

## PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS.

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[Reports to the Surgeon-General Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service.]

*Summary of work in Chinatown, San Francisco, for week ended  
September 19, 1903.*

The following is received from Passed Assistant Surgeon Blue, at San Francisco, under date of September 21, being record of work in Chinatown for week ended September 19, 1903:

Buildings reinspected .....	186
Rooms reinspected .....	1,588
Persons inspected .....	1,563
Sick .....	20
Prescribed for at Oriental Dispensary .....	13
Dead examined .....	4
Necropsies .....	1
Provisional diagnosis of plague .....	1
Rats bacteriologically examined .....	17
Number showing pest infection .....	0
Places limed and disinfected .....	380
Times streets swept .....	3
Sewers flushed .....	20
Notices to abate plumbing nuisances .....	48
Plumbing nuisances abated .....	57
Total number plumbing inspections .....	151

*Report of sanitary inspector at Key West on sanitary conditions at  
Habana and Daiquiri, Cuba.*

KEY WEST, *September 15, 1903.*

SIR: I have the honor to state that, in compliance with Bureau instructions of May 25 to visit Habana, Cuba, at least once a month until October, I left this place last Monday, the 7th instant, reaching Habana the next morning, and remained there until Thursday noon, the 10th instant, when I returned here, and from here proceeded the same night to Miami, Fla. While in Habana I called upon Dr. Carlos Finlay, the chief sanitary officer of the island of Cuba, and discussed with him the reports which seemed to have gained notice in the press of northern United States of contagious sickness at Daiquiri, Cuba.

Doctor Finlay assured me that from reports received by him from Dr. John Guiteras, who had been dispatched to Daiquiri to investigate any sickness thereat, he felt confident that there were no grounds for the alarm which seemed to have prevailed in the United States and for the unfavorable newspaper notices of Cuba's sanitation. Doctor Guiteras says that there has not been, nor is there now existing, at Daiquiri any sickness in anywise suspicious. The sickness and few deaths which have occurred among the workers in the mines at Daiquiri have been due entirely to malarial fever of a malignant type. While in Habana I looked over the business city pretty thoroughly, and regret to state that the sanitation is not up to the mark of a year ago. Every now and then, in the busy portions, I detected the old foul odors which were so common during the Spanish occupancy and which when once smelled never can be forgotten.

In talking to Doctor Trotter, I find that he too is convinced that there has been a "falling off" in sanitary requirements from the year previous. Along the Prado, and outside of the old walls, a better system seems to prevail, and marked attention appears to be given to collecting the droppings of animals and the gathering of trash, the drives being neat and well kept. The cases of yellow fever introduced from Mexico were well handled, especially the case which developed ashore after two or three days from landing. There was no spread, and I am told from reliable source that a vigorous crusade was made in the entire block against mosquitoes and possible infection therefrom.

There is no good reason why quarantine restrictions for yellow fever should be continued by any intelligent community against Habana or Cuba outside of Habana. The past year demonstrated I think pretty clearly the sound judgment and wisdom of the course pursued by the Florida national quarantine authorities in dealing with this problem as far as Cuba is concerned. It was recognized that Cuba was not an infected territory at this time, and until it was demonstrated and proven that yellow fever did exist in Cuba, the policy in communication would have been inconsistent in insisting upon disinfection, immunity certificate, or detention of passengers and cargo. The source of apprehension this season was Mexico, and I am especially indebted to the Bureau for the support of my position toward communication between Mexico and Pensacola by the Gulf Transit Company. Subsequent events at Habana, I think, fully show that my fears were not needless.

Respectfully,

JOSEPH E. PORTER,  
*Sanitary Inspector.*

*Inspection service, Mexican border.*

*El Paso, Tex.*—Acting Assistant Surgeon Alexander reports, September 12, 1903, as follows:

WEEK ENDED SEPTEMBER 12, 1903.

Inspection Mexican Central passengers .....	240
Inspection Rio Grande and Pacific passengers .....	23
Inspection Mexican immigrants .....	80
Special inspection of Syrian immigrants .....	3
Inspection certificate, cause of death of corpse in coffin imported into United States .....	1
Disinfection soiled linen imported for laundry .....	544 pieces
Disinfection of baggage of passengers from Vera Cruz and Tampico.	
Detention of 5 persons (3 for four days and 2 for two days) to complete requisite time arriving from infected ports.	
Vaccination immigrant children .....	5

*Spread of yellow fever in State of Tamaulipas, Mexico—Necessity for quarantine.*

[Telegrams.]

BROWNSVILLE, TEX., *September 16, 1903.*

WYMAN, *Washington:*

Spread of yellow fever epidemic in the State of Tamaulipas requires the immediate establishment of a rigid quarantine against the entire State.

MARIS, *Collector.*

[Reply.]

WASHINGTON, *September 21, 1903.*

COLLECTOR CUSTOMS, *Brownsville, Tex.:*

Thanks for information—your telegram 16th. Guards will be authorized, if necessity arises, under supervision Acting Assistant Surgeon Combe, upon plan now in operation at Laredo and Eagle Pass.

WYMAN.

WASHINGTON, *September 17, 1903.*

Actg. Asst. Surg. J. K. COMBE, *Brownsville, Tex.:*

Confer with collector customs and wire recommendations regarding necessity establishment quarantine against introduction yellow fever. Report regarding conditions.

WYMAN.

[Reply.]

BROWNSVILLE, TEX., *September 18, 1903.*

WYMAN, *Washington:*

Matamoros is now quarantined against all infected points in Mexico, and every precaution being taken by the Mexican authorities there to prevent introduction of yellow fever. Do not think quaran-

tine between Brownsville and Matamoras at present necessary. Collector should be authorized to appoint a number of guards for emergency.

J. K. COMBE,  
*Acting Assistant Surgeon.*

[Reply.]

WASHINGTON, *September 21, 1903.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon COMBE, *Brownsville, Tex.:*

If necessity arises you will be authorized to employ guards under your supervision.

WYMAN.

*Guards and camp equipment at Eagle Pass.*

EAGLE PASS, TEX., *September 19, 1903.*

WYMAN, *Washington:*

County and State anxious over fever situation. Four additional guards and camp outfit absolutely necessary for protection. Will put all suspects in camp.

HUME.

WASHINGTON, *September 21, 1903.*

HUME, *Eagle Pass, Tex.:*

Submit nomination by letter and place on duty immediately four additional guards. Twelve tents and outfit ordered shipped you from New Orleans.

WYMAN.

*Guards at Laredo, Tex.*

WASHINGTON, *September 21, 1903.*

HAMILTON, *Laredo, Tex.:*

You are authorized to employ four additional guards 18th. Why are two additional mounted guards necessary, as requested your message 20th? Wire present situation.

WYMAN.

*Quarantine on Texas border—Yellow fever at Nuevo Laredo.*

AUSTIN, TEX., *September 17, 1903.*

WYMAN, *Washington:*

Thanks for your assistance. Texas Rangers will aid us on border, as well as other guards. Quarantine at Laredo is perfect. I was

there yesterday. Saw one case yellow fever. Mexican officials claim epidemic of dengue, but it is evidently yellow fever. No cases on Texas side.

TABOR,  
*State Health Officer.*

*Attempts at Laredo, Mexico, to break through river cordon.*

LAREDO, TEX., *September 18, 1903.*

WYMAN, *Washington:*

County judge and postmaster Zapata County telegraphs this morning: "People from Laredo, Mexico, attempting to cross at various points. Need at least four more guards for few days." Request authority to employ guards.

HAMILTON.

*Additional guards for Zapata County.*

WASHINGTON, *September 18, 1903.*

HAMILTON, *Laredo, Tex.:*

Place on duty and submit nomination to Bureau by letter four additional guards for Zapata County.

PURVIANCE, *Acting Surgeon-General.*

LAREDO, TEX., *September 21, 1903.*

WYMAN, *Washington:*

Regarding matter mentioned in your telegram, September 21, guard line covers about 300 miles river. On duty, Bureau guards, Zapata, 10; Webb, 18; Texas guards, 8; city Laredo, 3; Webb County, 2; Zapata County, 12; the customs officer, 10 for night and day; about 50 skiffs and 50 fords in territory guarded. Two guards are needed at 15 miles from Laredo to watch 5 miles of river where are 3 skiffs. The vice-consul reports dengue epidemic raging Nuevo Laredo, Mexico; few deaths; believes no cases yellow fever exist. This is the situation at the present writing, but it may change at any moment.

HAMILTON.

*Quarantine at Laredo, Tex.—Epidemic dengue.*

LAREDO, TEX., *September 18, 1903.*

WYMAN, *Washington:*

Laredo, Mexico, authorities claim yellow fever does not exist. Case seen now convalescent. Officials report no suspicious cases there. Epidemic dengue acknowledged. Total guards, including customs, immigration, State, county, city, and Bureau, 52, all under supervision of customs inspectors, cover 100 miles frontier.

HAMILTON.

LAREDO, TEX., *September 20, 1903.*WYMAN, *Washington:*

Arrived Laredo. Have inspected Service quarantine. City, State, and Service working in harmony and efficiently.

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Leaving for New Orleans to-morrow.

RICHARDSON.

*Yellow fever in Monterey.*LAREDO, TEX., *September 21, 1903.*WYMAN, *Washington:*

Texas inspector at Monterey reports yellow fever is now present in Monterey. Will return to Texas via Eagle Pass, Tex.

HAMILTON.

MONTEREY, *September 23, 1903.*SECRETARY OF STATE, *Washington:*

Doctors report yellow fever in Monterey. Hope to control it.

HANNA,

*Consul-General.*

*Statistical reports of States and cities of the United States—Yearly and monthly.*

CALIFORNIA—*Oakland.*—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 83,000. Total number of deaths, 87, including diphtheria 3, enteric fever 1, and 12 from tuberculosis.

*Sacramento.*—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 30,000. Total number of deaths, 38, including enteric fever 1, scarlet fever 1, whooping cough 1, and 1 from phthisis pulmonalis.

*San Diego.*—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 20,000. Total number of deaths, 16, including 2 from phthisis pulmonalis.

COLORADO—*Denver.*—Month of July, 1903. Estimated population, 175,000. Total number of deaths, 241, including diphtheria 6, enteric fever 2, scarlet fever 1, whooping cough 3, and 54 from tuberculosis.

FLORIDA—*Tampa.*—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 2,000. Total number of deaths, 15, including 4 from tuberculosis.

INDIANA—*Evansville.*—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 70,000. Total number of deaths, 68, including enteric fever, 2, and 14 from tuberculosis.

IOWA—*Des Moines.*—Month of August, 1903. Estimated popu-

lation, 80,000. Total number of deaths, 58. No deaths from contagious diseases reported.

*Dubuque*.—Two weeks ended September 12, 1903. Estimated population, 40,000. Total number of deaths, 20. No deaths from contagious diseases reported.

*Keokuk*.—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 16,000. Total number of deaths, 4. No deaths from contagious diseases reported.

*Ottumwa*.—Month of July, 1903. Estimated population, 22,000. Total number of deaths, 23, including enteric fever, 1, and 3 from tuberculosis.

Month of August, 1903. Total number of deaths, 30, including enteric fever, 1, and 3 from tuberculosis.

LOUISIANA—*New Orleans*.—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 310,000—white, 227,000; colored, 83,000. Total number of deaths, 486—white, 313; colored, 173—including diphtheria, 2; enteric fever, 21; whooping cough, 3, and 79 from tuberculosis.

MICHIGAN.—Reports to the State board of health, Lansing, for the week ended September 12, 1903, from 84 observers, indicate that bronchitis, tonsillitis, and pneumonia were more prevalent, and pleuritis, scarlet fever, and whooping cough were less prevalent than in the preceding week. Meningitis was reported present at 4, measles at 10, whooping cough at 23, smallpox at 27, diphtheria at 31, scarlet fever at 45, enteric fever at 88, and phthisis pulmonalis at 216, places.

*Grand Rapids*.—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 95,000. Total number of deaths, 123, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 2, and 8 from tuberculosis.

NEW HAMPSHIRE—*Concord*.—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 20,000. Total number of deaths, 31, including 1 from tuberculosis.

NEW YORK—*Buffalo*.—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 380,000. Total number of deaths, 538, including diphtheria 15, enteric fever 9, measles 13, scarlet fever 3, whooping cough 4, and 39 from tuberculosis.

NORTH CAROLINA—*Charlotte*.—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 30,000. Total number of deaths, 36, including enteric fever, 4, and 1 from tuberculosis,

PENNSYLVANIA—*Altoona*.—Month of August, 1903. Census population, 38,973. Total number of deaths, 63, including diphtheria, 1; enteric fever, 2; whooping cough, 2, and 2 from tuberculosis.

RHODE ISLAND—*Newport*.—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 28,000. Total number of deaths, 26, including diphtheria, 1, and 4 from tuberculosis.

TENNESSEE—*Chattanooga*.—Months of July and August, 1903.

Estimated population, 40,000; white, 27,000; colored, 13,000. Total number of deaths, 82; white, 40; colored, 42, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 3, smallpox 1, and 9 from tuberculosis.

*Knoxville.*—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 40,000; white, 30,000; colored, 10,000. Total number of deaths, 48; white, 37; colored, 11, including enteric fever 4, and 4 from tuberculosis.

*Nashville.*—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 81,803; white, 51,387; colored, 30,416. Total number of deaths, 131; white, 62; colored, 69, including enteric fever 12, measles 1, whooping cough 1, and 16 from tuberculosis.

WASHINGTON—*Seattle.*—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 125,000. Total number of deaths, 116, including diphtheria 1, enteric fever 5, and 13 from tuberculosis.

*Tacoma.*—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 55,000. Total number of deaths, 36, including diphtheria 1, and 4 from tuberculosis.

