INFLUENZA IS STATIONARY

New Cases Reported Show Neither Gain nor Reduction.

Although the number of new influenza cases for the 24-hour period ending at 4 o'clock p.m. yesterday shows an increase over the number for Saturday and Sunday combined, the increase is more apparent than real, according to the local health authorities. For Saturday and Sunday and until 4 o'clock p.m. Monday there were but 91 new cases and for the 24 hours, ending at the same hour yesterday there were 110 new cases. Of these last, however, so many were belated reports from physicians, the onset of the disease dating back to as far as November, that yesterday's larger number, swollen in that way, really indicates that the epidemic is about at a standstill, neither increasing nor gaining. The total of influenza cases is 22,223.

For the 24 hours 16 new pneumonia cases were reported, making 2,148 in all. There were 49 deaths, 18 from pneumonia, 26 from influenza-pneumonia and five from influenza.