LARGER DEATH TOLL IS TAKEN BY PNEUMONIA

Fewer Cases of Influenza but Fatality Increase.
To Open Car Windows.

NEW HOSPITAL SURE

Deaths from influenza and pneumonia in Pittsburgh yesterday reached a total of 25 for a period of 28 hours. This is four more than for the previous 24-hour period, and is thought to show that the epidemic tide of the disease is rising. Although the number of new cases of influenza was smaller than on the previous day, another death from influenza and pneumonia reported to the health department yesterday did not occur in Pittsburgh, but the body of the victim was sent here for burial.

The number of cases of influenza reported for 24 hours ending at 11 o'clock last night was 547, a daily increase of 125 cases and a total of 4081 cases reported to the health authorities of the city, since the disease reached Pittsburgh in epidemic form.

There were 11 new cases of pneumonia, making a total of 136 since October 1.

These figures do not include the cases at the military camps, which keep their own records. The most significant thing about them is the increasing number of fatalities due to pneumonia. Of the 25 deaths, three were due to influenza, 13 to pneumonia, and 9 to pneumonia.

Emergency Hospital Plans.

The committee of hospital superintendents at their meeting yesterday

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Larger Death Toll From Pneumonia

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considered the question of opening an emergency hospital. There is said to have been a change of opinion upon it, some holding that the existing hospital capacity ought to be used to the utmost before a new hospital is opened. Others expressed the opinion that the emergency hospital ought to be started as soon as possible. This view prevailed, and the committee decided that the emergency hospital will be opened.

A committee went on a hunt for a building, and is said to have practically decided to rent the old advertising agencies building on the corner of Sixth Avenue and Market Street. The building, it is said, will be used for the emergency hospital.