NEWER CASES OF INFLUENZA ARE REPORTED


RESTRICTIONS STILL ON.

If the recaps in the bureau of epideimology yesterday appeared to the alert the attention of the public and medical officers, it is estimated that there are not less than 150,000 cases of influenza reported. The number of deaths has increased to 200, with 75 more than yesterday. The reports are coming in from throughout the country, and the situation in the cities is critical. The deaths have been mostly in the elderly, but children and young adults are also affected.

POSTPONEMENT

The patrons at the Memorial Pergola have been informed that the opening ceremony of the pergola has been postponed indefinitely. The reason given is that the funds have not been raised to complete the project. The pergola is expected to be a landmark in the city and will feature a variety of plants and flowers.

In order that there may be no further misunderstandings, the superintendent of the Memorial Pergola has appointed committees to organize the various activities. The committees are to coordinate the work and ensure that the pergola is a success.

All churches are to be opened to the public, and special arrangements are being made to accommodate large numbers of people. The churches are to be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily, and special services will be held on Sundays.

Safeguards continue to be taken to prevent the spread of the disease. The public is urged to practice good hygiene, wash hands frequently, and avoid close contact with those who are ill. The government is working with medical professionals to develop a vaccine and treatment options.