

In addition to the use of the regular brand of the creamery, or special "creamery letter" allotted by the Department, the same churning number should be plainly stamped in the upper right-hand corner of all the packages that are put up from the same churning and as soon as they are packed. If the marking be not promptly and properly done there is a danger of a mix-up in the identity of the packages, and this should, of course, be scrupulously avoided. Each operator may select his own system of numbering the churnings. Cushioned rubber type should be used for numbering the packages, and they should be at least three-quarters of an inch in depth.



FIG. 1.—AT THE CALGARY GRADING STATION.

Fig. 1 illustrates how and where the brands and churning numbers should be placed on the "representative sample" packages—always in the upper right-hand corner. The same practice should be followed in marking all the corresponding standard packages that are to be sold on Grade Certificates. Indistinct or careless branding makes it needlessly difficult for the buyer to distinguish and identify the various lots, especially in a shipment of mixed grades.

4.agree to accept and to carry into effect such directions as the Dairy Commissioner may give from time to time respecting details of the packing, the marking and the shipping of the butter to be scored and graded by him and of the records to be made and forwarded in that connection.

Full directions and report forms are furnished by the Dairy Commissioner's Office, Calgary.

5. It is mutually understood by the parties hereto that in all cases the score cards and grade certificates issued by the Dairy Commissioner under this Agreement shall relate only to the packages of butter actually scored and graded and as at the time of scoring and grading.

As poor storage facilities at a creamery may in a very short time cause a marked deterioration in the quality and commercial value of any butter stored there it is desirable that whenever shipments of butter so stored are to be forwarded to the buyers, subject to grade certificates,