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PROVISIONAL INFORMATION ON SELECTED NOTIFIABLE DISEASES IN THE UNITED STATES AND ON DEATHS IN SELECTED CITIES FOR WEEK ENDED AUGUST 31, 1963

POLIOMYELITIS - A total of 31 cases of poliomyelitis, 26 paralytic, were reported for the week ending August 31, 1963. Twenty-six were reported by Pennsylvania; of these 21 were from Philadelphia and two from adjacent Delaware County. Philadelphia's cases to date represent 18 per cent of the 1963 national total.

Philadelphia

This week's 21 cases doubled Philadelphia's cumulative 1963 total to 42. The 42 Philadelphia cases reported through August, 1963, already exceed the annual totals in that city since the introduction of poliomyelitis vaccine (1955) with the single exception of 1958 when 76 cases were reported for the entire year. The peak inci-

dence of poliomyelitis in Philadelphia does not customarily occur until September. The annual totals for Philadelphia poliomyelitis for the past 10 years are shown below.

POLIOMYELITIS - PHILADELPHIA

By Year

| Year | Total Cases | Year | Total Cases |
|------|-------------|------|-------------|
| 1954 | 228 | 1959 | 21 |
| 1955 | 40 | 1960 | 8 |
| 1956 | 13 | 1961 | 11.27 |
| 1957 | 10 | 1962 | 0 |
| 1958 | 76 | 1963 | 42* |

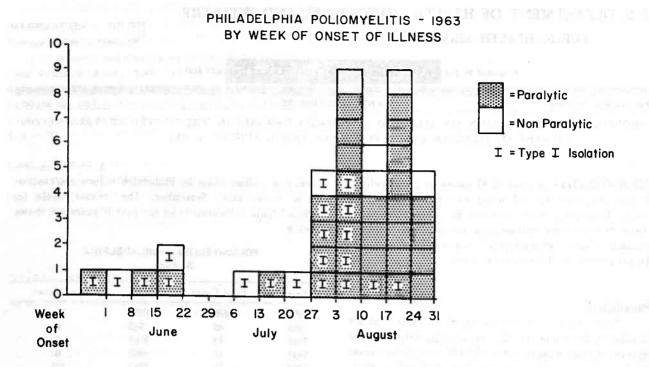
^{*}Through August 31 only.

Table 1. CASES OF SPECIFIED NOTIFIABLE DISEASES: UNITED STATES

| | 35 | th Wee | k | | Cumulative | |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------|---------|------------|-----------------------|
| Disease | Ended | Ended | Median | Fir | st 35 we | eks |
| Disease | August 31, 1963 | September 1, 1962 | 1958 - 1962 | 1963 | 1962 | Median 1958 - 1962 |
| Aseptic meningitis | 52 | 94 | | 1,066 | 1,358 | |
| - uccinosis | 5 | 6 | 8 | 248 | 284 | 512 |
| - pulleria | 2 | 4 | 11 | 159 | 254 | 407 |
| The children intections | 28 | 78 | 70 | 1,050 | 1,190 | 1,190 |
| EDALITIS infectious and serum | 673 | 786 | 698 | 29,709 | 38,456 | 24,951 |
| "CdSIPC | 657 | 781 | 994 | 356,993 | 441,136 | 394,271 |
| intections | 30 | 26 | 26 | 1,715 | 1,498 | 1,592 |
| oliomyelitis, total | 31 | 37 | 215 | 229 | 473 | 1,586 |
| rararytic | 26 | 31 | 123 | 196 | 367 | 1,086 |
| Nonparalytic | 5 | 6 | 51 | 23 | 77 | 350 |
| Unspecified | an water | 010 H0199 | 41 | 10 | 29 | 150 |
| | 2,991 | 3,041 | | 244,787 | 226,377 | |
| | 8 | 6 | | 164 | 175 | |
| Tularemia. | - 8 | 7 | | 194 | 207 | |
| yphus fever, tick-borne | 16 | 17 | 20 | 315 | 395 | 512 |
| (Nocky Mountain spotted) | 9 | 6 | | 141 | 172 | |
| Rabies in Animals | 44 | 37 | 46 | 2,605 | 2,739 | 2,634 |

Table 2. NOTIFIABLE DISEASES OF LOW FREQUENCY

| Anthrax: Botulism: Malaria: Miss 1, Calif 2 Plague: | Cum- Psittacosis: II1, - 1 5 Rabies in Man: 62 Smallpox: Typhus, murine: | Cum. 42 - - 15 |
|---|--|----------------------------|



Shown above is the epidemic curve to date. Following the occurrence of sporadic cases during June and July, an abrupt increase in cases occurred early in August. Twenty Type I isolations have been made.

Although cases are reported from eight of Philadelphia's ten health districts, more than one-half (22) of the cases are concentrated in one health district (see table below).

POLIOMYELITIS _ PHILADELPHIA _ 1963 By Health District

| Health Districts | Population (1960 Census) | Total Cases |
|------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| | 96,545 | 1 |
| 2 | 200,974 | 2 |
| 3 | 203,984 | 2 |
| 4 | 197,224 | 3 |
| 5 | 192,319 | 6 |
| 6 | 154,894 | 24 |
| 7 | 253,655 | 2 |
| 8 | 233,707 | 2 |
| 9 | 265,238 | 0 |
| 10 | 202,241 | 0, |
| | | 42 |

Inadequately vaccinated pre-school age children comprise the majority of poliomyelitis victims in the Philadelphia outbreak, as seen in the following table. (Reported by Dr. Eugene A. Gillis, Commissioner, Philadelphia Department of Public Health and Dr. I. F. Gratch, Pennsylvania State Department of Health).

