

GARBAGE IN BIG NEW YORK

Fat Picking in the Past for Various Favored Contractors.

NEW DEAL TO SAVE A BIG SUM

Colossal Scale of Garbage Collection and Disposal is Required to Cope with Condition of Metropolis.

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The garbage problem perplexes all cities alike, from big New York down. There in the metropolis, second city in the world, it stands forth as one of the most difficult of solutions. Yet there, as elsewhere, in Omaha no less than any, the matter of garbage collection and disposal lies at the very root of scientific and sanitary civic management. Why, then, has so vital a factor been so long and woefully neglected?

In some cases politics is the answer, in other the harsher term—graft, may be used; in all, incompetency or indifference or both.

And now, New York, like Omaha, seeks improvement in its garbage system. Just now it has a plan in mind by which it proposes to effect a saving to the city of \$1,137,999 in five years.

The Board of Estimates has approved an agreement for that length of time by which a private individual will pay the city \$67,000 for the privilege of removing the garbage.

In five years under the present plan, Omaha would pay, instead of get paid, approximately \$100,000 to have its garbage hauled, to say nothing of other incidental expenses mounting well up into the thousands of dollars. This is a good thing to keep in mind while casting about for the best method and wondering whether we have it now or not.

Fat Profit for Contractors.

In New York, as here, in the past the city has paid to have its garbage hauled. It has enabled political contractors to make as high as \$200,000 a year out of the graft. But when Mayor Gaynor's administration came into office, this graft, it seems, was cut off and garbage men were quick to seek the privilege of hauling the garbage for nothing and some of them are said to have made as high as \$200,000 a year out of the business even on that fair and square basis. But the garbage haulers sought to pick out their districts, knowing that from the more remote and inaccessible it would not pay to haul, so the city had to attend to that at a cost of about \$200,000 additionally a year, dumping the stuff in the sea or filling up lowlands near the city.

All these facts are of value in showing how utterly indifferent great cities have been to the science of this urgently important problem. No city can honestly lay claim to well ordered sanitation that neglects its garbage disposal, and yet many are dishonestly making the claim right along. When we come to meet this matter face to face, let us not be parsimonious in what we do, but let us provide the right sort of system, for it costs more not to provide it.

Rendering Plant is Preferred.

The plan New York contemplates is a sewerage disposal plant, which it will have as soon as a suitable location can be selected. Options have been obtained on a little island in Jamaica Bay, near the city, and, while nearby residents complain at the prospect of having a garbage plant or ground within smelling distance, city officials in charge of the situation say that the plant will be both sanitary and odorless and in no way offensive.

In New York it is said that fortunes have been made by garbage collectors separating and sorting the matter they get and disposing of the various ingredients. Tin cans, glass, rubber of various kinds, old papers, rags, stones, bricks and other things come with the garbage and everything is sorted out to itself. The brick, stone, broken china, glass and ashes are pulverized and made into building and paving blocks at a big profit. Rags and paper are ground into pulp, and so on, and big money is made out of all these things.

Here in Omaha, it will be remembered, we have had great trouble at times because householders would not separate garbage from other matter. The private contractors, through getting the waste free of cost, did not discover that fortunes could be made out of separating it themselves, as was done in New York. The fact is, that one reason for the failure of the original McDonald contract was the dispute over this matter of separation, and the first McPherson contract was menaced for the same reason. Health Commissioner Connell more than once had to come to the rescue with pub-

Statute Provides Storage Eggs Must Be Labeled as Such

Good eggs are very hard to get at the grocery stores at present. Most of the product has a decidedly stodge taste and while some grocers admitted weeks ago that storage eggs are already on the market, very few are representing any of their stock as such. Many housewives are making complaints to their grocers and the reply they get is, "Well, those were strictly fresh country eggs."

In spite of the new law which went into effect some weeks ago is the state providing a penalty for representing storage goods as fresh goods, little or no change can be seen in the grocery stores. No signs are to be seen on the egg cases reading, "These Are Storage Eggs."

The new law, senate file No. 84, is very specific on the point. Section 9 of that law reads: "It shall be unlawful to sell or to offer or expose for sale, articles of food which have been held in storage, without notifying persons purchasing or intending to purchase the same that they have been so kept, and it shall be unlawful to represent or advertise as fresh goods, which have been held in cold storage."

