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UNITED STATES.

[Reports to the Supervising Surgeon-General United States Marine-Hospital Service.]

Yellow fever on the steamship City of Para.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., *June 17, 1897.*

SIR: I have the honor to report that the steamer *City of Para* was placed in quarantine on account of yellow fever. The captain of the vessel died of that disease after leaving Panama, and one of the sailors was sick with fever and vomiting on arrival here.

The passengers and crew were transferred to the island, with all their baggage and bedding, which was disinfected. The vessel was given a disinfection throughout. The company then placed a new crew on her and she was taken to the dock. The passengers and crew will be held the usual five days.

Very respectfully,

M. J. ROSENAU,
Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

Smallpox reported in the City of Mexico.

EL PASO, TEX., *June 19, 1897.*

SIR: I have the honor to inform you that it has been reported during the past two weeks that smallpox is prevalent in the City of Mexico to some extent, and I am now reliably informed that such is the fact.

I have the honor to be, respectfully, yours,

E. ALEXANDER,
Sanitary Inspector, U. S. M. H. S.

*Smallpox in the United States as reported to the Supervising Surgeon-General United States Marine-Hospital Service, December 29, 1896, to June 25, 1897.**

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Alabama:				
Birmingham.....	May 8.....	1		
Mobile.....	Dec. 28-Jan. 26....	2		
	Mar. 28.....	1		
	Apr. 17.....	1		
	May 21.....	1		
	May 31.....	1		
Union Springs.....	Mar. 21.....		1	
Connecticut:				
New Haven.....	Feb. 17.....	1		
Florida:				
Pensacola.....	Jan. 19-Feb. 20....	13		
	Feb. 28-Mar. 10....	14		12 varioloid.
	Mar. 27-Apr. 3....	3		Varioloid.
	Apr. 10-May 1.....	10		Do.
	May 2-May 22.....	7		Do.
	May 29-June 5....	2		Do.
Escambia County (not including Pensacola).....	Dec. 2-Jan. 19....	18		
Illinois:				
Chicago.....	Mar. 25.....			Smallpox reported; brought from Mexico.
	Mar. 27-Apr. 3....		1	
	Apr. 10-Apr. 17....	2		
	May 8-May 15....		1	
Indiana:				
Greenwood.....	Feb. 12.....	1		
Massachusetts:				
Boston.....	May 1-May 8....	4		
	May 22-May 29....	1		
Cambridge.....	June 6-June 19....	2		Varioloid. 1 smallpox.
Gloucester.....	June 19.....	2		
New Bedford.....	Apr. 10-Apr. 17....	1		
Michigan:				
Blissfield Township.....	Mar. 27-Apr. 10....			Smallpox reported.
	Apr. 17-May 1....			Do.
Missouri:				
St. Louis.....	April 29.....	2		
	May 1-May 22....	2	3	
New York:				
Brooklyn.....	Apr. 24-June 19...	4	1	
New York.....	Mar. 1-Mar. 31....		2	Do.
	Apr. 17-May 15....		10	
	June 13-June 19...		3	
Ohio:				
Toledo.....	Apr. 1-May 31....	14	2	
Pennsylvania:				
Drifton.....	Apr. 6.....	1		
Tennessee:				
Memphis.....	Apr. 1-June 19....	18		
Washington:				
Tacoma.....	Feb. 6.....	1		
Olympia.....	Mar. 1.....	1		

*For table of smallpox in the United States, etc., May 9, 1896, to December 29, 1896, see PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS, Vol. XII, No. 1.

*Report of immigration at Boston for the week ended June 19, 1897.*OFFICE OF U. S. COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION,
*Port of Boston, June 19, 1897.**Number of alien immigrants who arrived at this port during the week ended June 19, 1897;
also names of vessels and ports from which they arrived.*

Date.	Vessel.	Where from.	No. of immigrants.
June 13	Schooner Chas. L. Mitchell.....	Paramaribo, Dutch Guiana	4
Do....	Steamship Yarmouth.....	Yarmouth, Nova Scotia	121
June 14	Steamship Halifax	Halifax, Nova Scotia.....	55
Do....	Steamship Scythia.....	Liverpool, England, and Queens- town, Ireland.....	229
June 15	Steamship Beverly.....	Port Antonio, Jamaica.....	9
June 16	Schooner Scandinavian.....	Glasgow, Scotland, Londonderry, and Galway, Ireland.....	251
June 17	Steamship Olivette.....	Halifax, Nova Scotia.....	54
Do....	Steamship Yarmouth.....	Yarmouth, Nova Scotia	79
Do....	Schooner Roseneath	North East Harbor, Nova Scotia.....	2
Total.....			804

THOMAS F. DELHANTY,
*U. S. Commissioner of Immigration.**Report of immigration at New York for the week ended June 19, 1897.*OFFICE OF U. S. COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION,
*Port of New York, June 23, 1897.**Number of alien immigrants who arrived at this port during the week ended June 19, 1897;
also names of vessels and ports from which they arrived.*

Date.	Vessel.	Where from.	No. of immigrants.
June 13	Steamship La Champagne.....	Havre.....	176
Do....	Steamship Galileo	Rio de Janeiro.....	15
June 14	Steamship Alsatia	Naples.....	178
Do....	Steamship Spaarndam.....	Rotterdam.....	194
Do....	Steamship Furnessia.....	Glasgow.....	106
June 16	Steamship Friesland.....	Antwerp.....	223
Do....	Steamship Ems.....	Genoa, etc.....	431
June 17	Steamship Trave.....	Bremen.....	78
Do....	Steamship Bremen	do.....	205
Do....	Steamship Aurania	Liverpool and Queenstown	163
June 18	Steamship Fuerst Bismark.....	Hamburg.....	134
Do....	Steamship Britannic.....	Liverpool and Queenstown.....	216
Do....	Steamship Marsalla.....	Hamburg.....	99
Do....	Steamship Edam	Amsterdam.....	65
June 19	Steamship St. Louis.....	Southampton	174
Do....	Steamship Umbria.....	Liverpool and Queenstown	135
Total.....			2,592

Dr. J. H. SENNER,
U. S. Commissioner of Immigration.

*Report of immigration at Philadelphia for the week ended June 19, 1897.***OFFICE OF U. S. COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION,
Port of Philadelphia, June 19, 1897.***Number of alien immigrants who arrived at this port during the week ended June 19, 1897;
also names of vessels and ports from which they arrived.*

Date.	Vessel.	Where from.	No. of immigrants.
June 14	Steamship Rhynland.....	Liverpool and Queenstown.....	186
June 15	Steamship Illinois.....	Antwerp	91
June 18	Steamship Corean.....	Liverpool and Halifax	7
	Total.....	.....	284

JNO. J. S. RODGERS,
Commissioner.

QUARANTINE REPORTS.

National quarantine and inspection stations.

[Vessels named only when detained or given treatment at quarantine.]

