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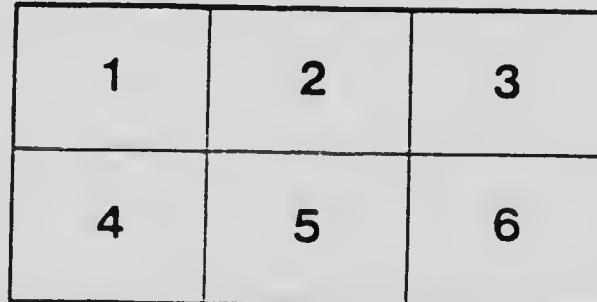
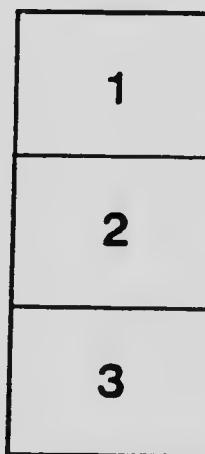
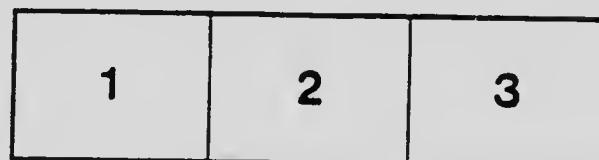
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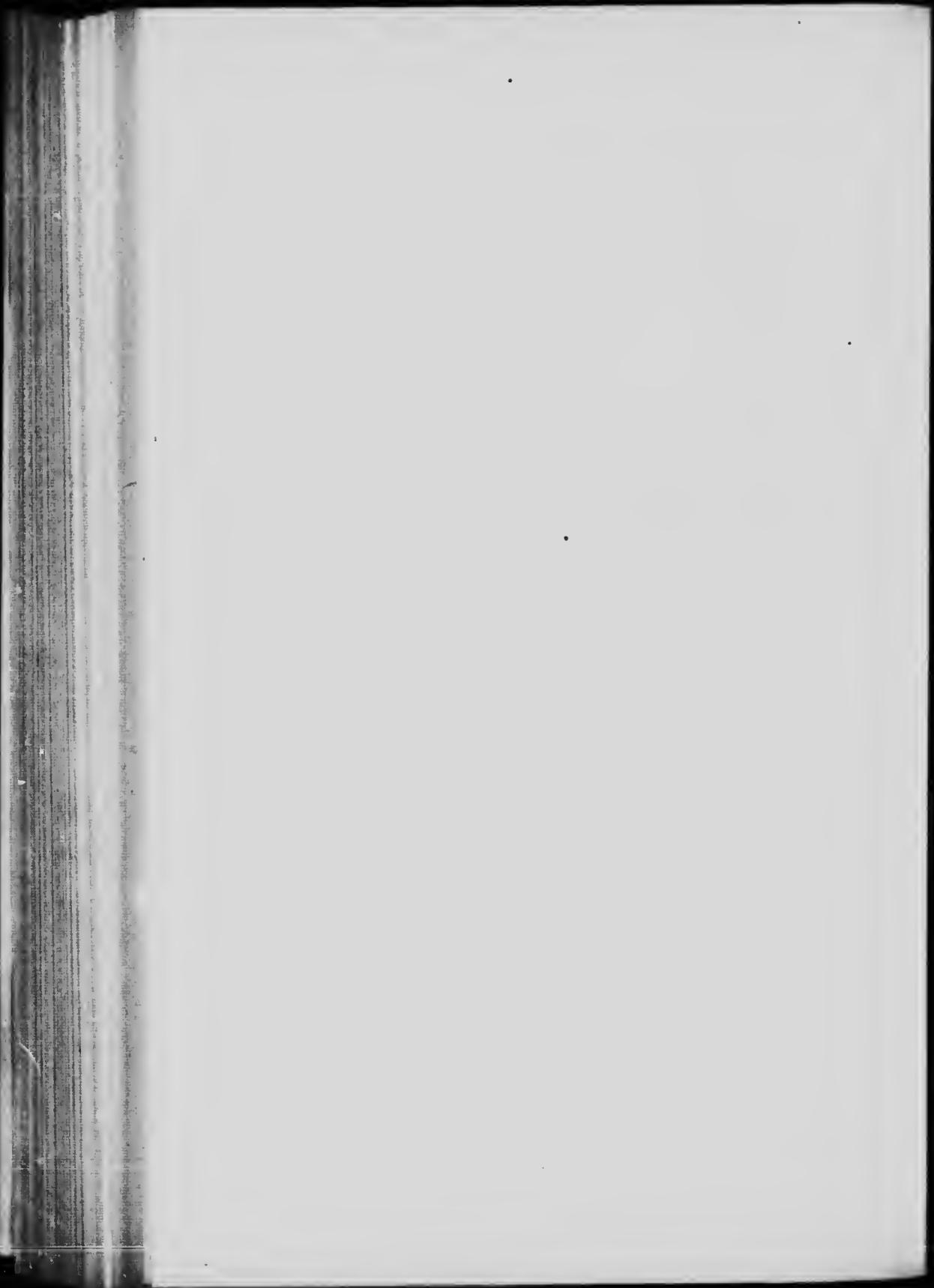
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OTTAWA, CANADA