POLIOMYELITIS - PHILADELPHIA - 1963 By Age and Inactivated Vaccine Status*

| Age | OV | 1-2V | 3V | 4+ V | Total |
|-------------|-----|------|----|-------------|-------|
| Under 1 | 2 | | | _ | 2 |
| 1 | 7 | 3 | 1 | _ | 11 |
| 2 | 3 | 1 | - | | 4 |
| 3 | 5 | 1 | _ | _ | 6 |
| 4 | 100 | 2 | _ | ~ | 2 |
| 5-9 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 11 |
| 10-19 | 2 | - | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| 20 and over | 2 | - | - | - | 2 |
| Total | 24 | 10 | 4 | 4 | 42 |

^{*}None of these children are known to have received oral polio vaccine.

EPIDEMIOLOGICAL REPORTS

Dengue Fever - Puerto Rico

The outbreak of dengue fever in Puerto Rico (See MMWR, Vol. 12, page 278) has been identified by serological study of acute and convalescent sera as due to a Group B arbovirus, presumably of the dengue virus complex. Specific etiologic diagnosis will depend on virus isolation and identification. Through September 4, a total of 3,551 cases have been officially reported from 31 of the 76 municipios of the Commonwealth.

Field studies now indicate that occasional clinically characteristic cases were occurring in late July, although the source and site of the initial introduction have not yet been determined. The presence of dengue, however,

was not recognized until early August when an outbreak of clinically characteristic cases was reported from Manati, a community on the north central coast of the Island. Within the next week, groups of similar cases were recognized in neighboring areas and also in the mountainous community of Juncos in the Eastern part of the island.

Reports continued to be received from new areas until September 4; outbreaks consisting of 25 or more officially reported cases had been recognized in 14 municipios.

AREAS WITH 25 OR MORE CASES

| Municipio | Population* | Reported Cases Throug September 4 | | | | |
|---------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Arecibo | 69,879 | 528 | | | | |
| Barceloneta | 19,334 | 555 | | | | |
| Bayamon | 72,221 | 63 | | | | |
| Guayama | 33,678 | 325 | | | | |
| Hatillo | 20,238 | 62 | | | | |
| Humacao | 33,381 | 40 | | | | |
| Juncos | 21,486 | 213 | | | | |
| Manati | 29,354 | 690 | | | | |
| Morovis | 18,094 | 211 | | | | |
| Rio Piedras | 251,384 | 146 | | | | |
| San Sebastian | 33,451 | 41 | | | | |
| Vega Alta | 17,603 | 58 | | | | |
| Vega Baja | 30,189 | 336 | | | | |
| Villalba | 16,239 | 34 | | | | |
| | | | | | | |

^{* 1960} Census

It is believed that the disease incidence is considerably under reported and may well be present in areas not yet reporting cases.

Limited surveys in neighborhoods in which cases are known to have occurred have revealed the prevalence of an acute febrile disease of varying severity, lasting 5-7 days and characterized by sudden onset, generalized myalgia, retro-orbital pain and often by rash. Crude attack rates from 25 to 40% have been estimated. Both

children and adults have been involved without predilection for particular age groups. Often whole families have been attacked typically, secondary cases following a week or more after the index case.

Entomological surveys have revealed the widespread occurrence of *Aedes aegypti* within and surrounding the dwellings in the epidemic areas. The prevalence of this species has been noted in various places with a frequency considerably higher than has been recorded in past surveys.

An island-wide program of health education has been directed at the individual householders, urging the spraying of their homes and the elimination of both indoor and outdoor breeding sites. The established mosquito control activities of the Department of Health have been strengthened.

(Reported by Victor Gonzalez, M.D., Director, Bureau of Health, Puerto Rico Department of Health, and a team from the Communicable Disease Center.)

Suspect Western Encephalitis

Outbreaks of suspect and confirmed cases of Western Encephalitis have been reported among humans and horses in the High Plains area of Texas and Saskatchewan. Sporadic cases only among horses have been noted in North Dakota and Wyoming.

In Texas, a marked decrease in the incidence of suspected cases of encephalitis has been noted in Hale County during the past week. The 1963 total for this region is now 50 with the reports of four new human suspect cases this past week. No deaths or additional horse cases were reported this week. There is serological evidence that Western Encephalitis is active in this area, but there have been no virus isolations as yet. Further laboratory studies are in progress. (See MMWR, Vol. 12, page 278).

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INFANT DEATHS IN 108 CITIES

The weekly average number of infant deaths in 108 cities for the four-week period ending August 31 was 753 as compared with an expected weekly average of 744.

