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Weather diary, Felix Dominy, with "With Hammer in Hand", paraphrase of New York Mechanic Society's motto. 1821/1823

Dominy, Felix

[s.l.]: [s.n.], 1821/1823

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1821

Journal

1821-2

Began November 26th
1821

Felix Doming

Key pipes 28 Gals

Day Heat

Day Heat

Journal of Weather & Heat

Wind for D 1821 = 22

Deg^{re} Heat

27	3	NW. Breeze	33
28	4	N air	27
29	5	SE air Snow flight	39
30	6	NE good Breeze - Snow storm	35

Freezing point = 32

Temperate = 55

Summer heat = 76

Blood heat = 98

Fever heat = 112



November 26th 1821

Journal of wind weather & heat

When it's put down out- heat

to ment in the shade out doors

Turn over

Wind & Weather

Decm.		Journal of weather	Bar
		Wind	
1	7	NE good Breeze	32
2	7	NE air	39
3	2	NW Breeze	44
4	3	N air	40
5	4	NW air	42
6	5	NW Brisk	38
7	6	W air	32
8	7	NE air Breeze	37
9	1	SW air	38
10	2	E. Breeze	40
11	3	E Breeze Showers	43
12	4	NW Breeze	33
13	5	NE. Breeze Rain	36
14	6	W good Breeze	32
15	7	SW good Breeze	out 20
16	1	NW air	out 21

Decm ^r		Wind	Deg Heat
17	2	Wair SW	24 ³⁴
18	3	Wair Wair Drisly	35
19	4		30
20	5	Wair S Wair	32
21	6	S breeze Drisly	46
22	7	NE. Breeze rain	42
23	1	NW good Breeze	28
24	2	W Breeze	
25	3	Nair Snow	30
26	4	NW good Breeze	28
27	5	SW Breeze good Breeze	16 out 30
28	6	S W Breeze Smart	27
29	7	NW Smart Breeze	28
30	1	NE air Snow	14 out
31	2	N Breeze Snow 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches	28

January 1822. 1822 Weather Degrees
 Journal January of Year

1	3	N.W. air S.W. light breeze	11 out 34
2	4	S.W. Breeze snow all off	38
3	5	N.W. air	14 out
4	6	N. brisk	20
5	7	N.W. brisk snow in night in house	0 out 11
6	1	S.W. breeze ground covered with snow	18
7	2	Southerly Breeze	
8	3	S.E. good breeze rain	37
9	4	N.W. air	34
10	5	N.W. Breeze	14 ⁺ out
11	6	N.W. air	10 out
12	7	S.W. Smart Breeze	30
13	1	S.W. air snow ground white	33
14	2	N.W. Smart	0 out
15	3	S.W. good Breeze	28

1822	Journal	1822	Degrees of Heat
16	4 N.W. January Breeze		26
17	5 N.E. air		12 out
18	6 S. Breeze		25
19	7 S.W. Breeze rain		42
20	1 N.W. air		34
21	2 S Breeze		36
22	3 S.W. air		38
23	4 N.W. very smart		32
24	5 N.W. very brisk		10
25	6 N.W. Brisk	out - 1 in 6	
26	7 S.W. Breeze		15 15
27	1 S. air Snow ground white		30
28	2 S. air. thaw.		30
29	3 S air foggy		34
30	4 N.E. air hail rain steady all P.M.		35
31	5 Rain N.N.E. Breeze Sleet & small snow		33

1822 Weather Journal for February

Day mo	Week	Wind	Deg of Heat
1	6	N.E. air	32
2	7	N.W. air	24
3	1	S.S.E. Breeze	34
4	2	N.W. air raining turn = = S.W. to snow 3 in deep	34
5	3	N.W. Breeze	25
6	4	S.W. air rain little turn to snow	33
7	5	N.W. good Breeze	22
8	6	N.W. air	18
9	7	N. air	18
10	1	W. Smart Breeze	31
11	2	W. air Smart Breeze eve	20
12	3	S.W. good Breeze snow in eve	30
13	4	N.E. good Breeze snow little N.E. small snow	31 32
14	5	N.E. Breeze N.N.E. snow 2 in	28
15	6	N.E. W. good Breeze	24

