S.F. RAPIDLY SHAKES OFF "FLU" GRIP

Mask Ordinance to Be Enforced Vigorously Until Further Orders Come From Health Board

Red Cross Hospital Will Be Discontinued if Present Rate of Epidemic Decrease Continues

Influenza remained at a very low point in San Francisco yesterday. Seven new cases developed during the day and there were no deaths.

The Board of Education announced that they would not take advantage of permission to open schools in certain parts of the city, until such time as 11 (1 to 100) patients could be opened. They made no request of the Board of Health.

A slight change was made in the announcements of yesterday. Dr. Hassler said there would be no dancing in San Francisco until December, even though unmasking might be allowed at that time.

There will be no Thanksgiving cotillions, balls, private dances and no dancing in the cafes until well after the holiday.

The Red Cross Hospital for convalescents will be closed next week. New cases will not be received there.

The Board of Health announced its decision to entirely discontinue the temporary institution if there is no marked decrease in the number of persons who have been in other cities in the last few days.

The mask ordinance will be enforced vigorously as ever until further announcement. Theatre managers and others opening places of public meeting or entertainment will continue to require masks from those in attendance.

The Board of Health yesterday received reports of eighty-four cases of influenza not previously listed. They were scattered over a period beginning November 1 and ending yesterday. Hassler said that a proportion of the cases reported are little more than severe colds or milder cases of what is known as "influenza." If occurs normally when there is no epidemic in the city.

The Board of Health yesterday gave the Red Cross the influenza work and to turn over such cases as needed care and attention to the Catholic Charities and the Federation of Jewish Charities.

Lick, Wilmerding and Lux School authorities were told they would take advantage of the Health Board resolution and reopen.

Police Judges yesterday collected $325 in fines from men convicted of violation of the influenza mask ordinance and turned over the amount to the United War Work Campaign.