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HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA



NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Under this heading, as occasion arises, the Bulletins issued by this Department will contain, as an appendix, such comment as may seem necessary or advisable upon matters relating to the work of the Department in connection with the administration of the Adulteration Act, the Fertilizers Act, the Feeding Stuffs Act or the Proprietary Medicines Act.

It frequently happens that correspondents ask information regarding the above Acts, of such a nature that the matter in question possesses general interest, and comment upon it would prove acceptable and useful to others than the immediate questioner. In such cases the reply may find a place in these notes. For convenience of reference these notes will be numbered in series.

A. MCGILL,
Chief Analyst.

LABORATORY
OF THE
INLAND REVENUE DEPARTMENT
OTTAWA, CANADA

BULLETIN No. 341

HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA

OTTAWA, June 15, 1916.

J. U. VINCENT, Esq.,
Deputy Minister of Inland Revenue.

SIR.—Of late years Ammonia has come to be largely in use in the household, as a detergent and for the convenience of persons in whose hands the strong solution of ammonia would be attended with danger, manufacturers have placed on the market a dilute ammonia under the name of Household Ammonia, which finds very extensive sale. For the most part, this article is simply a dilution with water of the strong solution (*Liquor Ammoniae Fortis*) of the *Pharmacopoeia*. This latter is required to contain 32.5 per cent by weight of Ammonium (NH_3). A weaker solution is also defined by the *Pharmacopoeia* (*Liquor Ammoniae*) containing 10 per cent by weight of Ammonia. It may be mentioned here that the *Ammonia* of the French *Codex* contains only 20.18 per cent and the *Aqua Ammoniae Fortior* of the United States *Pharmacopoeia*, 28 per cent by weight of Ammonia.

Some market samples of the article contain, in addition to Ammonia, soaps of various kinds, and other ingredients.

In January 1914, Professor J. F. Snell of Macdonald College, presented to the Canadian Section of the Society of Chemical Industry a study of Commercial Household Ammonia in Canada. (See *Journal of the Society*, 1914, p. 1177) and recommended that a more extended inspection of the articles be made under the *Adulteration Act*.

Ammonia, considered as a drug, undoubtedly comes under the purview of this Act. While Household Ammonia cannot be described as a drug in the strict sense, it has been thought well, in the interest of the public generally, to examine this article, and the present report deals with the more or less complete analysis of one hundred and sixty-two (162) samples, purchased by our inspectors as Household Ammonia, in December, January and February last.

Professor Snell reports upon the Analysis of 10 samples of clear ammonia, 5 samples of so-called cloudy Ammonias (containing soaps), and 6 samples of solid Ammonias (essentially carbamate of ammonia) and finds, for the liquid preparations, that "the household Ammonia sells wholesale at from 4 to 14 times the wholesale value of the Ammonia contained in it. The retail price is from 6 to 20 times the wholesale value of the Ammonia," and adds, "How much more economical it would be to buy commercial concentrated ammonia, and dilute it with good soft water."