Name of station.	Week ended.	Name of vessel.	Date of arrival.	Port of departure.	Destination.	Treatment of vessel, passengers, and cargo.	Date of departure.	Remarks.	Vessels inspected and passed.
Alexandria, Va.	June 19	Sp. bk. Antonio Jéne *	June 7	Habana	Brunswick	Disinfected and held	June 19		1
Brunswick, Ga.	June 19	Dan. bk. Esmeralda *	June 10	Guadaloupe	do	Held for disinfection			4
		Am. sc. Warwick	June 15	Martinique	do	Disinfected and held			
		Am. bkn. Daisy Reed	June 17	Santos	do	do			
		Dutch bk. Cornelia	June 19	Rosario via Santos	do	Held for disinfection			
Cape Charles, Va.	June 12	Br. bk. N. B. Morris *	May 24	Habana	Newport News	Disinfected and held	June 18		5
	June 19	do	do	do	do	do			3
	do	Br. ship Canada	June 17	Rio	Norfolk	Held for disinfection			2
	do								8
Cape Fear, N. C.	June 9							No transactions.	1
Delaware Breakwater Quarantine, Del.	June 16	Am. sc. Hildegard *	June 2	Habana	Pascagoula	Disinfected and held	June 8		1
Eureka, Cal.	June 12	Br. sc. Walter Sumner *	June 4	Coatzacoalcos, Mex.	Mobile	do	June 9		
Grays Harbor, Wash.		Am. sc. Gertrude A. Bartlett *	May 29	Progreso, Mex.	Ship Island	Held for instructions	June 7		
Gulf Quarantine, Ship Island, Miss.		Am. sc. Oscar G.	June 11	Habana	Pascagoula	Disinfected and held			
		Br. brig. Estella	June 12	do	Ship Island	do			
	do	Jap. ss. Yamaguchi Maru	June 2	Kobe	Seattle	Disinfected	June 2	No transactions.	5
Newbern, N. C.	June 5	Chil. bk. Sulitelma	June 3	Puna, Ecuador	Townsend	Held for disinfection		7 deaths in Ecuador—yellow fever (?)	9
Port Townsend Quarantine, Wash.		Chil. bk. Sulitelma *	do	do	do	do		do	26
	June 12	Ger. s. Ebenezzer *	May 23	Santos	Philadelphia	Disinfected	June 7	1 spoken and passed	
Reedy Island Quarantine, Del.	do	Am. bk. Wandering Jew *	May 25	Habana	do	Held for disinfection			21
	June 19	Am. bk. Wandering Jew *	do	do	do	do			5
San Diego, Cal.	June 12								24
San Francisco Quarantine, Cal.	do								

* Previously reported.

QUARANTINE REPORTS—Continued.

National quarantine and inspection stations—Continued.

Name of station.	Week ended.	Name of vessel.	Date of arrival.	Port of departure.	Destination.	Treatment of vessel, passengers, and cargo.	Date of departure.	Remarks.	Vessels inspected and passed.
South Atlantic Quarantine, Blackbeard Island, Ga.	June 12	Rus. bk. Australia*...	May 23	Rio.....	Sapelo.....	Disinfected and held.....	June 8	.....	8
		Br. bk. Innerwick*...	May 24	do.....	do.....	do.....	.....	.....	.....
		Br. s. Parthenope*...	May 27	do.....	Savannah.....	Held for disinfection.....	.....	.....	.....
		Br. s. Warrior.....	June 8	Montevideo.....	Sapelo.....	Held for instructions.....	.....	.....	.....
Tortugas Quarantine, Key West, Fla.	June 5	Nor. ss. Tyr.....	June 2	Matanzas.....	Pensacola.....	Disinfected and held.....	.....	.....	.....
		Nor. ss. Tyr*.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	.....	.....	.....
		Sp. ss. Benito.....	June 9	Huamaca.....	Punta Gorda.....	do.....	June 7	.....	.....
		Sp. ss. Francisco.....	June 10	Santiago de Cuba.....	do.....	do.....	.....	.....	.....

* Previously reported.

QUARANTINE REPORTS—Continued.

State and municipal quarantine stations.

[Vessels named only when detained or given treatment at quarantine.]

Name of station.	Week ended.	Name of vessel.	Date of arrival.	Port of departure.	Destination.	Treatment of vessel, passengers, and cargo.	Date of departure.	Remarks.	Vessels inspected and passed.
Anclote, Fla.....	June 12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6
Apalachicola, Fla.....	June 19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
Bangor, Me.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Boston, Mass.....	June 19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	No report	32
Carrabelle, Fla.....	do.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	do	.....
Cedar Keys, Fla.....	.....	Sw. bk. Svithiod *	June 1	Pars, Brazil ..	Apalachicola.	Disinfected and held.....	June 16	No report	3
Charleston, S. C.....	June 19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	No transactions.	.....
Charlotte Harbor, Fla.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	No report.	10
Elizabeth River, Va.....	June 19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23
Galveston, Tex.....	June 12	Br. ss. Floridian.....	June 10	Tampico.....	Galveston	Fumigated and held.....	.....	No transactions.	6
Gardiner, Oreg.....	May 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	No report.	8
Georgetown, S. C.....	June 19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gloucester, Mass.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Key West, Monroe Co., Fla.....	June 19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mayport, Fla.....	do.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mobile Bay, Ala.....	June 12	Nor. bk. Assyria * Br. ss. Progressist * Br. ss. Acme..... Br. ss. Velleda..... Br. ss. Gov. Blake ..	May 30 June 1 June 10 June 11 June 12	Rio..... Vera Cruz..... Santos..... Vera Cruz..... Montego Bay	Mobile..... do..... do..... do..... do.....	Disinfected and held..... do..... do..... do..... do.....	June 8 June 6	.....	15
New Bedford, Mass.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	No report.	9
Newport News, Va.....	June 19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	No transactions	.....
Newport, R. I.....	do.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	No report.	1
Perth Amboy, N. J.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	No transactions	1
Portland, Me.....	June 12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	No report.	.....
Port Royal, S. C.....	June 19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	No transactions	1
Providence, R. I.....	do.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	No report.	.....
Sabine Pass, Tex.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	do	.....
St. Helena Entrance S. C.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Savannah, Ga.....	June 12	Br. bk. Cambrian Queen.*	May 22	Rio	Savannah	Disinfected and held.....	June 9	Yellow fever, 3 cases at Rio, 2 cases dysentery, 1 case malarial fever at quarantine station.	6

* Previously reported.

QUARANTINE REPORTS—Continued.

State and municipal quarantine stations—Continued.

Name of station.	Week ended.	Name of vessel.	Date of arrival.	Port of departure.	Destination.	Treatment of vessel, passengers, and cargo.	Date of departure.	Remarks.	Vessels inspected and passed.
Savannah, Ga.....	June 12	Nor. bk. Biland *	June 4	Haiti via Rotterdam.	do	Waiting orders, subject to quarantine regulations.	.....	6 cases yellow fever at Haiti.	.....
Tampa Bay, Fla	June 19	Dutch bk. Cornelia.	June 7	Rio	do	do	.....	.....	.....
		Am.sc. Mary B Baird *	June 11	Cienfuegos	Port Tampa	Disinfected and held	June 19	.....	18
		Am.sc. C.S. Glidden ..	June 18	Tampico, Mex	do	Held for disinfection.	.....	.....	.....

* Previously reported.

Reports of States and yearly and monthly reports of cities.

CALIFORNIA—*San Francisco City and County.* Estimated population, 360,000. Reports to the health department for the month of May, 1897, show a total of 465 deaths, including diphtheria, 9; enteric fever, 3, and phthisis pulmonalis, 88.

CONNECTICUT.—Reports to the State board of health for the month of May, 1897; from 165 towns, having an aggregate population of 849,535, show a total of 1,109 deaths, including diphtheria, 29; enteric fever, 6; measles 1; scarlet fever, 11; phthisis pulmonalis, 100, and whooping cough, 7.

Hartford.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 72,000. Total deaths, 112, including diphtheria, 2; phthisis pulmonalis, 8, and whooping cough, 1.

New Haven.—Month of March, 1897. Estimated population, 110,000. Total deaths, 154, including diphtheria, 6; enteric fever, 1; measles, 1; scarlet fever, 1, and phthisis pulmonalis, 18.

Month of April, 1897. Total deaths, 141, including diphtheria, 4; enteric fever, 1; scarlet fever, 2, and phthisis pulmonalis, 18.

FLORIDA—*Pensacola.*—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 15,000. Total deaths, 19, including diphtheria, 1, and phthisis pulmonalis, 1.

IOWA—*Boone.*—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 9,000. Total deaths, 8, including phthisis pulmonalis, 1.

Cedar Rapids.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 21,600. Total deaths, 16, including enteric fever, 1, and phthisis pulmonalis, 2.

Clinton.—Month of May. Estimated population, 25,000. Total deaths, 15, including enteric fever, 1, and consumption, 3.

Davenport.—Month of April, 1897. Estimated population, 35,000. Total deaths, 38.

Month of May, 1897, Estimated population, 35,000. Total deaths, 37, including diphtheria, 1; enteric fever, 1, and phthisis pulmonalis, 2.

