

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1918**

## 103 DEATHS FROM 'FLU IN MONTREAL TODAY

**Expect Peak to Be Over in Ontario By Friday.**

**Associated Press by Leased Wire.**  
**MONTREAL, Oct. 22.**—One hundred and three deaths occurred in Montreal from Spanish influenza this morning and three hundred and fifty new cases were reported. This morning the Provincial Board of Health received a report that 129 students at Rigaud College had been allowed to go home, notwithstanding the board's regulations to the contrary. The students reside in different parts of Quebec and Ontario. There have been forty cases of influenza at the college, but no deaths. Owing to the large number of cases among longshoremen, work on vessels now in port has been much retarded. Six hundred longshoremen out of the 2,000 employed here are in hospitals.

**Peak Over On Friday.**  
**TORONTO, Oct. 22.**—Dr. McCullough, the provincial medical health officer, is of opinion that the influenza epidemic in Ontario will have passed the peak by Friday next. He bases his opinion on the fact that it began here on September 25 and that in the United States towns it has taken four weeks to reach its limit. The provincial laboratories have temporarily run out of the vaccine, but more is being prepared. It will be about two days before general practitioners can get a supply from the department.

Deaths in Toronto from pneumonia and influenza, reported today up till noon, were 28. In many other cities of the province there was a decidedly optimistic feeling that the epidemic was subsiding.

Owing to the fact that 219 of the Grand Trunk terminal employes here are away with influenza, that railway today was compelled to place an embargo on all freight consigned east.

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