There is of course a certain convenience in purchasing the article in a form ready for use, and that the average consumer is willing to pay for this service is amply evident when we consider the extensive sale of many foods in neat packages, which could be purchased at much less cost in bulk. It is however, a reasonable claim, when the purchaser asks how much in excess of its minimum market value he pays for the advantage of package, or in the case of Household Ammonia, of dilution and package. It is certainly with surprise and indignation that the purchaser learns of the six-fold increase found by Professor Snell.

With a view to establishing as far as possible, a relation between value and price of these articles I have tabulated (see Table II) the results of analysis, grouping together samples bearing the same name (Brand). On account of the difficulty attending exact measurement of containers the information given in Table II must be regarded as approximate only.

From this it is seen that one unit of Ammonia, purchased in 12 ounce bottle, costs from 1.877 of a cent (cheapest) to 12.918 cents; the average cost being about 3 cents.

In order to obtain some idea of the cost of the same quantity of Ammonia, in twelve ounce package, bottle included, I caused four samples to be purchased in Ottawa, and Hull, and found these to cost 35 cents, in each case. The Ammonia values were found to be 23.14; 22.54, 21.98 and 23.24; giving a mean value of 22.72 per cent. The value per unit, is thus found to be 1.540 cents.

It is to be noted that this is the cost of a pure Ammonia, and a less highly purified article may be purchased at a considerably lower price. In a general way it may be said that our examination of so-called Household Ammonia essentially substantiates the findings of Professor Snell, and leads to the conclusion that the consumer can effect a substantial saving, by purchasing liquid Ammonia and diluting with water to suit his purposes.

I would respectfully suggest publication of this report as Bulletin No. 341. It contains information which will be helpful to many questioners regarding possible household economies.

I remain, sir,
Your obedient servant,

A. MCGILL,
Chief Analyst.

TABLE I—BULLETIN No. 341—

Date of Collection.	Nature of Sample.	No. of Sample.	Name and Address of Vendor.	Cost.		Name and Address of Manufacturer or Furnisher, as given by the Vendor.	
				Quantity.	Cents.	Manufacturer.	Furnisher

DISTRICT OF NOVA SCOTIA—

1915.							
Dec. 29	Household Ammonia	69854	A. J. Roop, New Glasgow	3 bots.	45	Sawyer Crystal Blue Co., Boston, Mass.	R. McGregor & Sons, New Glasgow.
" 29	"	69855	S. M. Lochhart & Co., "	3 "	35	Sultana Ltd., Montreal.	Mfr.
" 31	"	69856	R. McNabb, Trenton, N.S.	3 "	35	Alpha Chem. Co., Berlin, Ont.	"

DISTRICT OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND—

Dec. 17	Household Ammonia	60463	Ber & Goff, Charlottetown.	3 bots.	36	Sultana Ltd., Montreal.	....
" 17	"	60464	P. A. Smith, Charlottetown.	3 "	36	Dearborn Co., Ltd., St. John.	....
" 17	"	60465	J. G. Passmore, Charlottetown.	3 "	30	Stuart & Foster Ltd., Toronto.	....
" 24	"	60466	J. A. Cronin, Charlottetown.	3 "	30	Dearborn Co., Ltd., St. John.	....
" 24	"	60467	L. C. Worthy, Charlottetown.	3 "	36	Bee Starch Co., Montreal.	....
" 24	"	60468	J. M. McQuaid, Charlottetown.	3 "	36	Alpha Chem. Co., Berlin, Ont.	....