Excellent Sleighing
Snow continues

Excellent Sleighing from 4th Febury to - 22nd

Snow still covers the ground			deg. of heat
16	7	S. breeze Rain in night took off most snow	22
17	1	S.W. air	40-50
18	2	N.E. Smart Breeze hail sleet & snow storm & gale eve	34
19	3	N.W. Breeze	31
20	4	N.W. air	30
21	5	S.E. smart breeze rain freshet as high as known in many yrs.	44
22	6	S.W. air foggy	42
23	7	N.W. Breeze	32
24	1	S.S.W. good Breeze hail in night small	34
25	2	N.W. Smart Breeze very smart eve	26
26	3	S.W. Breeze	20.
27	4	S.W. Breeze	35
28	5	S.W. air	37

29 With hammer in hand
 30 All arts do stand

All arts do stand
 With hammer in hand



Weather Journal for Sept 1881

1	8	S.W. Breeze	40
2	7	S.W. good breeze	46
3	8	F S.W. air	48
4	7	2 N.W. good breeze	34
5	2	3 W. air Breeze	32
6	3	4 S.W. air	35
7	4	5 N.E. good breeze	42
8	5	6 N.E. good breeze scattering snow faint breeze	36
9	6	7 N. good breeze	30
10	7	F N. air	34
11	8	2 S.W. Breeze rain in night small	32
12	4	3 S.W. air breeze	42
13	2	4 W. good Breeze	40
14	3	5 N.W. good Breeze	34
15	4	6 N.W. good Breeze	32
16	5	7 S.W. Breeze	36

Time flies.

March 1822

deg
Heat
42

17	6	F N. Breeze	42
18	7	2 N.N.W smart Breeze	50
19	8	3 E. air	40
20	9	4 S.W. Breeze	—
21	10	5 N.E. Breeze	40
22	11	6 E. Breeze E. Rain in night small	—
23	12	7 N.W. air P.M. Smart Breeze	47
24	1	8 F W. Breeze	38
25	2	9 N.E. good Breeze	—
26	3	10 S.W. good Breeze	44
27	4	No - air S.E. Breeze	44
28	5	1 S. good Breeze, Rain Smart rain storm eve	50
29	6	2 W. smart Breeze	41
30	7	3 W.N.W. Smart Breeze	42
31	8	4 F N.W. good Breeze	39

Another month is past & done
They fly like clouds before a summers sun

Day of Month	Day week	Wind & weather Journal	Deg of Heat
1 *	2	S.W. good Breeze	46
2	3	S.E. Breeze	
3	4	S.W. Breeze	43
4	5		
5 calf	6	S.E. air fog ^{night} smart rain & some heavy thunder	46
6	7	N. Good Breeze	40
7 *	F	S.W. smart Breeze rain	46
8	2	S.W. air Breeze	48
9	3	N.E. Breeze Rain P.M. & eve	42
10 H calf	4	E. good Breeze rainy Rainy P.M.	40
11	5	S.W. good Breeze P.M.	54 56
12	6	N.W. smart Breeze	52
13	7	S.E. good Breeze smart rain in night	44
14 *	F	S.E. good Breeze fog & rain rain P.M. = eve lightning	
15	2	N. smart Breeze	46
16	3	S.E. Breeze S.E. rain smart P.M. rain in night	46

Day of Month	Day Week	Wind & weather for April	Day Heat
17	4	S.W. air	52
18	5	E. breeze N.E. smart shower & breeze S.M.	48
19	6	N.E. breeze - Planted peas - rainy in eve	40
20	7	N.E. breeze rainy rainy	40
21	8	N.E. air breeze	44
22	2	N.E. air rainy eve	42
23	3	N.E. breeze rainy	43
24	4	S. breeze cloudy	44
25	5	S.S.W. good breeze	50
26	6	S.W. air N.W. breeze - S.E. - out	56 82 shade
27	7	S. breeze peas up	58
28	F	S. breeze - smart rain	56
29	2	S.W. air W.N.W. smart breeze morning	50 67
30	3	N.W. air	55

