | 478 | 473 | 472 | 475 | 475 | 476 | 496  | 06 46 | 551     | 18 36 | 467     | 84   | 22     |      |
| 492            | 494 | 497 | 489 | 491 | 488 | 470 | 470 | 458 | 496  | 07 20 | 569     | 22 50 | 455     | 114  | 23††   |      |
| 438            | 441 | 442 | 454 | 459 | 462 | 469 | 460 | 451 | 466  | 07 16 | 540     | 14 18 | 433     | 107  | 24††   |      |
| 452            | 450 | 450 | 452 | 460 | 463 | 466 | 468 | 468 | 470  | 06 50 | 546     | 11 18 | 426     | 120  | 25     |      |
| 466            | 468 | 460 | 460 | 460 | 462 | 460 | 460 | 460 | 476  | 05 49 | 516     | 19 12 | 458     | 58   | 26†    |      |
| 468            | 467 | 462 | 463 | 470 | 468 | 470 | 470 | 470 | 478  | 07 20 | 522     | 17 06 | 458     | 64   | 27     |      |
| 470            | 470 | 470 | 468 | 468 | 470 | 471 | 470 | 463 | 479  | 04 34 | 526     | 18 54 | 462     | 64   | 28     |      |
| 475            | 477 | 478 | 477 | 475 | 474 | 476 | 478 | 477 | 483  | 06 42 | 524     | 10 46 | 461     | 63   | 29     |      |
| 472            | 472 | 470 | 474 | 474 | 476 | 476 | 476 | 477 | 484  | 07 20 | 514     | 12 10 | 466     | 48   | 30†    |      |
| 456            | 458 | 458 | 459 | 460 | 460 | 461 | 461 | 462 | 474  |       |         |       |         | 95   | Mean   |      |
| 462            | 460 | 459 | 460 | 461 | 462 | 462 | 463 | 463 |      |       |         |       |         |      | Mean†  |      |
| 447            | 451 | 453 | 456 | 461 | 458 | 458 | 457 | 455 |      |       |         |       |         |      | Mean†† |      |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record ; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 13

## Hourly Values of Vertical Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

January

2,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| Date   | Hours G. M. T |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|--------|---------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|        | 0             | 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  |
| 1      | 401           | 400 | 399 | 394 | 382 | 374 | 376 | 386 | 402 | 411 | 417 | 412 | 407 | 406 | 403 |
| 2      | 400           | 400 | 402 | 400 | 391 | 380 | 378 | 381 | 391 | 410 | 419 | 414 | 404 | 406 | 406 |
| 3      | 403           | 404 | 402 | 396 | 387 | 377 | 373 | 378 | 388 | 406 | 417 | 415 | 406 | 404 | 403 |
| 4      | 400           | 406 | 407 | 401 | 387 | 382 | 377 | 378 | 389 | 400 | 402 | 402 | 394 | 397 | 397 |
| 5      | 400           | 401 | 403 | 402 | 386 | 371 | 361 | 362 | 364 | 374 | 391 | 399 | 401 | 400 | 400 |
| 6      | 397           | 401 | 404 | 403 | 376 | 360 | 353 | 352 | 355 | 366 | 382 | 391 | 397 | 399 | 397 |
| 7      | 399           | 400 | 401 | 402 | 395 | 384 | 377 | 372 | 364 | 366 | 385 | 392 | 396 | 396 | 397 |
| 8      | 399           | 400 | 403 | 406 | 401 | 392 | 384 | 366 | 363 | 369 | 382 | 389 | 393 | 394 | 394 |
| 9††    | 397           | 402 | 397 | 397 | 407 | 403 | 396 | 394 | 391 | 391 | 393 | 391 | 392 | 393 | 399 |
| 10†    | 400           | 397 | 395 | 396 | 392 | 389 | 389 | 394 | 400 | 409 | 409 | 402 | 399 | 399 | 399 |
| 11     | 399           | 397 | 395 | 396 | 393 | 384 | 392 | 410 | 418 | 414 | 414 | 407 | 397 | 392 | 391 |
| 12     | 394           | 395 | 403 | 395 | 378 | 377 | 380 | 384 | 389 | 393 | 404 | 406 | 399 | 399 | 400 |
| 13     | 395           | 396 | 394 | 397 | 401 | 403 | 409 | 412 | 410 | 408 | 402 | 387 | 385 | 389 | 394 |
| 14     | 395           | 396 | 397 | 397 | 399 | 397 | 396 | 392 | 393 | 404 | 408 | 407 | 400 | 396 | 392 |
| 15†    | 399           | 400 | 399 | 406 | 410 | 411 | 409 | 410 | 418 | 416 | 407 | 401 | 399 | 399 | 399 |
| 16     | 400           | 402 | 402 | 395 | 389 | 387 | 390 | 397 | 399 | 399 | 401 | 403 | 401 | 397 | 394 |
| 17††   | 401           | 402 | 404 | 404 | 406 | 403 | 400 | 396 | 390 | 387 | 402 | 395 | 379 | 386 | 363 |
| 18††   | 392           | 387 | 396 | 400 | 393 | 406 | 410 | 408 | 389 | 388 | 396 | 403 | 404 | 400 | 396 |
| 19††   | 394           | 397 | 389 | 386 | 379 | 377 | 373 | 380 | 379 | 380 | 377 | 388 | 391 | 399 | 395 |
| 20††   | 392           | 394 | 400 | 393 | 391 | 394 | 400 | 401 | 399 | 400 | 400 | 401 | 400 | 400 | 399 |
| 21     | 394           | 396 | 394 | 394 | 389 | 388 | 395 | 394 | 394 | 395 | 395 | 391 | 389 | 395 | 396 |
| 22     | 395           | 394 | 389 | 388 | 388 | 389 | 388 | 385 | 378 | 378 | 379 | 389 | 393 | 395 | 396 |
| 23     | 392           | 395 | 397 | 394 | 397 | 389 | 382 | 377 | 380 | 386 | 388 | 389 | 388 | 387 | 388 |
| 24†    | 388           | 387 | 383 | 389 | 386 | 387 | 384 | 388 | 384 | 386 | 391 | 393 | 391 | 388 | 388 |
| 25†    | 392           | 392 | 387 | 386 | 388 | 380 | 377 | 381 | 387 | 391 | 393 | 392 | 388 | 388 | 389 |
| 26†    | 392           | 392 | 388 | 380 | 373 | 368 | 364 | 373 | 381 | 389 | 394 | 396 | 391 | 389 | 392 |
| 27     | 392           | 391 | 387 | 384 | 382 | 378 | 376 | 379 | 386 | 391 | 395 | 393 | 395 | 394 | 396 |
| 28     | 391           | 392 | 389 | 388 | 382 | 382 | 380 | 385 | 391 | 397 | 397 | 395 | 394 | 393 | 393 |
| 29     | 389           | 388 | 384 | 379 | 369 | 361 | 363 | 373 | 377 | 378 | 379 | 382 | 386 | 386 | 386 |
| 30     | 386           | 388 | 388 | 388 | 377 | 371 | 374 | 382 | 386 | 389 | 397 | 400 | 392 | 388 | 391 |
| 31     | 389           | 392 | 389 | 384 | 374 | 373 | 380 | 386 | 388 | 389 | 389 | 389 | 389 | 392 | 392 |
| Mean   | 395           | 396 | 396 | 394 | 389 | 384 | 383 | 385 | 387 | 391 | 397 | 398 | 389 | 389 | 394 |
| Mean†  | 394           | 394 | 390 | 390 | 390 | 387 | 382 | 389 | 391 | 397 | 401 | 399 | 395 | 394 | 393 |
| Mean†† | 395           | 396 | 397 | 396 | 395 | 397 | 396 | 396 | 390 | 389 | 394 | 396 | 393 | 396 | 390 |

† Five International quiet days

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record, (day omitted for means).