DISTRICT OF NEW BRUNSWICK—

Dec. 13	Household Ammonia	66281	W. A. Simonds, St. John.	3 bots.	30	Nat. Drug & Chem. Co., St. John.	....
" 13	"	66282	Nat. Drug & Chem. Co., St. John.	3 "	30	Vendors	....
" 13	"	66283	Dearborn & Co., St. John.	3 "	25	"	....
" 21	"	66284	The Canadian Drug Co.	3 "	30	"	....
1916.							
Jan. 11	"	66285	M. E. Doohan, Fredericton	3 "	30	Dearborn & Co., St. John.	....
" 13	"	66286	Yerxa Grocery Co., Woodstock.	3 "	25	Stuart & Foster Ltd., Toronto.	....
Feb. 8	"	66287	W. B. McKay, Ltd., Sussex.	3 "	30	W. F. Hatheway Co., St. John.	....
" 8	"	66288	Smith Bros., Sussex	3 "	30	Dearborn & Co., St. John.	....
" 8	"	66289	Mrs. P. White, Moncton	3 "	30	Baird Co., Ltd., Woodstock.	....
" 11	"	66290	J. B. Snowball Co. Ltd., Chatham.	3 "	30	Stuart & Foster Ltd., Toronto.	....

HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA.

Inspector's Report, (Is not an expression of opinion.)	Name of Brand.	Results of Analysis.				No. of Sample.	Remarks, and Opinion of the Chief Analyst.
		Ammonia N.H ₃	Dissolved Solids	Ash.	Specific Gravity.		

W. A. PETIPAS, TEMPORA v. INSPECTOR.

		p. c.	p. c.	p. c.			
	Sawyer's.....	7.93	0.019	0.010.....		69834	
	Sultana.....	4.36	0.151	0.132.....		69835	
	Alpha Chem. Co.	3.19	0.029	0.008.....		69836	

WM. A. WEEKS, INSPECTOR.

	Sultana.....	4.02	0.038	0.021.....		60463	
	Dearborn.....	4.69	0.031	0.012.....		60464	
	Sun.....	2.58	0.011	0.006.....		60465	
	Dearborn.....	4.66	0.028	0.011.....		60466	
	Bee.....	2.73	0.012	0.006.....		60467	
	Alpha Chem. Co.	3.20	0.019	0.003.....		60468	

JOHN C. FERGUSON, INSPECTOR

	Simonds.....	2.98	0.053	0.041.....		66281	
	Nat. Drug Co.	6.98	0.017	0.012.....		66282	
	Dearborn.....	4.69	0.036	0.022.....		66283	
	Canada Drug Co.	4.98	0.043	0.030.....		66284	
	Dearborn.....	4.36	0.031	0.015.....		66285	
	Sun.....	3.41	0.014	0.007.....		66286	
	Hatheway.....	2.85	0.043	0.036.....		66287	
	Dearborn.....	4.24	0.047	0.014.....		66288	
	Baird.....	2.41	0.010	0.005.....		66289	
	Sun.....	3.39	0.012	0.007.....		66290	

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					Quantity.	Cents.

DISTRICT OF QUEBEC CITY—

1915.								
Dec. 22	Ammonium diox.	56632	E. Martel, 1078 St. Va- lier, Quebec.	3 bots.	75	Vendor		
" 22	"	56633	J. Masson, 808 St. Valier, Quebec.	3 "	45	.....	N. D. & C. Co.	
" 23	"	56634	J. B. Giroux, 385 St. Joseph, Quebec.	3 "	75	.....	J. E. Livernois.	
" 23	"	56635	A. Leclerc, 243 St. Joseph, Quebec.	3 "	60	.....	Unknown	
" 23	"	56636	W. Brunet Cie, 144 St. Joseph, Quebec.	3 "	60	.....	J. Comen, Mont- real.	
" 23	"	56637	J. Plamondon, 122 St. Joseph, Quebec.	3 "	60	Unknown .....	.....
" 24	"	56638	Dr. Gagnon, 28 St. Pierre, Quebec.	3 "	75	.....	Dr. Ed. Morin.	
" 24	"	56639	" " "	3 "	45	Unknown .....	.....
" 24	"	56640	Dr. Ed. Morin, 113 de la Montagne, Quebec.	3 "	45	.....	.....
" 24	"	56641	Laroche & Co., 4 de la Fabrique, Quebec.	3 "	1.05	.....	.....

