ORDINANCE NO. I.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF KENT:

Sec. I.

That whenever it shall appear that the provisions now established and maintained for taking care of the sewage matter in any home or place of business or any place where sewage matter is sought to be disposed of by cesspool or otherwise, are inadequate and insufficient to so dispose of said sewage matter that the public health be properly protected, such condition shall be deemed and is hereby declared to be a nuisance.

Sec. II.

The health officer is hereby ordered and empowered to investigate and inspect such sewage system as shall be thought to be inadequate and insufficient, as provided in Sec. I. of this Ordinance, and if on investigation and inspection, it is found that the sewage system so established or maintained is inadequate or insufficient to meet the demands of health, as provided for in said Sec. I. of this Ordinance, then he shall, in writing, order the owner or proprietor or party in charge of the premises on which or for which such cesspool or sewage system is maintained or established, that no sewage matter shall be deposited thereafter in such cesspool or sewage system, and shall, then and there, in writing, order the said owner or proprietor or party in charge of the premises, aforesaid, that from and after ___ days from the delivery of the said written order to the said owner or proprietor or party in charge of the said premises, that all sewage matter shall be collected and carted or carried or taken without the limits of this municipal corporation.

Sec. III.

Upon notice duly presented in writing, as provided in Sec. II. of this Ordinance, and within ___ days from the delivery thereof the owner or proprietor or person in charge of the
premises on which or for which such cesspool or sewage system
as referred to in the foregoing Section, is maintained or es-
lished, shall collect or have collected all the said sewage
matter in proper receptacles, and shall collect and carry or
cart or transport, or have carried or carted or transported, all
such said sewage matter, outside the limits of this municipal
corporation, and shall thereafter collect all such said sewage
matter in proper receptacles and shall collect and carry or cart
or transport or have carried or carted or transported all said
sewage matter without the limits of this municipal corporation
as often as the said health officer, in writing, shall direct,
but in no case shall the health officer order that the sewage
matter so collected shall be taken without the city limits,
as herein provided, more often than every three days.

Sec. IV.

Upon notice duly presented in writing, as provided in
Sec. II. of this Ordinance, and within ____________ days from the delivery thereof, the owner or proprietor or per-
son in charge of the premises on which or for which the said
cesspool and sewage system is maintained or established shall
not allow or permit any sewage matter to be in any manner turned
into such cesspool or such sewage system, nor shall he dump
or permit his agent or anyone acting for him, to dump any of
said sewage matter so collected in proper receptacles, as in
Sec. III. herein provided, within the corporate limits of this
municipal corporation.

Sec V.

From and after the passage of this Ordinance the dumping
and depositing within the city limits of said sewage matter
ordered taken without the corporate limits, as in Sec. III. herein provided, is hereby declared and shall
be deemed a nuisance.
Sec. VI.

The health officer is hereby empowered and ordered to secure and provide a place within reasonable access to the city, and without the city limits where said sewage matter may be deposited when collected and taken without the city limits, as provided in Sec. III. of this Ordinance.

Sec. VII.

Any person violating this Ordinance or any provision thereof or any section thereof, shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not less than $50 or more than $100.

(Penalties by the Council, a jail penalty in addition thereto.)

Passed the Council Dec. 20th, 1903.

Approved by the Mayor.

Attache:-

C. W. Comelius
Town Clerk.