IOWA—*Des Moines.*—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 82,600. Total deaths, 28, including consumption, 2.

Dubuque.—Month of May, 1897. Population, 42,574. Total deaths, 24, including enteric fever, 2, and phthisis pulmonalis, 3.

Eldora.—Month of May, 1897. Population, 1,900. Total deaths, 2, including phthisis pulmonalis, 1.

Hopkinton.—Month of April, 1897. Population, 650. Total deaths, 4, including phthisis pulmonalis, 1.

Keokuk.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 19,305. Total deaths, 14, including phthisis pulmonalis, 2.

Ottumwa.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 18,000. Total deaths, 13.

KENTUCKY—*Louisville.*—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 215,572. Total deaths, 213, including diphtheria, 3, and phthisis pulmonalis, 39.

LOUISIANA—*Shreveport*.—Month of April, 1897. Estimated population, 15,000. Total deaths, 13, including phthisis pulmonalis, 3.

MARYLAND—*Baltimore*.—Month of May, 1897. Population, 506,398—including white, 431,054; colored, 75,344. Total deaths, 686—white, 505; colored, 181, including diphtheria, 15; enteric fever, 3; measles, 3; phthisis pulmonalis, 64, and scarlet fever, 7.

MASSACHUSETTS—*Brockton*.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 35,853. Total deaths, 37, including scarlet fever, 2.

Fitchburg.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 28,392. Total deaths, 32.

MICHIGAN.—Reports to the State board of health, Lansing, from 66 observers, for the week ended May 29, 1897, showed that inflammation of kidney increased and pneumonia decreased in area of prevalence. Phthisis pulmonalis was reported present at 180 places, measles at 93, diphtheria at 21, enteric fever at 20, scarlet fever at 19, and whooping cough at 10.

Reports to the State board of health, Lansing, from 67 observers, for the week ended June 5, indicate that diarrhea, pneumonia, tonsillitis, and influenza decreased in area of prevalence. Phthisis pulmonalis was reported present at 181 places, measles at 84, diphtheria at 27, scarlet fever at 24, enteric fever at 14, and whooping cough at 8.

Grand Rapids.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 90,000. Total deaths, 80, including enteric fever, 1, and phthisis pulmonalis, 15.

MINNESOTA—*Duluth*.—Month of May, 1897. Population, 60,000. Total deaths, 37, including diphtheria, 1, and phthisis pulmonalis, 3.

Minneapolis.—Month of May, 1897. Population, 192,833. Total deaths, 142, including enteric fever, 15; phthisis pulmonalis, 29, and whooping cough, 2.

St. Paul.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 215,582. Total deaths, 91, including enteric fever, 1; diphtheria, 1, and phthisis pulmonalis, 11.

Winona.—Month of May, 1897. Population, 22,000. Total deaths, 22, including phthisis pulmonalis, 2.

MISSOURI—*St. Louis*.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 600,000; white, 565,000; colored, 35,000. Total deaths, 746, including diphtheria, 15; enteric fever, 7; phthisis pulmonalis, 85, and whooping cough, 8.

NEBRASKA—*Omaha*.—Month of March, 1897. Population, 140,452. Total deaths, 79, including diphtheria, 2; enteric fever, 2; measles, 8, and phthisis pulmonalis, 8.

Month of April, 1897. Total deaths, 86, including scarlet fever, 3, and phthisis pulmonalis, 6.

NEW HAMPSHIRE—*Concord*.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 19,000. Total deaths, 27.

Manchester.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 60,000. Total deaths, 83, including phthisis pulmonalis 13, and whooping cough, 1.

NEW JERSEY—Paterson.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 106,652. Total deaths, 112, including diphtheria, 7; phthisis pulmonalis, 14, and whooping cough, 1.

NEW YORK—Buffalo.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 350,000. Total deaths, 340, including diphtheria; 7; enteric fever, 5; measles, 8; scarlet fever, 4; phthisis pulmonalis, 38, and whooping cough, 2.

Yonkers.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 40,000. Total deaths, 59, including diphtheria, 6; scarlet fever, 2, and phthisis pulmonalis, 3.

NORTH CAROLINA.—Reports to the State board of health for the month of April, 1897, from 24 towns, having an aggregate population of 128,485—white, 73,322; colored, 55,163—give the total number of deaths at 146—white, 60; colored, 86, including enteric fever, 3; measles, 3; phthisis pulmonalis, 22, and whooping cough, 7.

OHIO—Dayton.—Month of May, 1897. Population, 85,000. Total deaths, 93, including diphtheria, 3, and phthisis pulmonalis, 15.

Toledo.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 137,780. Total deaths, 15, including enteric fever, 1; measles, 1; phthisis pulmonalis, 8, and whooping cough, 1.

PENNSYLVANIA—Plymouth.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 6,065. Total deaths, 14, including enteric fever, 1.

Williamsport.—Month of April, 1897. Estimated population, 35,000. Total deaths, 15, including phthisis pulmonalis, 2.

TENNESSEE.—Reports to the State board of health from 23 towns having an aggregate population of 103,668, show a total of 114 deaths, including diphtheria, 1; enteric fever, 8; measles, 2; phthisis pulmonalis, 67, and whooping cough, 1.

Memphis.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 56,134—white, 28,573; colored, 27,561. Total deaths, 88—white, 40; colored, 48, including enteric fever, 3; measles, 1, and phthisis pulmonalis, 15.

UTAH—Salt Lake City.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 70,000. Total deaths, 38, including measles, 1; phthisis pulmonalis, 3, and whooping cough, 1.

VIRGINIA—Norfolk.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 45,000—white, 25,710; colored, 19,290. Total deaths, 44—white, 15; colored, 28, including measles, 1, and phthisis pulmonalis, 8.

WISCONSIN—Milwaukee.—Month of May, 1897. Estimated population, 275,000. Total deaths, 290, including diphtheria, 10; enteric fever, 3; measles, 1; phthisis pulmonalis, 30; scarlet fever, 1, and whooping cough, 1.

MORTALITY TABLE, CITIES OF THE UNITED STATES.