DISTRICT OF QUEBEC PROVINCE—J. E. AUDET, O. BROCHU,

1915.								
Dec. 23	Ammonia...	3664	J. E. Gagne, Ste. Maxime	2 bots.	30	Dr. Ed. Morin, Quebec.	.....
" 23	" ..	3666	J. Dussault, St. Henedine	2 "	30	Bee Starch Co., Montreal.	.....
1916.								
Jan. 11	" ..	3671	W. J. Doyle, St. Edward	3 "	45	Whitehead & Turner, Quebec.	.....
" 14	" ..	3677	Dorchester Lumber, St. Malachi.	3 "	45	Sultana, Ltd., Montreal.	.....
" 29	" ..	3683	G. Ed. Couture, Lévis...	3 "	30	J. B. Paine Co., Toronto.	.....
1915.								
Dec. 21	" ..	4437	L. N. Roy, St. Valier....	3 "	75	Sultana, Montreal..	.....
" 21	" ..	4439	Eugene Bolduc, St. Valier	3 "	45	Stuart & Foster, Toronto.	.....
" 22	" ..	4445	J. A. Lemieux, St. Michel	3 "	60	J. B. Paine Co., Toronto.	.....
" 22	" ..	4448	Geo. Roy, St. Michel	3 "	30	Sultana, Montreal..	.....
" 30	" ..	7223	A. E. Michson, Mont- magny.	3 "	30	Sapho Mfg. Co., Montreal	.....
" 30	" ..	7224	Dr. Jas. Gagnon, Mont- magny.	3 "	60	.....	J. E. Livernois, Quebec.	

HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA.

Inspector's Report. (Is not an expression of opinion.)	Name of Brand.	Results of Analysis.				No. of Sample.	Remarks and Opinion of the Chief Analyst.
		Ammonia NH ₃ .	Dissolved Solids.	Ash.	Specific Gravity.		
		p.c.	p.c.	p.c.			

F. X. W. E. BELAND, INSPECTOR.

		23·80				56632	
		5·95				56633	
		24·80				56634	
		23·50				56635	
		10·45				56636	
		7·85				56637	
	Hartshorn.....	6·95				56638	
		15·64				56639	
	Hartshorn.....	7·65				56640	
		6·64				56641	

T. GENDREAU, A. PELLETIER AND N. CADIEUX, TEMPORARY INSPECTORS.

		6·42	0·067	0·043		3664	
	Bee.....	3·23	0·013	0·007		3666	
	Sun.....	5·46	0·017	0·008		3671	
	Sultana.....	3·57	0·030	0·020		3677	
	Bulldog.....	2·59	0·023	0·015		3683	
	Sultana	2·15				4437	
	Sun.....	2·51				4439	
	Bulldog.....	1·87				4445	
	Sultana.....	3·86				4448	
	Sapho.....	2·41				72233	
	Hartshorn.....	16·22				72234	

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					Quantity. —	Cents.

DISTRICT OF QUEBEC CITY—

1915.								
Dec. 22	Ammonia...	4920	P. E. Danjous & Fils, Bio.	1 chcp	15	Sultana Co., Mont- real.
" 18	" ...	346	Eugene Fournier, St. Jerome.	3 bots.	60	.....	.....	.....
" 18	" ...	348	Pierre Simard, St. Jerome	3 "	45	Sapho Mfg., Co.	.....	.....
" 28	" ...	364	Napoleon Hetu, St. Agathe des Monts.	3 "	45	Stuart & Foster.	.....	.....
1916.								
Jan. 7	" ...	376	Belair & Paquette, St. Eustache deux Mont- agnes.	3 "	36	.....	.....	Laporte & Martin.
" 7	" ...	377	Boileau & Aubu, St. Eustache deux Mont- agnes.	3 "	30	.....	.....	Stuart & Foster

DISTRICT OF THREE RIVERS—

1915.								
Dec. 18	Ammonia...	69217	L. A. Caisse, Berthier- ville.	3 bots.	39	Sapho Mfg., Co.	.....	.....
1916.								
Jan. 3	" ...	69221	J. A. Boisvert, Joliette.	3 "	30	Sultana Co., Mont- real.	.....	.....
" 3	" ...	69223	L. P. Crepeau, Joliette..	3 "	30	Stuart & Foster, Toronto.	.....	.....
" 4	" ...	69225	Rodrique Deblois, St. Thomas.	3 "	30	Stuart & Foster, Toronto.	.....	.....