Time rules all things
In vain the earth her
treasure hides

Day mo	Day Week	1822 Wind	May Weather	Deg of Heat	Day no
1	4				16
2	5	S. breeze		62	17
3	6	S.W. good breeze		60	18
4	7	S.W. breeze E. breeze		66	19
5	7	N.E. air raining		50	20
6	2	W. smart breeze	Went to Montauk		21
7	3	fishing	W. fishing S. fishing S. fishing		22
8	4				23
9	5				24
10	6				25
11	7	Arrived home	S.E. breeze		26
12	7	S. air		64	27
13	2	S.E. W. breeze		62	28
14	3	S.S.W. air	breeze	63	29
15	4	S. air		70	30
In vain the earth her treasure hides					31

Day Mo.	Day Week	Journal for May	Temp of Heat
16	5	N.W. good breeze	62
17	6	S.E. breeze rainy little	58 ⁵⁸
18	7	S.E. smoky thunder storm - good rain night	58
19	F	N. air	62
20	2	N.E. breeze	64
21	3	S.E. good breeze	64
22	4	S.S.W. breeze night small shower	66
23	5	S.E. W. breeze	64 out 90 shade
24	6	N.W. smart breeze noon	73
25	7	S.E. breeze N frosts in night & ice	62
26	F	S.E. breeze	64
27	2	S.W. breeze PM	72
28	3	S.W. small breeze	66
29	4	S. Air	78
30	5	E. breeze	67
31	6	E. Air	65

		1822		Deg of Heat	Day Month
		June	Wind & weather Journal		
			E. air fog	68	16
1	7		Thunder & good shower		
2	7		S.W. Breeze Showery lightning eve	72	17
3	2		S.W. Breeze drizzling raining	68	18
4	3		S.W. good Breeze	76	19
5	4		N.N.E. Breeze	62	20
6	5		N.E. Breeze	+	21
7	6		S.E. Breeze	+	22
8	7		S.W. good Breeze	78	23
9	7		N.W. Breeze	76	24
10	2		N.W.	70	25
11	3		S.W. good Breeze	76	26
12	4		good thundered shower 5/8 deep night	70	27
13	5		N.W. good Breeze	70	28
14	6		N.E. fine Breeze	65	29
15	7		S.E. good Breeze	62	30
			S.W. air		
			Breeze for rain the clouds here measure midday		

Day of Month	Day Week	June Wind & weather Journal	Day of heat
16	F	S. W. good Breeze	68
17	2	S. good Breeze thunder shower 3/4 deep night	72
18	3	N. E. Air Showing rainy	67.
19	4	N. air	62
20	5	S. E. Breeze M. rainy. thunder shower night	64
21	6	W. Breeze S. W. Breeze	66
22	7	S. W. air	70
23	F	W. Small Breeze	68
24	2	S. good Breeze smart showers P.M.	70
25	3	N. E. good Breeze	
26	4	N. W. rainy good shower in night	68
27	5	N. W. air Currants ripe good breeze	70 76
28	6	W. air Cherries so few S. W. good Breeze M.P. birth day	68
29	7	S. W. air Breeze	70 76
30	F	S. W. Breeze	70
Time rules all things			end of June