Cities.	Week ended.	Population, U. S. Census of 1890.	Total deaths from all causes.	Deaths from—									
				Phthisis pulmonalis.	Yellow fever.	Smallpox.	Varicoid.	Cholera.	Typhus fever.	Enteric fever.	Scarlet fever.	Diphtheria.	Measles.
Ashtabula, Ohio.....	June 19....	8,338	0										
Baltimore, Md.....	do.....	494,439	180	24					2	1	5	2	2
Binghamton, N. Y.....	do.....	35,005	18	2									
Boston, Mass.....	do.....	448,477	190	24					3	5	8	1	1
Braddock, Pa.....	June 5....	8,561	5										
Do.....	June 12....	8,561	9										
Bristol, R. I.....	do.....	5,478	1										
Brockton, Mass.....	June 5....	27,294	8	1									
Do.....	June 12....	27,294	5										
Brooklyn, N. Y.....	June 19....	806,343	364	42								25	5
Brownsville, Tex.....	May 29....	6,134	2										
Do.....	June 6....	6,134	3										
Do.....	June 12....	6,134	4										
Butler, Pa.....	June 19....	8,734	3										
Cambridge, Mass.....	do.....	70,028	29	7		1						1	
Charleston, S. C.....	June 5....	* 54,955	† 31	3									
Do.....	June 12....	* 54,955	† 34	4									
Chicago, Ill.....	do.....	1,099,850	369	48					7	1	15	2	1
Do.....	June 19....	1,099,850	439	48					6	1	19	4	2
Cincinnati, Ohio.....	June 18....	296,908	89	11					1				
Cleveland, Ohio.....	June 10....	261,353	75	3									
Columbus, Ohio.....	June 19....	6,719	25	1					1				
Dayton, Ohio.....	June 17....	61,220	12	3									
Denver, Col.....	June 5....	106,713	20	5					1				
Do.....	June 12....	106,713	22	6					1				
Dunkirk, N. Y.....	do.....	9,416	0										
Elizabeth City, N. J.....	June 19....	37,764								1			
Fall River, Mass.....	do.....	74,398	38	5								1	
Fitchburg, Mass.....	June 12....	22,037	7										
Flint, Mich.....	Jan. 30....	9,803	2	1									
Do.....	Feb. 6....	9,803	4										
Do.....	Feb. 13....	9,803	2										
Do.....	Feb. 20....	9,803	2										
Do.....	Feb. 27....	9,803	3										
Do.....	Mar. 6....	9,803	3										
Do.....	Mar. 13....	9,803	6										
Do.....	Mar. 20....	9,803	1								1		
Do.....	Mar. 27....	9,803	2	1									
Do.....	Apr. 3....	9,803	1										
Do.....	May 8....	9,803	5	1									
Do.....	May 15....	9,803	2										
Do.....	May 22....	9,803	3										
Do.....	May 29....	9,803	2										
Do.....	June 5....	9,803	4						1				
Do.....	June 12....	9,803	1										
Do.....	June 19....	9,803	1										
Gloucester, Mass.....	do.....	24,651	6	1		1							
Grand Rapids, Mich.....	June 12....	60,278	21	2					1			3	
Do.....	June 19....	60,278	17								1	1	
Green Bay, Wis.....	do.....	9,069	3										
Haverhill, Mass.....	June 19....	27,412		1									
Hoboken, N. J.....	June 12....	43,648	16	1									
Ironton, Ohio.....	June 19....	10,939	4										
Jacksonville, Fla.....	June 12....	17,201	13	3									
Jersey City, N. J.....	June 13....	163,003	65	11						1	4		
Johnstown, Pa.....	June 19....	21,805	5	1									
Kalamazoo, Mich.....	do.....	17,853	4										
Lawrence, Mass.....	June 12....	44,654	19										
Lebanon, Pa.....	June 13....	14,664	5						1		1		
Lowell, Mass.....	June 19....	77,696	31	3									
McKeesport, Pa.....	June 12....	20,741	10									1	
Do.....	June 19....	20,741	6								1		
Massillon, Ohio.....	June 12....	10,092	2										
Medford, Mass.....	June 19....	11,079	6								1		
Memphis, Tenn.....	do.....	64,495	44										
Michigan City, Ind.....	do.....	10,776	5										
Middletown, N. Y.....	June 15....	11,977	5						1				
Minneapolis, Minn.....	June 12....	164,738	37	4								1	
Do.....	June 19....	164,738	38	4					4	1			
Mobile, Ala.....	do.....	31,076	18	1					1				
Nashville, Tenn.....	do.....	76,168	35	2									
New Bedford, Mass.....	June 20....	40,733	17									1	

* Estimated population, 65,165; white, 28,870; colored, 36,295. † White, 9; colored, 22. ‡ White, 8; colored, 26.

MORTALITY TABLE, CITIES OF THE UNITED STATES—Continued.

Cities.	Week ended.	Population, U. S. Census of 1890.	Total deaths from all causes.	Deaths from—										
				Phthisis pul- monalis.	Yellow fever.	Smallpox.	Varioloid.	Cholera.	Typhus fever.	Enteric fever.	Scarlet fever.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Whooping cough.
Newburyport, Mass.....	June 12.....	13,947	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Orleans, La.....	do.....	242,039	134	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....
Newport, R. I.....	June 19.....	19,457	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New York, N. Y.....	do.....	1,515,301	711	95	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	3	10	43	6	1
Norristown, Pa.....	do.....	19,791	25	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....
North Adams, Mass.....	do.....	16,074	8	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oneonta, N. Y.....	do.....	6,272	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pensacola, Fla.....	do.....	11,750	3	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Petersburg, Va.....	June 13.....	22,680	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Do.....	June 20.....	22,680	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Philadelphia, Pa.....	June 12.....	1,046,964	383	44	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	12	30	2	.....
Pittsfield, Mass.....	do.....	17,281	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Do.....	June 19.....	17,281	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Poughkeepsie, N. Y.....	June 12.....	22,206	7	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
Do.....	June 19.....	22,206	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Providence, R. I.....	do.....	132,146	50	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Pueblo, Colo.....	June 12.....	24,558	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Louis, Mo.....	June 19.....	451,770	225	21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	1	1	.....	3
Salt Lake City, Utah.....	June 12.....	44,843	9	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Scranton, Pa.....	do.....	75,215	33	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Do.....	June 19.....	75,215	40	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....
Superior, Wis.....	do.....	11,983	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Taunton, Mass.....	do.....	25,448	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Utica, N. Y.....	June 12.....	44,007	11	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Waltham, Mass.....	June 19.....	18,707	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Warren, Ohio.....	do.....	5,973	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Washington, D. C.....	June 12.....	230,392	82	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	3	.....	3
West Newton, Mass.....	June 19.....	24,379	6	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
Wilmington, Del.....	do.....	61,431	26	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Winona, Minn.....	June 12.....	18,208	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Worcester, Mass.....	June 11.....	84,655	24	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Yonkers, N. Y.....	June 4.....	32,033	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....
Do.....	June 11.....	32,033	6	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
Do.....	June 18.....	32,033	16	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....
Youngstown, Ohio.....	June 19.....	33,220	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....

Table of temperature and rainfall, week ended June 21, 1897.

[Received from Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.]

Locality.	Temperature in degrees Fahrenheit.			Rainfall in inches and hundredths.		
	Normal.*	Excess.*	Deficiency.	Normal.	Excess.	Deficiency.
Atlantic Coast:						
Eastport, Me.....	56		2	.81	.49	
Portland, Me.....	65		5	.77	.33	
Northfield, Vt.....	66		10	.84		.04
Boston, Mass.....	68		4	.70		.40
Vineyard Haven, Mass.....	67		7	.49	.71	
Nantucket, Mass.....	62	0		.63		.03
Woods Hole, Mass.....	63		1	.56	.04	
Block Island, R. I.....	63		1	.56	.04	
New Haven, Conn.....	68		2	.64		.34
Albany, N. Y.....	70		6	.84		.64
New York, N. Y.....	70		2	.71		.41
Harrisburg, Pa.....	72		4	.98		.68
Philadelphia, Pa.....	73		3	.74	.76	
New Brunswick, N. J.....	71		3	.90		.50
Atlantic City, N. J.....	68		0	.77	.33	
Baltimore, Md.....	75		3	.91		.11
Washington, D. C.....	75		2	.92	.80	
Lynchburg, Va.....	75	3		.77	.73	
Cape Henry, Va.....	74	2		.91		.81
Norfolk, Va.....	76	2		.98		.88
Charlotte, N. C.....	77	3		1.05		.55
Raleigh, N. C.....	78	2		1.28		.68
Kittyhawk, N. C.....	75	1		1.09		.09
Hatteras, N. C.....	75	1		1.07	.03	
Wilmington, N. C.....	78	2		1.40		1.08
Columbia, S. C.....	79	3		.98		.76
Charleston, S. C.....	80	2		1.36		
Augusta, Ga.....	80	4		1.12	.13	
Savannah, Ga.....	80	4		1.71	.59	
Jacksonville, Fla.....	80	4		1.31		.01
Jupiter, Fla.....	79	3		1.56		1.28
Key West, Fla.....	83	0		.97		.97
Gulf States:						
Atlanta, Ga.....	77	3		1.01		.71
Tampa, Fla.....	80	2		1.93		1.83
Pensacola, Fla.....	80	2		1.31	.09	
Mobile, Ala.....	80	2		1.40	.10	
Montgomery, Ala.....	80	4		1.12	1.28	
Vicksburg, Miss.....	80	2		.98		.08
New Orleans, La.....	81	1		1.66	.96	
Shreveport, La.....	81	3		.89		.89
Fort Smith, Ark.....	78	4		.98		.08
Little Rock, Ark.....	79	3		.97		.97
Palestine, Tex.....	80	2		.95		.55
Galveston, Tex.....	82			1.19		1.19
San Antonio, Tex.....	82	2		.61		.61
Corpus Christi, Tex.....	81	1		.62		.52
Ohio Valley and Tennessee:						
Memphis, Tenn.....	79	1		1.14		.64
Nashville, Tenn.....	78	4		1.03		.23
Chattanooga, Tenn.....	77	3		1.19		1.09
Knoxville, Tenn.....	74			.98		.32
Louisville, Ky.....	76	4		1.05	.55	
Indianapolis, Ind.....	74	0		1.12	.58	
Cincinnati, Ohio.....	75	3		1.15		.85
Columbus, Ohio.....	74	0		.79	.51	
Parkersburg, W. Va.....	76		2	.98	1.22	
Pittsburg, Pa.....	73		3	.80	.20	
Lake Region:						
Oswego, N. Y.....	65		5	.34		.74
Rochester, N. Y.....	68		4	.77		.77
Buffalo, N. Y.....	67		3	.84		.84
Erie, Pa.....	69		5	.91		.51
Cleveland, Ohio.....	69		1	.90		.60
Sandusky, Ohio.....	71		1	.92		.52
Toledo, Ohio.....	72		4	.84	.66	
Detroit, Mich.....	69		3	.84	.06	
Lansing, Mich.....	68		0	1.04	.66	
Port Huron, Mich.....	66		2	.84		.14
Alpena, Mich.....	62		6	.89		.59
Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.....	63		6	.75		.65
Marquette, Mich.....	61		7	.84		.34
Green Bay, Wis.....	70		4	.75	3.15	
Grand Haven, Mich.....	66		0	.94	.76	

