third to supper on the fourth, I did not eat anything but only added water from time to time. The supper paved the way and my breakfast on the fifth stabilized the condition. The symptoms and progress of the diarrhea is similar to those I have previously had, so I am not concerned. I think that I will receive immunity to these bugs in Guatemala from time to time and that evntually will not have trouble with water or food. Once I can get in the field, I will be independent of the hotels and diseases of the city. One thing that the lunch today did not cure (which incidentally included an avado, grapefruit, biscuits, butter, rice and chicken, livers, mashed potatoes and gravey, peas, corn, a tenderloin steak two inches thick and rare, piece of cake, chocolate ice cream and milk--the eating of which should dispell any doubt as to my complete recovery) There are pimples on my leg surrounded by red rings about so (-) What is it, doctor?

This reminds me that I must get my oxfords half-soled as the holes are allowing the mire of the walks to get to my feet.

The weather in Guatemala City is warm in the day and cool at night. The days are cloudless except for a few clouds that hang around Agua, Acatenango, Fuego and Pacayo volcanoes which are all clearly visible from my window at the Pan-American. The room is on the third flor and even at that height, overlooks the city. All the buildings have beautiful tile on the floor.

One of my first problems in Guatemala City was to get the permit to carry a gun