THE SIGNAL SERVICE DEPARTMENT'S
ENDORSEMENT OF THE
STANDARD THERMOMETERS

Signal Service, War Department,
Washington, D.C., April 10, 1888.

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Gentlemen:— In reply to your note I have the honor to state that I have very carefully compared the Thermometers placed in the Instrument Room of the Signal Office under my charge, with the best standard instruments in the possession of the service, and found discrepancies so extremely small that they are negligible.

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Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

John C. Walsh, Lieutenant Signal Corps.
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