

INFLUENZA TOLL IN STATE 3667

October Deaths Increase
3883 Over Last Year,
Due to Epidemic

SACRAMENTO, November 22.—Tabulations of mortality records for October in California are still incomplete, but George D. Lealle, State Registrar of Vital Statistics, has announced figures covering twenty-nine of the thirty-one cities having 5000 or more population in 1910. Deaths from all causes in those cities total 5773, against 1890 for the same month last year, an increase of 3883. Deaths due to influenza and pneumonia total 3667. Sixty-four per cent of the deaths from influenza and complications were of males. By age periods they are classified thus: Thirty-six per cent from 30 to 39 years; 28 2-10 per cent from 20 to 29; 11 9-10 per cent from 40 to 49; 6 7-10 per cent from 10 to 19 years. Leading cities reported for the month deaths from influenza and complications as follows:

San Francisco	1413
Los Angeles	840
Oakland	411
Sacramento	161
Bakersfield	197
Stockton	90
Berkeley	77

The State Board of Health announced the total number of cases of influenza reported in California reached 158,018 today.

Conditions at Mather Field, the Army aviation camp near here, have improved, and the rigid quarantine established recently has been modified to permit men to leave the post for a short time each day. Visitors will not be admitted to the field, however.

Plans for rescinding the influenza mask order in Sacramento Saturday have been abandoned. It was announced, because conditions do not justify the action.