Day No.	Week	Wind and Weather Journal for July 1822	Day of heat
1	2	S.W. good breeze Shower P.M.	72
2	3	N. air thick fog N.E. breeze S.E. breeze clear good shower in eve	70 86
3	4	S.S.W. breeze rain	72
4	5	S.W. air clear P.M. out	72 88
5	6	S.W. breeze foggy clear P.M.	80
6	7	S. air fog Small showers eve fog lightning	76
7	8	S.W. air Small shower in night	76 80
8	2	S.W. good breeze	76
9	3	Gone to Gardiners Island Chivving	
10	4	Jonathan Barnes J. Downing	
11	5	S.W. breeze	74 79
12	6	S.W. breeze Smart rain rain in night	76 78
13	7	S.W. air shower Breeze	72 78
14	8	S.W. air rain	74
15	2	S.W. small breeze good Thunder shower P.M. - 4 eve	74
		In vain the earth hee	

July 1822			Day of heat
16	3	N.W. air	70
17	4	N.E. air	75 80
18	5	N.E. air	74 86
19	6	S.W. air	77 84
20	7	S.E. small Breeze	77
21	8	S.E. air S.W. good Breeze	78
22	2	N.W. air	74
23	3	N.W. air	73
24	4	S.E. Breeze Thunder showed $\frac{1}{4}$ inch night	76
25	5	S.W. air some thunder & good show	73 74
26	6	N.W. good Breeze	68
27	7	N. air	60
28	8	S.E. Breeze Rainy good show & etc	71
29	2	N.W. Breeze	73
30	3	N. air E. Breeze caught 26 fish	69 Larvae 3m
31	4	N.E. good Breeze	73

Treasure hides for treasure hides

Day Month	Day Week	Journal for August	Wind & Weather	Heat	
1	5	N.E. small breeze		71	17
2	6	S.E. W. air		69	18
3	7	S. air. rainy		74	19
4	8	S.W. air	hazy Smart shower eve early.	76	20
5	9	W. air	hazy	73	21
6	10	N.E. E. breeze...		73	22
7	11	N.E. good breeze			23
8	12	N. small breeze		60	24
9	13	S. breeze			25
10	14	W. air		65	26
11	15	S.W. breeze		70	27
12	16	S.W. breeze		71	28
13	17	S.W. smart breeze		74	29
14	18	N.E. good breeze		69	30
15	19	S.S.W. good breeze		70	31
		Smart thunder shower 5 o'clock			
16	20	N.W. air		70	
			P.H.	76	

August

Wind & Weather Journal

17	7	S.W. small breeze N.W. small breeze in P.M.	75 86 in
18	8	N.E. good breeze	70
19	2	N.E. air S.W. breeze	70
20	3	S.W. air	76
21	4	S.W. good breeze	
22	5	N.E. air thunder some rain small shower in night	72
23	8	S.E. air	89.69
24	7		
25	8		
26	2	S.E. air	63
27	3	N.E. good breeze	66
28	4	N.E. good breeze rainy N.E.	68
29	5	S.W. breeze N. air P.M.	68 81
30	6	E. good breeze	72
31	7	N.W. E. air	58

Day
no

Day
week

September
Wind & Weather Journal for heat

1	1	S.E. breeze -	
2	2	S.E. breeze	75
3	3	Island voyage	
4	4	Girls & Boys = peaches ripe	
5	5		
6	6	N.E. breeze - - -	68
7	7	S.W. good breeze	76
8	8	S.W. air	78
9	2	S.E. breeze	70
10	3	N.E. small breeze	72 fath
11	4	N.W. air S.W. breeze	74 80
12	5	S. air	80
13	6	N.W. air	74 85 in
14	7	E. breeze & showed thunder	76
15	8	S. breeze	

Time rules all things Time rules all things

Day mo	Day week	September Wind & weather	Day of heat
16	2	N.W.	
17	3	N.W. Breeze	64
18	4	S.E. Breeze	64
19	5	S.E. Breeze	68
20	6	S.E. Breeze rain storm rain	70
21	7	S.W. small Breeze	65
22	8	N.W. Breeze	
23	2	S.E. Breeze frost moon	60
24	3	S.E. air frost	65
25	4	W. air	58
26	5	S. air rainy or drizzling	65
27	6	S.E. air	70
28	7	S. good breeze	71
29	8	S. Breeze & rain storm raining all day	73
30	2	N.W. Breeze	