*Report of immigration at Baltimore for the week ended September 19, 1903.*

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION,  
*Port of Baltimore, September 19, 1903.*

*Number of aliens who arrived at this port during the week ended September 19, 1903; also names of vessels and ports from which they came.*

Date.	Name of vessel.	From—	Number of aliens.
Sept. 13	Neckar .....	Bremen .....	2,014
16	Rhein .....	do .....	1,561
18	Salvatore Di Giorgio .....	Port Antonio.....	10
	Total .....		3,585

BERTRAM H. STUMP,  
*Acting Commissioner.*

*Report of immigration at Boston.*

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION,  
Port of Boston, September 13, 1903.

Number of alien immigrants who arrived at this port during the week ended September 12, 1903; also names of vessels and ports from which they came.

Date of arrival.	Vessel.	Where from.	Number of immigrants.
Sept. 6	Prince Arthur .....	Yarmouth, Nova Scotia .....	340
7	Halifax .....	Halifax, Nova Scotia .....	106
7	Admiral Dewey .....	Port Antonio, Jamaica .....	6
7	Sarmatian .....	Glasgow, Scotland .....	96
7	Canadian .....	Liverpool, England .....	4
8	Colorado .....	Hull, England .....	7
8	Prince George .....	Yarmouth, Nova Scotia .....	107
8	English King .....	Antwerp, Belgium .....	1
9	Annie .....	Salmon River, Nova Scotia .....	1
9	Prince Arthur .....	Yarmouth, Nova Scotia .....	80
9	Admiral Sampson .....	Port Antonio, Jamaica .....	8
10	Prince George .....	Yarmouth, Nova Scotia .....	72
10	Olivette .....	Halifax, Nova Scotia .....	100
11	Prince Arthur .....	Yarmouth, Nova Scotia .....	76
11	Canada .....	Liverpool, England .....	377
12	Prince George .....	Yarmouth, Nova Scotia .....	114
12	Ultonia .....	Liverpool, England .....	357
12	Syren .....	Nova Scotia .....	1
	Total .....		1,853

GEORGE B. BILLINGS, *Commissioner.*

*Report of immigration at New York.*

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION,  
Port of New York, September 14, 1903.

Number of alien immigrants who arrived at this port during the week ended September 12, 1903; also names of vessels and ports from which they came.

Date of arrival.	Vessel.	Where from.	Number of immigrants.
Sept. 8	United States .....	Copenhagen .....	752
8	Deutschland .....	Hamburg .....	227
8	Napolitan Prince .....	Naples .....	1,005
8	Furnessia .....	Glasgow .....	350
8	Statendam .....	Rotterdam .....	582
8	Finland .....	Antwerp .....	1,352
8	Theopis .....	Rio de Janeiro .....	84
8	Parima .....	West Indian ports .....	24
8	Ponce .....	San Juan .....	6
8	Trinidad .....	Bermuda .....	7
8	Havana .....	Habana .....	7
8	Vera .....	West Indian ports .....	1
9	Grosser Kurfürst .....	Bremen .....	1,270
9	Majestic .....	Liverpool .....	282
9	Laurentian .....	Glasgow .....	69
9	Chas. Tiberhien .....	Algiers .....	1
9	Navigator .....	Maracaibo .....	1
9	Sellacia .....	Cardiff .....	1
10	Graf Waldersee .....	Hamburg .....	835
10	Prinzess Irene .....	Naples .....	811
10	Aurania .....	Liverpool .....	511
10	Maranhense .....	Para .....	10
10	F. B. Wade .....	Porto Rico .....	1
11	Buenos Aires .....	Genoa .....	872
11	Roma .....	Naples .....	749
11	British Empire .....	Antwerp .....	2
11	Francesco .....	Calais .....	1
11	Mannie Swan .....	San Juan .....	1
12	Campania .....	Liverpool .....	491
12	Citta di Milano .....	Naples .....	1,182
12	La Savoie .....	Havre .....	610
12	New York .....	Southampton .....	333
	Total .....		12,430

WM. WILLIAMS, *Commissioner.*

*Report of immigration at Philadelphia.*

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION,  
Port of Philadelphia, September 14, 1908.

*Number of alien immigrants who arrived at this port during the week ended September 12, 1908; also names of vessels and ports from which they came.*

Date of arrival.	Vessel.	Where from.	Number of immigrants.
1908.			
Sept. 6	East Point .....	London .....	1
7	Belgenland .....	Liverpool and Queenstown .....	226
8	Siberian .....	Glasgow .....	4
	Total .....		231

JAMES P. ROBBINS, *Acting Commissioner.*

OFFICE OF U. S. COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION,  
Port of Philadelphia, September 19, 1908.

*Number of alien immigrants who arrived at this port during the week ended September 19, 1908; also names of vessels and ports from which they came.*

Date of arrival.	Vessel.	Where from.	Number of immigrants.
1908.			
Sept. 13	Haverford .....	Liverpool and Queenstown .....	444
16	Pennland .....	Antwerp .....	461
17	Cymbeline .....	Berry, England .....	3
18	Gutheil .....	Shields .....	1
	Total .....		909

JNO. J. S. RODGERS, *Commissioner.*

*Inspection of immigrants.*

## MONTHLY.

Place.	Month ended—	Number of immigrants passed.	Number of immigrants rejected.
Baltimore, Md. ....	Aug. 31	4,023	62
Eagle Pass, Tex. ....	do	200	10
San Juan, P. R. ....	do	155	1
Subports, P. R. ....	do	6	0

Reports from national quarantine

Number.	Name of station.	Week ended—	Name of vessel.	Date of arrival.	Port of departure.
1	UNITED STATES:				
2	Alexandria, Va .....	Sept. 12			
3	Beaufort, N. C. ....	Sept. 19			
3	Biscayne Bay, Fla. ....	Sept. 14			
4	Boca Grande, Fla.—				
5	Punta Gorda .....	Sept. 19			
6	Puntarasa .....	do			
6	Brunswick, Ga .....	Sept. 12	Port. bk. Oriente <sup>a</sup> .....	Sept. 5	Rio de Janeiro, via Barbados.
			Nor. bk. Patagonia .....	do	Port Natal, via Tybee Roads.
7	Cape Charles, Va .....	do			
8	Cape Fear, N. C. ....	do			
9	Cedar Keys, Fla. ....	Sept. 19			
10	Columbia River, Oreg. ....	Sept. 5			
11	Cumberland Sound, Fla. ....	Sept. 19			
12	Delaware Break water, Lewes, Del. ....	Sept. 12			
13	Dutch Harbor, Alaska .....	July 25			
14	Eastport, Me .....	Sept. 17			
15	Eureka, Cal .....	Sept. 5			
16	Grays Harbor, Wash .....	Sept. 12			
17	Gulf quarantine, Ship Island, Miss. ....	do	Am. schr. Henrietta J. Powell, <sup>a</sup>	Aug. 31	Vera Cruz .....
			Am. schr. Minnie Williams	Sept. 7	Campeche .....
			Br. ship Harvest Queen	Sept. 8	Port Natal .....
18	Key West, Fla. ....	do			
19	Los Angeles, Cal .....	Sept. 5			
20	Newbern, N. C. ....	Sept. 12			
21	Nome, Alaska .....	Aug. 22			
		Aug. 29			
22	Pascagoula, Miss .....	Sept. 13			
23	Port Angeles, Wash .....	Sept. 5			
24	Portland, Me. ....	Sept. 12			
25	Port Townsend, Wash. ....	do			
26	Reedy Island, Del. ....	do			
27	St. Johns River, Fla .....	do			
28	San Francisco, Cal .....	Sept. 5	Ger. ss. Luxor <sup>a</sup> .....	Aug. 29	Hamburg .....
			Am. ss. Curacao .....	Sept. 1	Guaymas .....
29	San Pedro, Cal .....	do			

<sup>a</sup> Previously reported.

and inspection stations.

Number.	Destination.	Treatment of vessel, passengers, and cargo.	Date of departure.	Remarks.	Vessels inspected and passed.
1				No report	
2				No report	
3				1 vessel spoken and passed.	1
4				No report	
5				do	
6	Brunswick	Discharged ballast and disinfected.	Sept. 11		1
	do	Preliminary disinfection. Held to discharge ballast and disinfect.			
7					6
8					4
9				No report	
10				Am. bk. Harry Morse from Nushagak, Alaska, considered suspicious; held; released by Bureau order.	4
11				No report	
12					2
13				No report	
14					29
15				No transactions	
16				No report	
17	Pascagoula	Disinfected and held.	Sept. 7		2
	do	do	Sept. 12		
18	Gulfport	Disinfected to kill rats	Sept. 9		8
19				No transactions	
20				do	
21					3
22				2 vessels spoken and passed.	6
23				No transactions	2
24					1
25				Glandular examination, Jap. ss. Iyomaru, from Hongkong, U. S. A. T. Dix, from Manila, and Am. schr. Solano from Honolulu.	7
26				1 vessel spoken and passed.	18
27				8 vessels spoken and passed. 4 steamships passed without inspection.	1
28	San Francisco	Detained. Holds fumigated with sulphur.	Aug. 30	2 vessels boarded and passed.	10
	do	Detained. Fumigated with sulphur.	Sept. 2	Temperatures taken of all on board Am. ss. San Juan, from Panama, Am. ss. Alameda, from Honolulu, and Am. ss. Curacao, Guaymas, and suspicious cases examined physically. 4 passengers from Mazatlan on Am. ss. San Juan held to complete 7 days. Glandular regions of fore-castle crew and steerage passengers of Br. ss. Gaelic, from Hongkong, examined. Glandular regions of all on board Am. ss. Nevada and Am. ship Marion Chilcott, from Honolulu, examined.	
29				No transactions	

Reports from national quarantine

Number.	Name of station.	Week ended—	Name of vessel.	Date of arrival.	Port of departure.
30	Santa Barbara, Cal.....	Sept. 5			
31	Santa Rosa, Fla.....	Sept. 7	Nor. bk. Sherwood a.....	Aug. 17	Haugersund.....
			Ger. bk. Nil Desperandum a.....	Aug. 24	Algoa Bay.....
			Br. ss. Egremont Castle a.....	Aug. 26	Vera Cruz.....
			Br. ss. Dorisbrook.....	Sept. 1	Tampico.....
		Sept. 14	Am. ss. Pensacola.....	do	do
			Br. bktn. C. B. Whidden.....	Sept. 8	Santos.....
			Br. ss. Brantwood.....	do	Tampico.....
			Br. ss. August Belmont.....	Sept. 13	do
			Br. ss. Framfield.....	Sept. 14	Coatzacoalcos.....
			Nor. bk. Patagonia a.....	Sept. 1	Port Natal.....
32	Savannah, Ga.....	Sept. 12			
33	Sitka, Alaska.....	Aug. 29			
34	South Atlantic Quarantine, Blackbeard Island, Ga.	Sept. 5 Sept. 12			
35	South Bend, Wash.....	Sept. 5			
36	Tampa Bay, Fla.....	Sept. 12			
37	Washington, N. C.....	do			
<b>HAWAII:</b>					
38	Hilo.....	Aug. 22			
39	Honolulu.....	Aug. 29			
40	Kahului.....	do			
41	Kihei.....	do			
42	Koloa.....	do			
43	Lahaina.....	do			
<b>PHILIPPINE ISLANDS:</b>					
44	Cebu.....	Aug. 1			
45	Iloilo.....	do			
46	Jolo.....	do			
47	Manila.....	Aug. 8			
<b>PUERTO RICO:</b>					
48	Ponce.....	Sept. 5	Ger. ss. Valdivia.....	Sept. 5	Hamburg.....
49	San Juan.....	do			
<b>Subports—</b>					
50	Aguadilla.....	do			
51	Arecibo.....	do			
52	Arroyo.....	do			
53	Fajardo.....	{Aug. 2a Sept. 5}			
54	Humacao.....	do			
55	Mayaguez.....	do			

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## and inspection stations—Continued.

Number.	Destination.	Treatment of vessel, passengers, and cargo.	Date of departure.	Remarks.	Vessels inspected and passed.
31	Pensacola	Ballast discharged; hold cleaned.	Sept. 1	No transactions	4
	do	Ballast discharged; fumigated to kill rats.	Sept. 7		
	do	Disinfected	Sept. 1		
	do	do	Sept. 6	One case of malarial fever removed.	
	do	do	Sept. 7		
	do	Ballast discharged; vessel disinfected.	Sept. 12	U. S. S. Nashville passed on certificate of surgeon.	5
	do	Disinfected	Sept. 13	One case of malarial fever removed.	
	do	Disinfected and held.			
	do	Disinfected and held.			
32	Tybee, for orders.	Held subject to quarantine regulations.	Sept. 11	Sailed for Brunswick	8
33					2
34					2
					1
35				No transactions	
36					1
37				No transactions	
38				do	
39					10
40				No transactions	
41				No report	
42				No transactions	
43				do	
44				No report	
45				do	
46				do	
47				do	
48	La Guaira	Held in quarantine	Sept. 5	No passengers for Ponce landed. Crew and cargo landed in quarantine. Bill of health from San Juan not considered clean.	1
49					3
50				No transactions	
51				do	
52				do	
53				do	
54				do	1
55				do	1