TABLE 13

## Hourly Values of Vertical Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

January

2,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| Hours G. M. T. |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | Mean  | Maximum |       | Minimum |      | Range  | Date |
|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|---------|-------|---------|------|--------|------|
| 15             | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  |     |       | Time    | Mag.  | Time    | Mag. |        |      |
| γ              | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | H. M  | γ       | H. M  | γ       | γ    |        |      |
| 401            | 400 | 401 | 401 | 401 | 403 | 403 | 400 | 399 | 399 | 10 05 | 425     | 05 42 | 374     | 51   | 1      |      |
| 403            | 400 | 399 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 404 | 400 | 401 | 400 | 10 00 | 424     | 05 25 | 378     | 46   | 2      |      |
| 406            | 406 | 403 | 404 | 403 | 402 | 401 | 403 | 400 | 400 | 09 55 | 422     | 06 03 | 373     | 49   | 3      |      |
| 397            | 391 | 395 | 401 | 399 | 399 | 399 | 400 | 400 | 395 | 02 20 | 412     | 07 08 | 376     | 36   | 4      |      |
| 401            | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 401 | 401 | 400 | 392 | 21 18 | 410     | 06 08 | 361     | 49   | 5      |      |
| 397            | 397 | 397 | 399 | 400 | 402 | 400 | 401 | 400 | 389 | 01 25 | 410     | 06 20 | 352     | 58   | 6      |      |
| 395            | 395 | 399 | 397 | 396 | 396 | 399 | 400 | 400 | 392 | 03 08 | 408     | 08 24 | 364     | 44   | 7      |      |
| 395            | 396 | 399 | 399 | 403 | 400 | 397 | 400 | 399 | 393 | 03 05 | 412     | 07 32 | 363     | 49   | 8      |      |
| 395            | 396 | 392 | 401 | 399 | 399 | 400 | 400 | 397 | 397 | 04 08 | 416     | 16 53 | 389     | 27   | 9††    |      |
| 397            | 395 | 395 | 397 | 399 | 399 | 399 | 399 | 399 | 398 | 10 28 | 420     | 05 30 | 389     | 31   | 10†    |      |
| 400            | 406 | 404 | 403 | 406 | 401 | 400 | 400 | 403 | 401 | 07 45 | 428     | 05 14 | 381     | 47   | 11     |      |
| 399            | 399 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 401 | 397 | 397 | 399 | 395 | 10 30 | 414     | 04 15 | 376     | 38   | 12     |      |
| 397            | 396 | 396 | 397 | 397 | 399 | 399 | 396 | 398 | 398 | 06 40 | 418     | 11 16 | 376     | 42   | 13     |      |
| 390            | 390 | 393 | 400 | 401 | 399 | 397 | 397 | 399 | 397 | 18 20 | 417     | 07 18 | 385     | 32   | 14     |      |
| 399            | 397 | 397 | 400 | 399 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 404 | 09 25 | 427     | 15 25 | 397     | 30   | 15†    |      |
| 392            | 395 | 399 | 399 | 397 | 399 | 401 | 401 | 400 | 397 | 10 30 | 414     | 05 08 | 387     | 27   | 16     |      |
| 371            | 388 | 399 | 401 | 406 | 401 | 394 | 397 | 393 | 395 | 18 55 | 433     | 14 10 | 348     | 85   | 17††   |      |
| 394            | 394 | 395 | 403 | 395 | 404 | 399 | 394 | 388 | 397 | 05 25 | 422     | 03 30 | 379     | 43   | 18††   |      |
| 400            | 403 | 409 | 408 | 402 | 399 | 397 | 396 | 397 | 391 | 17 38 | 417     | 10 06 | 371     | 46   | 19††   |      |
| 397            | 400 | 400 | 400 | 401 | 395 | 395 | 394 | 398 | 398 | 19 55 | 406     | 04 20 | 385     | 21   | 20††   |      |
| 392            | 395 | 399 | 399 | 397 | 399 | 401 | 401 | 400 | 397 | 10 30 | 414     | 05 08 | 387     | 27   | 16     |      |
| 371            | 388 | 399 | 401 | 406 | 401 | 394 | 397 | 393 | 395 | 18 55 | 433     | 14 10 | 348     | 85   | 17††   |      |
| 394            | 394 | 395 | 403 | 395 | 404 | 399 | 394 | 388 | 397 | 05 25 | 422     | 03 30 | 379     | 43   | 18††   |      |
| 400            | 403 | 409 | 408 | 402 | 399 | 397 | 396 | 397 | 391 | 17 38 | 417     | 10 06 | 371     | 46   | 19††   |      |
| 397            | 400 | 400 | 400 | 401 | 395 | 395 | 394 | 398 | 398 | 19 55 | 406     | 04 20 | 385     | 21   | 20††   |      |
| 397            | 397 | 396 | 395 | 394 | 397 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 399 | 21 08 | 404     | 11 30 | 385     | 19   | 21     |      |
| 395            | 394 | 394 | 394 | 395 | 394 | 395 | 396 | 394 | 391 | 20 46 | 399     | 09 25 | 374     | 25   | 22     |      |
| 392            | 388 | 399 | 392 | 389 | 393 | 401 | 393 | 389 | 390 | 20 35 | 407     | 07 20 | 376     | 31   | 23     |      |
| 388            | 393 | 393 | 394 | 394 | 393 | 392 | 391 | 392 | 389 | 10 20 | 399     | 08 30 | 362     | 17   | 24†    |      |
| 389            | 391 | 392 | 394 | 393 | 394 | 394 | 394 | 394 | 389 | 20 35 | 397     | 05 58 | 372     | 25   | 25†    |      |
| 392            | 393 | 392 | 394 | 393 | 394 | 394 | 394 | 394 | 388 | 10 28 | 401     | 05 45 | 363     | 38   | 26†    |      |
| 392            | 391 | 384 | 379 | 382 | 387 | 395 | 386 | 384 | 387 | 21 15 | 401     | 05 56 | 371     | 30   | 27     |      |
| 392            | 394 | 393 | 393 | 392 | 391 | 389 | 388 | 391 | 390 | 05 05 | 406     | 06 58 | 374     | 32   | 28     |      |
| 388            | 391 | 392 | 392 | 388 | 396 | 393 | 389 | 389 | 383 | 20 58 | 403     | 05 16 | 360     | 43   | 29     |      |
| 391            | 389 | 391 | 388 | 392 | 389 | 393 | 394 | 389 | 388 | 10 42 | 407     | 05 23 | 371     | 36   | 30     |      |
| 392            | 393 | 393 | 395 | 394 | 394 | 393 | 395 | 395 | 389 | 22 10 | 403     | 05 16 | 371     | 32   | 31     |      |
| 395            | 396 | 397 | 398 | 397 | 397 | 398 | 397 | 396 | 393 |       |         |       |         | 38   | Mean   |      |
| 393            | 394 | 394 | 396 | 396 | 396 | 396 | 395 | 396 |     |       |         |       |         |      | Mean†  |      |
| 391            | 396 | 399 | 403 | 400 | 401 | 397 | 396 | 394 |     |       |         |       |         |      | Mean†† |      |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record, (day omitted for means),

TABLE 14

## Hourly Values of Vertical Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

February

2,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| Date   | Hours G M T |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|--------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|        | 0           | 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  |
| 1†     | γ           | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   |
| 2†     | 394         | 395 | 397 | 392 | 373 | 364 | 364 | 371 | 378 | 382 | 388 | 389 | 387 | 389 | 394 |
| 3      | 389         | 389 | 386 | 385 | 371 | 368 | 366 | 372 | 376 | 392 | 400 | 396 | 389 | 387 | 387 |
| 4††    | 392         | 397 | 391 | 387 | 386 | 384 | 384 | 306 | 388 | 389 | 386 | 384 | 385 | 388 | 389 |
| 5††    | 394         | 394 | 392 | 388 | 382 | 379 | 385 | 392 | 397 | 399 | 389 | 379 | 380 | 388 | 396 |
| 6      | 388         | 388 | 387 | 385 | 387 | 386 | 390 | 399 | 400 | 399 | 394 | 387 | 379 | 387 | 388 |
| 7      | 387         | 386 | 386 | 388 | 393 | 394 | 394 | 395 | 395 | 396 | 403 | 401 | 391 | 388 | 385 |
| 8      | 387         | 384 | 379 | 374 | 373 | 376 | 379 | 381 | 385 | 391 | 395 | 395 | 392 | 388 | 391 |
| 9      | 388         | 389 | 386 | 382 | 376 | 371 | 369 | 371 | 378 | 386 | 392 | 399 | 394 | 391 | 389 |
| 10†    | 395         | 394 | 387 | 380 | 371 | 369 | 370 | 377 | 387 | 394 | 395 | 387 | 387 | 392 | 391 |
| 11     | 392         | 393 | 389 | 382 | 366 | 353 | 350 | 355 | 363 | 378 | 387 | 391 | 389 | 389 | 395 |
| 12     | 396         | 399 | 395 | 391 | 372 | 366 | 364 | 374 | 386 | 394 | 397 | 394 | 389 | 389 | 389 |
| 13     | 395         | 397 | 392 | 386 | 376 | 371 | 371 | 372 | 377 | 382 | 389 | 392 | 392 | 394 | 395 |
| 14     | 400         | 400 | 400 | 394 | 380 | 378 | 376 | 378 | 384 | 389 | 388 | 389 | 389 | 391 | 392 |
| 15     | 394         | 394 | 393 | 389 | 377 | 365 | 364 | 371 | 374 | 377 | 387 | 392 | 392 | 388 | 389 |
| 16     | 398         | 392 | 387 | 384 | 389 | 389 | 392 | 392 | 395 | 397 | 401 | 400 | 396 | 388 | 387 |
| 17     | 395         | 396 | 397 | 395 | 399 | 394 | 388 | 386 | 386 | 389 | 397 | 400 | 396 | 388 | 387 |
| 18     | 397         | 395 | 391 | 381 | 377 | 372 | 364 | 365 | 374 | 392 | 396 | 394 | 392 | 395 | 395 |
| 19†    | 389         | 391 | 388 | 382 | 387 | 378 | 377 | 387 | 388 | 393 | 395 | 392 | 388 | 391 | 392 |
| 20     | 394         | 394 | 392 | 388 | 380 | 378 | 377 | 377 | 379 | 378 | 379 | 392 | 391 | 388 | 387 |
| 21     | 394         | 392 | 395 | 394 | 392 | 389 | 385 | 386 | 386 | 389 | 397 | 400 | 396 | 388 | 386 |
| 22††   | 395         | 393 | 394 | 394 | 386 | 382 | 379 | 378 | 379 | 381 | 378 | 382 | 387 | 388 | 391 |
| 23††   | 394         | 394 | 392 | 389 | 387 | 381 | 376 | 377 | 378 | 373 | 369 | 371 | 377 | 381 | 386 |
| 24     | 397         | 395 | 392 | 394 | 391 | 387 | 385 | 386 | 386 | 392 | 397 | 396 | 392 | 391 | 385 |
| 25     | 395         | 394 | 391 | 397 | 391 | 394 | 392 | 388 | 387 | 386 | 387 | 382 | 379 | 386 | 385 |
| 26     | 387         | 386 | 388 | 387 | 391 | 391 | 384 | 385 | 387 | 392 | 389 | 391 | 391 | 391 | 391 |
| 27†    | *           | *   | *   | 387 | 381 | 373 | 372 | 374 | 378 | 382 | 385 | 386 | 388 | 388 | 388 |
| 28††   | 389         | 399 | 392 | 380 | 372 | 376 | 374 | 373 | 380 | 373 | 379 | 386 | 385 | 385 | 389 |
| Mean   | 393         | 393 | 391 | 387 | 381 | 377 | 376 | 379 | 383 | 388 | 390 | 390 | 388 | 389 | 390 |
| Mean†  | 391*        | 392 | 390 | 385 | 374 | 366 | 364 | 371 | 376 | 391 | 393 | 392 | 388 | 390 | 392 |
| Mean†† | 392         | 394 | 391 | 387 | 383 | 381 | 381 | 384 | 386 | 385 | 381 | 380 | 382 | 386 | 390 |

