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. . . Weather control by artificial means, however, is not regarded as unscientific, and meteorologists are not hopeless of ultimate success in accomplishing it, at least in producing rain. At the time of the Dyrenforth experiments the psychologist, Elmer Gates, was demonstrating in his laboratory at Chevy Chase, Maryland, the production of rain electrically. Electrifying the air at one spot, (like a limited area of the earth's surface), causes expansion by the mutual repulsion of air particles; the air becomes less dense and rises, currents thus set up encounter colder air in the upper regions, and moisture is precipitated.

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