Reports from State and

Number.	Name of station.	Week ended—	Name of vessel.	Date of arrival.	Port of departure.
1	Baltimore, Md .....	Sept. 19			
2	Bangor, Me .....	do			
3	Boston, Mass .....	do			
4	Charleston, S. C .....	Sept. 12			
5	Elizabeth River, Va .....	Sept. 19			
6	Galveston, Tex .....	Sept. 12	Br. ss. Yola .....	Sept. 7	Vera Cruz
			Br. ss. Manchester Spinner .....	do	do
			Nor. ss. Uly .....	Sept. 9	New York
			Br. ss. Domingo de Larinaga .....	Sept. 10	Cienfuegos
			Nor. ss. Mercator .....	Sept. 12	do
7	Gardiner, Oreg .....	do			
8	Marcushook, Pa .....	Sept. 19			
9	Mobile Bay, Ala .....	Sept. 5	Nor. ss. Banan .....	Aug. 30	Belize
			Br. ss. Cayo Largo .....	do	Gulfport
			Nor. ss. Hiso .....	Aug. 31	Santiago
			Cuban ss. Mobila .....	do	Habana
			Br. sch. Bartholdi .....	do	Coatzacoalcos
			Nor. ss. Fort Gaines .....	do	Bocas del Toro
			Nor. ss. Espana .....	Sept. 2	Puerto Cortez
			Nor. ss. Spero .....	do	do
			Nor. ss. Gyller .....	Sept. 3	do
			Nor. ss. Telefon .....	Sept. 4	Progreso
			Nor. ss. Managua .....	do	Ceiba
			Nor. ss. Nord .....	do	Nuevitas
			Nor. ss. Colombia .....	Sept. 5	Bocas del Toro
			Nor. ss. Alm .....	do	Progreso
		Sept. 12	Br. ss. Sarstoon .....	Sept. 6	Trinidad, via Perth Amboy.
			Nor. ss. Fort Morgan .....	Sept. 7	Bocas del Toro
			Nor. bk. Araby Maid .....	do	Port Natal
			Cuban ss. Mobila .....	do	Habana
			Br. sch. Boniform .....	Sept. 8	do
			Sch. E. Frank Neally .....	do	Sagua
			Nor. ss. Agnes .....	Sept. 9	Bluefields
			Am. sch. Nan M. Dantzier .....	do	Frontera
			Nor. ss. Condor .....	do	Ceiba
			Nor. ss. Iberia .....	do	Puerto Cortez
			Nor. ss. Hispania .....	do	Limon
			Nor. ss. Harald .....	do	Bocas del Toro
			Nor. ss. Taunton .....	Sept. 10	Limon
			Br. ss. Oakwood .....	do	Port Natal
10	New Bedford, Mass .....	Sept. 19			
11	New Orleans, La .....	Sept. 5	Fr. ss. Canaria <sup>a</sup> .....	Aug. 25	Santos and Rio de Janeiro.
			Br. ss. Capella <sup>a</sup> .....	Aug. 26	Mexican ports...
			Nor. ss. Origen .....	Aug. 30	Ceiba
			Am. ss. Louisiana .....	do	Habana
			Br. ss. Anselm .....	Aug. 31	Puerto Cortez, via Belize.
			Nor. ss. Dagfin .....	do	Mexican ports...
			Ger. ss. Alps .....	Sept. 1	Vera Cruz
			Br. ss. Olympia .....	Sept. 2	Limon
			Br. ss. Texan .....	do	Colon and Mexican ports.
			Nor. ss. Mount Vernon .....	do	Bocas del Toro
			Nor. ss. Hiram .....	do	Puerto Cortez
			Port. bk. Leonor .....	Sept. 3	Fara
			Br. ss. Rosina .....	do	Ceiba
			Am. ss. Excelsior .....	Sept. 4	Habana
			Nor. ss. Utstein .....	do	Bluefields
			Nor. ss. Venua .....	do	Port Limon
			Sp. ss. Santanderino .....	do	Matanzas
			Br. ss. Chaucer .....	Sept. 5	Santos and Rio de Janeiro.
12	Newport News, Va .....	Sept. 19			
13	Newport, R. I .....	do			
14	New York, N. Y .....	do			
15	Pass Cavallo, Tex .....	do			
16	Port Royal, S. C .....	Sept. 12			
17	Providence, R. I .....	Sept. 19			
18	Quintana, Tex .....	do			
19	Sabine Pass, Tex .....	do			
20	St. Helena Entrance, S. C .....	do			

<sup>a</sup> Previously reported.

*municipal quarantine stations.*

Number.	Destination.	Treatment of vessel, passengers, and cargo.	Date of departure.	Remarks.	Vessels inspected and passed.
1				No report	
2				do	
3				do	
4					1
5				No report	
6	Galveston	Disinfected		5 cases of malaria	29
	do	do		6 cases of malaria	
	do	do	Sept. 9		
	do	do	Sept. 10		
	do	do	Sept. 13		
7				No report	
8				do	
9	Mobile	Disinfected	Aug. 30		3
	do	Held	Aug. 31	1 case of malaria	
	do	Disinfected	do		
	do	do	do		
	do	Disinfected and held	Sept. 5		
	do	Disinfected	Aug. 31		
	do	do	Sept. 2		
	do	do	do		
	do	do	Sept. 3		
	do	Disinfected and held	Sept. 9		
	do	Disinfected	Sept. 4		
	do	do	do		
	do	do	Sept. 5		
	do	Disinfected and held	Sept. 11	1 case malaria	
	do	Disinfected	Sept. 6		4
	do	do	Sept. 7		
	do	Disinfected and held			
	do	Disinfected	Sept. 7		
	do	do	Sept. 8		
	do	do	do		
	do	do	do		
	do	Disinfected and held			
	do	Disinfected	Sept. 9		
	do	do	do		
	do	do	do		
	do	do	do		
	do	do	Sept. 10	1 case of malaria	
10				No report	
11	New Orleans	Disinfected and held	Aug. 30		
	do	do	Aug. 31		
	do	Disinfected	Aug. 30		
	do	do	do		
	do	do	Aug. 31		
	do	Disinfected and held	Sept. 5		
	do	do			
	do	Disinfected	Sept. 2		
	do	Disinfected and held	do		
	do	Disinfected	Sept. 2		
	do	Disinfected and held	Sept. 3		
	do	do	Sept. 4		
	do	do	do		
	do	do	do		
	do	do	do		
	do	Disinfected and held			
12				No report	
13				do	
14				do	
15				do	
16					1
17				No report	
18				do	
19				do	
20				do	

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For reports received from December 27, 1902, to June 26, 1903, see PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS for June 26, 1903.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
<b>Alabama:</b>				
Mobile .....	June 20-Sept. 19	20		
Total for State .....		20		
Total for State, same period, 1902.		1		
<b>California:</b>				
Fresno .....	June 1-June 30	7		
Los Angeles .....	July 12-Sept. 12	19		
Oakland .....	Aug. 1-Aug. 31	7		
Sacramento .....	Aug. 2-Aug. 23	3		
San Francisco .....	June 14-Sept. 13	25		
Total for State .....		61		
Total for State, same period, 1902.		90		
<b>Colorado:</b>				
Adams County .....	Apr. 1-May 31	14		
Archuleta County .....	do	1		
Boulder County .....	Apr. 1-July 31	78		
Chaffee County .....	do	25		
Cheyenne County .....	June 1-June 30	3		
Clear Creek County .....	Apr. 1-June 30	12		
Delta County .....	June 1-July 31	2		
Denver County (Denver included).	Apr. 1-Aug. 29	248		
El Paso County .....	Apr. 1-July 31	9		
Fremont County .....	do	37		
Garfield County .....	do	2		
Gilpin County .....	do	15		
Jefferson County .....	do	46		
Kit Carson County .....	Apr. 1-May 31	6		
Lake County .....	June 1-July 31	7		
Larimer County .....	Apr. 1-July 31	32		
Las Animas County .....	Apr. 1-May 31	2		
Lincoln County .....	do	1		
Logan County .....	do	1		
Mesa County .....	July 1-July 31	3		
Morgan County .....	Apr. 1-May 31	1		
Otero County .....	do	14		
Ouray County .....	July 1-July 31	2		
Park County .....	June 1-June 30	1		
Pueblo County .....	Apr. 1-July 31	10		
Routt County .....	Apr. 1-June 30	82		
San Miguel County .....	July 1-July 31	13		
Summit County .....	Apr. 1-July 31	3		
Teller County .....	Apr. 1-June 30	11		
Washington County .....	Apr. 1-July 31	20		
Weld County .....	do	109		
Yuma County .....	do	25		
Total for State .....		835		
Total for State, same period, 1902.		148		
<b>Georgia:</b>				
Atlanta .....	June 25-July 8	3		
Total for State .....		3		
Total for State, same period, 1902.		1		
<b>Illinois:</b>				
Belleville .....	June 13-Sept. 5	22		
Chicago .....	June 28-Sept. 19	76	5	
Danville .....	July 11-Aug. 1	2		
Total for State .....		100	5	
Total for State, same period, 1902.		83	1	
<b>Indiana:</b>				
Adams County .....	June 1-June 30	1		
Allen County .....	do	8		
Benton County .....	May 1-June 30	3		
Blackford County .....	June 1-June 30	1		
Boone County .....	May 1-June 30	6	1	
Brown County .....	May 1-June 30	18		
Carroll County .....	May 1-May 31	2		

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Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Indiana—Continued.				
Cass County.....	May 1-June 30	44		
Clark County.....	do	9		
Clay County.....	May 1-May 31	10		
Crawford County.....	May 1-June 30	9	1	
Davies County.....	do	32	2	
Dearborn County.....	June 1-June 30	1		
Decatur County.....	May 1-June 30	21		
Dekalb County.....	May 1-May 31	3		
Delaware County.....	May 1-June 30	28		
Fayette County.....	June 1-June 30	2		
Floyd County.....	May 1-June 30	7		
Fountain County.....	May 1-May 31	17		
Fulton County.....	May 1-June 30	10		
Gibson County.....	do	10		
Grant County.....	do	35		
Greene County.....	May 1-May 31	7	1	
Harrison County.....	June 1-June 30	5		
Hendricks County.....	May 1-June 30	11		
Howard County (Kokomo included).	May 1-July 11	15		
Huntington County.....	May 1-May 31	1		
Jackson County.....	do	1		
Jasper County.....	do	30	1	
Jennings County.....	do	1		
Johnson County.....	do	5		
Knox County.....	May 1-June 30	13		
Lake County.....	June 1-June 30	10		
Laporte County.....	May 1-June 30	31		
Lawrence County.....	do	19		
Madison County (Elwood included).	May 1-July 5	47		
Marion County (Indianapolis included).	May 1-July 25	31	4	
Martin County.....	May 1-May 31	20		
Miami County.....	May 1-June 30	14		
Monroe County.....	do	26		
Montgomery County.....	May 1-May 31	1		
Morgan County.....	May 1-June 30	2		
Newton County.....	May 1-May 31	3		
Noble County.....	May 1-June 30	2		
Orange County.....	do	6		
Owen County.....	May 1-May 31	4		
Parke County.....	May 1-June 30	13		
Perry County.....	May 1-May 31	2		
Posey County.....	do	1		
Pulaski County.....	May 1-June 30	5		
Ripley County.....	June 1-June 30	1		
St. Joseph County (South Bend included).	July 19-Sept. 12	3		
Scott County.....	May 1-June 30	5		
Spencer County.....	May 1-May 31	4		
Starke County.....	June 1-June 30	6		
Sullivan County.....	May 1-June 30	13		
Tippecanoe County.....	do	8		
Tipton County.....	June 1-June 30	6		
Vanderburg County.....	May 1-June 30	8		
Vermillion County.....	do	47		
Vigo County.....	do	75	1	
Warren County.....	do	8		
Warrick County.....	May 1-May 31	34		
Wayne County.....	May 1-June 30	2		
Wells County.....	June 1-June 30	4		
White County.....	do	4		
Whitley County.....	May 1-June 30	8		
Places not mentioned.....	June 1-June 30		4	
Total for State.....		839	15	
Total for State, same period, 1902.....		81	15	
Iowa:				
Cedar County (Webster city) ..	Aug. 1-Aug. 31	10		
Dubuque County (Cascade).....	do	5		
Marion County (Perry Township)	do	1		
Jasper County (Des Moines Township and Vandalla).....	do	9		
Polk County (Des Moines).....	June 1-July 4	56		
Wapello County (Ottumwa).....	July 1-Aug. 31	2		
Total for State.....		83		
Total for State, same period, 1902.....		55		

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Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.	
<b>Louisiana:</b>					
New Orleans.....	June 1-Sept. 12	22	1	Imported. Present.	
Total for State .....		22	1		
Total for State, same period, 1902.		4			
<b>Maine:</b>					
Beaver.....	Aug. 28.	1			
Belfast.....	Sept. 19.	1			
Brewer.....	Sept. 17.				
Fort Kent and vicinity .....	July 4-July 14	24			
Total for State .....		26			
Total for State, same period, 1902.		3			
<b>Maryland:</b>					
Baltimore.....	June 28-July 4	1		Was present in 22 counties at 27 places during week ended Sept. 12, 1903.	
Cumberland .....	May 1-July 31	47	7		
Total for State .....		48	7		
Total for State, same period, 1902.		4			
<b>Massachusetts:</b>					
Fall River.....	June 20-Sept. 19	65	2		
New Bedford .....	July 1-July 11	3			
Taunton .....	June 20-Aug. 22	7			
Total for State .....		75	2		
Total for State, same period, 1902.		263	51		
<b>Michigan</b>					
Detroit.....	June 16-Aug. 29	35	8		
Flint.....	June 13-July 4	3			
Grand Rapids.....	June 13-Aug. 22	28			
Marquette .....	Aug. 23-Aug. 29	1			
Port Huron .....	June 13-Sept. 14	44			
Total for State .....		111	8		
Total for State, same period, 1902.		30			
<b>Minnesota:</b>					
Benton County .....	June 15-July 13	7			
Brown County .....	Aug. 3-Aug. 24	9			
Carver County .....	June 15-July 13	4			
Cass County .....	June 30-July 6	1			
Clay County .....	July 1-July 27	1	1		
Columbia County .....	July 6-July 13	3			
Crow Wing County .....	June 15-Sept. 14	11			
Douglas County .....	July 6-Aug. 24	6			
Fillmore County .....	Sept. 7-Sept. 14	6			
Freeborn County .....	July 21-July 27	2			
Grant County .....	June 15-July 20	6	1		
Hennepin County .....	June 15-Aug. 10	7			
Houston County .....	June 30-July 6	1			
Hubbard County .....	July 21-July 27	1			
Isanti County .....	June 15-Sept. 14	12			
Jackson County .....	June 15-July 13	14			
Kandiyohi County .....	June 15-Aug. 31	2			
Lac qui Parle County .....	June 22-June 29	2			
Lincoln County .....	July 13-Aug. 3	3			
McLeod County .....	June 22-Aug. 10	4			
Meeker County .....	June 15-Aug. 3	6			
Morrison County .....	June 15-Aug. 31	12			
Nobles County .....	June 15-Aug. 3	3			
Norman County .....	June 22-June 29	7			
Pine County .....	June 15-Aug. 3	3			
Pipestone County .....	June 30-July 6	1			
Polk County .....	Aug. 24-Aug. 31	1			
Ramsey County .....	June 15-Sept. 14	23	1		
Renville County .....	June 30-Aug. 24	24			
St. Louis County .....	June 22-Sept. 14	7			
Scott County .....	July 6-July 13	1			
Sherburne County .....	June 15-June 22	1			
Sibley County .....	June 30-July 6	9			
Stearns County .....	June 15-Sept. 14	75	1		
Steele County .....	July 6-July 13	1			
Swift County .....	July 6-Aug. 10	13			
Todd County .....	July 13-Aug. 3	6			