DISTRICT OF EASTERN TOWNSHIPS—

Feb. 10	Ammonia...	67559	Gosselin & Paradis, Magog.	3 bots.	30	.....	.....	.....
" 10	" ...	67560	J. O. Dionigan, Magog...	3 "	30	Nat. Drug. & Chem. Co.	.....	.....
" 11	" ...	67561	H. Paré, Granby.....	3 "	25	.....	.....	.....
" 11	" ...	67562	Mercure & Frere, Granby	3 "	30	.....	.....	.....

HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA.

Inspector's Report. (Is not an expression of opinion.)	Name of Brand.	Results of Analysis.				Remarks and Opinion of the Chief Analyst.
		Ammonia NH ₃ .	Dissolved Solid.	Ash.	Specific Gravity.	
					No. of Sample.	

Concluded.

		p. c.	p. c.	p. c.		
		3·85	2·500	0·076	.....	4920
		7·56	.....	.....	.....	346
.....	Sapho	3·86	.....	.....	.....	348
.....	Sun	4·31	.....	.....	.....	364
.....	"	5·10	.....	.....	.....	376
.....	"	4·50	.....	.....	.....	377

DR. V. P. LAVALLEE, TEMPORARY INSPECTOR.

	Sapho	2·41	.....	.....	69217	
	Sultana	4·32	.....	.....	69221	
.....	Sun	6·19	.....	.....	69223	
.....	"	4·82	.....	.....	69225	

J. J. COSTIGAN, ACTING INSPECTOR.

Sultana	Sultana	4·32	67560	
.....	National	5·64	67560	
Entente	Entente	1·29	67561	
.....	Sun	5·13	67562	

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DISTRICT OF MONTREAL—							
1916.							
Feb. 7	Ammonia...	67251	A. Wolgensinger, 394 Charlevoix St., Montreal.	3 pkts.	15	S. F. Laurason Co.
" 7	" ..	67252	R. Mercier, 420 Charlevoix St., Montreal.	3 "	15	Pugsley, Dingman & Co., Ltd.	.....
" 8	" ..	67253	N. Lelande, 351 Charlevoix St., Montreal.	3 bots.	30	Stuart & Foster.	.....
" 8	" ..	67254	Boisvert Bros., 351 Hibernia St., Montreal.	3 "	30	Bee Starch Co.	.....
" 8	" ..	67255	R. Gough, 351 Hibernia St., Montreal.	3 pkgs	15	Pugsley, Dingman & Co., Ltd.	.....
" 8	" ..	67256	D. Hadden, 1 Rushbrooke St., Montreal.	3 "	30	S. F. Laurason.	.....
" 8	" ..	67257	J. Stetson, 294 Hibernia St., Montreal.	3 bots.	30	Sultana, Ltd.	.....
" 8	" ..	67258	N. Fortin, 80 Coleraine St., Montreal.	3 "	30	Unknown	.....
" 9	" ..	67259	R. Ekin, 601 Wellington St., Montreal.	3 pkgs	15	Bee Starch Co.	.....
" 9	" ..	67260	S. Whitehead, 291 Charron St., Montreal.	3 bots.	30	Sultana, Ltd.	.....
DISTRICT OF VALLEYFIELD—							
Jan. 28	Ammonia...	62971	E. Beauchamp, St. Lambert.	3 bots.	45	Hervay Chem. Co., St. Basile.	.....
" 28	" ..	62972	Graham & Hunter, St. Lambert.	3 "	30	Stuart & Foster, Toronto.	.....
DISTRICT OF OTTAWA—							
1915.							
Dec. 7	Household Ammonia.	70553	A. M. Parkinson, Kemptville.	3 bots.	45	Sultana, Ltd., Montreal.	.....
" 7	" ..	70554	Mundie & Percival, Kemptville.	3 pkgs	30	Eze Mfg. Co., Ltd., Toronto.	.....
" 11	" ..	70568	W. G. Becksted, Morrisburg.	3 "	30	Pugsley, Dingman & Co., Toronto.	.....
" 11	" ..	70569	W. & J. Meikle, Morrisburg.	3 bots.	30	Stuart & Foster, Ltd., Toronto.	.....
" 14	" ..	70590	T. McCormick & Son, Arnprior.	3 pkgs	15	S. F. Laurason & Co., London, Ont.	.....
" 24	" ..	70630	E. Birnns, Eganville.....	3 "	30	Bee Starch Co., Montreal.	.....
" 29	" ..	70642	Eugene Doucet, Dupont and Papineau Sts., Hull.	3 "	15	A. Hutchinson & Co., Toronto.	.....
" 30	" ..	70650	King George Grocery, Somerset St., Ottawa.	3 bots.	30	Bee Starch Co., Montreal.
1916.							
Jan. 4	" ..	70657	J. H. McKeen, 901 Bank St., Ottawa.	3 pkgs	15	Eze Mfg. Co., Toronto.

