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## Influenza Situation Here.

We have each week, since the outbreak of the Spanish influenza here, given to our readers nearly as we could the exact situation. It was the desire to let the truth be known irrespective of the effect on trade. Now this week we follow that course and assure those on the outside that they may with safety resume their trips to town and thus again will trade return to its normal condition. We have had as caused directly by influenza only six deaths in town, these being James Sizemore, Brantley Marley, Millard Mann, Claud H. Allison, E. S. Brady and Sarah Ann Mailey.

Late yesterday afternoon we interviewed Health Officer Reece and got from him a statement backed by his own investigation and information furnished him by the physicians. There has not developed a new case since last Friday and the very few patients who have developed pneumonia are pronounced out of danger. It is quite probable that the churches will open for services next Lord's day; and the high school will reopen Monday.

However, let us all use ample precaution.

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in Siler City – Six Deaths

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