Good will & peace to all men

Day Month	Day week	October Wind & Weather	Deg of heat
1	3	N.E. breeze	61
2	4	N.E. breeze	58
3	5	N.E. breeze sowed wheat	53
4	6	N.E. air	54
5	7	N.W. air	54 52
6	8	N.W. air	56
7	2	S.E. breeze P.M.	72
8	3	S.E. breeze	68
9	4	S.W. air	67
10	5	S.E. air rain good shower eve	68
11	6	S.W. air smoky	69
12	7	S.W. breeze	68
13	8	S.W. air	58
14	2	N.E. breeze & rain storm P.M. Georg Laguardia	
15	3	N.W. good breeze	55
16	4	S.S.W. good breeze	47

Day of Month	Day week	October	Day of heat
58	17	5 N.W. breeze S.W. breeze	
53	18	6 S.W. air foggy	59
54	19	7 S.W. breeze	74
52	20	8 S.W. smart breeze	69
56	21	2 W. good breeze	74
2	22	3 N.W. good breeze	
18	23	4 N.W. air	45
17	24	5 N.E. air	45
18	25	6 N.E. good breeze	44
19	26	7 N. good breeze	3
18	27	8 S.E. air gale in night rain	47
58	28	2 S.E. gale raining	60
	29	3 S.W. breeze & N	
55	30	4 N.W. breeze	
17	31	5 W. air	44

Why is a nail drove in the ceiling like an old man - Ans Because they are both infirm

11th Month November

Deg^{re}
Heat

1	6	N. W. Breeze	51
2	7	S. W. Breeze	40
3	7	N. W. air	43
4	7	N. good Breeze	39
5	3	N. W. air	32
6	4	N. air	43
7	5	N. air fog smart rain in night	43
8	6	W. air foggy rain in night	59
9	7	N. E. good Breeze	47
10	7	N. E. good Breeze	43
11	2		46

12 3 S. W. Breeze

13 4

14 5

15 6

16 7 Lock came from N. Y.

By 6 - S. Parsons - Stage driver

11th Month November

Day of
Heat

17	3		
18	2	N.E. breeze raining - - thunder shower eve	
19	3	N.W. breeze	5-1
20	4		
21	5		
22	6		
23	7		
24	8		
25	2		
26	3	N.W. breeze rain & snow P.M. Clear Calm	4-4
27	4	N.W. air frost - ice S.W. good breeze	3-4
28	5	N.W. air raining S. breeze P.M. raining - S. breeze	3-7
29	6		
30	7	S. smart breeze P.M. small rain	6-1

~~★~~ The end of the eleventh month November
The transit of *gloria mundi*

Day month	Day week	12 th Month December Wind & weather	Deg of Heat	
1	1 st	S. smart breeze ^{PM} smart rain & some thunder	61	17
2	2	N.W. good breeze — —	40	18
3	3	N.E. smart & snow storm all day fell 8 or 10 inches on level	34	19
4	4	S.W. breeze — —	22	20
5	5	S.W. air Sheep & cattle come off m	24	21
6	6	N.W. breeze	30	22
7	7	N. Small breeze small shower night snow went off	22	23
8	8	N.W. air	38	24
9	2	S.W. breeze	33	25
10	3	S.W. smart breeze	44	26
11	4		44	27
12	5	E. breeze — —	44	28
13	6	E. Breeze	44	29
14	7	E. Breeze rain storm all day P.M. S. Breeze — rainy	54	30
15	8	N. good breeze — —	42	31
16	2	N. Breeze — —	out 16 - 20	

eg of
leaf

December

Wind & weather Journal

Dec
of leaf

1	17	3	S.W. smart breeze rainy morn	38
under	18	4	N. air	30
34-	19	5	S. breeze rainy	48
			S.W. breeze rainy P.M.	
2	20	6	N.W. breeze	45
4	21	7	N.E. breeze snow storm	34
			Rainy eve	
0	22	8	N. breeze snow in night 1 in	36
2	23	2	N breeze snow storm	31
off				
8	24	3	N.W. breeze	14 out 16
3	25	4	N.W. breeze snow storm	25
1	26	5	N.W. air	23
4	27	6	N.W. air	16 out 19
4	28	7	N. breeze snow & rain small	
			Hunting & Bakers court house	
4	29	8	N.W. air	30
4	30	2	N.W. breeze	
1	31	3	N.W. breeze	30 -