† Five International quiet days

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record; (day omitted for means),

TABLE 14

## Hourly Values of Vertical Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

February

2,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| 15  | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  | Mean | Maximum |       | Minimum |       | Range | Date |        |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|---------|-------|---------|-------|-------|------|--------|
|     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |      | Time    | Mag.  | Time    | Mag.  |       |      |        |
| 392 | 392 | 391 | 391 | 391 | 391 | 391 | 391 | 389 | 388  | 386     | 20 33 | 402     | 05 18 | 364   | 38   | 1†     |
| 389 | 388 | 389 | 393 | 395 | 394 | 394 | 392 | 393 | 387  | 388     | 20 20 | 407     | 06 23 | 303   | 44   | 2†     |
| 388 | 388 | 392 | 394 | 396 | 395 | 396 | 397 | 392 | 390  | 390     | 22 12 | 407     | 06 47 | 384   | 23   | 3      |
| 394 | 393 | 389 | 396 | 393 | 397 | 394 | 391 | 389 | 390  | 390     | 09 48 | 411     | 01 05 | 373   | 38   | 4††    |
| 388 | 389 | 392 | 395 | 397 | 388 | 391 | 393 | 389 | 390  | 390     | 19 35 | 409     | 11 52 | 379   | 30   | 5††    |
| 386 | 382 | 392 | 393 | 393 | 391 | 391 | 392 | 386 | 391  | 388     | 05 57 | 412     | 14 32 | 382   | 30   | 6      |
| 392 | 391 | 392 | 392 | 395 | 395 | 392 | 392 | 391 | 388  | 388     | 19 48 | 402     | 04 00 | 371   | 31   | 7      |
| 389 | 395 | 392 | 387 | 388 | 394 | 399 | 399 | 399 | 388  | 388     | 11 05 | 407     | 06 47 | 369   | 38   | 8      |
| 391 | 394 | 392 | 389 | 389 | 389 | 394 | 395 | 392 | 388  | 388     | 09 08 | 401     | 05 20 | 363   | 38   | 9      |
| 395 | 395 | 396 | 396 | 397 | 400 | 397 | 397 | 397 | 385  | 385     | 19 53 | 407     | 06 09 | 349   | 58   | 10†    |
| 387 | 386 | 394 | 386 | 382 | 391 | 391 | 388 | 395 | 387  | 387     | 16 50 | 407     | 05 55 | 362   | 45   | 11     |
| 395 | 396 | 395 | 393 | 400 | 397 | 403 | 402 | 401 | 390  | 390     | 20 52 | 406     | 05 42 | 371   | 35   | 12     |
| 392 | 391 | 387 | 389 | 389 | 392 | 394 | 395 | 395 | 390  | 390     | 20 18 | 401     | 06 25 | 371   | 30   | 13     |
| 394 | 394 | 394 | 399 | 397 | 394 | 393 | 392 | 388 | 387  | 387     | 17 33 | 403     | 05 35 | 361   | 42   | 14     |
| 399 | 395 | 396 | 797 | 397 | 397 | 397 | 396 | 395 | 394  | 394     | 10 35 | 408     | 04 37 | 372   | 36   | 15     |
| 387 | 391 | 394 | 392 | 399 | 395 | *   | *   | *   | *    | *       | *     | *       | *     | *     | *    | 16     |
| 395 | 394 | 394 | 393 | 394 | 393 | 392 | 392 | 391 | *    | *       | *     | *       | *     | *     | *    | 17     |
| 399 | 400 | 400 | 397 | 394 | 398 | 387 | 388 | 388 | 389  | 389     | 10 34 | 401     | 07 38 | 362   | 39   | 18     |
| 394 | 395 | 394 | 394 | 394 | 395 | 394 | 395 | 394 | 390  | 390     | 19 55 | 399     | 05 58 | 372   | 27   | 19†    |
| 386 | 387 | 391 | 396 | 395 | 400 | 401 | 397 | 394 | 388  | 388     | 19 17 | 407     | 08 10 | 373   | 34   | 20     |
| 389 | 394 | 395 | 395 | 395 | 395 | 395 | 397 | 396 | 393  | 393     | 09 07 | 411     | 05 47 | 382   | 29   | 21     |
| 397 | 396 | 397 | 395 | 396 | 401 | 396 | 396 | 396 | 390  | 390     | 20 15 | 402     | 09 45 | 378   | 24   | 22††   |
| 386 | 389 | 387 | 392 | 395 | 394 | 394 | 395 | 395 | 385  | 385     | 19 08 | 406     | 10 28 | 369   | 37   | 23††   |
| 388 | 389 | 392 | 397 | 401 | 404 | 401 | 396 | 394 | 393  | 393     | 20 00 | 412     | 13 30 | 382   | 30   | 24     |
| 385 | 389 | 388 | 387 | 389 | 392 | 388 | 391 | 388 | 389  | 389     | 05 20 | 402     | 11 40 | 379   | 23   | 25     |
| 392 | 392 | 393 | 394 | 394 | *   | *   | *   | *   | *    | *       | *     | *       | *     | *     | *    | 26     |
| 387 | 387 | 388 | 388 | 388 | 388 | 388 | 391 | 391 | *    | *       | *     | *       | *     | *     | *    | 27†    |
| 389 | 393 | 395 | 395 | 395 | 395 | 396 | 394 | 394 | 386  | 386     | 22 55 | 399     | 04 32 | 369   | 30   | 28††   |
| 391 | 392 | 393 | 393 | 394 | 395 | 394 | 394 | 389 | 389  | 389     |       |         |       |       | 35   | Mean   |
| 393 | 393 | 393 | 394 | 394 | 395 | 394 | 393 | 393 | 393  | 393     |       |         |       |       |      | Mean†  |
| 391 | 392 | 392 | 395 | 395 | 395 | 394 | 394 | 393 | 393  | 393     |       |         |       |       |      | Mean†† |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days

\* Loss of record, (day omitted for means).

