BACK TO BARBARISM.

Dump Boats a Wornout Institution of Medieval Times.

ODORS THEY CREATE IN SUMMER.

Arguments Against the Abolition of the Garbage Furnace.

COMPARISONS OF COLLECTION SYSTEMS"

At the recent State Sanitary Convention at Erle, an able paper on the collection and disposal of garbage was read by Colonel W. F. Morse, the noted sanitarian The ordinance now before Councils, providing for the establishment of a dump boat system and the recommendation of the Superintendent of the Board of Health that the garbage furnace be abolished in favor of the dump boats, has forced the question of garbage disposal upon the attention of our citizens. Some brief extracts with comments from Colonel Morse's paper may prove of value to those who have not had the time or opportunity to study the matter for themselves.

Colonel Morse begins by describing the various systems of garbage collection in operation in different cities.

"The Individual System"-Under this system each person disposes of his garbage in the manner best suited to his own convenience. Those who are intelligent, cleanly and have the means to afford it, have it hauled away at regular intervals, but do not interest themselves in its final disposition. It may be dumped into the nearest stream, or into adjacant ravines, or upon vacant lots, or incidentally into a garbage furnace—in any case the household-er feels no responsibility. Those who cannot afford to have it carted away periodically throw it into an alley, or

let it accumulate in their own back yards or cellars. This individual system is found in villages and in towns without a Board of Health. It is also the only system in operation in the large, wealthy and intelli-gent cities of Pittsburg and Allegheny. Disposal by the Contract System.

The city advertises for bids and lets out the whole work of garbage service. This system has good features, and is probably the most convenient for the authorities, but it has also many serious drawbacks. The contract is let to the lowest bidder, and the contractor is compelled to do the work at a small margin of profit, giving poor service, causing endless complaints and a general feeling of annoyance. Often changing his employes, the householders are overlooked, sometimes intentionally, until a petty sys-tem of blackmail is established, and, there being but a limited responsibility because of the usually short term of contract, the contracter takes little pains to do good work, preferring to skim over his district as quickly as possible. "The Municipal System"—In this case the

city does all the scavenger service with its own teams and men. This makes it necessary to maintain an extensive equipment and to provide for the stables, etc.; but if this be placed under control of the bureau of streets these men and teams can often be used for other work, dividing the expense; the responsibility for cleanly work is more definite, the service more thorough, com-plaints are more promptly attended to, the employes are more careful, and, with proper management, can be made to take pride in their work and give efficient service.

Comparisons of the Expense. The following table shows the approximate cost per capita under the "Contract

and "Municipal Syst	ems:"
Contract System. Citicago 22c Philadelphia 33-c Washington 10-c Herroit 17-c Hartford 13-c Montreal 11-c New Haven 85-c Fordand 12-c Fordand 12-c	Providence 15 Milwaukee 17 Memphis 3le Cambridge Mass 15 Los Augeles 25

The "contract system" is seen to be slightly cheaper than the "municipal," but the highest rate mentioned above, 3744 cents annually markably with the \$12 a year rate of a Pittsburg household.

The cost per capita of the city of Rolei. more is unaccountably omitted from this list. The Health Association has been in favor of the Baltimore system, simply because, having carefully studied the garbage removal laws of other cities, they have found those of Baltimore the most simple and thorough. If there be a better system than that of Baltimore they will be glad to see it adopted here, their only predilection being for cleanliness and order

An ideal garbage service has uniformed collectors; the collections are made daily and in the early hours of the morning. Carts are driven through the alleys instead of the streets, and collections are made at the rear. Where there are no alleys collections may be made at the front, but no hours of raffus or ashes are benefited. boxes of refuse or ashes can be placed upon the pavement until the collector's horn has been heard. Ashes and refuse must be kept in different receptacles, and if the collector finds them mixed, it is nis duty to report the offending householder, who will be fined.

Improvements in the Service.

Baltimore, Washington, Milwaukee and Boston have just adopted a steel garbage cart in place of the old malodorous lumbering wagons. It is light, is so adjusted that the contents can be dumped without the driver having his sound. driver leaving his seat, and, as it can be hosed out daily, it is of necessity odorless.

In place of this ideal service for which the Health Association has petitioned, the Superintendent of the Board of Health recommends the abolition of the garbage furnace—the one redeeming feature of the present service—and the substitution of present service-and the substitution of a relic of mediaval barbarism in the shape of

The papers have not informed us definitely how the garbage is to be collected under the pending ordinance, presumably as it is now, and as all garbage will have to be dumped and as all garbage will have to be dumped into the boats at a cost of from 50 cents to \$2 a load, it is not likely that the present rate of \$12 a year will be at all diminished. The garbage and manure boats now lying at the Duquesne wharf have proved themselves an intolerable nuisance. During the first warm days of spring the nauseous odors stole through the open windows of the dwellers on Penn avenue, assaulted the nostrils of neonly greating the nostrils of people crossing the Suspension bridge, and penetrated even into the stores on Sixth and Market streets.

Odors That Are Loud in Summer. What will these odors be like when summer has fully come, and when decaying vegetables and melon rinds shall be added to the putrifying mass? And how will it be when there are a series of such boats? What will the strangers whom we invite to visit the Exposition and see the resources of Pittshuge thin. Pittsburg think of us as they wend their way along the garbage strewn wharf, and inhale the garbage laden atmosphere? Will they think us too poor to have a garbage system, or two dirty to care to have one?

In his annual report the Superintendent of the Board of Health states that the cost of the Board of Health states that the cost of the garbage furnace for the past year was a little over \$10,000, and he advises that it be discontinued on the score of economy. The public is now asked to consider a plan of bonding the city for \$5,000,000 to provide for parks and street improvements. it not be wise to consider first some plan by which the city might be able to afford \$10,-000 to pay for the maintenance of the gar-bage furnace? Mrs. John M. Oarley.

