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JAPAN.

YOKOHAMA—Inspection of Vessels.

Surgeon Irwin reports, April 4:

Week ended April 2. Bills of health issued to the following-named vessels: Steamships *Manchuria* and *Albatross* for San Francisco, *Protesilaus* for Tacoma, and *Henrik Ibsen* and *Yawata Maru* for Manila. These vessels carried an aggregate of 593 in crew and 178 cabin and 793 steerage passengers.

MEXICO.

Report from the Superior Board of Health of Mexico.

In compliance with articles 1 and 2 of the International Sanitary Convention held at Washington, October 9–14, 1905, the president of the Superior Board of Health of Mexico reports, April 25, that no case of yellow fever and no death from the said disease were registered in the Mexican Republic during the week ended April 23, and that the prophylactic measures reported under date of September 28, 1908, continue to be carried out.

COATZACOALCOS—Inspection of Vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Thompson reports, April 20:

Week ended April 20. Vessels inspected: April 14, steamships *Almerian* for New Orleans via Veracruz and Tampico, and *Texan* for Delaware Breakwater. April 19, steamship *Noruega* for Galveston via Veracruz. April 20, steamships *City of Tampico* for New Orleans via Veracruz and Tampico, and *American* for Delaware Breakwater.

RUSSIA.

Smallpox and Typhus Fever—Examination of Emigrants.

Acting Assistant Surgeon De Forest at Libau reports, April 13:

Ten days ended April 10. At Libau 2 cases of smallpox were reported April 6; 6 cases are present. At Riga 72 cases of typhus fever were reported; 219 cases present.

The steamship *Estonia* sailed April 12 with 66 cabin and 919 steerage passengers and a crew of 98 members. All had been in Libau for the full 5 days. Pieces of baggage disinfected, 128.

SIAM.

Quarantine Against Bangkok on Account of Plague.

The following information was received from the Department of State, under date of April 25:

The consul-general at Bangkok reported, April 14, that quarantine had been declared at Singapore against Bangkok on account of plague.

TURKEY IN ASIA.

Plague at Bassorah.

The following information was received from the Department of State, under date of April 28:

A telegram dated April 27 from the American consul at Bagdad reports plague at Bassorah.