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Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
<b>Minnesota—Continued.</b>				
Waseca County .....	July 21-Aug. 31	3	.....	
Wilkin County .....	Aug. 18-Aug. 24	1	.....	
Winona County .....	July 6-July 13	2	.....	
Wright County .....	July 6-Aug. 24	6	2	
Yellow Medicine County .....	June 15-Aug. 31	10	.....	
Kandiyohi County, not previously reported.	.....	21	.....	
Pine County, not previously reported.	.....	9	.....	
Stearns County, not previously reported.	.....	40	.....	
Waseca County, not previously reported.	.....	5	.....	
Total for State .....	.....	392	6	
Total for State, same period, 1902.	.....	816	6	
<b>Mississippi:</b>				
Moss Point .....	Aug. 28	2	.....	
Natchez .....	July 4-Sept. 12	6	.....	
Total for State .....	.....	8	.....	
Total for State, same period, 1902.	.....	.....	.....	
<b>Missouri:</b>				
St. Louis .....	June 16-Sept. 12	32	.....	
Total for State .....	.....	32	.....	
Total for State, same period, 1902.	.....	259	3	
<b>Montana:</b>				
Helena .....	June 1-June 30	1	.....	
Total for State .....	.....	1	.....	
Total for State, same period, 1902.	.....	13	.....	
<b>Nebraska:</b>				
Omaha .....	Aug. 2-Aug. 15	3	.....	
South Omaha .....	June 1-July 1	6	.....	
Total for State .....	.....	9	.....	
Total for State, same period, 1902.	.....	91	.....	
<b>New Hampshire:</b>				
Manchester .....	June 13-Aug. 8	18	.....	
Nashua .....	June 13-June 20	1	.....	
Total for State .....	.....	19	.....	
Total for State, same period, 1902.	.....	23	.....	
<b>New Jersey:</b>				
Bordentown .....	June 6-June 27	24	5	
Camden .....	July 5-Aug. 29	7	.....	
Hoboken .....	Aug. 17-Aug. 23	1	.....	
Trenton .....	June 20-June 27	1	.....	
Total for State .....	.....	33	5	
Total for State, same period, 1902.	.....	246	51	
<b>New York:</b>				
Elmira .....	June 13-June 20	2	.....	
New York .....	July 4-Sept. 19	2	.....	
Niagara Falls .....	Sept. 6-Sept. 12	1	.....	
Rochester .....	July 15-July 21	1	.....	
Total for State .....	.....	6	.....	
Total for State, same period, 1902.	.....	194	50	
<b>North Carolina:</b>				
Ashe County .....	July 1-July 31	1	.....	
Bertie County .....	do	1	.....	
Buncombe County .....	May 1-July 31	30	.....	
Burke County .....	do	7	.....	
Catawba County .....	July 1-July 31	1	.....	
Chatham County .....	May 1-May 31	1	.....	

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Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
<b>North Carolina—Continued.</b>				
Cleveland County .....	May 1-July 31	8		
Davie County .....	May 1-May 31	2		
Durham County .....	May 1-July 31	24		
Forsyth County .....	May 1-May 31	25		
Gaston County .....	July 1-July 31	4		
Graham County .....	May 1-May 31	2		
Guilford County .....	do	45		
Henderson County .....	May 1-May 31	2		
McDowell County .....	do	2		
Mecklenburg County .....	do	2		
Moore County .....	do	1		
New Hanover County .....	May 1-July 31	2		
Pender County .....	July 1-July 31	1		
Polk County .....	do	1		
Randolph County .....	do	1		
Rockingham County .....	do	2		
Rutherford County .....	May 1-July 31	7		
Stanly County .....	July 1-July 31	4		
Surry County .....	May 1-July 31	26		
Wake County .....	May 1-May 31	26		
Warren County .....	do	3		
Wilkes County .....	do	2		
Wilson County .....	May 1-July 31	3		
Yadkin County .....	July 1-July 31	26		
<b>Total for State .....</b>		<b>262</b>		
<b>Total for State, same period, 1902.</b>		<b>380</b>		
<b>North Dakota:</b>				
Cavalier County .....	May 1-July 31	14		
Griggs County .....	do	4		
Morton County .....	Apr. 1-July 31	a 65		
Stark County .....	May 1-July 31	6		
Trall County .....	Apr. 1-July 31	3		
<b>Total for State .....</b>		<b>92</b>		
<b>Total for State, same period, 1902.</b>		<b>68</b>	<b>1</b>	
<b>Ohio:</b>				
Allen County .....	May 10-Aug. 8	9		
Ashtabula County .....	do	3		
Auglaize County .....	do	25		
Belmont County .....	do	32	1	
Brown County .....	do	8		
Butler County (Hamilton included).	do	18	2	
Champaign County .....	do	6		
Clark County .....	do	6		
Clermont County .....	do	1		
Columbiana County (East Liverpool included).	do	18		
Crawford County .....	do	2		
Cuyahoga County (Cleveland included).	do	12		
Defiance County .....	do	6		
Delaware County .....	do	25		
Erie County .....	do	18	6	
Fairfield County .....	do	1	1	
Fayette County .....	do	1		
Franklin County (Columbus included).	do	27	3	
Gallia County .....	do	15		
Geauga County .....	do	1		
Greene County .....	do	10		
Guernsey County .....	do	2		
Hamilton County (Cincinnati included).	May 10-Sept. 4	102	4	
Hancock County .....	May 10-Aug. 8	18		
Harrison County .....	do	1		
Henry County .....	do	43		
Jackson County .....	do	7		
Jefferson County .....	do	18		
Lawrence County .....	do	101	11	
Logan County .....	do	4		
Lorain County .....	do	4		
Lucas County (Toledo included).	May 10-Sept. 5	49	2	
Mahoning County (Youngstown included).	May 10-Aug. 8	8		

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Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Ohio—Continued.				
Marion County .....	May 10-Aug. 8	1		
Meigs County .....	do	2		
Miami County .....	do	12	2	
Monroe County .....	do	2		
Montgomery County (Dayton included).	May 10-Sept. 5	67	1	
Morrow County .....	May 10-Aug. 8	1		
Muskingum County (Zanesville included).	do	49		
Paulding County .....	do	1		
Pickaway County .....	do	1		
Preble County .....	do	7		
Ross County .....	do	30		
Scioto County .....	do	9		
Seneca County .....	do	3		
Stark County .....	do	34		
Summit County .....	do	12		
Trumbull County .....	do	5		
Tuscarawas County .....	do	29		
Van Wert County .....	do	9		
Warren County .....	do	6		
Washington County .....	do	30	3	
Wyandot County .....	do	13		
Total for State .....		924	36	
Total for State, same period, 1902.		1,570	130	
Pennsylvania:				
Allegheny County (Pittsburg and McKeesport included).	June 13-Sept. 5	396	79	Five cases imported.
Armstrong County .....	June 1-Aug. 31	6		
Beaver County .....	do	19		
Blair County (Altoona included).	May 1-Aug. 31	5		One case imported.
Butler County .....	May 1-Aug. 31	29		
Cambria County (Johnstown included).	do	42		
Cameron County .....	May 1-May 31	5		
Carbon County .....	June 1-June 30	5		
Center County .....	May 1-May 31	27		
Clarion County .....	do	2		
Clearfield County .....	May 1-July 31	165		
Clinton County .....	July 1-July 31	1		
Columbia County .....	Aug. 1-Aug. 31	4		
Crawford County .....	May 1-July 31	11		
Delaware County .....	May 1-Aug. 31	16		
Elk County .....	May 1-May 31	3		
Erie County (Franklin) .....	May 1-Aug. 31	4		
Fayette County .....	do	54		
Forest County .....	do	7		
Indiana County .....	May 1-July 31	14		
Jefferson County .....	July 1-July 31	11		
Lackawanna County (Scranton, Carbondale, and Dunmore included).	June 7-Aug. 31	65	1	
LANCASTER COUNTY .....	Aug. 1-Aug. 31	1	1	
Luzerne County .....	May 1-May 31	1		
Lycoming County .....	May 1-July 31	25		
McKean County .....	June 1-June 30	1		
Mercer County .....	May 1-June 30	4		
Montgomery County (Norristown included).	May 1-Aug. 31	15	1	
Northampton County .....	May 1-May 31	19	2	
Perry County .....	May 1-Aug. 31	40	2	
Philadelphia County .....	June 20-July 31	253	71	
Pike County .....	June 1-June 30	2		
Potter County .....	June 1-July 31	24		
Schuylkill County .....	May 1-July 31	28		
Sullivan County .....	Aug. 1-Aug. 31	10		
Susquehanna County .....	June 1-July 31	128		
Tioga County .....	May 1-June 30	8		
Venango County .....	June 1-July 31	2		
Warren County .....	May 1-May 31	2		
Washington County .....	May 1-Aug. 31	17	6	
Wayne County .....	June 1-July 31	8		
Westmoreland County .....	May 1-Aug. 31	18	1	
Wyoming County .....	Aug. 1-Aug. 31	3		
Total for State .....		1,500	164	
Total for State, same period, 1902.		429	49	

## Smallpox in the United States, etc.—Continued.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
<b>South Carolina:</b>				
Charleston .....	June 20-Sept. 5	23	2	
Greenville .....	do	5		
Total for State .....		28	2	
Total for State, same period, 1902. ....		6		
<b>Tennessee:</b>				
Memphis .....	June 20-July 11	7		
Nashville .....	June 28-July 11	4		
Total for State .....		11		
Total for State, same period, 1902. ....		8		
<b>Texas:</b>				
San Antonio .....	July 1-Aug. 31	41		
Total for State .....		41		
Total for State, same period, 1902. ....		1		
<b>Utah:</b>				
Ogden .....	Aug. 1-Aug. 31	1		
Salt Lake City .....	June 6-Sept. 5	41		Two cases imported.
Total for State .....		42		
Total for State, same period, 1902. ....		39	1	
<b>Virginia:</b>				
Lynchburg .....	Aug. 1-Aug. 31		1	
Pocahontas .....	Aug. 29	1		
Total for State .....		1	1	
Total for State, same period, 1902. ....		5	1	
<b>Washington:</b>				
Clark County .....	June 1-July 31	51		
Columbia County .....	do	8		
Cowlitz County .....	July 1-July 31	13		
Douglas County .....	June 1-June 30	1		
King County (Seattle included) .....	June 1-July 31	27	3	
Kitsap County .....	June 1-June 30	1		
Okanogan County .....	June 1-July 31	2	1	
Pierce County (Tacoma included) .....	do	5		
Snohomish County .....	June 1-June 30	2		
Spokane County (Spokane included) .....	June 1-July 31	15		Three cases imported.
Thurston County .....	July 1-July 31	4		
Walla Walla County .....	June 1-July 31	36		
Whatcom County .....	do	4		
Whitman County .....	July 1-July 31	1		
Yakima County .....	do	1		
Total for State .....		171	4	
Total for State, same period, 1902. ....		1,240	1	
<b>West Virginia:</b>				
Wheeling .....	Mar. 1-June 30	42	7	
Total for State .....		42	7	
Total for State, same period, 1902. ....				
<b>Wisconsin:</b>				
40 counties, 87 places .....	Feb. 1-Feb. 28	495	3	
39 counties, 90 places .....	Mar. 1-Mar. 31	412	4	
31 counties, 50 places .....	Apr. 1-Apr. 30	194	1	
32 counties, 53 places .....	May 1-May 31	259	3	
26 counties, 34 places .....	June 1-June 30	238		
6 counties, 6 places .....	July 1-July 11	15		
Milwaukee .....	July 19-Sept. 19	21		
Total for State .....		1,634	11	
Total for State, same period, 1902. ....		722	5	
Grand total .....		7,471	274	
Grand total, same period, 1902. ....		7,172	367	

[NOTE.—In accordance with custom, the tables of epidemic diseases, with the exception of the plague table in the United States, are terminated semiannually and new tables begun.]



Weekly mortality table, cities of the United States—Continued.