* The figures in these columns represent the average daily departure.

Table of temperature and rainfall, week ended June 21, 1897—Continued.

Locality.	Temperature in degrees Fahrenheit.			Rainfall in inches and hundredths.		
	Normal.	*Excess.	*Deficiency.	Normal.	Excess.	Deficiency.
Lake Region—Continued.						
Milwaukee, Wis.....	65	1	.....	.98	.....	.38
Chicago, Ill.....	68	2	.....	.91	1.69	.....
Duluth, Minn.....	60	.....	8	1.11	.39	.....
Upper Mississippi Valley:						
St. Paul, Minn.....	68	4	.....	1.07	1.53	.....
La Crosse, Wis.....	70	4	.....	1.12	.18	.....
Dubuque, Iowa.....	71	5	.....	1.26	.....	.76
Davenport, Iowa.....	72	6	.....	1.01	.....	.31
Des Moines, Iowa.....	72	6	.....	1.30	.....	1.00
Keokuk, Iowa.....	74	6	.....	1.08	.....	.98
Springfield, Ill.....	74	4	.....	1.04	.06	.....
Cairo, Ill.....	77	3	.....	1.05	.....	.45
St. Louis, Mo.....	76	6	.....	1.23	.....	1.13
Missouri Valley:						
Columbia, Mo.....	76	4	.....	1.00	.....	.50
Springfield, Mo.....	74	4	.....	.92	.28	.....
Kansas City, Mo.....	75	7	.....	1.15	.....	.75
Wichita, Kans.....	74	8	.....	1.29	.....	1.09
Concordia, Kans.....	74	6	.....	1.03	2.47	.....
Lincoln, Nebr.....	72	8	.....	.95	.....	.35
Omaha, Nebr.....	73	7	.....	1.40	.....	1.10
Sioux City, Iowa.....	72	6	.....	.79	.....	.49
Yankton, S. Dak.....	70	6	.....	.98	.....	.88
Valentine, Nebr.....	69	3	.....	.84	.....	.84
Huron, S. Dak.....	68	4	.....	.84	.36	.....
Pierre, S. Dak.....	68	6	.....	.88	.....	.68
Moorhead, Minn.....	66	4	.....	1.17	.35	.77
Bismarck, N. Dak.....	65	6	.....	.85	.35	.....
Williston, N. Dak.....	64	6	.....	.84	.16	.....
Rocky Mountain Region:						
Havre, Mont.....	62	.....	0	.77	3.33	.....
Helena, Mont.....	62	.....	4	.58	.92	.....
Miles City, Mont.....	68	4	.....	.74	.....	.44
Rapid City, S. Dak.....	66	4	.....	.90	.....	.90
Spokane, Wash.....	62	.....	6	.44	2.26	.....
Wallawalla, Wash.....	66	.....	8	.35	.35	.....
Baker City, Oreg.....	57	.....	6	.35	1.15	.....
Winnemucca, Nev.....	62	.....	6	.18	.....	.08
Salt Lake City, Utah.....	68	.....	4	.14	.26	.....
Lander, Wyo.....	63	.....	1	.28	.....	.28
Cheyenne, Wyo.....	63	1	.....	.31	.....	.31
North Platte, Nebr.....	70	3	.....	.84	.....	.84
Denver, Colo.....	68	0	.....	.28	.....	.08
Pueblo, Colo.....	69	3	.....	.28	.....	.28
Dodge City, Kans.....	74	4	.....	.77	.43	.....
Oklahoma, Okla.....	77	.....	.....	.61	.....	.21
Amarillo, Tex.....	73	4	.....	.83	.....	.69
Abilene, Tex.....	80	2	.....	.77	.....	.77
Santa Fe, N. Mex.....	67	.....	1	.21	.....	.21
El Paso, Tex.....	81	1	.....	.07	.....	.07
Phoenix, Ariz.....	83	.....	3	.00	.....	.....
Pacific Coast:						
Tatoosh Island, Wash.....	54	.....	.....	.98	.....	.....
Port Angeles, Wash.....	54	.....	.....	.33	.....	.....
Fort Canby, Wash.....	56	.....	.....	.63	.....	.33
Portland, Oreg.....	62	.....	4	.43	.....	.23
Roseburg, Oreg.....	61	.....	5	.29	.31	.....
Eureka, Cal.....	55	.....	1	.26	.74	.....
Redbluff, Cal.....	76	.....	14	.09	1.11	.....
Carson City, Nev.....	61	.....	9	.07	.....	.07
Sacramento, Cal.....	69	.....	5	.03	.....	.03
San Francisco, Cal.....	59	.....	1	.07	.13	.....
Fresno, Cal.....	75	.....	9	.00	.00	.....
Los Angeles, Cal.....	66	.....	2	.00	.00	.....
San Diego, Cal.....	64	.....	2	.01	.01	.....
Yuma, Ariz.....	86	.....	6	.00	.00	.....

* The figures in these columns represent the average daily departure.

FOREIGN.

[Reports received from United States consuls through the Department of State and from other sources.]

Cholera, yellow fever, and plague as reported to the Supervising Surgeon-General United States Marine-Hospital Service, December 29, 1896, to June 22, 1897.

CHOLERA.

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
India:				
Bombay	Dec. 8-Dec. 15.....		1	
	Dec. 22-Dec. 29.....		1	
	Mar. 23-Mar. 30.....		1	
	Mar. 31-May 11.....		13	
Calcutta.....	Nov. 14-Jan. 30.....		267	
	Jan. 31-Feb. 27.....		311	
	Feb. 28-Mar. 6.....		125	
	Mar. 6-May 15.....		1,212	
Madras.....	Nov. 21-Nov. 27.....		2	
	Nov. 28-Dec. 4.....		1	
	Dec. 12-Dec. 25.....		6	
	Dec. 26-Jan. 29.....		22	
	Jan. 30-Feb. 26.....		13	
	Feb. 27-Mar. 5.....		2	
	Mar. 6-Mar. 19.....		1	
	Mar. 20-Mar. 26.....		2	
Singapore.....	Nov. 1-Nov. 30.....		12	
	Dec. 1-Dec. 31.....		5	
Ceylon:				
Colombo	Nov. 28-Jan. 23.....		114	
	Jan. 23-Jan. 30.....	1	1	
England:				
Plymouth.....	Jan. 9.....		4	On steamship <i>Nubia</i> . No cases in city.
Japan:				
Tokyo	Dec. 4-Dec. 29.....	8	7	
	Dec. 30-Jan. 18.....	3	3	
Yokohama.....	Dec. 4-Dec. 29.....	4	3	
	Dec. 30-Jan. 18.....	2	2	

YELLOW FEVER.