TABLE 15

## Hourly Values of Vertical Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

March

2,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| Date   | Hours G M T |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|--------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|        | 0           | 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  |
| 1†     | 396         | 395 | 394 | 391 | 387 | 373 | 368 | 372 | 375 | 379 | 382 | 388 | 386 | 384 | 388 |
| 2†     | 388         | 390 | 387 | 387 | 384 | 374 | 368 | 370 | 375 | 379 | 381 | 381 | 383 | 384 | 386 |
| 3†     | 391         | 394 | 394 | 390 | 378 | 368 | 370 | 371 | 379 | 380 | 387 | 382 | 384 | 388 | 388 |
| 4†     | 391         | 390 | 390 | 389 | 388 | 383 | 381 | 381 | 382 | 387 | 391 | 396 | 391 | 390 | 393 |
| 5      | 388         | 384 | 382 | 383 | 388 | 386 | 380 | 380 | 382 | 383 | 386 | 389 | 394 | 390 | 389 |
| 6      | 390         | 390 | 388 | 385 | 368 | 359 | 357 | 365 | 372 | 381 | 382 | 390 | 391 | 391 | 389 |
| 7††    | 394         | 396 | 401 | 396 | 387 | 379 | 373 | 378 | 382 | 384 | 393 | 393 | 393 | 394 | 394 |
| 8      | 394         | 396 | 398 | 395 | 375 | 365 | 357 | 364 | 374 | 386 | 388 | 387 | 387 | 387 | 387 |
| 9††    | 393         | 393 | 394 | 394 | 384 | 376 | 370 | 372 | 374 | 386 | 384 | 386 | 384 | 384 | 384 |
| 10     | 390         | 389 | 382 | 380 | 388 | 387 | 382 | 375 | 380 | 384 | 391 | 385 | 382 | 388 | 391 |
| 11     | 384         | 387 | 387 | 389 | 388 | 388 | 381 | 380 | 376 | 391 | 395 | 394 | 380 | 388 | 390 |
| 12     | 390         | 389 | 384 | 380 | 376 | 371 | 367 | 357 | 358 | 374 | 378 | 380 | 381 | 384 | 387 |
| 13     | 394         | 393 | 390 | 390 | 387 | 382 | 382 | 384 | 383 | 394 | 399 | 398 | 394 | 390 | 389 |
| 14     | 389         | 390 | 389 | 386 | 383 | 382 | 384 | 388 | 396 | 396 | 390 | 387 | 387 | 390 | 390 |
| 15     | 386         | 388 | 387 | 382 | 381 | 376 | 378 | 373 | 368 | 370 | 374 | 384 | 389 | 390 | 391 |
| 16     | 386         | 383 | 382 | 381 | 380 | 382 | 382 | 383 | 384 | 379 | 380 | 380 | 382 | 384 | 386 |
| 17     | 381         | 380 | 383 | 389 | 394 | 395 | 386 | 376 | 378 | 388 | 380 | 379 | 380 | 384 | 387 |
| 18     | 391         | 390 | 395 | 397 | 398 | 396 | 388 | 375 | 373 | 378 | 382 | 383 | 383 | 380 | 383 |
| 19     | 391         | 391 | 390 | 388 | 382 | 379 | 373 | 368 | 368 | 371 | 374 | 376 | 379 | 382 | 384 |
| 20     | 389         | 389 | 386 | 382 | 375 | 371 | 368 | 358 | 354 | 355 | 368 | 374 | 381 | 386 | 387 |
| 21     | 393         | 384 | 384 | 384 | 388 | 384 | 375 | 365 | 364 | 371 | 380 | 383 | 388 | 384 | 388 |
| 22††   | 391         | 390 | 390 | 388 | 378 | 374 | 373 | 366 | 363 | 370 | 373 | 371 | 356 | 350 | 363 |
| 23     | 396         | 394 | 393 | 390 | 390 | 390 | 390 | 378 | 380 | 384 | 384 | 388 | 394 | 397 | 394 |
| 24     | 385         | 386 | 380 | 379 | 374 | 366 | 363 | 359 | 357 | 365 | 373 | 379 | 384 | 389 | 391 |
| 25     | 394         | 393 | 391 | 384 | 384 | 378 | 371 | 368 | 372 | 373 | 375 | 380 | 386 | 390 | 390 |
| 26     | 393         | 394 | 393 | 393 | 388 | 382 | 371 | 357 | 359 | 371 | 384 | 387 | 390 | 381 | 384 |
| 27     | 386         | 388 | 390 | 388 | 388 | 386 | 382 | 378 | 372 | 376 | 381 | 380 | 387 | 389 | 389 |
| 28     | 390         | 393 | 390 | 390 | 385 | 382 | 379 | 368 | 362 | 371 | 380 | 389 | 390 | 390 | 390 |
| 29†    | 394         | 394 | 396 | 396 | 391 | 386 | 370 | 359 | 356 | 358 | 370 | 376 | 384 | 388 | 387 |
| 30††   | 387         | 389 | 390 | 388 | 397 | 387 | 371 | 360 | 363 | 371 | 379 | 387 | 384 | 386 | 384 |
| 31††   | 388         | 393 | 396 | 394 | 382 | 371 | 366 | 350 | 348 | 372 | 390 | 394 | 395 | 393 | 391 |
| Mean   | 390         | 390 | 390 | 388 | 384 | 379 | 374 | 370 | 372 | 378 | 382 | 385 | 385 | 386 | 388 |
| Mean†  | 392         | 393 | 392 | 391 | 386 | 377 | 371 | 371 | 373 | 377 | 382 | 385 | 386 | 387 | 388 |
| Mean†† | 391         | 392 | 394 | 392 | 386 | 377 | 371 | 365 | 366 | 377 | 384 | 386 | 383 | 381 | 383 |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days

\* Loss of record, (day omitted for means).

TABLE 15

## Hourly Values of Vertical Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

March

2,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| 15  | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  | Mean | Maximum |     | Minimum |     | Range | Date   |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|---------|-----|---------|-----|-------|--------|
|     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |      | Time    | Mag | Time    | Mag |       |        |
| 389 | 388 | 388 | 389 | 390 | 390 | 388 | 388 | 387 | 386  | 03 40   | 397 | 06 20   | 367 | 30    | 1†     |
| 387 | 386 | 387 | 388 | 390 | 390 | 389 | 387 | 388 | 384  | 03 20   | 398 | 06 18   | 368 | 30    | 2†     |
| 389 | 388 | 390 | 390 | 391 | 391 | 390 | 393 | 391 | 386  | 20 55   | 395 | 06 22   | 366 | 29    | 3†     |
| 393 | 394 | 395 | 395 | 393 | 388 | 387 | 384 | 386 | 389  | 10 50   | 405 | 06 38   | 380 | 25    | 4†     |
| 383 | 389 | 391 | 393 | 391 | 391 | 394 | 396 | 393 | 388  | 17 20   | 404 | 06 23   | 376 | 28    | 5      |
| 386 | 390 | 393 | 394 | 394 | 393 | 393 | 394 | 394 | 385  | 20 34   | 399 | 05 37   | 356 | 43    | 6      |
| 395 | 394 | 388 | 399 | 391 | 397 | 405 | 394 | 393 | 391  | 20 32   | 419 | 06 00   | 373 | 46    | 7††    |
| 388 | 390 | 391 | 399 | 394 | 388 | 389 | 390 | 391 | 386  | 17 52   | 402 | 05 53   | 357 | 45    | 8      |
| 388 | 394 | 391 | 401 | 393 | 379 | 384 | 390 | 390 | 386  | 18 05   | 419 | 06 33   | 365 | 54    | 9††    |
| 387 | 387 | 389 | 385 | 387 | 388 | 386 | 385 | 388 | 386  | 14 03   | 395 | 07 30   | 375 | 20    | 10     |
| 390 | 391 | 394 | 389 | 388 | 390 | 390 | 391 | 390 | 388  | 16 45   | 403 | 07 36   | 373 | 30    | 11     |
| 388 | 389 | 391 | 390 | 391 | 394 | 396 | 394 | 394 | 383  | 21 48   | 402 | 07 10   | 357 | 45    | 12     |
| 382 | 384 | 386 | 390 | 389 | 391 | 388 | 389 | 389 | 389  | 10 22   | 409 | 05 37   | 374 | 35    | 13     |
| 390 | 391 | 387 | 396 | 388 | 386 | 394 | 389 | 387 | 389  | 18 10   | 409 | 11 21   | 376 | 33    | 14     |
| 394 | 393 | 393 | 391 | 390 | 386 | 383 | 387 | 388 | 384  | 16 28   | 397 | 07 45   | 362 | 35    | 15     |
| 387 | 389 | 391 | 388 | 389 | 387 | 388 | 387 | 383 | 385  | 21 47   | 401 | 09 32   | 376 | 25    | 16     |
| 390 | 394 | 393 | 394 | 396 | 395 | 394 | 389 | 389 | 387  | 04 42   | 398 | 07 20   | 373 | 25    | 17     |
| 386 | 387 | 399 | 383 | 385 | 394 | 397 | 394 | 391 | 388  | 03 33   | 409 | 08 24   | 373 | 36    | 18     |
| 387 | 390 | 390 | 388 | 388 | 388 | 389 | 388 | 388 | 383  | 20 28   | 398 | 07 25   | 365 | 33    | 19     |
| 388 | 390 | 390 | 390 | 391 | 393 | 390 | 390 | 391 | 381  | 20 04   | 396 | 08 16   | 354 | 42    | 20     |
| 390 | 391 | 393 | 394 | 395 | 394 | 395 | 395 | 394 | 385  | 21 08   | 397 | 07 42   | 364 | 33    | 21     |
| 376 | 388 | 393 | 396 | 398 | 399 | 401 | 397 | 381 | 381  | 19 30   | 408 | 12 35   | 348 | 60    | 22††   |
| 388 | 388 | 382 | 381 | 383 | 390 | 403 | 388 | 385 | 380  | 21 05   | 411 | 07 14   | 376 | 35    | 23     |
| 391 | 393 | 395 | 396 | 397 | 398 | 396 | 395 | 393 | 383  | 20 52   | 399 | 07 55   | 356 | 43    | 24     |
| 393 | 391 | 393 | 391 | 391 | 394 | 394 | 391 | 393 | 386  | 20 30   | 401 | 07 04   | 367 | 34    | 25     |
| 393 | 395 | 397 | 394 | 395 | 393 | 391 | 391 | 390 | 386  | 17 15   | 403 | 07 12   | 357 | 46    | 26     |
| 390 | 389 | 391 | 390 | 391 | 391 | 390 | 389 | 389 | 386  | 21 48   | 398 | 08 07   | 371 | 27    | 27     |
| 391 | 394 | 394 | 394 | 395 | 395 | 394 | 394 | 393 | 387  | 19 38   | 398 | 08 18   | 359 | 39    | 28     |
| 388 | 388 | 388 | 390 | 390 | 389 | 386 | 388 | 387 | 383  | 03 40   | 397 | 08 25   | 355 | 42    | 29†    |
| 386 | 388 | 390 | 394 | 396 | 394 | 395 | 399 | 394 | 386  | 18 48   | 404 | 07 20   | 360 | 44    | 30††   |
| 396 | 399 | 395 | 394 | 401 | 397 | 391 | 399 | 393 | 387  | 15 45   | 409 | 07 34   | 348 | 61    | 31††   |
| 389 | 390 | 391 | 392 | 392 | 391 | 392 | 391 | 390 | 386  |         |     |         |     | 37    | Mean   |
| 389 | 389 | 390 | 390 | 391 | 390 | 388 | 388 | 388 |      |         |     |         |     |       | Mean†  |
| 388 | 393 | 391 | 397 | 396 | 393 | 395 | 397 | 393 |      |         |     |         |     |       | Mean†† |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record ; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 16