TOTAL DEATHS UNDER ONE YEARS OF AGE IN 108 CITIES

| | W.L. | WEEK | ENDING | 4 Week | Weekly | |
|----------|------|------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| 1.7 | 8/10 | 8/17 | 8/24 | 8/31 | Total | Average |
| Observed | 702 | 793 | 810 | 707 | 3,012 | 753 |
| Expected | 740 | 743 | 745 | 748 | 2,976 | 744 |
| Excess | - 38 | 50 | 65 | - 41 | 36 | 9 |

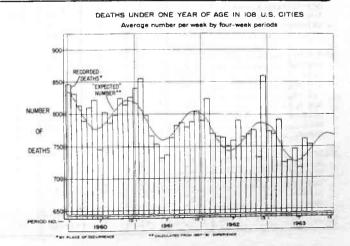


Table 3. CASES OF SPECIFIED NOTIFIABLE DISEASES: UNITED STATES FOR WEEKS ENDED

AUGUST 31, 1963 AND SEPTEMBER 1, 1962

| | Polic | myelitis | total c | ases | Po1 | iomyeliti | s, paraly | tic | nonpara | elitis, alytic | | ptic ngitis |
|---|---------|-----------|----------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|--------------------|---------|-------------------|-----------|----------------|
| Area | 35th | week | 1 | lative 5 weeks | 25.1 | | | lative 35 weeks | 35th | week | 35th | week |
| | 1963 | 1962 | 1963 | 1962 | 35th 1963 | week 1962 | 1963 | 1962 | 1963 | 1962 | 1963 | 1962 |
| Actual State Conduction | 1705 | 1702 | | | | 1 5 | · | 3 11 1 | 12 10 | I the | =4 11 | -1 |
| UNITED STATES | 31 | 37 | 229 | 473 | 26 | 31 | 196 | 367 | 5 | 6 | 52 | 94 |
| NEW ENGLAND | 1 | - | 2 | 5 | 1 | 17-1 | 2 | 5 | | | 7 | dia - |
| Maine New Hampshire | | i ju | 71 | | | | | - | | - | 1 | |
| Vermont | 1 | 20.5 | 1 | - | 1 | - | 1 | _ | - | - | 4 | _ |
| Massachusetts | | - | 1 | 4 | _ | | 1 | 4 | 6 - | H5 = 1.8 | DE 1 | - |
| Rhode Island | AT P | The Marie | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - |
| Connecticut | | 4.07 | 177.3 | 1 | - | 4 | | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| MIDDLE ATLANTIC | 26 | 1 | 81 | 52 | 21 | 1 | 63 | 35 | 5 | Market N | 7 | 6 |
| New York | - | 1 | 7 | 42 | | 1 | 5 | 26 | | - | - 5 | 4 |
| New Jersey Pennsylvania | 26 | M =- | 73 | 5 5 | 21 | 10:4 | 57 | 5 4 | 5 | n - | 2 | 2 |
| CACT NODTH CENTRAL | 1 | 9 | 30 | 45 | 1 | 8 | 22 | 33 | | 1 | 15 | 15 |
| EAST NORTH CENTRAL | | 3 | 8 | 12 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 11 | | L U 2 | - 13 | 5 |
| Indiana. | | _ = | 2 | 5 | | - | 1 | 4 | _ | | 1 | 1 - 1 |
| Illinois | 1 | 5 | 12 | 20 | - 1 | 4 | 11 | 12 | - 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 |
| Michigan | 4 | 1 | 4 | 6 | - | 1 | 4 | 6 | - | - | 10 | 6 |
| Wisconsin | 4.16 | - | 4 | 2 | - | h.C. | 2 | - | | 145 | - | 1 |
| WEST NORTH CENTRAL | | 4 | 5 | 22 | - | 2 | 5 | 12 | - | 2 | 2 | 11 |
| Minnesota | • | 1 | 3 | 6 | - | 1 | 3 | 6 | | - | 2 | 8 |
| Iowa | | 2 | ī | 5 7 | | | 1 | 2 2 | | 2 | 0.041 | 2.54 |
| Missouri | - | | - | 3 | _ | - | FI | í | | - | Ī . | 14.10 |
| South Dakota | _ | - | _ | _ | _ | - | N/A | _ | _ | 1,000 | | 11-1 Pa |
| Nebraska | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | obl-1 | 11.2- | -8774 |
| Kansas | - | 1 1204 | 40.70 | J | - | - | | | - | | - | 3 |
| SOUTH ATLANTIC | 2 | 3 | 28 | 32 | 2 | 3 | 25 | 27 | - | | - 5 | 7 |
| Delaware | | | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | | 1 | |
| Maryland | | - | - | | - | - | - | - | - | | - | 1 |
| District of Columbia Virginia | | 1 | - 2 | 7 | - | 1 | 1 | 7 | | - | - | 2 |
| West Virginia | ti din | 1 | 1 | 4 | | 1 | 1 = | 4 | | | 1 | 1 |
| North Carolina. | JU 5.77 | | 3 | 3 | - | | 3 | 3 | - | | - | 5 |
| South Carolina | - | 1 | 5 | 4 | - | 1 | 4 | 4 | - | | - | 1 |
| GeorgiaFlorida | 2 | Med - | 10 6 | 6 7 | 2 | - : | 9 | 5 4 | - | - | - 4 | 2 |
| Towns of the same | | - | | | | W 194 | | 100 | | | | |
| EAST SOUTH CENTRAL | 1 | 5 | 44 | 37 18 | 1 | 5 | 42 | 29 13 | - | | - | 1 |
| Tennessee | 1 | | 6 | 6 | 1 | 10 PK-21 K | 6 | 3 | 40 TU | 16 | _ | - 1 L |
| Alabama | _ | 4 | 35 | 11 | _ | 4 | 33 | 11 | - | | _ | - |
| Mississippi | | - | 3 | 2 | - | - | 3 | 2 | - | - | - | - |
| WEST SOUTH CENTRAL | lere c | 10 | 22 | 220 | | 7 | 22 | 173 | - | 3 | - | 8 |
| Arkansas | | 1 | 3 | 5 | - | 1 | 3 | 5 | - | - | - | - |
| Louisiana | 777.3 | - | 14 | 11 | - | - | 14 | 9 | - | - | The State | - |
| Oklahoma Texas | | 1 8 | 5 | 7 197 | - | 5 | 5 | 5 154 | - | 3 | 1114-50 | 8 |
| MOUNTAIN | 190 | 1 | | 11 | _ | | _ | | 2011 | 1917 | _ | |
| Montana. | | | - | 3 | | | _ | 8 2 | 17 | THE ST | 2 | |
| Idaho | 1.1 | 7 . | | 2 | _ | 7 (0) | 15-1 | 1 | | 1 121 | 17 | 1500 |
| Wyoming. | 13- | 1 75 | 4000 | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | | - | | - |
| Colorado | - | | - | 1 | - | | - | - | - | - | 2 | - |
| New Mexico | | - | Marin. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Arizona Utah | 100 | 1 50 | | 3 | _ [| | m. La St | 3 | | 1 10 41 20 | 100 | |
| Nevada | 103 | | | - | | | - | - | | 1 1 1 1 1 | 40. | |
| PACIFIC | 6 THE | 5 | 17 | 49 | | 5 | 15 | 45 | - 250 | er - 1-15 | 14 | 46 |
| Washington | 343-71 | 1 2 2 | - | 1 | _ | 14 12 11 | 13 | 1 | | 1 1 1 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Oregon | 111 | | 2 | 5 | - | 59 | 1 | 5 | 41.4 | LXC | OL I | ī |
| California | | 5 | 15 | 43 | - | 5 | 14 | 39 | - 100 | 15-05 | 13 | 43 |
| Alaska | | 11 to - | 10 | | - | - 10 | 639 | -6 | (- Bai | rt ele | - | Treits. |
| Hawaii | 1000 | | <u> </u> | - | 1 - 2 | | - | - | - | - | - | |
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Table 3. | CASES OF SPECIFIED NOTIFIABLE DISEASES: UNITED STATES FOR WEEKS ENDED