Brazil:				
Bahia	May 13-May 19.....	5	3	
Para	Dec. 12-Jan. 30.....		32	
	Jan. 31-Feb. 27.....		20	
	Feb. 27-Mar. 6.....		9	
	Mar. 13-Mar. 20.....		3	
	Apr. 3-Apr. 10.....		3	
Rio de Janeiro.....	Nov. 21-Dec. 26.....		10	
	Dec. 26-Jan. 30.....		28	
	Jan. 31-Feb. 6.....	12	5	
	Feb. 13-Feb. 20.....	21	6	
	Feb. 20-Mar. 6.....		16	
	Mar. 7-May 29.....	174	78	
Cuba: *				
Cardenas.....	Dec. 25-Jan. 30.....	84	8	
	Jan. 31-Feb. 27.....	38	1	
	Apr. 17-June 5.....	35	7	
Cienfuegos.....	Dec. 20-Dec. 27.....		8	
	Dec. 28-Jan. 17.....		2	
	Apr. 4-Apr. 11.....		1	
	May 17-May 23.....		1	
Habana.....	Dec. 17-Dec. 31.....	220	79	
	Jan. 1-Jan. 28.....	400	144	
	Jan. 28-Feb. 25.....	117	41	
	Feb. 25-Mar. 25.....	130	38	
	Mar. 25-Apr. 29.....	342	85	
	Apr. 30-June 17.....	750	181	
Manzanillo.....	Apr. 1-Apr. 15.....		1	
	May 15-May 31.....		1	
Matanzas.....	Dec. 9-Dec. 23.....		8	
	Dec. 23-Jan. 27.....		19	
	Jan. 27-Feb. 24.....		4	
	Feb. 25-Mar. 31.....		2	
	Apr. 1-June 9.....	9	9	

* February 28, 1897, 300 cases of yellow fever were reported among the sick soldiers on the Island.

*Cholera, yellow fever, plague, etc.—Continued.***YELLOW FEVER—Continued.**

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Santiago	Dec. 5-Dec. 28.....	.....	17	
	Dec. 28-Jan. 30.....	.....	16	
	Jan. 16-Jan. 30.....	.....	5	
	Jan. 30-Feb. 27.....	.....	6	
	Feb. 27-Mar. 27.....	.....	3	
	May 2-June 5.....	54	9	
Sagua la Grande.....	Dec. 19-Dec. 26.....	50	5	
	Dec. 26-Jan. 9.....	65	6	
	Jan. 9-Jan. 30.....	110	12	
	Jan. 31-Feb. 27.....	35	7	
	Feb. 27-Mar. 27.....	54	17	
	Mar. 28-June 12.....	234	11	
Ecuador:				
Guayaquil.....	Dec. 18-Jan. 1.....	.....	9	
Haiti:				
Port au Prince.....	Dec. 1-Dec. 7.....	.....	2	
	Dec. 14.....	.....	.....	Yellow fever epidemic.
	Mar. 1-Mar. 8.....	.....	3	
Guadeloupe:				
Basse Terre.....	Jan. 5.....	1	.....	
United States of Colombia:				
Panama	Apr. 14.....	20	17	
	June 15.....	82	54	Estimated.
Colon	May 12-May 25.....	.....	5	

PLAGUE.

Egypt:				
Suez.....	Mar. 31.....	.....	.....	One case of plague on Br. S. S. <i>Dilwara</i> from Bombay.
India:				
Bombay*	Dec. 1-Dec. 22.....	.....	694	This is the number of deaths officially reported. The United States consul estimates the number of deaths for the same period at 2,763.
	Dec. 22-Jan. 5.....	.....	738	Estimated deaths for this same period, 2,953.
	Jan. 5-Jan. 12.....	.....	335	Estimated deaths for this same period, 1,388.
	Jan. 12-Jan. 19.....	.....	470	
	Jan. 19-Jan. 26.....	.....	443	Estimated deaths for this same period, 1,462.
	Jan. 26-Feb. 23.....	.....	2,884	Estimated deaths for this same period, 5,845.
	Feb. 23-Mar. 9.....	.....	1,282	Estimated deaths for this same period, 2,265.
	Mar. 9-Mar. 30.....	.....	1,431	Estimated deaths for this same period, 2,730.
	Mar. 31-May 18.....	.....	1,591	Estimated deaths for this same period, 2,892.
Calcutta.....	Feb. 6-Feb. 13.....	.....	1	
Karachi.....	Jan. 11.....	.....	.....	Plague epidemic; 220 cases, 214 deaths to date.
China:				
Hongkong	Dec. 13-Dec. 29.....	.....	.....	A few cases.
Swatow	May 4.....	.....	.....	Epidemic of plague reported.
Japan:				
Formosa.....	Nov. 6-Nov. 30.....	53	37	
	Dec. 4-Dec. 29.....	.....	15	
	Jan. 19-Jan. 27.....	3	.....	
	Feb. 23-Mar. 12.....	3	.....	
	Mar. 13-Mar. 23.....	4	.....	
	Mar. 24-Mar. 31.....	3	.....	
	Apr. 1-Apr. 20.....	64	54	
	Apr. 20-May 20.....	268	.....	
	Apr. 20-Apr. 27.....	3	.....	
Taihoku.....				
Russia:				
St. Petersburg.....	Apr. 10-Apr. 17.....	.....	1	
Theodosia.....	Mar. 31.....	.....	.....	One case of plague on Br. S. S. <i>Baldwin</i> .

* Official returns show 9,118 cases and 7,602 deaths to March 12.

BRAZIL.

Sanitary reports from Rio de Janeiro.

RIO DE JANEIRO, May 24, 1897.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit report for the week ended May 22, 1897:

There were 10 deaths from *accessio pernicioso*, an increase of 2; 8 from yellow fever, an increase of 5; 6 from beriberi, an increase of 1; 2 from enteritis, an increase of 1; 35 from tuberculosis, a decrease of 13, and 289 from all causes, a decrease of 30. The health of the port continues normal.

Since last report the following-named ships have been inspected and received bills of health from this office: May 18, steamship *Asti*, German, for New York. May 19, steamship *Avona*, British, for Pensacola, Fla. May 21, barkentine *Priscilla*, American, for Baltimore, Md. May 22, steamship *Galileo*, Belgian, for New York. May 24, steamship *Azamor*, British, for Santa Lucia, West Indies.

Respectfully, yours,

R. CLEARY, M. D.,
Sanitary Inspector, U. S. M. H. S.

RIO DE JANEIRO, May 31, 1897.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit report for the week ended May 29, 1897:

There were 4 deaths from *accessio pernicioso*, a decrease of 6; 3 from yellow fever, a decrease of 5; 5 from beriberi, a decrease of 1; 1 from enteric fever, a decrease of 1; 51 from tuberculosis, an increase of 16, and 316 from all causes, an increase of 27.

The above shows a decrease in the number of deaths from all the zymotic diseases except tuberculosis, and an increase of 27 in the number from all causes. The increase is due to the larger number from tuberculosis, as well as from the diseases of the air passages, not an uncommon occurrence at this time of the year.

Since last report the following-named ships have been inspected or received bills of health from this office: May 26, steamship *Baron Belhaven*, British, for Santa Lucia, West Indies. May 28, steamship *Yala*, British, for Philadelphia, Pa. May 29, bark *Catino*, American, for Barbados, West Indies; ship *America*, Portuguese, for New Orleans, La.; steamship *Amalfi*, German, Santos to New York, and steamship *Lemgo*, British, for Tampa, Fla. May 31, steamship *Herschel*, British, for New Orleans, La., and steamship *Derramore*, British, for Pensacola, Fla.

Respectfully, yours,

R. CLEARY, M. D.,
Sanitary Inspector, U. S. M. H. S.

CUBA.

Smallpox and yellow fever in Cuban seaports.

June 18: The United States sanitary inspector at Habana reports that during the week ended June 17 there were in that city 40 deaths from yellow fever, with approximately 251 new cases, and 30 new cases of smallpox, with 3 deaths.

