

<i>So as to be held in the hand.</i>	Min:	<i>To actual temperature.</i>	Min,
Soft calcareous stone in 8		In - -	25
Hard stone in - - - 10		In - -	34
Common marble in - 11		In - -	35
White marble in - - 12		In - -	36
Silver in - - - - 13½		In - -	40

The whole of these experiments were made with the utmost care and attention, not only by myself but in the presence of several persons, who also endeavoured to judge of the first degree of temperature by holding the bullets for half a second in their hands, and the relations of which are more exact than those of the actual temperature, because that being variable the result must sometimes vary also.

With a view to avoid that proximity which would necessarily attend the continual repetition in a comparative statement of the refrigeration of these different bodies, we have connected them in a general table, and taking 10,000 for the standard of comparison, their differences may be seen at one view.