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| | Brucel | losis | Diphth | eria | Encepha infect | | infe | Hepati ctious a | | n | Mea | sles |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|-----------------|-------------------|------|-----------------|--------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|
| Area | | Cumu- lative | | Cumu- lative | | | | | week | | | |
| *** | 35th week | 35 weeks | 35th week | | 35th | week | Under 20 yr. | 20 & over | Tot | tal | 35th | week |
| | 1963 | 1963 | 1963 | 1963 | 1963 | 1962 | 1963 | 1963 | 1963 | 1962 | 1963 | 1962 |
| UNITED STATES | 5 | 248 | 2 | 159 | 28 | 78 | 289 | 314 | 673 | 786 | 657 | 781 |
| NEW ENGLAND | _ | 1 | _ | 8 | _ | 1 | 22 | 31 | 56 | 72 | 7.1 | 27 |
| NEW ENGLAND | _ | | _ | _ | | | 13 | 7 | 20 | 9 | 11 | 37 |
| New Hampshire | - | - | - | _ | - | - | 5 | 6 | 11 | 1 | - | 3 |
| Vermont | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | 7 | | - | - | - | - |
| Massachusetts Rhode Island | | | _ | 6 2 | 1 | _ | 4 | 13 | 18 | 43 | 5 | 18 |
| Connecticut | - | - | =- | - | - | 1 | - | 5 | 5 | 19 | 6 | 7 |
| MIDDLE ATLANTIC | - | 5 | _ | 21 | 8 | 8 | 68 | 79 | 147 | 144 | 123 | 91 |
| New York | ~ | 3 | - | 13 | 4 | 4 | 39 | 53 | 92 | 77 | 80 | 7: |
| New Jersey | - | - | = - | 3 | | - | 7 | 4 | 11 | 18 | 20 | - |
| Pennsylvania | - | 2 | - | 5 | 4 | 4 | 22 | 22 | 44 | 49 | 23 | 19 |
| EAST NORTH CENTRAL | 2 | 24 | - | 23 1 | 4 2 | 9 | 56 15 | 52 15 | 110 31 | 130 48 | 192 29 | 245 |
| Indiana | | 4 | | 5 | - | - | 3 | 2 | 5 | 48 | 29 | 28 |
| Illinois | - | 14 | - | 12 | 2 | - | 12 | 19 | 32 | 24 | 34 | 2: |
| Michigan | 2 | 5 | - | 3 | 200 10 | - | 21 | 16 | 37 | 39 | 59 | 109 |
| Wisconsin | - | 1 | _ | 2 | _ | - | 5 | - | 5 | 11 | 70 | 8 |
| WEST NORTH CENTRAL | 1 | 144 | _ | 37 | 7 | - | 10 | 9 | 26 | 28 | 5 | 18 |
| Minnesota | | 8 105 | - | 15 | 1 | - | 1 | - | 3 | 11 | 1 | 1 3 |
| Iowa | 1 | 11 | _ | 1 1 | | | 3 | - 5 | 8 | 7 | 1 2 | 10 |
| North Dakota | | - | _ | 1 | 4 | _ | 1 | _ | 1 | 3 | 1 | GROFT |
| South Dakota | - | 8 | - | 11 | 2 | - | 3 | 4 | 7 | -10 | | 11.5 |
| Nebraska | = - | 6 | | 8 - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | .,, |
| Kansas | - | | | | | - | 1 | | 4 | 4 | NN | N. |
| SOUTH ATLANTIC | | 13 | 1 | 33 | 6 | 56 | 33 | 35 | 71 | 107 | 62 | 6 |
| Delaware. Maryland | _ | | - 13 | | 1 | | 3 8 | 6 | 14 | 1 19 | 11 | 1 |
| District of Columbia. | | - | - | 1 | 1 | | _ | _ | - | 3 | 0.004 | 1 |
| Virginia | | 5 | - | l - I | 2 | 3 | 2 | 7 | 9 | 15 | 4 | 1 |
| West Virginia | - | | 17 | 1 2 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 12 | 8 | 33 | 1 |
| North Carolina South Carolina | = - | 4 | | 9 | - | | 9 | 9 | 18 | 24 | 4 | |
| Georgia | - | 3 | 1 | 11 | - 1 | - | - | _ | 2 | 6 | 51420 | |
| Florida | 7 | 1 | | 9 | 2 | 53 | 2 | 11 | 13 | 29 | 6 | 2 |
| EAST SOUTH CENTRAL | - 1 | 13 | - | 10 | 1 | - | 28 | 21 | 49 | 43 | 19 | 2 |
| Kentucky Tennessee | - | 6 | - | 2 | 1 | - | 3 18 | 4 9 | 27 | 23 | 15 | 1 |
| Alabama | _ | 4 | - | 8 | | - | 4 | 4 | 8 | 6 | 1 | |
| Mississippi | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | 3 | 4 | 7 | 5 | 1 | |
| WEST SOUTH CENTRAL | 1 | 29 | _ U - | 20 | - | | 23 | 22 | 47 | 73 | 53 | 8 |
| Arkansas | 1 | 5 | - | 1 5 | - 1 | | 6 3 | 6 | 12 | 4 5 | 2 | |
| Louisiana. | | 7 5 | _ | 6 | | | 3 | - | 4 | 1 | Cale | a the |
| Oklahoma Texas | - | 12 | - | 8 | - | , in | 14 | 15 | 31 | 63 | 51 | 8 |
| MOUNTAIN | _ | 9 | - | 4 | | 1 | 4 | 6 | 61 | 42 | 64 | 6 |
| Montana. | - | - | - | 1- | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | 3 | 16 | |
| Idaho | - | ī | - | | | - | - | _ | 25 | 13 | 20 | 1 |
| Wyoming. Colorado. | | - | | 3 | | | i | 1 | 18 | 6 | 2 | 1 |
| New Mexico. | - | - | | 1 | _ | - | i | 3 | 7 | 8 | NN | N |
| - Arizona | - | 3 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 7 | 5 | 17 | 1 |
| Utah Nevada | - | 5 | - | * = - | - | 1 | 1 - | 2 - | 3 - | 5 | 9 | li li li |
| | 1 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 45 | 59 | 106 | 147 | 128 | 14 |
| PACIFICWashington | 1 | - | - | - | - | 3 | 13 | 9 | 23 | 34 | 128 | 14 |
| Oregon | | 2 | _ | - | - 1 | - | 4 | 4 | 9 | 12 | 21 | 4 |
| California | 1 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 25 | 45 | 70 | 90 | 92 | 6 |
| Hausti | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | 3 | 1 | 3 1 | 8 | 11 2 | 1 2 |
| Hawaii | | 1 | | - | / = T-1 | 144 | the sales | 1 | 1 | | | - |
| Puerto Rico | _ | - | 1 | 12 | - | - | 25 | 5 | 30 | 23 | 12 | 1 |