## Hourly Values of Vertical Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

April

2,000  $\gamma$  plus tabular quantities

| Date   | Hours G. M. T. |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|--------|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|        | 0              | 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  |
| 1      | 396            | 396 | 397 | 396 | 390 | 384 | 384 | 384 | 390 | 396 | 390 | 391 | 399 | 405 | 408 |
| 2      | 394            | 396 | 396 | 398 | 393 | 386 | 381 | 376 | 380 | 388 | 394 | 396 | 393 | 395 | 397 |
| 3      | 393            | 405 | 402 | 402 | 396 | 387 | 382 | 378 | 379 | 379 | 384 | 394 | 396 | 396 | 393 |
| 4      | 402            | 406 | 410 | 404 | 398 | 395 | 391 | 380 | 382 | 388 | 384 | 388 | 393 | 398 | 401 |
| 5††    | 401            | 401 | 397 | 397 | 394 | 390 | 379 | 382 | 378 | 387 | 394 | 395 | 394 | 394 | 390 |
| 6      | 399            | 401 | 393 | 396 | 387 | 387 | 387 | 384 | 382 | 386 | 390 | 388 | 393 | 396 | 397 |
| 7††    | 401            | 399 | 408 | 403 | 402 | 398 | 394 | 387 | 391 | 395 | 390 | 396 | 396 | 396 | 395 |
| 8      | 403            | 404 | 399 | 398 | 397 | 396 | 389 | 389 | 394 | 403 | 408 | 402 | 397 | 399 | 402 |
| 9      | 398            | 408 | 408 | 404 | 402 | 386 | 384 | 390 | 390 | 405 | 406 | 404 | 402 | 402 | 402 |
| 10     | 396            | 399 | 395 | 402 | 396 | 391 | 384 | 378 | 384 | 395 | 394 | 391 | 381 | 384 | 394 |
| 11     | 396            | 398 | 394 | 394 | 390 | 390 | 390 | 396 | 399 | 412 | 410 | 409 | 405 | 401 | 399 |
| 12     | 403            | 409 | 409 | 402 | 393 | 390 | 384 | 388 | 395 | 393 | 390 | 389 | 385 | 396 | 402 |
| 13     | 405            | 406 | 402 | 405 | 396 | 391 | 387 | 385 | 386 | 388 | 395 | 396 | 398 | 396 | 399 |
| 14     | 408            | 399 | 403 | 402 | 399 | 398 | 394 | 390 | 389 | 392 | 401 | 402 | 402 | 402 | 402 |
| 15     | 403            | 408 | 405 | 402 | 396 | 387 | 380 | 373 | 380 | 388 | 396 | 396 | 398 | 398 | 398 |
| 16†    | 402            | 406 | 408 | 402 | 396 | 388 | 379 | 373 | 375 | 386 | 396 | 401 | 401 | 399 | 399 |
| 17†    | 396            | 405 | 396 | 389 | 379 | 373 | 366 | 367 | 375 | 382 | 396 | 402 | 401 | 403 | 402 |
| 18†    | 405            | 408 | 399 | 393 | 390 | 390 | 390 | 383 | 395 | 406 | 409 | 408 | 403 | 396 | 396 |
| 19†    | 406            | 408 | 408 | 401 | 397 | 396 | 395 | 396 | 399 | 404 | 406 | 402 | 398 | 397 | 396 |
| 20     | 405            | 406 | 404 | 398 | 394 | 384 | 371 | 379 | 390 | 401 | 404 | 406 | 399 | 399 | 398 |
| 21     | 408            | 408 | 404 | 397 | 394 | 387 | 378 | 373 | 374 | 380 | 393 | 401 | 402 | 396 | 397 |
| 22     | 406            | 408 | 408 | 408 | 394 | 390 | 390 | 394 | 399 | 413 | 416 | 406 | 408 | 404 | 403 |
| 23†    | 405            | 408 | 408 | 404 | 398 | 383 | 374 | 374 | 380 | 387 | 397 | 404 | 402 | 396 | 397 |
| 24     | 408            | 409 | 411 | 408 | 402 | 395 | 384 | 380 | 380 | 387 | 397 | 410 | 411 | 394 | 390 |
| 25     | 408            | 408 | 408 | 405 | 402 | 396 | 387 | 384 | 386 | 390 | 391 | 396 | 397 | 398 | 402 |
| 26     | 404            | 410 | 409 | 399 | 390 | 380 | 375 | 373 | 373 | 379 | 402 | 408 | 408 | 405 | 402 |
| 27††   | 408            | 404 | 408 | 401 | 389 | 376 | 374 | 370 | 367 | 373 | 387 | 396 | 405 | 401 | 402 |
| 28††   | 404            | 396 | 396 | 393 | 383 | 373 | 372 | 379 | 389 | 396 | 404 | 411 | 414 | 408 | 408 |
| 29††   | 406            | 408 | 404 | 398 | 396 | 390 | 390 | 397 | 402 | 405 | 396 | 401 | 408 | 409 | 406 |
| 30     | 405            | 405 | 402 | 397 | 394 | 394 | 399 | 406 | 409 | 410 | 408 | 406 | 405 | 406 | 406 |
| Mean   | 403            | 404 | 403 | 400 | 394 | 389 | 384 | 383 | 386 | 391 | 397 | 400 | 400 | 399 | 400 |
| Mean†  | 403            | 407 | 404 | 398 | 392 | 386 | 381 | 379 | 385 | 393 | 401 | 403 | 401 | 398 | 398 |
| Mean†† | 404            | 402 | 403 | 398 | 393 | 385 | 382 | 383 | 386 | 389 | 393 | 400 | 402 | 401 | 401 |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record ; (day omitted for means)