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Mr. Perley tells an amusing incident of a hairless dog which for a long time has been a sort of campfollower of the show. Three weeks ago the dog overturned a pan of butter in the cook's tent. The animal, by way of punishment, was thrown into a cage with about 150 monkeys. The intention was to leave the dog with the monkeys for a week, but when the sentence was satisfied the animal refused to leave the cage. When he was forced out he was dissatisfied, and at every opportunity he would rush to the monkey cage and would whine until admitted. He is now allowed to remain with the monkeys and is supreme in his author. the monkeys, and is supreme in his authority in managing his associates.

Notwithstanding the immense crowd in attendance there were no complaints of fakirs or thieving. The good order, it is claimed by Mr. Bailey, is due to the effi-cient services of Detective Frank Hook, who accompanies the show. Detective Hook is a brother of Joe Hook, the wellknown fireman of this city.

MUST BUY A FARM AT ONCE.

Both Branches of Councils Visit the Old Poorhouse,

A carload of city Councilmen accepted the invitation extended by Chief Elliot to visit the old Poor Farm on the Monongahela river yesterday afternoon. On arrival at the farm the visitors were conducted over the groupds by the Chief, after which they sat down to a substantial dinner in the dining hall of the institution. After dinner speeches were made by Chief Elliot, Chairmen Ford, of Select Council, and Perry, of the Charities Committee, and

common Councilman Flinn.

Chief Elliot called attention to the way the Carnegie Company was encroaching on the farm land with metal yards and buildings, leaving only a limited space for gar-dening and the employment of the insane inmates, and urged upon them the necessity for immediately securing other and more

expansive quarters.

The visitors returned to the city at 6 o'clock last evening, satisfied that Carnegie, Phipps & Co. really mean what they say when they demand the vacation of the land they have purchased from the city by the first of July, 1893, as their contract provides.

Valley Road in Good Condition. John P. Green, Third Vice President of the Pennsylvania road, W. H. Bond, J. M. Hutchinson, President of the Pittsburg, Youngstown and Ashtabula road, Henry G. Welch and W. A. Patton returned to Philadelphia last evening in a special car.
They had been inspecting the Allegheny
Valley road. Captain Green said they
found the road in very good condition.
Such improvements will be made during
the year as are needed. The captain thinks the line will soon be put on a paying basis under the reorganization. The company used to pay 7 per cent on its indebtedness, and even the Pennsylvania, he added, couldn't stand such a yearly burden.

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MARRIED.

CASEY-CAMPBELL-On Tuesday, May 17, 1892, at St. Peter's R. C. Church, by Rev. Father Shannon, P. J. CAMPBELL, of Pitts-burg, and Margaret C. Caser, of Allegheny.

DIED. ADAMS—At his residence, No. 428 Carson street, Southside, at 7 P. M., Tuesday, Captain John S. Adams, in his 84th year. Notice of funeral hereafter.

BLACKBURN-On Sunday, May 15, 1892, at 2:30 r. M., ISABELLA, wife of Robert Blackburn, in her 71st year.

Funeral from her late residence, 5263 Butler street, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend fully invited to attend.

CAREY—On Tuesday, May 17, 1893, at 3 r. M., John Carey. Funeral from his late residence, 167 Mc-Clure avenue, Allegheny, on Thursday, at 9:30 a. n. Requiem High Mass at St. Andrew's R. C. Church at 10 A. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. 2

CONNER—At the family home, No. 129 Enterprise street, Twenty-first ward, on Monday, May 16, 1892, at 6.45 A. M., JOSEPHINE, relict of the late William H. Conner, aged 56 years. Funeral services on WEDNESDAY, 18th, at 7 o'clock P. M. Interment at Columbiana county, O. [Baltimore, Md., and Philadelphia, Pa.,

papers please copy.] GALL—On Tuesday, May 17, 1892, at 11:30 A.
M. Thomas E. Gall., formerly of the Thirtysixth ward, in the 49th year of his age.
Funeral from his late residence, Arlington avenue, Allentown, on Thursday at 10 o'clock a. M. Friends of the family are fuvited to attend.

GUNNING—On Monday, May 16, 1892, at 12 p. M., Mrs. Robert Gunning, aged 64 years. Funeral services at her late residence, 4923 Butler street, on Thursday, May 19, 1892, at 2 r. m. Interment private. 2

HUTCHISON—On Tuesday afternoon, May 17, 1892, of diphtheria, John Dudley Hurchison, son of John T. and Mary Hutchison, aged 11 years, 2 months and 17 Funeral from the residence of his parents, Avalon, on Wednesday appendon, May 18,

1892, at 1 o'clock. KELLEY—On Monday, at 9:30 A. M., MARGARET, wife of B. F. Kelley and daughter of Hugh and Margaret Roney.

Funeral from the residence of her parents, No. 43 Anderson street, Allegheny, on Wednesday, May 18, at 5:30 A. M. Requiem

high mass at St. Peter's Church at 9 A. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

LEMON—At her residence, 473 Bedford avenue, on Saturday, May 14, 1892, at 10 p. M., ELIZABETH J., widow of the late William Leinon, aged 75 years 5 months.
Funeral Wednesday, 18th, 2 p. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

LOGAN-Entered into rest on Sunday, May 15, 1892, at 10:15 P. M., JOHN M. LOGAN, aged 50 years. Funeral services at his late residence, No. 25 River avenue, Allegheny, on Wednesday, May 18, at 2 o'clock. Interment private at a

MEADE—On Monday, May 16, 1892, at 3 a. m., Magore T. Meade, in the 27th year of her age.

THOMAS—On Tuesday, May 17, at 4:30
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