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D. J. KEARNEY, INSPECTOR.

	Laurason's	p. c. 2·04	p. c.	p. c.		67251	
	Handy	3·06				67252	
	Sun	2·65				67253	
	Bee	3·09				67254	
	Handy	4·08				67255	
	Laurason's	3·40				67256	
	Sultana	4·40				67257	
	Murray's	4·97				67258	
	Bee	2·04				67259	
	Sultana	4·03				67260	

J. J. COSTIGAN, ACTING INSPECTOR.

	Chemical Co.	4·66				62571	
	Sun	3·85				62972	

J. A. RICKEY, INSPECTOR.

Red Seal	Sultana	3·50				70553	
Star, "contents equal to 6 qts. Liq. Ammonia, Absolutely pure,	Star	1·70				70554	
	Handy	3·23				70568	
Harvey's Sun	Sun	4·66				70569	
Snowflake	Laurason's	2·89				70590	
Bee Brand	Bee	1·70				70630	
Good	Hutchison's	2·45				70642	
Bee Brand	Bee	2·77				70650	
	Crescent	4·37				70657	

TABLE I—BULLETIN No. 341—

Date of Collection.	Nature of Sample.	No. of Sample.	Name and Address of Vendor.	Quantity.	Cents.	Name and Address of Manufacturer or Furnisher, as given by the Vendor.	
						Manufacturer.	Furnisher.

DISTRICT OF KINGSTON—

1915.							
Dec. 10	Household Ammonia.	71781	Geo. Mahood, Kingston.	3 bots.	30	Vendor.....	
" 13	"	71782	Wallbridge & Clark, Belleville.	3 "	30	Stuart & Foster, Toronto.	
" 13	"	71783	Ed. A. Kellaway, Belleville.	3 "	30	" "	
" 13	"	71784	The Belleville Pharmacy, Belleville.	3 "	35	Vendor	
" 14	"	71785	W. H. Ireland, Trenton.	3 "	30	.....
" 14	"	71786	W. Webster, Trenton.	3 "	30	Sultana, Montreal	
" 14	"	71787	W. Burnet, Cobourg.	3 "	30	Cleveland Chem. Co., Toronto.	
" 14	"	71788	E. Guillet, Cobourg.	3 "	30	Stuart & Foster, Toronto.	
" 15	"	71789	A. M. Caroling, Peterboro.	3 "	30	J. T. Taylor, Toronto	
" 15	"	71790	J. E. Lillico, Peterboro.	3 "	30	Moody's, Berlin, Ont.	