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| | Meninge Infect: | ococcal ions | Strepto Sore Th Scarlet | roat & | Tetanus | Tickborne Typhus (Rcky Mt. | Tularemia | Typhoi | l Fe v er | Rabie | s in Anir | ma ls |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|------------|----------|----------------------------------|-----------|----------|-----------------------------|--------|-----------|----------------------------|
| Area | 35th wk. | Cumu- lative 35 weeks | 35th | week | 35th wk. | Spotted) | 35th wk. | 35th wk. | Cumu- lative 35 weeks | 35th | week | Cumu- lative 35 week |
| | 1963 | 1963 | 1963 | 1962 | 1963 | 1963 | 1963 | 1963 | 1963 | 1963 | 1962 | 1963 |
| UNITED STATES | 30 | 1,715 | 2,991 | 3,041 | 8 | 9 | 8 | 16 | 315 | 44 | 37 | 2,605 |
| MELL ENGLAND | 3 | 109 | 144 | 116 | _ | | | | 10 | | | 26 |
| NEW ENGLAND | | 17 | 6 | 1 | _ | _ | - | - | 2 | | | 1 |
| New Hampshire | - | 4 | - | 5 | - | _ | - | - | - [| _ | _ | 12 |
| Vermont | | 4 | 1 1 | _ | - | - | | - | 1 | - | - | 12 |
| Massachusetts Rhode Island | | 51 10 | 7 6 | 17 1 | _ | - | | - | 5 | | | 1 |
| Connecticut | | 23 | 125 | 92 | - | - | - | - | 2 | - | - | _ |
| IDDLE ATLANTIC | 6 | 240 | 89 | 96 | | _ | _ | 5 | 64 | - 4 | 4 | 82 |
| New York | | 112 | 64 | 86 | | - | _ | 5 | 26 | 4 | 3 | 62 |
| New Jersey | 1 | 33 | 10 | 2 | - | - | - | - | 3 | - | - | - |
| Pennsylvania | 2 | 95 | 15 | 8 | - | - | - | 12.00 | 35 | - | 1 | 20 |
| EAST NORTH CENTRAL | 2 | 263 | 175 | 184 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 25 | 1 | 6 | 422 |
| Ohio | | 75 | 17 | 9 | 1 | 1 | - | 2 | 12 | - | 1 | 246 |
| Indiana | | 31 49 | 43 39 | 40 40 | | | 1 | | 7 | 7 | 3 | 40 |
| Illinois | | 81 | 41 | 55 | 1 | | - | - | 2 | - | 2 | 62 40 |
| Wisconsin | - | 27 | 35 | 40 | - | - | 1 | - | 2 | 1 | | 34 |
| EST NORTH CENTRAL | 3 | 109 | 106 | 65 | 1 | _ | 1 | | 18 | 10 | 11 | 658 |
| Minnesota | | 22 | 4 | 2 | - | - | | - | 3 | 2 | 3 | 158 |
| Iowa | - | 6 | 16 | 12 | - | - | - | - | 2 | 3 | 1 | 251 |
| Missouri North Dakota | 2 | 33 | 20 | 4 46 | 1 | _ | 1 | | 11 | 1 | 3 | 113 27 |
| South Dakota | - | 5 | 1 | 1 | _ | _ | _ | _ | 1 | 2 | 1 | 75 |
| Nebraska | - | 22 | | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | 21 |
| Kansas | _ | 11 | 61 | - | - | - | - | - | - 1 | 1 | 2 | 13 |
| SOUTH ATLANTIC | 2 | 316 | 258 | 261 | - | 5 | 1 | - | 45 | 5 | 4 | 364 |
| Delaware | | 2 49 | 7 5 | 2 | _ | _ | - | - | 1 | - | - | 1 |
| Maryland | _ | 6 | 2 | 3 - | _ |] [| _ | _ | 8 | - | 1 | - |
| Virginia. | - | 72 | 47 | 39 | - | 1 | - | - | 7 | 1 | _ | 130 |
| West Virginia | | 16 | 78 | 69 | - | - | 1 | - | 6 | - | 2 | 102 |
| North Carolina South Carolina | | 55 15 | 4 13 | 10 |] [| 2 | _ | | 6 2 | 1 | | 7 |
| Georgia | | 24 | 1 | 1 | - | 2 | _ | | 2 | _ | - | 49 |
| Florida | - | 77 | 101 | 137 | - | - | 1 | - | 13 | 2 | 1 | 66 |
| AST SOUTH CENTRAL | 2 | 125 | 757 | 741 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 37 | 4 | 3 | 211 |
| Kentucky | | 26 | 1 | 17 | - | 1 | - | 4 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 99 |
| TennesseeAlabama. | 2 | 56 21 | 719 | 674 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 19 8 | 2 | 1 | 95 |
| Mississippi. | 1 - | 22 | 37 | 48 | 1 4 |] - | | | 3 | | i i | 17 |
| EST SOUTH CENTRAL | 2 | 163 | 436 | 465 | 1 | _ | 2 | 3 | 58 | 12 | 7 | 500 |
| Arkansas | - | 11 | 1 | 1 | - | | 2 | - | 22 | 3 | | 49 |
| Louisiana | - | 66 | 2 | - | 1 | - | - | 2 | 15 | 1 | - | 40 |
| Oklahoma Texas | 2 | 29 57 | 433 | 464 | | | - | - 1 | 17 | 1 7 | 7 | 40 371 |
| | | 3, | 733 | 404 | | | | - | 1, | , | , | 3/1 |
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| Wyoming | - | 4 | 8 | 5 | _ | - | 1 | _ | 1 | _ | _ | |
| Colorado | - | 16 | 233 | 290 | - | - | - | - | 6 | 1 | - | 15 |
| New Mexico | .11 | 4 9 | 268 51 | 174 118 | 1 | _ | _ | 1 | 2 6 | - | - | 26 41 |
| Utah | - | 14 | 90 | 52 | | - | | - | - | _ | _ | 41 |
| Nevada | - | 3 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 4 |
| ACIFIC | 9 | 331 | 306 | 382 | 3 | - | - | 1 -1 | 43 | 7 | 2 | 256 |
| Washington | 1 | 26 | - | 30 | 1.1 | - | - | | 1 | - | - | - |
| Oregon | 1 7 | 25 260 | 5 278 | 7 306 | 3 | | | | 37 | 2 | 2 | 3/4 |
| Alaska | | 12 | - 1 | 26 | | - | - | | 1 | | | 244 |
| Hawaii | - | 8 | 23 | 13 | - | - | - | - | 2 | | - | |
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Table 4 (C). TOTAL DEATHS UNDER 1 YEAR OF AGE IN REPORTING CITIES