TABLE 16

## Hourly Values of Vertical Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

April

2,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| 15  | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  | Mean  | Maximum |       | Minimum |      | Range | Date   |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|---------|-------|---------|------|-------|--------|
|     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       | Time    | Mag.  | Time    | Mag. |       |        |
| γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | H. M. | γ       | H. M. | γ       | γ    |       |        |
| 402 | 401 | 399 | 398 | 404 | 402 | 399 | 406 | 403 | 397   | 21 34   | 409   | 06 10   | 383  | 26    | 1      |
| 396 | 396 | 396 | 401 | 404 | 404 | 403 | 411 | 402 | 395   | 21 42   | 414   | 07 18   | 374  | 40    | 2      |
| 391 | 399 | 402 | 403 | 402 | 404 | 406 | 406 | 404 | 395   | 21 54   | 412   | 07 10   | 373  | 39    | 3      |
| 401 | 402 | 404 | 401 | 408 | 403 | 402 | 402 | 404 | 398   | 19 00   | 412   | 07 26   | 379  | 33    | 4      |
| 391 | 401 | 401 | 405 | 408 | 409 | 396 | 397 | 398 | 394   | 20 30   | 411   | 08 42   | 373  | 38    | 5††    |
| 398 | 402 | 402 | 406 | 408 | 408 | 409 | 405 | 405 | 396   | 21 38   | 411   | 07 50   | 380  | 31    | 6      |
| 398 | 398 | 401 | 404 | 406 | 403 | 399 | 399 | 402 | 398   | 18 50   | 410   | 07 10   | 384  | 26    | 7††    |
| 402 | 402 | 402 | 404 | 408 | 408 | 409 | 408 | 404 | 401   | 21 18   | 411   | 07 22   | 384  | 27    | 8      |
| 402 | 405 | 405 | 404 | 406 | 406 | 402 | 402 | 399 | 401   | 10 30   | 408   | 06 10   | 383  | 25    | 9      |
| 396 | 398 | 401 | 404 | 398 | 399 | 402 | 396 | 396 | 394   | 16 36   | 408   | 07 16   | 375  | 33    | 10     |
| 401 | 402 | 403 | 402 | 403 | 404 | 404 | 403 | 402 | 400   | 09 18   | 413   | 04 16   | 387  | 26    | 11     |
| 402 | 405 | 403 | 405 | 405 | 404 | 405 | 403 | 404 | 399   | 01 12   | 410   | 05 36   | 382  | 28    | 12     |
| 403 | 403 | 403 | 409 | 408 | 408 | 404 | 405 | 404 | 399   | 18 12   | 411   | 06 42   | 379  | 32    | 13     |
| 405 | 406 | 406 | 408 | 408 | 408 | 406 | 405 | 406 | 402   | 19 50   | 409   | 07 50   | 386  | 23    | 14     |
| 399 | 402 | 402 | 406 | 406 | 408 | 408 | 408 | 404 | 397   | 01 12   | 409   | 06 58   | 370  | 39    | 15     |
| 401 | 403 | 406 | 405 | 403 | 402 | 398 | 401 | 399 | 397   | 01 25   | 409   | 07 30   | 368  | 41    | 16†    |
| 402 | 401 | 405 | 405 | 406 | 405 | 404 | 403 | 403 | 394   | 18 50   | 408   | 06 40   | 362  | 46    | 17†    |
| 401 | 408 | 404 | 404 | 405 | 406 | 404 | 404 | 405 | 401   | 09 58   | 410   | 07 00   | 379  | 31    | 18†    |
| 399 | 403 | 405 | 403 | 403 | 405 | 403 | 405 | 405 | 402   | 00 44   | 410   | 06 18   | 391  | 19    | 19†    |
| 398 | 402 | 404 | 404 | 406 | 408 | 408 | 406 | 408 | 400   | 01 50   | 410   | 06 10   | 362  | 48    | 20     |
| 404 | 405 | 405 | 406 | 408 | 408 | 408 | 405 | 404 | 398   | 21 04   | 409   | 06 26   | 367  | 42    | 21     |
| 408 | 408 | 408 | 408 | 409 | 411 | 406 | 408 | 403 | 404   | 10 42   | 417   | 05 34   | 384  | 33    | 22     |
| 398 | 401 | 403 | 404 | 403 | 402 | 403 | 405 | 406 | 398   | 01 30   | 409   | 07 06   | 372  | 37    | 23†    |
| 402 | 403 | 403 | 398 | 393 | 398 | 403 | 405 | 409 | 399   | 11 20   | 414   | 07 05   | 376  | 38    | 24     |
| 398 | 397 | 405 | 410 | 408 | 410 | 405 | 402 | 402 | 400   | 20 58   | 414   | 07 22   | 383  | 31    | 25     |
| 403 | 408 | 408 | 408 | 405 | 408 | 409 | 405 | 404 | 399   | 01 30   | 411   | 06 54   | 371  | 40    | 26     |
| 404 | 403 | 413 | 410 | 399 | 406 | 399 | 394 | 402 | 395   | 01 24   | 419   | 07 50   | 364  | 55    | 27††   |
| 408 | 408 | 406 | 406 | 408 | 410 | 408 | 413 | 408 | 400   | 22 10   | 414   | 06 14   | 366  | 48    | 28††   |
| 410 | 408 | 406 | 414 | 411 | 408 | 414 | 413 | 416 | 404   | 22 06   | 419   | 04 38   | 386  | 33    | 29††   |
| 408 | 409 | 408 | 409 | 410 | 412 | 409 | 406 | 406 | 406   | 19 18   | 414   | 05 08   | 388  | 26    | 30     |
| 401 | 403 | 404 | 405 | 405 | 406 | 405 | 405 | 404 | 399   |         |       |         |      | 34    | Mean   |
| 400 | 403 | 405 | 404 | 404 | 404 | 403 | 404 | 404 |       |         |       |         |      |       | Mean†  |
| 402 | 405 | 405 | 408 | 406 | 407 | 403 | 403 | 405 |       |         |       |         |      |       | Mean†† |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 17

## Hourly Values of Vertical Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

May

2,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| Date   | Hours G M. T |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|--------|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|        | 0            | 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  |
| 1      | γ            | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   |
| 2      | 405          | 409 | 411 | 403 | 394 | 385 | 385 | 393 | 397 | 397 | 400 | 401 | 401 | 397 | 397 |
| 3      | 403          | 403 | 403 | 403 | 400 | 391 | 385 | 390 | 397 | 397 | 396 | 397 | 397 | 394 | 398 |
| 4      | 403          | 403 | 400 | 397 | 393 | 391 | 389 | 382 | 385 | 385 | 386 | 392 | 398 | 398 | 398 |
| 5      | 403          | 404 | 401 | 391 | 379 | 374 | 382 | 391 | 391 | 390 | 391 | 393 | 398 | 396 | 393 |
| 6††    | 403          | 404 | 403 | 405 | 403 | 384 | 375 | 375 | 382 | 383 | 386 | 382 | 382 | 376 | 385 |
| 7††    | 407          | 404 | 405 | 397 | 384 | 368 | 375 | 386 | 391 | 394 | 409 | 415 | 407 | 399 | 399 |
| 8††    | 405          | 403 | 404 | 397 | 382 | 368 | 359 | 366 | 375 | 384 | 385 | 388 | 392 | 392 | 400 |
| 9      | 397          | 401 | 396 | 393 | 392 | 385 | 383 | 379 | 382 | 389 | 392 | 399 | 403 | 401 | 403 |
| 10     | 404          | 406 | 407 | 403 | 391 | 386 | 375 | 369 | 371 | 381 | 388 | 393 | 400 | 403 | 404 |
| 11     | 404          | 406 | 406 | 405 | 401 | 388 | 378 | 378 | 379 | 389 | 397 | 403 | 405 | 403 | 403 |
| 12     | 404          | 406 | 405 | 407 | 400 | 388 | 379 | 373 | 373 | 378 | 388 | 399 | 403 | 400 | 400 |
| 13     | 406          | 408 | 409 | 400 | 394 | 386 | 377 | 368 | 381 | 382 | 386 | 393 | 400 | 397 | 400 |
| 14     | 405          | 407 | 405 | 403 | 394 | 383 | 385 | 383 | 379 | 388 | 383 | 386 | 399 | 401 | 400 |
| 15     | 404          | 407 | 414 | 408 | 400 | 389 | 379 | 379 | 383 | 389 | 391 | 396 | 400 | 398 | 398 |
| 16     | 405          | 408 | 410 | 399 | 390 | 397 | 397 | 397 | 389 | 393 | 390 | 386 | 389 | 393 | 394 |
| 17†    | 393          | 397 | 391 | 392 | 391 | 381 | 375 | 374 | 382 | 391 | 393 | 397 | 393 | 391 | 391 |
| 18     | 403          | 401 | 401 | 403 | 404 | 406 | 401 | 397 | 398 | 403 | 403 | 400 | 396 | 394 | 397 |
| 19†    | 405          | 404 | 405 | 399 | 389 | 384 | 385 | 391 | 391 | 397 | 400 | 400 | 401 | 399 | 398 |
| 20     | 401          | 400 | 397 | 392 | 386 | 376 | 370 | 369 | 373 | 378 | 377 | 378 | 384 | 391 | 391 |
| 21†    | 397          | 396 | 393 | 393 | 390 | 379 | 379 | 383 | 385 | 385 | 389 | 389 | 391 | 393 | 394 |
| 22     | 399          | 403 | 403 | 396 | 391 | 393 | 393 | 393 | 396 | 400 | 399 | 398 | 403 | 398 | 396 |
| 23†    | 396          | 404 | 403 | 400 | 403 | 397 | 390 | 384 | 382 | 382 | 388 | 391 | 394 | 394 | 397 |
| 24†    | 398          | 404 | 408 | 411 | 399 | 379 | 367 | 362 | 369 | 378 | 385 | 397 | 403 | 399 | 397 |
| 25††   | 403          | 406 | 408 | 408 | 401 | 391 | 390 | 385 | 384 | 391 | 397 | 401 | 403 | 399 | 400 |
| 26††   | 398          | 412 | 413 | 409 | 400 | 388 | 379 | 377 | 377 | 379 | 393 | 403 | 404 | 403 | 401 |
| 27     | 405          | 411 | 416 | 414 | 403 | 397 | 391 | 383 | 382 | 382 | 384 | 391 | 393 | 389 | 393 |
| 28     | 399          | 403 | 399 | 401 | 397 | 388 | 383 | 383 | 390 | 385 | 393 | 401 | 399 | 404 | 404 |
| 29     | 408          | 408 | 413 | 401 | 388 | 374 | 365 | 363 | 370 | 379 | 389 | 390 | 391 | 394 | 393 |
| 30     | 401          | 403 | 401 | 401 | 408 | 403 | 393 | 394 | 396 | 397 | 401 | 406 | 405 | 408 | 408 |
| 31     | 414          | 415 | 412 | 403 | 391 | 382 | 390 | 394 | 417 | 413 | 416 | 415 | 407 | 404 | 403 |
| Mean   | 403          | 405 | 405 | 401 | 394 | 386 | 382 | 381 | 385 | 388 | 393 | 396 | 398 | 397 | 398 |
| Mean†  | 398          | 401 | 400 | 399 | 394 | 384 | 379 | 379 | 382 | 387 | 391 | 395 | 395 | 395 | 395 |
| Mean†† | 403          | 406 | 407 | 403 | 394 | 380 | 376 | 378 | 382 | 386 | 394 | 398 | 398 | 394 | 397 |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record ; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 17