The law also provides a penalty. For the first offense the fine shall not exceed \$100 and for the second offense not more than six months, or both. Thus far, no arrests have been made in Omaha and in the state even though many customers have complained.

Some grocers assert that the handling of eggs at the commission houses gives them the storage taste, and that the strong, disagreeable taste does not prove that the eggs are storage eggs. The fact, however, remains that storage eggs are on the market, yet there are no signs that represent them as such.

Whether the signature of the late Colonel J. H. Pratt to a check for \$300, drawn in favor of Mrs. Rehn, his housekeeper, is genuine is a question which Judge Crawford of the county court must decide. That the signature is a forgery is the defense which attorneys for the estate presented in court against the claim.

John H. Berton, bank auditor, who testified as a handwriting expert that the signature was not that of Colonel Pratt, was asked by General Cowin, attorney for Mrs. Rehn, if he did not know "that you handwriting experts are a bunch of darned frauds." The general previously had testified that he had seen many signatures of Colonel Pratt and knew that the one in question was genuine.

Wayland Magee, grandson of Colonel Pratt on the witness stand told General Cowin that it was "none of his business" when the general sought to induce him to say why he had gone to Joliet, Ill., where it was alleged he discussed settlement of the claim with Mrs. Rehn. A little later General Cowin said to Mr. Magee: "You can't grin at me." "Neither can you shake your locks at me," was the reply.

The case was halted at noon and was resumed in the afternoon. "You can't grin at me." "Neither can you shake your locks at me," was the reply.

To Jail for Driving Family from Home

Joseph Smith, 115 Martha street, was arrested Monday evening for driving his wife and family from the house and breaking up the furniture. His wife and a neighbor appeared against the man with the result that he received a jail sentence of thirty days. Monday's arrest was the fourth which Smith has been subjected to on the same charge.

OSARK BANKERS WOULD HELP SETTLERS WITH ADVICE

L. M. Harris, press representative of the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad company, is in the city. Mr. Harris represents not only the Frisco, but a unique organization known as the Ozark Bankers' Development committee of Missouri, which consists of more than 300 bankers of that section who have organized for the purpose of dealing direct with all newcomers.

This organization was brought about by the realization of the fact that many settlers in the Ozark region had not attained great prosperity by reason of their not having started on what might be termed a business basis.

It is the purpose of the bankers to learn from the new arrivals just what cash and experience they have and advise them as to the amount of money they should expend, how it should be expended and the amount they must keep in hand to tide them over until the crop coming period. The Frisco railroad is working with the bankers along these lines and has instructed its agents to take all prospective settlers direct to the local bankers.

The bankers have established offices with the department of development of the Frisco at St. Louis, Mo., and have for their slogan, "Settlers, Not Transients."

SOUTH OMAHANS ATTEND WEDDING AT COLUMBUS

A wedding party, occupying a special car on the Union Pacific went to Columbus, Neb., Monday night to attend the wedding of J. H. Robinson, one of the auditors for the Cudahy Packing company, and Theodora Warkye of Columbus. The wedding party was made up of fellow employees of the groom and several of his friends. Following the wedding a reception was held which lasted through the night. The couple will make their home in Omaha after October 1.

Chronic Dyspepsia. The following unsolicited testimonial should certainly be sufficient to give hope and courage to persons afflicted with chronic dyspepsia: "I have been a chronic dyspeptic for years, and of all the medicine I have taken, Chamberlain's Tablets have done me more good than anything else," says W. G. Mattison, No. 7, Sherman St., Honesdale, N. Y. For sale by all druggists.—Advertisement.

CHAUFFEUR TO BE TRIED FOR RECKLESS DRIVING

Joseph Fell, chauffeur, residing at the Albany hotel, collided with G. A. Hodges at Fifteenth and Douglas Monday evening, knocking the latter to the pavement. Hodges was attended by Police Surgeon Forchman, who asserts his injuries were slight. Fell will be given a hearing in police court Wednesday morning, where he is charged by Hodges with reckless driving.

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