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Some effort has been made to ascertain the source of infection in the case which occurred on the steamship *Miguel M. Pinillos*, discovered in Matanzas and confirmed on August 17. (See Public Health Reports, August 31, 1906, p. 1020.) Nothing could be learned except that the man stated that he had been sleeping around the docks and that he had not lived in any particular house in Habana. The registers of lodging houses near and around the water front were examined, but the name could not be found. This would indicate that an unknown focus of infection exists near the water front.

There were 2 cases of yellow fever reported from the Esperanza plantation, which is near Alacranes, of which I received no reports until to-day. The first case was taken sick on August 13 and was confirmed some days afterwards. The second case was taken sick on August 21, and while not yet confirmed as yellow fever, is believed to be a case.

Thirty-nine cases of dengue fever were reported during the month of July, 1906.

September 3: One new case of yellow fever reported and confirmed to-day; Spaniard, taken sick August 28; had been diagnosed dengue. There are 8 suspects.

September 6: Case of yellow fever reported September 3 died yesterday, September 5.

*Report from Santiago—Inspection and fumigation of vessels.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Wilson reports, August 22, as follows:

Week ended August 18, 1906: Bills of health issued to 6 vessels bound for the United States.

No quarantinable disease has been reported.

The Cuban steamship *Julia*, which sailed on the 13th instant for San Juan, P. R., via Santo Domingo, was fumigated at the agents' request, as they received a telegram that morning stating that Porto Rico had removed the quarantine against Santo Domingo. The French steamship *Salvador*, which left the day before for Porto Rico, via Haiti and Santo Domingo, was not fumigated, the vessel having been refumigated at Porto Rico on the previous trip, on account of having stopped at infected ports after leaving Santiago.

GUATEMALA.

*Report from Puerto Barrios—Inspection of vessels.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Wailes reports as follows: Week ended August 21, 1906. Present officially estimated population, 3,500; 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.	Destination.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Aug. 17	Alabama .....	New Orleans via Li-	19	0	.....	.....
21	Anselm .....	mon. New Orleans .....	4	0	.....	.....