## Hourly Values of Vertical Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

May

2,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| Hours G. M. T. |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       | Mean  | Maximum |       | Minimum |     | Range  | Date |
|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-----|--------|------|
| 15             | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  | Time  |       | Mag.    | Time  | Mag.    |     |        |      |
| γ              | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | H. M. | γ     | H. M.   | γ     | γ       | γ   |        |      |
| 400            | 401 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 401 | 400   | 01 20 | 412     | 05 32 | 382     | 30  | 1      |      |
| 400            | 400 | 401 | 403 | 403 | 400 | 398 | 403 | 398 | 22 56 | 405   | 06 18   | 383   | 22      | 2   |        |      |
| 400            | 398 | 399 | 401 | 404 | 405 | 405 | 404 | 397 | 18 30 | 406   | 07 32   | 381   | 25      | 3   |        |      |
| 394            | 400 | 405 | 403 | 404 | 405 | 403 | 401 | 400 | 396   | 20 10 | 407     | 04 58 | 371     | 36  | 4      |      |
| 398            | 401 | 405 | 407 | 406 | 405 | 408 | 411 | 406 | 22 14 | 414   | 06 30   | 367   | 47      | 5   |        |      |
| 401            | 405 | 411 | 411 | 411 | 405 | 403 | 407 | 406 | 395   | 18 14 | 415     | 07 52 | 370     | 45  | 6††    |      |
| 403            | 403 | 404 | 406 | 407 | 403 | 398 | 401 | 399 | 10 32 | 420   | 05 02   | 367   | 53      | 7†† |        |      |
| 401            | 396 | 400 | 403 | 403 | 401 | 399 | 396 | 392 | 00 01 | 407   | 05 50   | 357   | 50      | 8†† |        |      |
| 403            | 403 | 405 | 403 | 404 | 403 | 403 | 404 | 397 | 18 02 | 408   | 06 58   | 378   | 30      | 9   |        |      |
| 403            | 403 | 403 | 403 | 400 | 400 | 403 | 403 | 396 | 01 30 | 409   | 07 28   | 368   | 41      | 10  |        |      |
| 404            | 404 | 405 | 404 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 399   | 01 50 | 408     | 07 20 | 375     | 33  | 11     |      |
| 401            | 403 | 404 | 404 | 405 | 406 | 405 | 407 | 405 | 398   | 21 50 | 408     | 07 02 | 369     | 39  | 12     |      |
| 400            | 403 | 399 | 400 | 403 | 406 | 404 | 404 | 403 | 396   | 01 50 | 411     | 06 32 | 367     | 44  | 13     |      |
| 399            | 403 | 402 | 403 | 405 | 405 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 397   | 01 06 | 411     | 07 32 | 375     | 36  | 14     |      |
| 398            | 401 | 401 | 401 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 405 | 398   | 01 55 | 416     | 07 02 | 377     | 39  | 15     |      |
| 397            | 399 | 400 | 401 | 400 | 397 | 397 | 397 | 391 | 397   | 01 35 | 413     | 07 44 | 384     | 29  | 16     |      |
| 391            | 397 | 397 | 398 | 397 | 400 | 400 | 403 | 403 | 392   | 23 59 | 404     | 06 10 | 373     | 31  | 17†    |      |
| 399            | 399 | 401 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 404 | 404 | 405 | 401   | 04 50 | 407     | 06 58 | 393     | 14  | 18     |      |
| 398            | 399 | 399 | 400 | 399 | 399 | 397 | 397 | 397 | 397   | 02 10 | 408     | 05 46 | 383     | 25  | 19†    |      |
| 392            | 394 | 401 | 399 | 398 | 397 | 397 | 397 | 399 | 389   | 23 16 | 403     | 06 54 | 368     | 35  | 20     |      |
| 393            | 394 | 394 | 397 | 397 | 397 | 397 | 397 | 397 | 392   | 23 46 | 399     | 06 45 | 375     | 24  | 21†    |      |
| 397            | 398 | 398 | 397 | 397 | 397 | 397 | 396 | 398 | 397   | 01 24 | 405     | 03 50 | 389     | 16  | 22     |      |
| 400            | 403 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 401 | 400 | 399 | 397   | 01 10 | 406     | 08 28 | 380     | 26  | 23*    |      |
| 397            | 400 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 401 | 400 | 401 | 401 | 394   | 03 02 | 412     | 06 40 | 359     | 53  | 24†    |      |
| 413            | 414 | 415 | 416 | 399 | 396 | 394 | 391 | 396 | 400   | 17 22 | 417     | 07 08 | 381     | 36  | 25†    |      |
| 400            | 404 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 406 | 405 | 404 | 404 | 399   | 02 06 | 416     | 06 10 | 370     | 46  | 26††   |      |
| 394            | 397 | 398 | 400 | 400 | 403 | 399 | 397 | 394 | 397   | 02 38 | 417     | 07 02 | 375     | 42  | 27     |      |
| 409            | 406 | 406 | 408 | 406 | 408 | 408 | 408 | 408 | 400   | 14 46 | 410     | 06 14 | 374     | 36  | 28     |      |
| 394            | 396 | 399 | 398 | 398 | 400 | 400 | 401 | 401 | 392   | 01 38 | 414     | 06 28 | 359     | 55  | 29     |      |
| 408            | 411 | 415 | 415 | 414 | 412 | 412 | 412 | 414 | 406   | 16 44 | 416     | 06 00 | 392     | 24  | 30     |      |
| 403            | 403 | 408 | 411 | 408 | 407 | 406 | 405 | 407 | 406   | 10 04 | 421     | 04 51 | 379     | 42  | 31     |      |
| 400            | 401 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 402 | 402 | 402 | 397   |       |         |       |         | 36  | Mean   |      |
| 396            | 398 | 399 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 399 | 400 | 399 |       |       |         |       |         |     | Mean†  |      |
| 404            | 404 | 407 | 408 | 405 | 403 | 401 | 400 | 401 |       |       |         |       |         |     | Mean†† |      |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record ; (day omitted for means).

TABLE 18

## Hourly Values of Vertical Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

June

2,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| Date   | Hours G. M. T. |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|--------|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|        | 0              | 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  |
| 1      | γ              | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   |
| 2      | 405            | 408 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 394 | 386 | 383 | 390 | 396 | 398 | 400 | 397 | 398 | 400 |
| 3      | 403            | 406 | 406 | 406 | 402 | 397 | 394 | 388 | 388 | 396 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 401 |
| 4      | 401            | 406 | 411 | 405 | 396 | 385 | 376 | 378 | 380 | 380 | 386 | 389 | 390 | 388 | 391 |
| 5†     | 399            | 400 | 405 | 405 | 402 | 397 | 391 | 385 | 390 | 394 | 397 | 400 | 401 | 403 | 402 |
| 6      | 403            | 405 | 406 | 403 | 390 | 382 | 374 | 372 | 376 | 382 | 390 | 394 | 400 | 400 | 400 |
| 7      | 404            | 411 | 418 | 418 | 408 | 397 | 382 | 379 | 382 | 393 | 400 | 402 | 400 | 397 | 400 |
| 8††    | 403            | 411 | 412 | 413 | 393 | 372 | 366 | 370 | 374 | 382 | 388 | 394 | 397 | 393 | 394 |
| 9      | 402            | 404 | 409 | 394 | 380 | 371 | 374 | 380 | 388 | 391 | 396 | 395 | 388 | 390 | 386 |
| 10†    | 400            | 405 | 410 | 411 | 400 | 390 | 382 | 386 | 394 | 397 | 400 | 406 | 401 | 401 | 401 |
| 11     | 405            | 412 | 417 | 414 | 402 | 386 | 378 | 370 | 376 | 391 | 397 | 400 | 399 | 398 | 398 |
| 12     | 404            | 405 | 408 | 401 | 396 | 379 | 378 | 374 | 376 | 385 | 394 | 400 | 395 | 395 | 391 |
| 13     | 398            | 401 | 403 | 402 | 401 | 390 | 385 | 388 | 398 | 401 | 400 | 395 | 391 | 389 | 386 |
| 14     | 400            | 402 | 402 | 401 | 393 | 387 | 383 | 385 | 386 | 394 | 400 | 398 | 388 | 394 | 391 |
| 15††   | 401            | 406 | 409 | 404 | 401 | 395 | 386 | 383 | 381 | 389 | 402 | 401 | 400 | 397 | 397 |
| 16††   | 408            | 410 | 406 | 408 | 400 | 390 | 385 | 379 | 376 | 372 | 374 | 385 | 389 | 390 | 389 |
| 17     | 398            | 400 | 402 | 401 | 397 | 391 | 389 | 386 | 382 | 387 | 388 | 385 | 391 | 400 | 400 |
| 18     | 405            | 406 | 406 | 405 | 401 | 405 | 401 | 394 | 391 | 389 | 391 | 402 | 405 | 405 | 403 |
| 19     | 406            | 410 | 410 | 410 | 411 | 396 | 386 | 380 | 386 | 382 | 389 | 390 | 391 | 394 | 394 |
| 20     | 402            | 405 | 404 | 400 | 390 | 383 | 378 | 379 | 389 | 397 | 403 | 410 | 408 | 402 | 400 |
| 21†    | 403            | 402 | 401 | 401 | 405 | 403 | 389 | 376 | 379 | 391 | 394 | 398 | 403 | 400 | 395 |
| 22     | 402            | 405 | 402 | 398 | 396 | 389 | 388 | 382 | 382 | 382 | 386 | 398 | 394 | 389 | 393 |
| 23††   | 403            | 405 | 406 | 409 | 397 | 388 | 379 | 366 | 372 | 367 | 367 | 379 | 389 | 389 | 390 |
| 24††   | 397            | 402 | 406 | 401 | 391 | 385 | 376 | 379 | 371 | 382 | 390 | 396 | 394 | 389 | 389 |
| 25     | 401            | 402 | 404 | 398 | 389 | 381 | 376 | 367 | 368 | 378 | 382 | 395 | 405 | 408 | 401 |
| 26†    | 408            | 411 | 411 | 405 | 400 | 393 | 390 | 390 | 394 | 393 | 394 | 397 | 401 | 401 | 401 |
| 27     | 404            | 408 | 409 | 404 | 408 | 397 | 409 | 398 | 396 | 389 | 394 | 396 | 393 | 397 | 398 |
| 28     | 405            | 405 | 402 | 402 | 406 | 400 | 405 | 414 | 413 | 412 | 405 | 397 | 397 | 396 | 400 |
| 29     | 401            | 402 | 409 | 413 | 408 | 398 | 389 | 389 | 394 | 403 | 406 | 401 | 397 | 391 | 393 |
| 30†    | 400            | 401 | 400 | 397 | 398 | 401 | 397 | 394 | 391 | 389 | 389 | 389 | 390 | 394 | 394 |
| Mean   | 402            | 405 | 407 | 404 | 398 | 390 | 385 | 382 | 384 | 389 | 393 | 396 | 396 | 396 | 395 |
| Mean†  | 404            | 406 | 407 | 404 | 399 | 393 | 386 | 380 | 383 | 389 | 393 | 396 | 399 | 399 | 398 |
| Mean†† | 402            | 405 | 407 | 403 | 394 | 386 | 380 | 377 | 378 | 380 | 386 | 391 | 392 | 391 | 390 |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record; (days omitted for means).

