

"Secure your can from being turned over by dogs by driving a stick through one handle firmly into the ground.

"Pass a chain or wire through the handle of the lid, secure it to the fence by a staple and you will never lose it.

"Ashes must be stored in fireproof receptacles if you want them removed during the winter months, and the receptacles must be of such a size as not to hold less than 27 cubic feet. If you do not want ashes removed until the spring, they may be placed on the ground, but they must be so placed as to be convenient for loading into waggons.

"Ashes are not removed by this department from places of business, from blocks containing offices or stores, or from public or private institutions.

"Incombustible refuse must be placed in covered boxes so as to exclude snow and they should be placed at the rear end of the lot when there is a lane. Do not keep your empty tins and bottles in the basement or woodshed during the winter and then expect this department to remove an accumulation of six months in a few days in the spring.

"Burn as much paper, rags, straw, etc., as possible, and so keep the city's streets and lanes clean. If this is impossible, tie it up in bundles and place it in a covered box near the garbage can.

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"Owing to the fact that this department is so seriously handicapped in spring in removing the winter's accumulation of refuse, and, as this accumulation could easily be prevented if each householder would do his little mite and keep all refuse in order and not hoard it up inside during the winter months, it is earnestly requested that every citizen of Winnipeg will do his share by carrying out these rules and suggestions, and so make the work of the department easier and more efficient than it has ever been before."

Men, women and children of Canada, let your watchword and your work be for clean homes. Individual responsibilities properly discharged will produce a great uplift in home life throughout our Dominion. Lend your aid. Then we shall have clean cities, towns and villages, with health for all.