'Flu' Menace Passing Says Health Chief

Retention of Masks Held Essential, However, Until Danger of the Disease Is Stamped Out

Number of Deaths and New Cases Steadily Decreasing, S. F. Loses in Fighting Epidemic

The market in improvement in epidemic situation in San Francisco, was noted yesterday, that the Health Department began to distance itself from the situation, that the masks were not worn, or that the disease was not being stamped out.

Dr. Hauser, the chief health officer, reported yesterday that there had been a marked decrease in the number of new cases reported, and the total rate is now down to 500. The number of deaths yesterday was 80, with the lowest number of deaths being 30. The number of cases reported was 200, with the lowest number of cases reported being 10.

Dr. Hauser said that San Francisco is now one month ahead of the situation, and that the masks are no longer necessary. The people of the city are now wearing masks again, and the danger is over.

RELIEF PROMISED SOON

Dr. Hauser said that the health department is now in a position to relieve the city of the disease. The rule will be recalled as soon as the masks are no longer necessary. The city is now in a position to relieve the people of the city, and the disease will be taken care of. If the masks are not worn, the danger will continue.

THOUSANDS VACCINATED

Several thousand men and women were vaccinated yesterday, and Health Officer Hauser announced that in order to relieve the vaccination situation, the vaccination center would be kept open between 10 and 6.