Cities.	Week ended—	Population, United States census of 1900.	Total deaths from all causes.	Deaths from—												
				Tuberculosis.	Yellow fever.	Smallpox.	Varioloid.	Cholera.	Typhus fever.	Enteric fever.	Scarlet fever.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Whooping cough.		
Erie, Pa.	Sept. 12	52,733	11	1												
Evansville, Ind.	do	59,007	12	3												
Everett, Mass.	do	24,836	7	1												
Fall River, Mass.	do	104,863	50													
Fitchburg, Mass.	Sept. 5	31,531	12	1												
Do	Sept. 12	31,531	6													
Flint, Mich.	do	13,103	1													
Freeport, Ill.	do	13,258	0													
Galesburg, Ill.	do	18,607	7													
Haverhill, Mass.	do	37,175	9	1												
Holyoke, Mass.	do	45,712	17	2												
Indianapolis, Ind.	Sept. 5	169,164	60	13							9					
Do	Sept. 12	169,164	54	6												
Jacksonville, Fla.	do	28,429	16													
Jersey City, N. J.	Sept. 13	206,433	72	11							2	1	2			
Johnstown, Pa.	Sept. 12	35,936	10	1							1					
Lawrence, Mass.	do	62,559	19	1												
Lexington, Ky.	do	26,369	10	2							1					
Los Angeles, Cal.	Sept. 5	102,479	48	10							1		1			
Lowell, Mass.	Sept. 12	94,969	48	2							2		2			
Lynchburg, Va.	do	18,891	8	3												
McKeesport, Pa.	do	34,227	16	1									1			
Malden, Mass.	do	33,664	7	2												1
Manchester, N. H.	do	56,956	22	4												
Marlboro, Mass.	do	13,609	4													
Marquette, Mich.	do	10,058	1	1												
Medford, Mass.	do	18,244	1													
Melrose, Mass.	do	12,962	3													
Memphis, Tenn.	do	102,320	44	4							3	1				
Milwaukee, Wis.	do	285,315	83	3							1		2			
Mobile, Ala.	do	38,469	13	3												
Nashua, N. H.	do	23,898	7													
Nashville, Tenn.	do	80,865	37	7							2					
Newark, N. J.	do	246,070	61	7									1	2		
New Bedford, Mass.	Sept. 11	62,442	29	3												
New Orleans, La.	Sept. 12	287,104	115	10							2					1
Newport, Ky.	do	28,301	6	1												
Newton, Mass.	do	33,587	6													
Niagara Falls, N. Y.	do	19,457	6	1												
Norristown, Pa.	do	22,265	6	1												
North Adams, Mass.	do	24,200	10	1							1		1			
Northampton, Mass.	do	18,643	5	2												
Omaha, Nebr.	do	102,555	21											1		
Oneonta, N. Y.	do	7,147	1													
Plainfield, N. J.	do	15,369	3	1							1					
Port Huron, Mich.	Sept. 6	19,158	4													
Do	Sept. 14	19,158	9								1					
Portland, Me.	Sept. 5	50,145	13	2												
Do	Sept. 12	50,145	19													
Quincy, Mass.	do	23,879	6													
Reading, Pa.	Sept. 14	78,961	25	1									1			
Rochester, N. Y.	do	162,608	33													
Sacramento, Cal.	Sept. 5	29,282	9													1
Salt Lake City, Utah	do	53,531	12	1												
Do	Sept. 12	53,531	15								1		1			
San Francisco, Cal.	Aug. 30	342,782	123	9							3					
Santa Barbara, Cal.	Sept. 5	6,587	1											1		
Scranton, Pa.	Sept. 12	102,026	31													1
Shreveport, La.	do	16,013	4	1												
Somerville, Mass.	do	61,643	14	2												
South Bend, Ind.	do	35,999	9	1												
Steeltown, Pa.	do	12,068	3													
Tacoma, Wash.	Sept. 14	37,714	17	1												
Taunton, Mass.	Sept. 12	31,036	17								2					
Titusville, Pa.	do	8,244	0													
Trenton, N. J.	do	73,307														
Waltham, Mass.	do	23,481	6	1												
Warren, Ohio	Sept. 5	8,529	4	1												
Do	Sept. 12	8,529	2	1												
Weymouth, Mass.	do	11,324	4													
Williamsport, Pa.	do	28,757	2													
Wilmington, Del.	do	76,508	26	2												
Winona, Minn.	do	19,714	5													
Worcester, Mass.	Sept. 11	118,421	43	2												
Yonkers, N. Y.	Sept. 18	47,931	3													

a 1 case, 1 death, bubonic plague.

## FOREIGN AND INSULAR.

### BRAZIL.

#### *Reports from Bahia—Mortuary statistics.*

Vice-Consul Rowe reports, August 24, as follows: During the week ended August 22, 1903, 98 bodies were interred in the Bahia cemeteries.

The causes given for interment were the following: Arterio-sclerosis, 2; aortic dilatation, 2; beriberi, 4; bronchitis, 5; cancer, 2; cerebral congestion, 2; cirrhosis of liver, 1; diarrhea, 4; diarrhea and enteritis, 5; hepatitis, 2; influenza, 1; intestinal parasites, 1; malarial fevers, 3; nephritis, 2; organic diseases of heart, 1; peritonitis, 1; pleurisy, 1; pneumonia, 2; pulmonary tuberculosis, 15; rheumatism, 1; senile debility, 3; stillborn, 4; syphilis, 1; tetanus neonatorum, 1; umbilical hemorrhage, 3; uræmia, 1; Bright's disease, 1; other causes, 27.

### BRITISH HONDURAS.

#### *Report from Belize, fruit port.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Carson reports as follows: Week ended September 6, 1903. Present officially estimated population, 8,500; number of deaths, 2; prevailing disease a mild type of malarial fever; general sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, very good.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Name of vessel.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfect.
Sept. 3	David .....	20	0	0	0
4	Breakwater .....	34	7	20	14

### CHILE.

#### *Plague in Chilean ports.*

The following is received from Minister Wilson at Santiago, under date of July 27:

I have the honor to confirm my telegram of July 11, as follows: "Plague is now prevalent nearly all Chilean ports. The postal service wholly disorganized. Only one American mail in nine weeks.

"WILSON."

The existence of bubonic plague has been definitely proven and officially acknowledged in the ports of Iquique, Pisagua, Valparaiso, and in some outlying villages in the immediate vicinity of Concepcion. It is charged by the local newspapers that cases have also occurred at other ports.

The plague, at such places as its existence has been officially recognized, seems to be benignant in character, has been generally localized, and the average of mortality is small. The Chilean sanitary authorities have been diligent in taking precautions against its further spread, and I now believe that the danger of a widespread epidemic has passed, and that it will gradually disappear.

#### CHINA.

##### *Cholera in Amoy.*

Vice-Consul Johnson reports, July 22, that cholera appeared in Amoy about July 15, and has spread since that date.

##### *Reports from Hongkong—Plague.*

Passed Assistant Surgeon McMullen reports, August 12, as follows: During the week ended August 8, 1903, 6 vessels, with 379 crew and 242 passengers—117 cabin and 125 steerage—were inspected and granted bills of health; 313 crew and 124 steerage were bathed, and 421 pieces baggage disinfected. There were 9 cases of plague, with 9 deaths, reported for the week—all Chinese. One case enteric fever (European) was also reported for the same period.

Week ended August 22, 1903. Twelve vessels with 875 crew and 252 passengers—152 cabin and 100 steerage—were inspected and granted bills of health; 600 crew and 92 steerage passengers were bathed and 662 pieces baggage disinfected. The army transport *Ingalls*, for Manila, was allowed to proceed to Marivelles for disinfection at the request of the quartermaster-captain.

There were only 4 cases of plague (Chinese) reported for the week, with 3 deaths. Three of these occurred in the city of Victoria and one in adjacent district. One case of enteric fever (European) and one of smallpox (Chinese), fatal, were the only other communicable diseases reported for this period.

It is estimated that about 70 deaths occur daily at Amoy from cholera, and a few cases were reported at Kobe on the 1st instant.

##### *Report from Shanghai—Cholera and smallpox—Plague at Fuchau—Typhus fever in the interior.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Ransom reports, August 12, as follows:

During the week ended August 8, 1903, 1 vessel and 12 cabin and 146 steerage passengers were inspected. One case of bubo was removed from the *Victoria* at the quarantine station for observation, but the subsequent diagnosis was simple axillary bubo. Two cases of elevated temperature discovered at final inspection were noted on bill of health.

Communicable diseases were reported to the municipal health officer as follows: Smallpox, 2 deaths; cholera, 1 death; diphtheria, 3 deaths. The total mortality was 5 foreigners and 143 natives.

It will be observed that cholera has again made its appearance in Shanghai. But one death, however, has been officially reported, and from what can be learned there is no apparent increase in the general mortality among the natives, nor in the number of diarrheal diseases. Hence it seems reasonable to believe that there is but little of the disease present as yet. This disease usually makes its appearance here during the latter part of July or early in August.

According to the report received by this office from the consul at Fuchau, Doctor Gracey, plague is epidemic at that place, and the papers state that an epidemic of typhus fever is prevailing in the vicinity of Chengtu, Szechuen Province, in the interior.

#### COLOMBIA.

*Report from Bocas del Toro, fruit port—Smallpox situation improving.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Osterhout reports as follows: Week ended September 8, 1903. Present officially estimated population not obtainable. No cases of smallpox during the week; no deaths; number of deaths from other causes, 2; prevailing diseases, malarial fevers and smallpox. No cases of the latter disease have occurred in the town, but I learn of cases in the villages in the adjacent lagoons. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, not good. Malarial fever seems to be widespread, but there are very few deaths from this cause.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Name of vessel.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Sept. 2	Fort Morgan.....	22	0	0	0
2	Barnstable.....	33	0	0	0
4	Harald.....	17	0	0	0
6	Belvernon.....	21	0	0	0

#### CUBA.

*Sanitary conditions—Hemoglobinuric fever at Daiquiri.*

Consul-General Steinhart at Habana reports as follows under date of September 10, 1903:

In view of the fact that this consulate-general for the past week has been flooded with letters, from all parts of the United States, asking information as to the prevalence of "black fever," "plague," or "yellow fever" in the island of Cuba, as published in the leading papers of New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Omaha, St. Paul, New Orleans, and San Francisco, etc., I have called upon the chief sanitary officer of the Republic of Cuba (who is also president of the superior board of health) for an official statement of facts to enable me to answer the inquiries made.

STATEMENT.

[Inclosure.]

HABANA, CUBA, September 9, 1903.

F. STEINHART,

*Consul-General of the United States of America, Habana.*

DEAR SIR: In compliance with your request I can assure you that there is not the slightest foundation for the stories that have been published in the newspaper clip-

pings which you have sent me. I feel confident that during the last eighteen months, at least, there has not been a single case of yellow fever on the island excepting those which have been from time to time imported from foreign ports, the disease having never been allowed to spread. Cuba continues perfectly free not only from yellow fever but from every other quarantinable disease as well, malaria not coming under that denomination.

Daiquiri, where the terrible and unknown disease is supposed to have existed, is known to be a malarious district in which black-water fever occurs more frequently than in other localities. Among a population of 2,000, mostly composed of nonimmune Spaniards, there have been 6 deaths from that fever since January—1 in February, 1 in April, 3 in July, 1 in August—the total number of cases during that period having been 38, with 6 deaths.

Doctor Guiteras's last telegrams received yesterday are as follows:

September 7. "There is no yellow fever nor epidemic disease of any kind in Santiago nor in Daiquiri. In Daiquiri there are severe forms of malaria."

September 8. "I have visited the hospital and the village of Daiquiri. There is no case of hemoglobinuric fever at present. There have been altogether 38 cases since February, with 6 deaths. There are 1,300 miners, 0.90 per cent of whom are Spaniards. This district is very malarial. There has been no reason to suspect yellow fever. The manager of the mines, having observed that the mortality was greater than in previous years, consulted the New York board of directors, and the latter consulted the medical schools; through these the American press got their information. The mortality at Santiago is low. At the Civil Hospital there is no case of hemoglobinuric fever."

Hoping that with this information the fears of the American public will be allayed as to the sanitary conditions of the island, I am, dear sir,

Yours, very respectfully,

CARLOS T. FINLAY,

*Chief Sanitary Officer, President of the Superior Board of Health.*

#### CUBA.

#### *Reports from Cienfuegos—Inspection of vessels—Mortality statistics—Sanitary conditions good.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon McMahon reports, September 11 and 15, as follows:

Week ended September 5, 1903. Four bills of health issued to vessels going to ports in the United States. All in good sanitary condition and no sickness.

No contagious or infectious disease has arrived at this port during this week. No quarantinable disease has been reported in the city. The sanitary condition of the city remains fairly good.

I have been unable to obtain the mortuary report for the city for this week, but will forward it as soon as it is received.

Week ended September 12, 1903. One bill of health issued to a vessel going to the United States. The vessel was in good sanitary condition and no sickness on board.

No vessels have entered this port during this week from infected ports.

#### *Mortuary report, week ended September 5, 1903.*

Enteritis, 1; gastro-colitis, 1; gastro-enteritis, 1; paludism, 1; tetanus, infantile, 1; other causes, 7; total, 12.

*Report from Habana—Inspection of vessels—Mortality statistics.*

Assistant Surgeon Trotter, in temporary charge, reports, September 9, as follows:

*Week ended September 5, 1903.*

Number of health certificates issued.....	95
Vessels inspected and issued bills of health.....	12
Crews of outgoing vessels inspected.....	624
Passengers of outgoing vessels inspected.....	405
Pieces of baggage inspected.....	128
Pieces of freight inspected.....	2, 338
Pieces of express inspected.....	13
Pieces of baggage disinfected.....	3

*Mortuary report of Habana, Cuba, for the week ended September 5, 1903.*

Disease.	Number of deaths.
Tuberculosis.....	9
Pneumonia.....	1
Bronchitis.....	2
Enteric fever.....	2
Enteritis.....	3
Meningitis.....	8
Scarlet fever.....	1
Malarial fever.....	1
Leprosy.....	1
Cancer.....	7

Total deaths from all causes, 88.

*Report from Matanzas—Inspection of vessels—Mortality statistics.*

Passed Assistant Surgeon Von Ezdorf reports, September 14, as follows: During the week ended September 12, 1903, two bills of health were issued to vessels prior to sailing for ports in the United States. No quarantinable disease was reported.