June 14: The United States consul at Sagua la Grande reports that

during the week ended June 12 there were in that city 24 new cases reported from yellow fever, and 80 cases from smallpox.

June 11: The United States sanitary inspector at Matanzas reports that during the week ended June 9 there were in that city 3 deaths from yellow fever and 1 death from smallpox.

JAPAN.

Smallpox and plague.

YOKOHAMA, June 1, 1897.

SIR: I have the honor to forward herewith my regular report of infectious disease in Japan, for period May 13 to May 30, inclusive.

The epidemic of smallpox, as you will notice, is still steadily, if slowly, abating, while the amount of plague reported from Formosa is about the same as at my last return. The localities affected and the distribution of cases are as follows: Tainan, 78 cases; Taichin, 10 cases; Taihoku, 4 cases; total, 92 cases.

In this connection, I may add that plague is said to have broken out at Amoy, China.

I am, sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

STUART ELDRIDGE, M. D.,
Sanitary Inspector, U. S. M. H. S.

[Inclosure.]

Report of infectious disease in Japan, May 13 to May 30, 1897.

Locality.	Smallpox.		Locality.	Smallpox.	
	Cases.	Deaths.		Cases.	Deaths.
Kioto Fu.....	16	10	Nagano Ken.....	1	.....
Osaka Fu.....	68	33	Nagasaki Ken.....	93	31
Tokyo Fu.....	8	.....	Nara Ken.....	7	2
Aichi Ken.....	18	3	Niigata Ken.....	44	14
Akita Ken.....	.....	.....	Oita Ken.....	.....	.....
Awomori Ken.....	.....	1	Okayama Ken.....	4	2
Chiba Ken.....	.....	.....	Okinawa Ken.....	1	1
Fukui Ken.....	6	.....	Saga Ken.....	4	.....
Fukuoka Ken.....	58	14	Saitama Ken.....	5	1
Fukushima Ken.....	34	8	Shidzuoka Ken.....	36	4
Gifu Ken.....	6	2	Shiga Ken.....	4	1
Gumma Ken.....	.....	.....	Shimane Ken.....	9	3
Hiogo Ken.....	37	16	Tochigi Ken.....	18	4
Hiroshima Ken.....	.....	.....	Tokushima Ken.....	131	32
Ibaraki Ken.....	11	1	Tottori Ken.....	15	5
Ishikawa Ken.....	.....	.....	Toyama Ken.....	24	6
Iwate Ken.....	.....	.....	Wakayama Ken.....	.....	.....
Kagawa Ken.....	4	1	Yamagata Ken.....	5	1
Kagoshima Ken.....	7	1	Yamaguchi Ken.....	21	4
Kanagawa Ken (Yokohama)...	6	1	Yamanashi Ken.....	29	9
Kochi Ken.....	18	3	Yehime Ken.....	13	2
Kumamoto Ken.....	24	.....	The Hokkaido.....	73	8
Miyagi Ken.....	18	2	Taiwan (Formosa).....	(*)	.....
Miyazaki Ken.....	8	.....			
Miye Ken.....	79	25	Totals.....	964	257

* Ninety-two cases of plague; no report as to deaths.

Vessels inspected at Yokohama.

YOKOHAMA, June 1, 1897.

SIR: I have the honor to report that, since February 28, the date of my last return, I have inspected vessels as follows:

Date.	Vessel.	For—
1897.		
Mar. 3	Sailing vessel Bering.....	San Francisco.
Mar. 4	Steamship Monmouthshire.....	Portland via Victoria.
Mar. 5	Steamship Sakura Maru.....	Seattle via Honolulu.
Mar. 6	Sailing vessel Indiana.....	New York or Philadelphia via Hilo, Hawaii.
Mar. 8	Steamship Coptic.....	San Francisco.
Mar. 8	Sailing vessel Sonoma.....	Do.
Mar. 8	Sailing vessel St. Lawrence.....	Seattle via North Pacific.
Mar. 8	Steamship Braemar.....	Tacoma via Victoria.
Mar. 12	Steamship Macduff.....	New York via ports.
Mar. 13	Steamship Rio de Janeiro.....	San Francisco via Honolulu.
Mar. 17	Sailing vessel Tenkio Maru.....	Portland, Oreg.
Mar. 22	Steamship Benmohr.....	New York via ports.
Mar. 22	Steamship Tacoma.....	Tacoma via Victoria.
Mar. 24	Steamship Gaelic.....	San Francisco.
Mar. 29	Steamship Tenshin Maru.....	Seattle via Victoria.
Apr. 3	Steamship Victoria.....	Tacoma via Victoria.
Apr. 4	Steamship City of Peking.....	San Francisco.
Apr. 13	Steamship Doric.....	San Francisco via Honolulu.
Apr. 13	Sailing vessel St. Katherine.....	Royal Roads or Port Townsend.
Apr. 14	Steamship Matsuyama Maru.....	Seattle.
Apr. 19	Steamship Pelican.....	Tacoma via Victoria.
Apr. 22	Steamship Olympia.....	Do.
Apr. 24	Steamship China.....	San Francisco via Honolulu.
May 4	Steamship Belgic.....	Do.
May 6	Sailing vessel Guardian.....	San Francisco.
May 9	Steamship Glenavon.....	Do.
May 11	Steamship Mount Lebanon.....	Tacoma via Victoria.
May 14	Steamship Peru.....	San Francisco via Honolulu.
May 14	Sailing vessel Kitty Flickinger.....	Port Townsend.
May 17	Steamship Hupeh.....	San Francisco via Vancouver.
May 17	Steamship Pathan.....	Tacoma via Victoria.
May 17	Sailing vessel Arthur Fitger.....	Port Townsend.
May 18	Steamship Yamaguchi Maru.....	Seattle.
May 19	Steamship Sikh.....	New York via ports.
May 21	Steamship Carmarthenshire.....	Do.
May 22	Steamship Coptic.....	San Francisco via Honolulu.
May 24	Steamship Monmouthshire.....	Portland via Victoria.
May 25	Sailing vessel Aryan.....	New York or Philadelphia via Honolulu.
May 26	Sailing vessel Theodor.....	Port Townsend.
May 26	Sailing vessel Roanoke.....	New York via Honolulu.
May 29	Steamship Braemar.....	Tacoma via Victoria.

All of the foregoing ships were free of infection, with the exception of the steamship *Victoria*, for Tacoma, April 3, and the steamship *Braemar*, for same port, May 29, from each of which 1 case of smallpox was removed in Yokohama, and as thorough disinfection as was possible under the circumstances made in each case.

I am, sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

STUART ELDRIDGE, M. D.,

Sanitary Inspector U. S. M. H. S.

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Quarantine at Lima against arrivals from Panama.

June 21, 1897.

SIR: By direction of the Secretary of State, I have the honor to quote the following telegram, dated the 18th instant, from our chargé d'affaires *ad interim* at Lima:—

“Arrivals from Panama subject to quarantine five to ten days; yellow fever.”

Respectfully, yours,

WILLIAM R. DAY,
Assistant Secretary

Hon. SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

UNITED STATES OF COLOMBIA.

Sanitary report from Panama.

PANAMA, June 15, 1897.

SIR: In compliance with the act of February 15, 1893, I have the honor to make the following report of contagious diseases, and deaths occurring therefrom, at this place during the ten days ended this day, for the information of the Supervising Surgeon-General of the Marine-Hospital Service:

Yellow fever.—I know of 2 cases, both getting well. Of course there are some more, but I can not find them. The disease is evidently dying out.

Population, estimated, 30,000.

Prevailing diseases—Fever.—Among the Africans working on the canal there is beriberi; some 200 of them are at the hospital; mortality not great, provided they are soon repatriated to the Congo, whence they came some three months ago.

Respectfully, yours,

VICTOR VIFQUAIN,
United States Consul-General.

STATISTICAL REPORTS.

