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My Dear Doctor:

I have just received your letter of the 22nd and hasten to congratulate you on the thorough manner in which you have accomplished the task assigned you. The results could not be better and throw a flood of light on the Etiology of Yellow Fever. Your cablegram reached Gen. Wennberg promptly, & he supposed that it had been referred to me. As soon as I got your letter, I went up to make inquiry about your cable & he then showed it to me. We can now go ahead & submit a contribution on the Etiology of Yellow Fever. This we must do promptly after we have discussed all of the later results. I think that we can let a little wind out of Wyman's Yellow Fever Institute! Again Congratulations. Hoping to see you back soon. Sincerely, yours,

W. Reed.