*Mortality statistics for the first ten days in September, 1903.*

Causes of death.	Number.
Paludism.....	1
Tuberculosis.....	5
Cancer of the breast.....	1
Diabetes.....	1
Alcoholism.....	1
Meningitis, simple.....	2
Tetanus, infantile.....	1
Hemorrhage, internal.....	1
Other affections of the circulatory system.....	1
Broncho-pneumonia.....	1
Pneumonia.....	1
Intestinal invagination.....	1
Appendicitis with perforation.....	1
Hemorrhage, traumatic.....	1
Ill-defined causes of death.....	1
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>20</b>

Annual rate of mortality, 15.20 per 1,000; estimated population, 48,000.

*Report from Santiago—Hemoglobinuric fever—Scarcity of water—Mortality statistics.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Wilson reports, September 8, as follows: Week ended September 5, 1903. Bills of health issued to six vessels bound for the United States and Porto Rico.

No quarantinable disease has been reported.

On August 31 one death was reported from hemoglobinuric fever. The deceased was a white woman, 28 years old, a native of Puerto Principe. I call attention to this, as it is the first time I have seen this diagnosis in Santiago de Cuba, and having in mind my letter of September 5 reporting the disease in Daiquiri. In the weekly statistics I classified it under malarial fever.

The question of the water supply is again being agitated.

The water does not seem to be very abundant now and it is very muddy.

*Mortality report of Santiago de Cuba for the week ended September 5, 1903.*

Causes of death.	Number.
Malarial fever.....	1
Malarial fever (hemoglobinuric).....	1
Erysipelas.....	1
Tubercle of lungs.....	2
Empyema.....	1
Hernia, strangulated.....	1
Congenital debility.....	1
Senility.....	1
Ill-defined or unspecified.....	1
Total.....	10

Annual rate of mortality, 12 per 1,000; estimated population, 43,000.

*Report for month of August, 1903.*

The number of bills of health issued was 19. This is a slight increase over July (16), but is still lower than for any month since May, 1902, when the government of American intervention terminated.

The total number of deaths for the month is 65. This is the lowest number for any month this year, except for April, when there were only 59 deaths. The decrease is in general diseases (of which there were 8 less) and in digestive diseases (of which there were 25 less) most of the last being under 2 years of age.

During August there were reported 3 cases of measles and several cases of diphtheria; all recovered.

*Report for the month of August, Santiago de Cuba.*

Bills of health issued and outgoing vessels inspected.....	19
Crews.....	680
Passengers.....	243
Deaths from all causes (stillbirths not counted).....	65
Cases of other contagious diseases reported in city.....	a 3

<sup>a</sup> Three cases of measles and several cases of diphtheria (mild).

## DANISH WEST INDIES.

*Quarantine measures.*

The minister at Copenhagen reports, September 17, as follows:

The quarantine heretofore declared against Barbados by the government of the Danish West Indies has been raised.

All ships arriving from that island will, however, be subjected to sanitary inspection until further notice, and all wearing apparel and bed clothing not imported as personal baggage will be refused entry.

Quarantine of fifteen days has been declared by the government of the Danish West Indies against ships coming from Bocas del Toro, owing to the appearance of smallpox at that port.

The minister has not reported the date on which the quarantine went into effect.

The quarantine which was declared by the government of the Danish West Indies against the island of Grenada in April last has been raised, but ships coming from that island are still subjected to quarantine inspection.

## FRANCE.

*Sanitary condition of the port of Marseille declared to be satisfactory.*

SEPTEMBER 19, 1903.

SIR: I have the honor to inclose for your information a copy of a telegram of the 18th instant from the ambassador at Paris, stating that he is informed officially that the sanitary condition of the port of Marseille is now satisfactory.

I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,

ALVEY A. ADEE,  
*Acting Secretary.*

The SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

[Inclosure—Telegram.]

PARIS, *September 18, 1903.*

SECRETARY OF STATE, *Washington.*

Minister foreign affairs requests me to inform you the sanitary condition of the port of Marseille is now satisfactory, and there is no occasion for quarantining or placing under observation ships coming from that port.

PORTER.

## GERMANY.

*Report from Berlin—Plague and cholera in various countries.*

Consul-General Mason reports, September 4, as follows:

*Plague.*

*Egypt.*—Between the 15th and 21st of August there were registered in the whole of Egypt 11 cases of plague (and 5 deaths), namely, in Alexandria 8 cases (4 deaths), and in Damiette 3 cases (1 death).

*Plague and cholera.*

*British South Africa.*—According to a report dated July 25, Durban has been officially declared to be free from plague.

*British India.*—In Calcutta, during the period from the 19th to the 25th of July, 9 persons died of plague and 15 persons died of cholera.

*Cholera.*

*Turkey.*—According to the official weekly bulletin of the 17th of August there have been registered in Syria 472 new cases of cholera and 428 deaths.

*Death rate of Berlin.*

The death rate of Berlin for the week ended August 22 was lower than in the foregoing week. It amounted, calculated upon the year, to 16.5 per thousand of the population, as compared with 18.3 in the foregoing week, thus being, however, considerably higher than the rate for the corresponding week of last year, in which it amounted to only 13 per thousand. Of the other large German cities, seven showed more favorable figures than Berlin, among them being Bremen, Kiel, Stuttgart, Schöneberg, with 15.6, and Charlottenburg with 15.5. The following towns had considerably higher rates than that of Berlin, namely, Hamburg, Munich, Nuremberg, Dresden, Frankfurt-am-Main, Hanover, Königsberg, Breslau, Leipzig, Cologne, and Brunswick. In London and Vienna the rate of mortality was somewhat lower than in this city; the Paris rate being, on the other hand, somewhat higher than that of Berlin. The death rate among infants fell from 8.5 to 7.3 per thousand, being thereby somewhat higher than the rate of Hamburg and Munich. There was no important change regarding acute diseases of the respiratory organs, which caused 38 deaths. There was a decrease in the number of cases of intestinal disease, which, however, caused 175 deaths. Seventy-nine persons died of cholera. During the week in question 72 persons died of phthisis pulmonalis and 35 persons died of cancer. Furthermore, there were registered 6 deaths from diphtheria, 6 deaths from measles, and 1 death from scarlet fever. Seventeen persons died by violence.

*Sickness from use of mattresses made from old rags.*

Consul-General Worman, at Munich, reports, September 5, as follows:

Numerous cases of sickness have arisen in Germany, especially in the northern portion of the Empire, from the use of wool mattresses made up of old soiled rags which the manufacturers had failed to properly disinfect.

The different state governments of the Empire, among these very recently the government of Bavaria, have been moved to issue ordinances against the manufacture of mattresses from rags that have not been disinfected according to the methods prescribed by the board of health. A trespass against these provisions of law is made a crime and is punishable with an imprisonment up to four weeks. In order to secure a strict observance of this law all the manufacturers of woollen rags are required to keep a book account of all such material acquired by them, together with the record of the time and methods of disinfection employed before using the same in their manufacture of mattresses.

## GUATEMALA.

*Report from Livingston, fruit port.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Peters reports as follows: Week ended September 7, 1903. Present officially estimated population, 3,500; two deaths; prevailing diseases, malarial; general sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Name of vessel.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Sept. 1	David .....	20	.....	.....	.....
1	Breakwater .....	34	5	.....	8

Steamship *Breakwater* cleared from Puerto Barrios.

## HAWAII.

*Plague in Honolulu.*

[Telegrams.]

HONOLULU, HAWAII, *September 11.*

(Via San Francisco.)

WYMAN, *Washington:*

Case plague found September 7. Recovery probable.

COFER.

HONOLULU, HAWAII, *September 13.*

(Via San Francisco, Cal.)

WYMAN, *Washington:*

There was a plague case September 12.

COFER.

*Plague in Hilo.*

[Cablegram.]

HONOLULU, *September 21.*

WYMAN, *Washington:*

There was a death from plague (Hilo) September 15.

COFER.

## HONDURAS.

*Report from Ceiba, fruit port.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Robertson reports as follows: Week ended September 5, 1903. Present officially estimated population, about 4,000; no deaths. Prevailing diseases, malarial; one or two cases of dysentery type. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

## Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Name of vessel.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Aug. 31	Rosina .....	30	0	3	0
31	Managua .....	16	0	0	0
Sept. 3	Hippolyte Dumois .....	24	0	0	0
5	Condor .....	16	0	0	0

Week ended September 12, 1903: One death. Prevailing diseases, malarial; few cases, and mild type. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Name of vessel.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Sept. 6	Origen .....	24	0	0	0
9	Beatrice .....	22	0	0	0
10	America .....	19	0	0	0
12	Habil .....	15	0	0	0
12	Spero .....	17	0	0	0

*Report from Puerto Cortez, fruit port.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Carter reports as follows: Week ended September 8, 1903. Present officially estimated population, 2,125; 2 deaths. Prevailing diseases, malarial fever of mild type and intestinal diseases; general sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Name of vessel.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Sept. 3	Breakwater .....	34	13	9	28
5	Iberia .....	14	0	0	0
6	Habil .....	15	0	0	0
7	Bratten .....	16	0	0	0

## MEXICO.

*Report from Progreso—Inspection of vessels—Yellow fever.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Harrison reports as follows: Week ended September 6, 1903. Present officially estimated population, 8,000; 3 cases of yellow fever during the week; 1 death; number of deaths from other causes during the week, 5.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Aug. 30	Vigilancia .....	New York .....	78	55	27	0
31	Texan .....	New Orleans .....	42	0	0	0
31	Daggy .....	New York .....	18	1	0	0
Sept. 1	Telefon .....	Mobile .....	19	4	0	0
2	Alm .....	do .....	23	1	0	0

*Report from Tampico—Inspection of vessels—Yellow fever—Mortality statistics—Yellow-fever infection on Gulf and Monterey Railroad.*

Temporary Acting Assistant Surgeon Lippincott reports, September 8, as follows:

Week ended September 5, 1903.

Bills of health issued .....	6
Vessels inspected and passed .....	5
Vessels disinfected and passed .....	1
Personnel of crew .....	232
Passengers .....	11
Baggage .....	pieces 16

During the week there were 22 deaths from all causes, of which 2 were from yellow fever, 3 from tuberculosis, 1 from measles, 2 from caquexia palustre, and 14 from noncontagious causes.

There were 8 new cases of yellow fever officially reported and 7 remaining from the previous week, making a total of 15 cases for the week ended September 5, 1903.

The surrounding country is still badly infected, especially points on the Gulf and Monterey Railroad as far north as Linares. I have not had any information of the infection having passed that point. Ciudad Valles and the Huasteca also remain badly infected.

*Report from Vera Cruz—Yellow fever.*

Assistant Surgeon Goldberger reports, September 7, as follows:

During the week ended September 5, 1903, there was recorded in this city a total of 52 deaths, of which 19 were due to yellow fever, 3 to malarial fevers, and 9 to tuberculosis. Nothing of special sanitary interest has occurred since the date of my last report.

NICARAGUA.

*Reports from Bluefields, fruit port. <sup>a</sup>*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Goodman reports as follows: Week ended August 8, 1903. Present officially estimated population, 4,000; 1 death; prevailing disease, malarial fever. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Aug. 2 7	Alliance .....	15	0	0	0
	Nicaragua .....	17	0	0	0

Week ended September 5, 1903. Two deaths; prevailing disease, malarial fever of mild type. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

<sup>a</sup> Received out of date. The original, of which this report is a copy, was mailed on a vessel which is believed to have been lost at sea.

**Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:**

Date.	Vessel.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Aug. 30	Utstein .....	15	0	0	0
Sept. 2	Geo. Dumois.....	18	2	0	0
3	Agnes .....	12	4	0	4

Week ended September 12, 1903. One death; prevailing disease, malarial fever. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week good.

**Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:**

Date.	Name of vessel.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Sept. 6	Nicaragua.....	18	0	0	0
9	Alabama .....	18	2	0	0
11	Alliance.....	16	4	0	6
12	Esther.....	19	13	0	12

**PORTO RICO.**

*Report from San Juan—Vital statistics for the month of August, 1903—Varioloid.—Inspection of immigrants.*

Assistant Surgeon King, chief quarantine officer for Porto Rico, reports, September 9, as follows:

*Vital statistics of San Juan, P. R., for the month of August, 1903.*

Tetanus.....	3	Aneurysm of aorta .....	1
Enteric fever.....	1	Embolism .....	1
Malarial fever, pernicious .....	2	Arterio-sclerosis .....	3
Chronic alcoholism .....	1	Endocarditis .....	1
Cancer of stomach.....	3	Dilatation of heart.....	2
Cancer of uterus.....	1	Valvular disease of heart.....	6
Epithelioma of rectum.....	1	Tuberculosis, general .....	1
Anæmia .....	3	Cerebral concussion .....	1
Tubercle of lungs.....	8	Eclampsia .....	1
Athrepsia.....	5	Septicæmia .....	1
Malnutrition .....	2	Post partum hemorrhage .....	1
Rickets .....	4	Acute myelitis .....	1
Cholera infantum .....	1	Chronic nephritis .....	3
Gastro-enteritis .....	11	Drowned .....	1
Icterus .....	1		
Meningitis .....	3	Total .....	84
Peritonitis .....	3	August, 1902:	
Bronchitis, acute .....	1	Births .....	64
Broncho-pneumonia .....	2	Deaths .....	80
Caseous pneumonia .....	1	August, 1903:	
Atelectasis .....	1	Births .....	65
Whooping cough .....	2	Deaths .....	84

Two cases of varioloid are reported as existant in San Juan. These cases are mild in character. They have been isolated by the superior board of health.

*Inspection of immigrants.**Report of alien passengers arriving at San Juan during the week ended September 12, 1903.*

Date of arrival.	Vessel.	Where from.	Number of immigrants.
Sept. 9 12	American ss. Caracas.....	Porto Cabello, Curacao, La Guayra ..	7
	Spanish ss. Maria.....	Liverpool, Santander, Corunna .....	3
	Total .....	.....	10

No transactions at Ponce or any of the subports.

