Board of Health Plans Preventives Against Influenza

The Board of Health yesterday announced a special meeting tomorrow to take up the influenza situation.

The number of cases yesterday up to five o'clock was 258, with 23 deaths reported to the Health Office.

Dr. William C. Hassler, Health Officer, said that with the end of the holiday season approaching, it was likely preventive measures will be taken.

Yesterday’s report showed considerable diminution in cases over the previous day, there being 181 less than on Monday.

The total for the day was declared to be unsatisfactory, however, according to the Health Department officials, and indicative of the necessity of exercising every precaution.