(Tables 4(A), 4(B), 4(C), and 4(D) will be published in sequence covering a four-week period.) $^{\circ}$

| Area | | For week | s ending | | | | For week | s ending | |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| Area | 8/10 | 8/17 | 8/24 | 8/31 | Area | 8/10 | 8/17 | 8/24 | 8/31 |
| WEW ENGLAND: | | | | | SOUTH ATLANTIC: | | 11.57 | | 23 791 |
| Boston, Mass | 14 | 12 | 17 | 12* | Atlanta, Ga | 7 | 9 | 15 | 8 |
| Bridgeport, Conn | 0 | 2 | 2 | 3 | Baltimore, Md | 7 | 18 | 19 | 13 |
| Cambridge, Mass | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | Charlotte, N.C | 4 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Fall River, Mass | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Jacksonville, Fla | 7 | 8 | 7 | 7 |
| Hartford, Conn | 8 | 4 | 4 | 0 1 | Miami, Fla | 4 | 2 | 8 | 2 |
| Lowell, Mass | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | Norfolk, Va | 8 | 10 | 4 | 0 |
| Lynn, Mass | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | Richmond, Va. | 5 | 13 | 6 | 7 |
| New Bedford, Mass | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Savannah, Ga | 3 | 0 | 3 | 5 |
| New Haven, Conn | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | St. Petersburg, Fla | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Providence, R.I | 1 | 6 | 6 | 4 | Tampa, Fla | 4 | 9 | 3 | 3 |
| Somerville, Mass | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0* | Washington, D.C. | 31 | 13 | 22 | 23 |
| Springfield, Mass | 0 | 2 | 1 | 4 | Wilmington, Del. | 4 | 1 | 5 | 2 |
| Waterbury, Conn | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 555. 57 | | | | |
| Worcester, Mass | 4 | 4 | 6 | 3 | EAST SOUTH CENTRAL: | | | - | - |
| | | | | 1 | Birmingham, Ala | 5 | 9 | 8 | 10 |
| IDDLE ATLANTIC: | | 1 _ | | _ | Chattanooga, Tenn | 2 | 9 | 1 | 4 |
| Albany, N.Y | 1 | 7 | 4 | 2 | Knoxville, Tenn | 2 | 2 | 5 | 2 |
| Allentown, Pa | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | Louisville, Ky | 16 | 7 | 10 | 9 |
| Buffalo, N.Y | 7 | 11 | 8 | 3 | Memphis, Tenn | 21 | 6 | 15 | 7 |
| Camden, N.J | 2 | 4 | 9 | 2 | Mobile, Ala | 2 | 5 | 3 | 5 |
| Elizabeth, N.J | 2 | 4 | 0 | 3 | Montgomery, Ala | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Erie, Pa | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | Nashville, Tenn | 6 | 9 | 8 | 7 |
| Jersey City, N.J | 2 | 3 | 3 | 2 | | | | | |
| Newark, N.J | 4 | 29 | 8 | 3 | WEST SOUTH CENTRAL: | | Y Set 3. | Jeef 7 J | 1000 |
| New York City, N.Y | 90 | 75 | 94 | 69 | Austin, Tex | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 |
| Paterson, N.J | 2 | 4 | 7 | 4 | Baton Rouge, La | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 |
| Philadelphia, Pa | 32 | 42 | 23 | 18 | Corpus Christi, Tex | 6 | 3 | 6 | 2 |
| Pittsburgh, Pa | 8 | 12 | 9 | 10 | Dallas, Tex | 18 | 16 | 12 | 23 |
| Reading, Pa | 2 | <u>Q</u> | 5 | 2 | El Paso, Tex | 7 | 9 | 15 | 1 |
| Rochester, N.Y | 1 | 5 | 4 | 6 | Fort Worth, Tex | 4 | 5 | 8 | 5 |
| Schenectady, N.Y | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Houston, Tex | 20 | 12 | 17 | 24 |
| Scranton, Pa | 2 | 0 | 3 | 2 | Little Rock, Ark | 5 | 3 | 6 | 4 |
| Syracuse, N.Y | 0 | 5 | 4 | 8 | New Orleans, La | 21 | 31 | 16 | 26 |
| Trenton, N.J | 2 | 8 | 1 | 6 | Oklahoma City, Okla | 8 | 3 | 6 | 12 |