*Report from Ponce.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Torres reports, September 5, through the chief quarantine officer for Porto Rico, as follows:

*Summary of transactions of service during the month of August, 1903.*

Vessels inspected.....	13
Bills of health issued.....	13
Passengers inspected (incoming).....	56
Passengers inspected (in transit).....	418
Crew inspected.....	448
Vessels in quarantine.....	1
Immigrants inspected.....	20
Rejections.....	0
Passengers detained in observation.....	2
Pieces of baggage disinfected.....	23

*Foreign and insular statistical reports of countries and cities—Yearly and monthly.*

**AFRICA—Lourenço Marquez.**—Month of June, 1903. Estimated population, 7,000. Total number of deaths, 73. No contagious diseases reported.

**AUSTRALIA—New South Wales, Newcastle.**—Month of July, 1903. Estimated population, 49,000. Total number of deaths 40, including 4 from enteric fever.

**Sydney.**—Month of July, 1903. Estimated population, 508,510. Total number of deaths 523, including diphtheria 6, enteric fever 6, scarlet fever 4, whooping cough 1, and 57 from tuberculosis.

**AUSTRIA—Brunn.**—Month of July, 1903. Estimated population, 95,342. Total number of deaths 230, including scarlet fever 1, whooping cough 1, and 49 from tuberculosis.

**BRAZIL—Ceara.**—Month of July, 1903. Estimated population, 50,000. Total number of deaths, 71, including 5 from scarlet fever.

**BRITISH GUIANA—Demerara—Georgetown.**—Five weeks ended August 1, 1903. Estimated population, 36,567. Total number of deaths, 279, including smallpox 2, and 34 from tuberculosis.

**CANADA—British Columbia—Vancouver.**—Month of August, 1903.

Estimated population, 29,000. Total number of deaths, 5, including diphtheria 1, and 4 from scarlet fever.

*Quebec—Sherbrooke.*—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 12,000. Total number of deaths, 15, including diphtheria 1, and 1 from enteric fever.

**DENMARK.**—Month of June, 1903. Estimated population, 2,465,000. Total number of deaths, 13,304, including diphtheria, 306; enteric fever, 55; measles, 447; scarlet fever, 378, and 910 from whooping cough.

Month of July, 1903. Total number of deaths, 15,135, including diphtheria, 405; enteric fever, 95; measles, 378; scarlet fever, 594, and 834 from whooping cough.

*Copenhagen.*—Month of June, 1903. Estimated population, 410,000. Total number of deaths, 2,473, including diphtheria, 80; enteric fever, 5; measles, 157; scarlet fever, 103, and 43 from whooping cough.

Month of July, 1903. Total number of deaths, 2,261, including diphtheria, 66; enteric fever, 12; measles, 96; scarlet fever, 150, and 42 from whooping cough.

**GERMANY—Hanover.**—Month of June, 1903. Estimated population, 248,165. Total number of deaths, 229, including 29 from infectious diseases.

**GIBRALTAR.**—Two weeks ended August 23, 1903. Estimated population, 27,460. Total number of deaths, 20, including 1 from enteric fever.

**GREAT BRITAIN—England and Wales.**—The deaths registered in 76 great towns in England and Wales during the week ended August 29, 1903, correspond to an annual rate of 16.0 per 1,000 of the aggregate population, which is estimated at 15,075,011.

*London.*—One thousand two hundred and sixty-six deaths were registered during the week, including measles 18, scarlet fever 12, diphtheria 17, whooping cough 13, enteric fever 7, and diarrhea 187. The deaths from all causes correspond to an annual rate of 14.3 per 1,000. In Greater London 1,808 deaths were registered. In the "outer ring" the deaths included 2 from diphtheria, and 5 from whooping cough.

*Ireland.*—The average annual death rate represented by the deaths registered during the week ended August 29, 1903, in the 21 principal town districts of Ireland was 20.1 per 1,000 of the population, which is estimated at 1,093,289. The lowest rate was recorded in Clonmel and Dundalk, viz, 0.0, and the highest in Tralee, viz, 52.8 per 1,000. In Dublin and suburbs 176 deaths were registered, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 3, whooping cough 3, and 40 from tuberculosis.

*Scotland.*—The deaths registered in 8 principal towns during the week ended August 29, 1903, correspond to an annual rate of 15.1 per 1,000 of the population, which is estimated at 1,702,912. The lowest

mortality was recorded in Perth, viz, 13.9, and the highest in Paisley, viz, 20.1 per 1,000. The aggregate number of deaths registered from all causes was 495, including diphtheria 6, measles 8, scarlet fever 7, smallpox 1, and 7 from whooping cough.

**JAPAN—Nagasaki.**—Ten days, ended August 10, 1903. Estimated population, 148,883. Total number of deaths not reported. One death from enteric fever reported.

**PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—Manila.**—Month of April, 1903. Estimated population, 302,154. Total number of deaths, 549, including enteric fever 9, whooping cough 1, smallpox 1, cholera 27, plague 47, and 83 from tuberculosis.

**SPAIN—Corunna.**—Month of August, 1903. Estimated population, 50,000. Total number of deaths, 104, including diphtheria 1, measles 1, and 18 from tuberculosis.

*Cholera, yellow fever, plague, and smallpox, June 27, 1903, to September 25, 1903.*

[Reports received by the Surgeon-General Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service from United States consuls through the Department of State and from other sources.]

[For reports received from December 27, 1902, to June 26, 1903, see PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS for June 26, 1903.]

#### CHOLERA.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
China:				
Amoy .....	July 19-Aug. 1 .....		650	
Hongkong .....	June 6-July 18 .....	5	3	
Shanghai .....	Aug. 1-Aug. 8 .....		1	
India:				
Bombay .....	May 20-Aug. 11 .....		9	
Calcutta .....	May 22-Aug. 15 .....		267	
Karachi .....	June 1-June 7 .....	1	4	
Madras .....	June 6-Aug. 14 .....			
Philippine Islands:				
Manila .....	May 2-Aug. 1 .....	289	254	
Provinces .....	do .....	9,015	6,610	
Straits Settlements:				
Singapore .....	May 16-Aug. 1 .....		185	
Turkey:				
Baalbeck .....	Aug. 16-Aug. 22 .....			Prevailing.
Beytarie .....	June 6-June 13 .....	26	23	
Catana .....	May 24-June 6 .....		10	
Damascus .....	May 31-Aug. 22 .....		63	
Damascus province, not including Damascus.	Aug. 18 .....		312	
Hama .....	Aug. 16-Aug. 22 .....			Do.
Duma .....	June 2 .....		2	
Kara .....	June 8-June 14 .....	13		Syria, May to July 20, 234 cases; 121 deaths.
Tripoli .....	Aug. 22 .....			Prevailing.
Zibdani .....	May 31 .....		1	

#### YELLOW FEVER.

Brazil:				
Pernambuco .....	June 16-June 30 .....		1	
Rio de Janeiro .....	May 17-Aug. 23 .....		24	
Colombia:				
Panama .....	June 8-Sept. 7 .....	35	12	
Costa Rica:				
Limon .....	June 11-Sept. 3 .....	37	20	One case on ss. Westgate.
Matina .....	Aug. 20 .....	2		
San José .....	do .....	2		Imported.
Zent .....	do .....		4	

*Cholera, yellow fever, plague, and smallpox, etc.—Continued.*

## YELLOW FEVER—Continued.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
<b>Cuba:</b>				
Habana .....	July 7-July 15	1	1	From Ward Line ss. Vigilancia, from Progreso.
<b>Ecuador:</b>				
Guayaquil .....	May 2-July 25	.....	8	
<b>Mexico:</b>				
Altamira .....	July 18	.....	.....	Present.
Cardenas .....	July 10	1	1	
Citas .....	Aug. 23-Aug. 29	45	7	
Coatzacoalcos .....	July 19-Aug. 29	3	1	One case imported.
Dofia Cecilia .....	July 11	.....	.....	Present.
El Higo .....	Aug. 15	.....	.....	Do.
Linares .....	To Aug. 24	.....	14	
Merida .....	Jan. 1-Aug. 29	153	60	
Mexico .....	Aug. 10-Aug. 23	.....	2	
Monterey .....	Aug. 29	1	.....	Imported from Linares.
Motzorongu .....	July 20	.....	.....	Present.
Nuevo Laredo .....	Sept. 15	1	1	
Orizaba .....	May 17-July 6	12	.....	11 cases imported from Vera Cruz.
Progreso .....	Jan. 1-Sept. 5	15	4	
Salina Cruz .....	Aug. 9-Aug. 29	13	8	
San Luis Potosi .....	July 31	.....	.....	Present.
Tampico .....	June 13-Sept. 5	.....	284	
Tamuin .....	Aug. 15	.....	.....	Do.
Tehuantepec .....	Aug. 9-Aug. 15	4	3	
Teran .....	Aug. 27	.....	.....	Do.
Tierra Blanca .....	July 20	.....	.....	Do.
Valladolid .....	Aug. 9-Aug. 15	1	.....	
Vera Cruz .....	June 13-Sept. 5	502	173	One from Br. ss. Trader, probably infected on shore.
Victoria .....	Aug. 10	3	1	
Zongolica .....	To July 11	5	.....	
<b>Venezuela:</b>				
Barquesimeto .....	July 31-Aug. 27	.....	.....	Present.
Cagua .....	Sept. 1	.....	.....	Do.
Caracas .....	Aug. 7	.....	.....	Do.
Toconyo .....	July 31-Aug. 27	.....	.....	Do.

## PLAGUE.

<b>Africa:</b>				
Cape of Good Hope (Port Elizabeth, East London, King Williams Town, and Queenstown included).	May 2-July 25	73	8	
Natal (Durban and Pietermaritzburg included).	Apr. 18-May 23	20	8	
<b>Australia:</b>				
Queensland, Brisbane .....	May 9-June 13	19	9	
Bundaberg .....	May 16-June 13	3	1	
Western Australia, Fremantle .....	June 10	1	.....	
New South Wales, Sydney .....	June 13-July 11	2	.....	
<b>Bolivia:</b>				
La Paz .....	Aug. 13	.....	.....	Present.
<b>Brazil:</b>				
Rio de Janeiro .....	May 24-Aug. 25	.....	25	
<b>Chile:</b>				
Concepcion, vicinity of .....	July 11	.....	.....	Do.
Iquique .....	May 28-July 11	13	5	
Pisagua .....	July 11	.....	.....	Do.
Valparaiso .....	.....do	.....	.....	Do.
<b>China:</b>				
Amoy .....	May 10-Aug. 1	.....	1,740	Estimated.
Canton .....	May 12	.....	.....	Increasing.
Fuchau .....	July 15	.....	.....	Becoming epidemic.
Honam .....	May 12	.....	.....	Increasing.
Inkow .....	Sept. 7	.....	.....	Present.
Sgun Tak .....	May 12	.....	.....	Increasing.
Yeung Kong .....	.....do	.....	.....	Do.
Heung Shan .....	.....do	.....	.....	Do.
Hongkong .....	May 2-Aug. 22	.....	571	Jan. 1-Aug. 1, 1,381 cases.
<b>Egypt:</b>				
Alexandria .....	May 23-Aug. 21	48	31	
Beni Mazar .....	June 6-June 19	3	.....	
Damiette .....	June 13-Aug. 21	16	10	
Port Said .....	May 23-Aug. 7	22	10	
Tantah .....	June 20-July 9	7	3	

*Cholera, yellow fever, plague, and smallpox, etc.—Continued.*

## PLAGUE—Continued.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Egypt—Continued.				
District of Embabek.....	May 30-June 6	1	1	
District Galiab.....	do	1	1	
District Magagha.....	May 23-June 6	3	2	
District Minieh.....	do	1	.....	
District Samalut.....	May 23-June 13	.....	3	
District Tukh.....	May 30-June 27	25	4	
France:				
Marseille.....	Sept. 13.....	1	.....	
Formosa.....	Jan. 1-June 17	750	606	
Germany:				
Berlin.....	June 5-June 18.	1	.....	Nurse of case previously reported
Hawaiian Islands:				
Hilo.....	Sept. 15.....	2	2	
Honolulu.....	June 24-Sept. 12	6	4	
India:				
Bombay Presidency and Sind—				
Northern Division.....	May 2-July 25	3,141	2,866	
Central Division.....	do	1,706	1,163	
Southern Division.....	do	7,748	5,526	
Sind.....	do	547	492	
Political charges.....	do	5,205	3,683	
Madras Presidency.....	do	623	440	
Bengal—				
Calcutta.....	do	.....	194	
Presidency.....	do	143	135	
Burdwan.....	do	72	70	
Bhagalpur.....	do	20	17	
Patna.....	do	653	607	
United Provinces—				
Allahabad.....	do	217	202	
Benares.....	do	578	339	
Fyzabad.....	do	162	151	
Gorakhpur.....	do	.....	137	
Meerut.....	do	.....	475	
Lucknow.....	do	286	278	
Agra.....	do	.....	71	
Rohilkhand.....	June 6-July 25	2	2	
Punjab—				
Jullunder.....	May 2-July 25	19,124	11,802	
Lahore.....	do	21,799	13,077	
Rawalpindi.....	do	17,618	11,262	
Multan.....	do	930	505	
Delhi.....	do	7,707	5,735	
Burma—				
Rangoon.....	May 2-July 25	1	.....	
Central Provinces—				
Nerbudda.....	do	26	26	
Nagpur.....	do	35	34	
Jubbulpore.....	do	43	26	
Assam.....	May 16-July 25	36	8	
Coorg.....	June 6-July 25	59	23	
Mysore State.....	May 2-July 25	1,658	1,228	
Hyderabad.....	do	229	186	
Berar.....	do	.....	23	
Rajputana.....	do	70	55	
Central India.....	do	310	271	
Kashmir.....	do	472	355	
N. W. F. Province.....	May 16-July 18	1	1	
Japan:				
Nagasaki.....	May 21-Aug. 18	3	2	2 cases and 1 death on Russian war vessel <i>Otvazny</i> , from Shanghai.
Yokohama.....	May 12-Aug. 15	13	11	1 case on Japanese ss. <i>Kaga Maru</i> , from Seattle. Ports of call, Hiogo and Hongkong.
Shidzuoka Ken.....	July 11.....	1	1	
Mauritius.....	May 21-July 16	.....	13	
Mexico:				
Bagio.....	Aug. 17.....	3	.....	
Sequeros.....	Aug. 18.....	3	.....	
New Caledonia.....	July 26-Aug. 13	88	71	
Peru:				
Arequipa.....	Aug. 13.....	.....	.....	Present.
Mollendo.....	do.....	.....	.....	Do.
Pacasmayo.....	do.....	.....	.....	Do.
Philippine Islands:				
Manila.....	Apr. 11-Aug. 1	108	99	
Cebu.....	Sept. 3.....	.....	.....	Do.
Straits Settlements:				
Singapore.....	June 14-Aug. 1	.....	20	