GREAT BRITAIN—*England and Wales.*—The deaths registered in 33 great towns in England and Wales during the week ended June 5 correspond to an annual rate of 17.4 a thousand of the aggregate population, which is estimated at 10,860,971. The highest rate was recorded in Salford, viz, 27.1, and the lowest in Birkenhead and Derby, viz, 13.1 a thousand.

London.—One thousand three hundred and twenty deaths were registered during the week, including measles, 21; scarlet fever, 15; diphtheria, 33; whooping cough, 29; enteric fever, 8, and diarrhea and dysentery, 14. The deaths from all causes correspond to an annual rate of 15.4 a thousand. In greater London, 1,710 deaths were registered, corresponding to an annual rate of 14.2 a thousand of the population. In the "outer ring" the deaths included 10 from diphtheria, 6 from measles, 8 from scarlet fever, and 11 from whooping cough.

Ireland.—The average annual death rate represented by the deaths registered during the week ended June 5, in the 23 principal town districts of Ireland was 23.1 a thousand of the population. The lowest rate was recorded in Newtownwards, viz, 5.7, and the highest in Galway, viz, 45.3 a thousand. In Dublin and suburbs 169 deaths were registered, including scarlet fever, 2; measles, 3, and whooping cough, 3.

Scotland.—The deaths registered in 8 principal towns during the week ended June 5 correspond to an annual rate of 20.3 a thousand of the population, which is estimated at 1,549,907. The lowest mortality was recorded in Aberdeen, viz, 10.9, and the highest in Perth, viz, 37.5. The aggregate number of deaths registered from all causes was 605, including measles, 30; scarlet fever, 2, and whooping cough, 40.

SPAIN—*Barcelona.*—Month of April, 1897. Population, 440,000. Total deaths, 232, including enteric fever, 11; diphtheria, 36; smallpox, 20; measles, 28, and phthisis pulmonalis, 100.

MORTALITY TABLE, FOREIGN CITIES.

Cities.	Week ended.	Estimated popula- tion.	Total deaths from all causes.	Deaths from—							
				Cholera.	Yellow fever.	Smallpox.	Typhus fever.	Enteric fever.	Scarlet fever.	Diphtheria.	Whooping cough.
Alexandria.....	May 20.....	231,396	238			4				25	2
Anapala.....	Apr. 17.....	1,500	0								
Do.....	Apr. 25.....	1,500	0								
Do.....	May 1.....	1,500	0								
Amherstburg.....	June 12.....	2,300	0								
Amsterdam.....	June 5.....	495,974	164				1	2			2
Belize.....	June 11.....	13,000	6								
Belleville.....	June 14.....	10,459	2					1			
Bergen.....	May 26.....	57,800	16								1
Bermuda.....	May 28.....	15,013	2								
Do.....	June 4.....	15,013	1								
Bologna.....	June 5.....	121,579	91								
Bluefields.....	do.....	3,000	0								
Bombay.....	May 18.....	821,764	* 547	1						5	
Do.....	May 25.....	821,764	† 541	4		2		1			9
Bradford.....	June 5.....	221,610	86								1
Bristol.....	do.....	232,242	84					1	2	1	2
Brussels.....	May 29.....	507,985	145						1	1	
Cairo.....	May 20.....	374,838	348			3			1	1	
Cairo.....	May 8.....	681,560	560	70		15					2
Calcutta.....	May 15.....	681,560	444	69		4				1	
Callao.....	May 23.....	16,000	18								
Cardenas.....	June 12.....	23,517	37				3	5			
Catania.....	June 1.....	120,000	45								
Chatham.....	June 14.....	9,052	2						1		
Christiania.....	May 29.....	182,856	36							1	
Copenhagen.....	do.....	333,714	119					1	2		1
Crefeld.....	do.....	108,816	42						4	1	
Dresden.....	do.....	351,000	115						2		
Dublin.....	June 5.....	350,000	169					1	1		1
Edinburgh.....	June 10.....	292,364	137					1		13	15
Frankfort.....	May 29.....	236,000	84						1		
Girgenti.....	do.....	24,428	11								
Glasgow.....	June 5.....	714,919	265					2		6	21
Gothenburg.....	May 29.....	114,527	41					1			1
Halifax.....	June 12.....	38,700	11					1			
Honolulu.....	May 29.....	30,000	16								
Iquique.....	May 22.....	33,106	0								
Do.....	May 29.....	33,106	0								
Kingston.....	June 18.....	14,040	9								
Königsburg.....	May 30.....	171,700							1		
Leith.....	June 5.....	75,186	42					1		7	1
Licata.....	May 29.....	20,000	5					1			
Liege.....	June 5.....	166,110	39								
Liverpool.....	do.....	644,129						13	2	14	9
Livingston.....	do.....	1,500	2								
London, Canada.....	June 12.....	34,855	9								
London, England.....	June 5.....	6,291,677	1,710					11	23	43	27
Madras.....	May 14.....	452,518	330			4					40
Maracaibo.....	May 29.....	50,000	10							6	
Matanzas.....	June 2.....	62,000	78					6			
Do.....	June 9.....	62,000	70		3	1		6		1	3
Mayence.....	May 29.....	74,917	36								
Do.....	June 5.....	74,917	42								
Messina.....	do.....	107,000	33								
Montevideo.....	May 15.....	215,061	44					1			
Moscow.....	May 22.....	800,000	570						14	15	4
Munich.....	May 29.....	418,000	188							14	1
Nagasaki.....	May 25.....	71,730								4	1
Newcastle on Tyne.....	May 29.....	212,223	69			12					
Do.....	June 5.....	212,223	65							4	1
Odessa.....	May 29.....	425,000	128			4			1	2	
Osaka and Hiogo.....	May 22.....	182,750	90							1	
Palermo.....	May 29.....	273,000	129								
Paris.....	June 5.....	2,511,855	860			1		6	2	5	31
Prague.....	May 29.....	193,097	128								5
Puerto Cortes.....	June 9.....	2,000	0							1	4
Rheims.....	June 5.....	108,943	39								
Rio de Janeiro.....	May 15.....	679,000	1259		3			1			
Rio Grande du Sul.....	Apr. 3.....	20,000	13			1					
Do.....	Apr. 10.....	20,000	14			1					
Do.....	Apr. 17.....	20,000	12			1					
Do.....	Apr. 24.....	20,000	16			1					
Do.....	May 1.....	20,000	14								

* Bubonic plague, 67.

† Bubonic plague, 56.

‡ Beriberi, 5.

MORTALITY TABLE, FOREIGN CITIES—Continued.

Cities.	Week ended.	Estimated population.	Total deaths from all causes.	Deaths from—							
				Cholera.	Yellow fever.	Smallpox.	Typhus fever.	Enteric fever.	Scarlet fever.	Diphtheria.	Measles. Whooping cough.
Rome	Apr. 10....	482,921	148	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	2
Do.....	Apr. 17....	482,921	157	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	5
Do.....	Apr. 24....	482,921	144	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Do.....	May 1.....	142,921	147	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	3
Sagua la Grande.....	June 5.....	17,536	35	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Helena.....	Apr. 24....	3,600	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Do.....	May 1.....	3,600	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Do.....	May 8.....	3,600	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Do.....	May 15....	3,600	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Thomas.....	May 14....	12,019	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Do.....	May 21....	12,019	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Do.....	May 28....	12,019	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Do.....	June 4.....	12,019	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sheffield.....	May 29....	324,243	163	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	4	3
Do.....	June 5.....	324,243	157	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	8	1
Sonneberg.....	May 22....	12,150	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Stockholm.....	May 29....	274,611	81	.....	.....	.....	1	2	.....	2	.....
Tegucigalpa.....	May 22....	12,000	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Do.....	May 29....	12,000	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Trapani.....	do.....	42,095	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tuxpan.....	do.....	10,280	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Venice.....	.....	165,222	39	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Vera Cruz.....	June 10....	30,000	33	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Yokohama.....	May 6.....	170,252	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Do.....	May 12....	170,252	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....

By authority of the Secretary of the Treasury :

WALTER WYMAN,
Supervising Surgeon-General U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.