| Utica, N.Y | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1* | San Antonio, Tex | 11 | 11 | 7 | 14 |
| Yonkers, N.Y | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | Shreveport, La | 3 | 9 | 8 | 3 |
| CT NORTH CENTRAL. | | | | | Tulsa, Okla | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| AST NORTH CENTRAL: | , | ١, | , | , | | | | | |
| Akron, Ohio | 6 | 1 1 | 3 | 2 | MOUNTAIN: | | | INTE - | ani ba |
| Canton, Ohio | 3 | 4 | 3 | 1 | Albuquerque, N. Mex | 5 | 6 | 3 | 6 |
| Chicago, Ill | 38 | 48 | 35 | 37 | Colorado Springs, Colo | 1 | 0 | 3 | 5 |
| Cincinnati, Ohio | 13 | 7 | . 8 | 9 | Denver, Colo | 8 | 11 | 8 | 9 |
| Cleveland, Ohio | 7 | 9 | 23 | 18 | Ogden, Utah | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 |
| Columbus, Ohio | 9 | 6 | 8 | 12 | Phoenix, Ariz | 3 | 4 | 6 | 7 |
| Dayton, Ohio | 2 | 3 | 6 | 22 | Pueblo, Colo | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Detroit, Mich | 17 | 13 | 20 2 | | Salt Lake City, Utah | 1 | 1 | 6 | 2 |
| Evansville, Ind | 2 | 5 | | 2 | Tucson, Ariz | 0 | 5 | 2 | 2 |
| Flint, Mich | 1 | 5 | 8 | 4 1 | | | | | |
| Fort Wayne, Ind | 0 | 2 | 2 | 3* | PACIFIC: | | _ | | |
| Gary, Ind | | 2 | 5 | | Berkeley, Calif | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Grand Rapids, Mich | 11 | 21 | 1 | 4 | Fresno, Calif | 5 | 5 | 6 | 8 |
| Indianapolis, Ind | 13 2 | 2 2 | 11 | 7 5 | Glendale, Calif | 2 | 5 | 1 | 2 |
| Madison, Wis | | l | | 1 - 1 | Honolulu, Hawsii | 4 | 6 | 10 | 4 |
| Milwaukee, Wis | 2 | 10 | 15 | 6 | Long Beach, Calif | 5 | 6 | 5 | 6 |
| Peoria, Ill | 2 3 | 1 2 | 1 | 2 2* | Los Angeles, Calif | 30 | 37 | 44 | 33 |
| Rockford, III | | | 4 | | Oakland, Calif | 7 | 6 | 8 | 6 |
| South Bend, Ind | 0 9 | 2 2 | 1 | 2 | Pasadena, Calif | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Toledo, Ohio | 3 | 3 | 4 0 | 3 6 | Portland, Oreg. | 4 | 7 | 8 | 2 |
| V | 3 | 3 | U | 6 | Sacramento, Calif | 4 | 4 | 3 | 4 |
| Youngstown, Ohio | | 1 | | | San Diego, Calif | 6 | 3 | 14 | 10 |
| Youngstown, Ohio | | | | 6 | San Francisco, Calif | 11 | 19 | 14 | 6 |
| Youngstown, OhioST NORTH CENTRAL: | ٠, | 2 | | | San Jose, Calif. | 3 | 7 | 2 | 2 |
| Youngstown, OhioST NORTH CENTRAL: Des Moines, Iowa | 1 | 2 | 2 | | | | | | |
| Youngstown, Ohio | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | Seattle, Wash | 8 | 3 | 11 | 12 |
| Youngstown, Ohio | 1 4 | 0 | 0 4 | 3 5 | | 8 | 3 | | |
| Youngstown, Ohio | 1 4 8 | 0 3 3 | 0 4 6 | 3 5 6 | Seattle, Wash | 8 | 3 | 11 | 12 1 2 |
| Youngstown, Ohio EST NORTH CENTRAL: Des Moines, Iowa Duluth, Minn Kansas City, Kans Kansas City, Mo Lincoln, Nebr | 1 4 8 1 | 0 3 3 3 | 0 4 6 1 | 3 5 6 2 | Seattle, Wash Spokane, Wash Tacoma, Wash | 8 0 3 | 3 | 11 | 1 |
| Youngstown, Ohio EST NORTH CENTRAL: Des Moines, Iowa Duluth, Minn Kansas City, Kans Kansas City, Mo Lincoln, Nebr Minneapolis, Minn | 1 4 8 1 5 | 0 3 3 3 11 | 0 4 6 1 9 | 3 5 6 2 5 | Spokane, Wash | 8 | 3 | 11 | 1 |
| Youngstown, Ohio ST NORTH CENTRAL: Des Moines, Iowa Duluth, Minn Kansas City, Kans Kansas City, Mo Lincoln, Nebr Minneapolis, Minn Omaha, Nebr | 1 4 8 1 5 | 0 3 3 3 11 4 | 0 4 6 1 9 | 3 5 6 2 5 | Seattle, Wash Spokane, Wash Tacoma, Wash | 8 0 3 | 3 3 1 | 11 3 0 | 1 2 |
| Youngstown, Ohio | 1 4 8 1 5 | 0 3 3 3 11 | 0 4 6 1 9 | 3 5 6 2 5 | Seattle, Wash Spokane, Wash Tacoma, Wash | 8 0 3 | 3 3 1 | 11 3 0 | 1 2 |