*Cholera, yellow fever, plague, and smallpox, etc.—Continued.*

## SMALLPOX.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
<b>Argentina:</b>				
Buenos Ayres.....	May 1-May 31	.....	11	
<b>Austria-Hungary:</b>				
Prague .....	May 31-Aug. 8	34	.....	
<b>Belgium:</b>				
Antwerp .....	May 31-Aug. 22	27	12	
Brussels .....	June 6-Aug. 29	.....	39	
Ghent .....	May 16-July 4	.....	7	
Liege .....	May 23-Sept. 5	8	3	
<b>Brazil:</b>				
Pernambuco .....	June 3-July 15	.....	13	
Rio de Janeiro .....	May 17-Aug. 9	.....	71	
<b>Guiana:</b>				
Demerara .....	July 5-July 25	.....	2	
<b>Canada:</b>				
British Columbia, Vancouver.	Aug. 1-Aug. 31	1	.....	
Manitoba, Winnipeg .....	July 12-July 18	1	.....	
New Brunswick, Lansdowne.	Aug. 28	6	.....	Imported.
Ontario.....	May 1-June 30	96	2	
<b>Canary Islands:</b>				
Las Palmas.....	May 16-June 13	46	.....	
<b>Chile:</b>				
Antofagasta .....	May 1-June 30	.....	16	
<b>China:</b>				
Hongkong.....	May 2-Aug. 22	15	4	
Shanghai.....	May 9-Aug. 8	5	4	
<b>Colombia:</b>				
Barranquilla .....	Aug. 10-Aug. 23	.....	6	
Bocas del Toro .....	June 9-Sept. 1	64	10	
<b>Costa Rica:</b>				
Siquires .....	Sept. 9	1	.....	On ss. Altai, from Savanilla.
<b>Ecuador:</b>				
Guayaquil.....	July 5-July 11	.....	1	
<b>Formosa:</b>				
Formosa.....	Apr. 1-May 31	7	.....	
<b>France:</b>				
Marseille .....	May 1-Aug. 31	.....	62	
Paris .....	Aug. 2-Aug. 29	.....	4	
<b>Germany:</b>				
Bremen.....	Aug. 1	1	1	On ss. Bremen.
Kehl .....	May 1-May 31	13	.....	
<b>Great Britain:</b>				
Birmingham .....	June 6-Sept. 5	16	1	
Bristol .....	June 6-Aug. 8	2	.....	
Cardiff .....	May 2-June 6	28	.....	
Dublin .....	June 6-Sept. 5	46	8	
Dundee .....	June 6-Aug. 22	12	.....	
Edinburgh .....	July 4-July 11	1	.....	
Leeds .....	June 6-Sept. 5	100	5	
Liverpool .....	do	176	20	
London .....	June 14-Aug. 22	101	.....	
Manchester .....	June 6-Sept. 5	50	6	
Newcastle-on-Tyne .....	June 6-Aug. 29	55	6	
Nottingham .....	May 23-Aug. 1	26	.....	
Sheffield .....	May 31-Aug. 8	14	.....	
Southampton .....	June 14-June 20	1	.....	From ss. St. Paul from New York.
South Shields .....	Aug. 9-Aug. 22	3	.....	
Sunderland .....	June 6-Aug. 15	1	1	
West Hartlepool.....	June 14-Aug. 22	5	.....	
<b>Honduras:</b>				
La Ceiba.....	Aug. 15	.....	.....	Present.
<b>India:</b>				
Bombay .....	May 19-Aug. 11	.....	173	
Calcutta .....	May 3-Aug. 8	.....	12	
Karachi .....	May 25-June 7	4	.....	
Madras .....	May 23-June 19	.....	2	
<b>Italy:</b>				
Catania.....	Aug. 21-Aug. 27	.....	1	
Milan .....	June 1-June 30	1	.....	
Rome.....	May 24-May 30	.....	1	
<b>Japan:</b>				
Kobe .....	May 23-June 30	5	1	
Nagasaki .....	June 11-June 20	1	.....	
<b>Mexico:</b>				
City of Mexico.....	June 7-Sept. 6	136	86	
Coatzacoalcos .....	June 20-June 27	1	.....	
Tampico.....	July 12-July 25	.....	3	
Vera Cruz.....	July 11-Sept. 5	5	2	1 case from vessel from Tampico.
<b>Netherlands:</b>				
Amsterdam.....	July 25-Sept. 5	2	1	

*Cholera, yellow fever, plague, and smallpox, etc.—Continued.*

## SMALLPOX—Continued.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
<b>Philippine Islands:</b>				
Manila .....	Apr. 11-Aug. 1	67	13	
<b>Porto Rico:</b>				
San Juan .....	Sept. 9.....	2	.....	
<b>Russia:</b>				
Moscow .....	May 23-Aug. 22	41	15	
Odessa.....	July 26-Aug. 22	5	.....	
Riga.....	Apr. 1-June 30	.....	65	
St. Petersburg.....	May 31-Aug. 29	173	22	
Warsaw .....	May 16-Aug. 22	.....	24	
<b>Spain:</b>				
Cadiz.....	May 1-May 31	1	.....	On board ss. Grangeworth. Present.
Barcelona .....	July 22.....	.....	.....	
<b>Straits Settlements:</b>				
Singapore.....	July 12-July 18	.....	1	
<b>Switzerland:</b>				
Geneva.....	Aug. 16-Aug. 22	1	.....	
Zurich.....	June 6-June 13	1	.....	
<b>Turkey:</b>				
Constantinople.....	June 14-Aug. 30	.....	9	
Smyrna .....	May 25-Aug. 31	.....	106	
<b>Uruguay:</b>				
Montevideo .....	June 1-June 20	4	.....	
<b>Venezuela:</b>				
Barquisimeto.....	June 1-July 31	.....	.....	Present.
Caracas.....	Aug. 28.....	.....	.....	Smallpox prevalent.
El Coro.....	Aug. 10.....	.....	.....	Present.
La Pascua.....	Aug. 1.....	.....	.....	Present.
Maturin.....	Aug. 17.....	.....	.....	Present.
Puerto Cabello.....	Aug. 23.....	.....	.....	Smallpox prevalent.
Quibor.....	June 1-July 31	.....	.....	Present.
Tocuyo.....	Aug. 7.....	.....	.....	Smallpox prevalent.

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Aix-la-Chapelle.....	Aug. 22	140,690	60	3																
Amherstburg.....	Sept. 12	2,250	2																	
Athens.....	Aug. 29	200,000	8																	
Bahia.....	Aug. 22	230,000	98	15																
Barmen.....	Do.....	146,940	32	2																1
Do.....	Aug. 29	146,940	46	4																1
Beirut.....	Aug. 22	80,000	a 10																	
Barranquilla.....	Aug. 30	45,000	22																	
Belfast.....	Aug. 29	358,693	131																	
Belize.....	Sept. 10	9,000	6																	
Berlin.....	Aug. 22	1,982,202	633	72																
Brussels.....	Aug. 29	575,896	153	15																
Calcutta.....	Aug. 15	847,796	326		6	10		1												4
Cartagena.....	Aug. 31	8,000	7	1																
Catania.....	Sept. 3	153,523	55	6																
Christiania.....	Aug. 29	226,000	59							2										
Coatzacoalcos.....	Sept. 5	3,000	3																	
Coburg.....	Aug. 22	22,582	11	3																
Do.....	Aug. 29	22,582	6	1																
Cognac.....	Aug. 22	19,483	18	3																
Do.....	Aug. 29	19,483	5	1																
Cologne.....	Do.....	400,875	147	19						1	1	1								4
Colombo.....	Aug. 8	156,869	120	22						1	1									
Colon.....	Sept. 6	8,000	9																	
Constantinople.....	Aug. 30	800,000	175																	
Crefeld.....	Aug. 15	110,889	24																	
Curaçoa.....	Aug. 29	31,351	9																	
Dublin.....	Do.....	378,994	176	40																3
Dundee.....	Do.....	162,805	45																	
Edinburgh.....	Do.....	327,441	89																	1
Flushing.....	Do.....	19,336	3																	
Frankfort on the Main.....	Do.....	308,000	99																	
Funchal.....	Aug. 30	44,049	27	2																
Geneva.....	Aug. 22	109,199	25																	
Girgenti.....	Do.....	25,069	14																	
Do.....	Aug. 29	25,069	16																	
Glasgow.....	Sept. 4	786,897	232																	
Gothenburg.....	Aug. 29	132,600	34	8																
Guayaquil.....	Aug. 22	60,000	55	5																
Do.....	Aug. 29	60,000	50	7																
Habana.....	Sept. 5	236,000	88	9																
Halifax.....	Sept. 12	40,787	24																	
Hamburg.....	Aug. 29	737,323	236																	
Karachi.....	Aug. 9	108,644	44																	
Do.....	Aug. 16	108,644	63																	
Kingston.....	Sept. 11	18,300	5																	
Lausanne.....	Aug. 22	49,624	7																	
Leeds.....	Sept. 5	443,559	132	13																2
Leghorn.....	Aug. 23	97,966	39	5																
Do.....	Aug. 30	97,966	27	5																
Leipsig.....	Aug. 29	485,139	268	17																
Leith.....	Do.....	79,552	22	4																
Licata.....	Aug. 22	24,500	12																	
Do.....	Aug. 29	24,500	2																	
Liege.....	Do.....	164,929	35	6																1
Lyon.....	Aug. 22	500,000	161	30																
Madras.....	Aug. 14	509,346	351																	
Madgeburg.....	May 9	230,016	81	8																
Do.....	May 16	230,016	76	8																1
Mainz.....	Aug. 29	87,200	30	2																1
Manchester.....	Do.....	554,331	206	20																
Mannheim.....	Aug. 22	147,539	58																	
Do.....	Aug. 29	147,539	60																	
Mazatlan.....	Aug. 22	20,000	7																	
Do.....	Aug. 29	20,000	20																	
Do.....	Sept. 5	20,000	9																	
Messina.....	Aug. 15	107,000	32	2																
Do.....	Aug. 22	107,000	30																	
Do.....	Aug. 29	107,000	31	7																
Mexico.....	Aug. 30	368,777	316	14																1
Monte Christi.....	Sept. 5	2,000	1																	

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Moscow .....	Aug. 22	1,178,427	636	5						4	12	7	4	2
Nottingham .....	Aug. 29	239,753	99									3		3
Nuremberg .....	Aug. 22	268,190	119	15							2		10	
Odessa .....	Aug. 16	475,000	222	18					1	7	5	4	3	
Palermo .....	Aug. 22	330,000	118	9										
Do .....	Aug. 29	330,000	116	4										
Panama .....	Sept. 7	20,000					1							
Port au Prince .....	Aug. 10	60,000	21											
Do .....	Aug. 17	60,000	13											
Do .....	Aug. 24	60,000	13											
Prague .....	Aug. 29	232,057	89	24						1		1		
Puerto Cortes .....	Sept. 10	2,125	2							1				
Puerto Cabello .....	July 31	14,000	16	2										
Do .....	Aug. 8	14,000	11	2						1				
Do .....	Aug. 15	14,000	5	1										
Rome .....	May 23	494,445	153	14						1	2			
Do .....	May 30	494,445	142	13				1			3			
Sagua la Grande .....	Sept. 5	21,342	10	2										
St. John, N. B. .....	Sept. 12	40,711	13	1								1		
St. Petersburg .....	Aug. 22	1,450,100	632	92				1		17	7	12	16	14
Do .....	Aug. 29	1,310,540	592	80						17	7	10	20	13
St. Stephen, N. B. .....	Sept. 12	2,840												
Singapore .....	July 25	97,111	279	32	2	39								
Do .....	Aug. 1	97,111	231	34	1	5								
Smyrna .....	Aug. 16	60,000	20							3				
Do .....	Aug. 23	60,000	13							4				
Do .....	Aug. 30	60,000	18							1				
Solingen .....	Aug. 22	15,142	12											
Do .....	Aug. 29	15,142	7											
Southampton .....	Sept. 5	110,120	34									2		
Stettin .....	Aug. 22	218,000	124							1	2			
Do .....	Aug. 29	218,000	115							5	1	1		
Stockholm .....	do	305,115	97	12								1		
Stuttgart .....	Aug. 27	190,864	79	2								1		
Do .....	Sept. 3	190,864	81									1		1
Sunderland .....	Aug. 29	149,526	64	5								1	3	
Tampico .....	Sept. 5	20,000	22				2							
Trapani .....	Aug. 22	61,437	17											
Do .....	Aug. 29	61,437	17											
Trieste .....	Aug. 22	185,041	83							1		3	2	
Do .....	Aug. 29	185,041	77										1	
Vienna .....	do	1,761,931	521	90						3		6	7	3
Warsaw .....	Aug. 15	756,000	405	33						2	2	19	3	25
Do .....	Aug. 22	756,000	382	22				3		3	14	5	24	4
Zurich .....	Aug. 29	160,000	51											

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