TABLE 18

## Hourly Values of Vertical Force, 1955

[Averages for sixty minutes centred at the full hours of Greenwich Mean Time]

June

2,000 γ plus tabular quantities

| 15  | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  | Mean  | Maximum |       | Minimum |      | Range | Date   |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|---------|-------|---------|------|-------|--------|
|     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       | Time    | Mag.  | Time    | Mag. |       |        |
| γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | γ   | H. M. | γ       | H. M. | γ       |      |       |        |
| 402 | 402 | 409 | 405 | 405 | 406 | 404 | 403 | 402 | 400   | 17 16   | 412   | 06 50   | 381  | 31    | 1      |
| 403 | 405 | 403 | 402 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400   | 02 54   | 409   | 08 00   | 385  | 24    | 2      |
| 394 | 396 | 397 | 397 | 400 | 399 | 397 | 398 | 400 | 393   | 01 36   | 412   | 05 54   | 373  | 39    | 3      |
| 401 | 403 | 404 | 403 | 403 | 404 | 404 | 400 | 400 | 400   | 02 20   | 409   | 07 02   | 381  | 28    | 4      |
| 400 | 400 | 401 | 403 | 403 | 402 | 402 | 401 | 401 | 395   | 01 49   | 410   | 07 22   | 370  | 40    | 5†     |
| 401 | 401 | 402 | 409 | 406 | 404 | 402 | 402 | 405 | 401   | 02 39   | 420   | 07 02   | 376  | 44    | 6      |
| 394 | 398 | 400 | 398 | 398 | 397 | 397 | 395 | 397 | 393   | 07 42   | 418   | 05 13   | 365  | 53    | 7      |
| 383 | 394 | 402 | 400 | 406 | 400 | 400 | 399 | 400 | 393   | 02 02   | 411   | 04 57   | 368  | 43    | 8††    |
| 403 | 404 | 406 | 409 | 406 | 403 | 403 | 405 | 403 | 401   | 03 00   | 413   | 06 33   | 379  | 34    | 9      |
| 400 | 401 | 401 | 401 | 402 | 402 | 402 | 402 | 402 | 398   | 02 40   | 419   | 07 19   | 365  | 54    | 10†    |
| 389 | 395 | 397 | 397 | 397 | 396 | 400 | 402 | 401 | 391   | 01 42   | 408   | 07 58   | 364  | 44    | 11     |
| 394 | 397 | 398 | 396 | 396 | 398 | 397 | 395 | 396 | 394   | 02 02   | 411   | 07 27   | 370  | 41    | 12     |
| 391 | 400 | 397 | 397 | 400 | 398 | 398 | 398 | 401 | 396   | 02 26   | 404   | 05 58   | 382  | 22    | 13     |
| 394 | 396 | 394 | 396 | 397 | 398 | 396 | 397 | 398 | 395   | 01 50   | 404   | 07 39   | 376  | 28    | 14     |
| 400 | 400 | 398 | 398 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 403 | 398   | 02 30   | 411   | 07 28   | 376  | 35    | 15††   |
| 390 | 394 | 394 | 394 | 394 | 395 | 394 | 394 | 395 | 392   | 01 20   | 413   | 09 45   | 367  | 46    | 16††   |
| 398 | 401 | 402 | 403 | 404 | 404 | 404 | 405 | 405 | 397   | 22 44   | 408   | 07 50   | 380  | 28    | 17     |
| 403 | 402 | 403 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 404 | 402   | 12 06   | 408   | 08 24   | 388  | 20    | 18     |
| 396 | 398 | 396 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 401 | 397   | 04 10   | 413   | 07 10   | 375  | 38    | 19     |
| 401 | 401 | 398 | 400 | 401 | 402 | 401 | 401 | 401 | 398   | 11 26   | 412   | 01 02   | 371  | 41    | 20     |
| 400 | 401 | 400 | 401 | 401 | 400 | 400 | 401 | 401 | 398   | 04 18   | 409   | 07 50   | 375  | 34    | 21†    |
| 394 | 396 | 401 | 401 | 401 | 400 | 401 | 402 | 401 | 395   | 10 54   | 409   | 07 38   | 380  | 29    | 22     |
| 397 | 400 | 402 | 402 | 404 | 396 | 401 | 398 | 396 | 393   | 19 16   | 413   | 08 28   | 360  | 53    | 23††   |
| 393 | 395 | 400 | 405 | 405 | 403 | 401 | 400 | 397 | 394   | 02 10   | 411   | 07 57   | 365  | 46    | 24††   |
| 401 | 401 | 403 | 405 | 406 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 395   | 12 10   | 412   | 07 50   | 363  | 49    | 25     |
| 401 | 400 | 401 | 403 | 402 | 404 | 402 | 401 | 403 | 400   | 01 02   | 412   | 06 10   | 388  | 24    | 26†    |
| 400 | 401 | 400 | 402 | 403 | 404 | 403 | 403 | 403 | 401   | 05 28   | 413   | 10 21   | 378  | 35    | 27     |
| 398 | 400 | 400 | 401 | 400 | 400 | 401 | 398 | 398 | 402   | 08 20   | 418   | 12 37   | 392  | 25    | 28     |
| 394 | 398 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400   | 03 20   | 416   | 23 28   | 386  | 30    | 29     |
| 394 | 394 | 395 | 398 | 398 | 395 | 396 | 396 | 396 | 395   | 05 20   | 402   | 08 28   | 387  | 15    | 30†    |
| 397 | 399 | 400 | 401 | 401 | 401 | 400 | 400 | 401 | 397   |         |       |         |      | 36    | Mean   |
| 399 | 399 | 400 | 401 | 401 | 401 | 400 | 400 | 401 |       |         |       |         |      |       | Mean†  |
| 398 | 397 | 399 | 400 | 401 | 399 | 399 | 398 | 398 |       |         |       |         |      |       | Mean†† |

† Five International quiet days.

†† Five International disturbed days.

\* Loss of record; (days omitted or means).

TABLE 19  
PRINCIPAL MAGNETIC STORMS

January—June 1955

| Greenwich date<br>1955 | Storm time            |                        | Sudden commencement |    |         | Degree<br>of<br>activity | Maximum<br>activity<br>Greenwich<br>Day | Ranges   |    |     | Remarks |  |  |
|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|---------------------|----|---------|--------------------------|---|----------|----|-----|---------|--|--|
|                        | G.M.T of<br>beginning | G.M.T of<br>ending (1) | Amplitudes (3)      |    |         |                          |   | Type (2) | D' | H   | Z       |  |  |
|                        |                       |                        | H.                  | M. | D.      |                          |   |          | Y  | Y   | Y       |  |  |
| January 17 . .         | 03 18                 | 20 3                   | .                   | .  | .       | m                        | 17                                      |          | 6  | 193 | 82      |  |  |
| March 22 . .           | 03 24                 | 23 2                   | .                   | .  | ..      | ms                       | 22                                      |          | 7  | 260 | 53      |  |  |
| March 25 . .           | 14 30                 | 26 10                  | S C                 | +1 | +29 +15 | m                        | 25                                      |          | 6  | 191 | 49      |  |  |

The following symbols and conventions have been used according to recognised practice —

(1) Approximate time of ending of storm construed as the time of cessation of reasonably marked disturbance movements in the traces..

(2) S.C.=sudden commencement ; ( )=gradual commencement

(3) Signs of amplitudes of 'D' and 'Z' taken algebraically ; (D—reckoned negative being westerly); (Z—reckoned positive being vertically downwards) ;

(4) Storm described by three degrees of activity : (m)—for moderate (when range is less than 250 γ),

(ms)—for moderately severe (when range is between 251 γ and 400 γ);

(s)—for severe (when range is above 400 γ)