^{*}Estimate - based on average percent of divisional total. Totals for previous weeks include reported corrections.

| 4(A) | Total | Mortality, | all ages | 10,378 |
|---------|-------|------------|----------|--------|
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NOTE: All deaths by place of occurrence.

⁴⁽B) Pneumonia-Influenza Deaths, all ages....... 346
4(C) Total Deaths under 1 Year of Age....... 707
4(D) Total Deaths, Persons 65 years and over.... 5,643

In Saskatchewan, an endemic area for Western Encephalitis, over 220 confirmed cases of Western Encephalitis in horses have been reported during the past two weeks. The outbreak is the largest in recent years. More than 50 cases of an encephalitic illness in humans have been reported during this same period. The illness is characterized by respiratory symptoms and lymphadenopathy for 7-10 days, followed by abrupt onset of high fever and clinical encephalitis. All age groups have been affected; however, the illness has been most severe in elderly persons and pre-school age children. Laboratory studies are in progress.

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INTERNATIONAL NOTES

Smallpox - Hungary

One case of smallpox has occurred in Budapest, which has been declared infected with smallpox as of August 31.

All travellers to Budapest are advised to have had a successful vaccination within the past six months; travellers otherwise, may be subject to detention.

Smallpox — Switzerland

One laboratory-confirmed case of smallpox has been reported from Zurich in a patient who arrived in Switzerland from a foreign area. Zurich has been declared a non-infected local area.

Smallpox - Poland

No further cases of smallpox have been reported from Poland as of August 29, according to the World Health Organization. A total of 110 cases, including 7 deaths, has been reported to date. The last recognized cases were hospitalized August 11.

More than six and one-half million vaccinations were given during the epidemic.

Poland has declared Opole free of smallpox as of August 30.

Dengue Fever - Jamaica

Only two cases of dengue fever were reported for the week ending August 17, 1963, bringing the cumulative total for 1963 to 111 cases. (See also Dengue Fever, Puerto Rico.)

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