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from that port by Acting Assistant Surgeon Frick. The vessel was held in quarantine while at this port and the patient ordered to the civil hospital of this city for treatment.

There were no communicable diseases reported within the city limits during the past week.

Report from Santiago—Inspection of vessels.

Temporary Acting Assistant Surgeon Infante reports, February 20, as follows:

Week ended February 16, 1907: Bills of health issued to 11 vessels bound for the United States. One vessel was fumigated.

No quarantinable disease has been reported.

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Report from Guayaquil—Summary for month of January, 1907—Smallpox and yellow fever.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Lloyd reports, February 14, as follows:

Month of January, 1907: Twenty-two deaths from yellow fever and 23 from smallpox in Guayaquil; 10 vessels fumigated, 9 persons vaccinated, and 8 immune certificates issued.

Cases of yellow fever are now required to be reported to the board of health, and some effort is being made to screen cases.

On February 8 I was summoned to Huigra, Ecuador, to visit a yellow-fever case. I found the patient dying of yellow fever. Yesterday another death occurred in Bucay from the same cause. I have been asked to take charge of the railway company's work of combating the disease in Duran.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Report from Glasgow—Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

Consul Austin forwards the following information under date of February 8:

Sixty-five cases of cerebro-spinal meningitis are reported as under observation at the city hospitals.