Sic transit gloria mundi

Another year it soon may be
Call'd Eighteen hundred twenty three

End of
1822

Day
month

Day
week

January 1823

Wind & Weather Journal

Deg of
Heat

Day
month

1	4	E. good breeze smart snow storm Smart rain in eve	31	16
2	5	S. W. good breeze " " "	40	17
3	6	W. Small Breeze -	34	18
4	7	N. E. good breeze B. snow storm Snow turn to rain eve & night	39	19
5	8	N. air rainy - shift to S. more rainy N. W. smart breeze eve - - -	39	20
6	2	N. W. Breeze	20	21
7	3	N. W. good breeze " " " E. breeze P.M.	19 30	22
8	4	S. W. good breeze Frieplace		23
9	5	N. W. air .. S. E. breeze "		24
10	6	S. W. good breeze " " " " " W. P. M. hail squall	39	25
11	7	N. W. good smart breeze	21	26
12	8	N. W. Small breeze	36	27
13	2	S. W. good breeze out 12 -	20	28
14	3	N. W. good breeze 14 -	20	29
15	4			30
One semi month is gone air air air...				31

Day month	Day week	January 1823 Wind & weather Journal	Degrees of heat
16	5	N.W. Breeze	
17	6	N. air	28
18	7	N.W. air	34
19	8	S.W. Breeze	46
20	2	N.E. good Breeze rain storm all day rain in night	46
21	3	N.W. Breeze Clear	46
22	4	N.W. Breeze	
23	5	N.E. Breeze rainy	38
24	6	N.W. good Breeze	32
25	7	N.E. good Breeze & snow storm P.M.	36
26	8	N.E. good Breeze rainy	38
27	2	N.E. good Breeze	36
28	3	N.W. good Breeze	
29	4	N.W. good Breeze	28
30	5	S.W. Breeze	32
31	6	S.W. good Breeze scattering snow	30

Day
month

Day
week

February 1823. Journal. ^{Leg of} ~~Heat~~

Wind & weather

1	7	N.W. good Breeze	26
2	8	N.W. Breeze	31
3	2	E.S.E. smart Breeze, rainy	38
4	3	N.W. Breeze	34
5	4	N.W. air 11½ out	22
6	5	N.W. good Breeze 9 out	20
7	6	N.W. good Breeze 10 4 out	14
8	7	*	
9	8	N.W.	
10	2	N.E. good Breeze	30
11	3	N.E. smart Breeze smart snow & rain in night	32
12	4	N.E. good Breeze sailing F.D. = 23 years old	
13	5	S.W. air	34
14	6	E good Breeze	36
15	7		

Day month	Day week	Second Month February	Degrees of Heat
16	8	S. W. good Breeze	26
17	2	N. W. good Breeze	20
18	3	N. W. smart Breeze	
19	4	N. W. smart Breeze	22
20	5	S. S. E. rainy	
21	6	N. W. Breeze	
22	7	N. W. air Breeze	38
23	8	N. E. Breeze little more & hail in eve	36
24	2	N. E. smart Breeze & snow storm smart snow all day	31
25	3	N. W. good Breeze clear	28
		P. M.	35
26	4	N. E. & E. rainy	
27	5	N. W. by W. smart Breeze	
28	6	N. W. smart Breeze	26
1	7	N. W. good Breeze	14
2	8	S. E. good Breeze	40
3	2	N. W. good Breeze snow squall	27

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