INFLUENZA REPORTS SHOW IMPROVEMENT

Number of Cases Lowered and Excess of Cases Reported Off—By Wards.

With only 92 cases reported and 130 cases of influenza reported discharged, the epidemic showed continued signs of improvement in this city yesterday and the decision of Dr. Rover to lift the quarantine, based upon a diminishing curve in the charting of the epidemic, is fared more than ever to be justified.

Conditions in the Sixth ward continued to show up badly. From this section 28 cases alone were reported. The inspection of homes and the cleaning up of streets by the health department was continued and it is expected will shortly be felt in lessened number of cases. However the physicians and health authorities have to combat unusual, almost superstitious fear of the disease. A lot of the foreign-born people quit a home in which a case appears in panic, leaving helpless children and invalids to their own resources.

By wards the distribution of cases yesterday was as follows: First, 6; Second, 7; Third, 9; Fourth, 5; Fifth, 1; Sixth, 8; Seventh, 10; Eighth, 2; Ninth, 11; Tenth, 1; Eleventh, 5; Twelfth, 1; Thirteenth, 2; Fourteenth, 1; Fifteenth, 1; total, 92.

From the family of John Buckner, 430 Oak street, three cases were reported. In the family of Louis Lejole, of 148 Sycamore street, five are ill, including the mother and four little children. There are four ill in the family of Paul Guinie, of 122 Sycamore street. There are two ill in the families of Edwin Wieser, of 727 S. Eleventh, Edwin Albright, 716 Green, Joseph Netwalk, 222 Liberty; Ammon Amor, 224 N. Penn; Leonard Drogowsky, 257 Liberty; Otto Natchy, 413 Green.

Other families ill are: Mrs. Charles Pearson, 503 North West; Charles Martin, 130 South Jordan; Mrs. Bertha Wagner, 484 Gordon; Mrs. Ralph Knuppenberger, of 102 North Twelfth; John Pink, the barber, of No. 140 N. Hall street; Mrs. Hilda Matter, 518 Gordon; Mrs. Liddle Deers, 322 N. Twelfth; John Eddy, the latter, caretaker and daughter, of Janice, of 210 N. Seventh street; Henry Freneul and daughter, of Miss Edna Fienel, of No. 218 N. Fifteenth; Isaiah Laubach, 224 South Twelfth; Thomas Derr, 424 Gordon; Mrs. Charles Forber, of 355 Pine; Mrs. Irwin Stigilats and daughter Ruth and son Wilmer, Greenleaf; Mr and Mrs. Victor Reiber, 17 South Fourth; Mary Rabb, 226 N. Front; Mrs. W. A.