DISTRICT OF TORONTO—

Dec. 14	Household Ammonia.	70131	Matheson Bros., Whitby.	3 pkgs	15	S. F. Lawrason Co., London.	
" 15	"	70132	T. C. Forman, Port Perry.	3 "	25	Eze Mfg. Co., Toronto.	
" 15	"	70133	A. M. MacPhail, Uxbridge.	3 bots.	30	Gorman Eckert Co., London.	
" 15	"	70134	J. A. McLean, Cannington.	3 pkgs	30	Pugsley Dingman Co., Toronto.	
" 17	"	70135	J. G. French, Beaverton.	3 "	30	.....	Eby Blain Co., Toronto.
" 20	"	70136	N. Sisterson, 395 Wilton Ave., Toronto.	3 bots.	30	Cleveland Chem. Co., Toronto.	
" 20	"	70137	W. J. Nichol, 258 Queen St. E., Toronto.	3 pkgs	25	Hutchinson Omand Co., Toronto.	
" 21	"	70138	J. H. Porter, 689 Bloor St. W., Toronto.	3 bots.	30	W. Wilson & Son, Toronto.	
" 23	"	70139	T. W. Squire, 229 Church St. W., Toronto.	3 pkgs	15	Eze Mfg. Co., Toronto.	
" 23	"	70140	C. Byars, 259 Danforth Ave., Toronto.	3 bots.	30	Alpha Chem. Co., Berlin, Ont.	

DISTRICT OF WINDSOR—

1916.							
Jan. 14	Liquid Ammonia.	54564	A. M. Smith & Son, Woodstock.	1 bot.	10	.....	M. Maserret & Co., London.
" 14	"	54567	Geo. Parker, Woodstock.	1 "	10	Stuart & Foster, Toronto.	
" 14	"	54569	E. W. Sage, Woodstock.	1 "	10	Gorman Eckert Co., London.	

HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA.

Inspector's Report. (Is not an expression of opinion.)	Name of Brand.	Results of Analysis.				Remarks and Opinion of the Chief Analyst.
		Ammonia NH ₃ .	Dissolved Solids.	Ash.	Specific Gravity.	
S. HOGAN, INSPECTOR.						No. of Sample.

		p. c.	p. c.	p. c.		
		8·36				71781
	Sun.	6·12				71782
	"	2·24				71783
		8·84				71784
Bull Dog Brand.	Bull Dog.	3·90				71785
	Sultana.	4·42				71786
	Hawke's.	5·22				71787
	Sun.	4·14				71788
		4·08				71789
	Moody's	3·52				71790

H. J. DAGER, INSPECTOR.

	Lawrason's.	2·21				70131
	Star.	1·87				70132
		5·32				70133
	Handy.	3·23				70134
	Anchor.	2·04				70135
	Hawke's.	4·86				70136
	H. O.	2·38				70137
	Wilson's.	11·38				70138
	Crescent.	2·62				70139
	Moody's.	2·84				70140

JOHN TALBOT, INSPECTOR.

Blue Circle Brand.	Blue Circle.	6·70				54564
	Sun.	4·79				54567
		5·76				54569

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				Quantity.	Cents.	Manufacturer.	Furnisher.
DISTRICT OF WINDSOR—							
1916.							
Jan. 14	Liquid Ammonia.	54571	E. J. Coles & Co., Woodstock.	1 bot.	10	J. B. Paine Co., Toronto.	
" 14	"	54572	John A. Smith, Woodstock.	1 "	10	Gorman Eckert & Co., London.	
" 14	"	54574	White & Co., Woodstock.	1 "	10	" "	
" 14	"	54576	Lewis & Son, Woodstock.	1 "	10	I. X. L. Spice & Co., London.	
" 20	"	54587	Willis & Co., London....	1 "	10	Gorman Eckert & Co., London.	
" 20	"	54588	James McLeod, London.	1 "	10	" "	
" 20	"	54589	Dan. Carter, London....	1 "	10	.....	E. Adams & Co., London.
DISTRICT OF MANITOBA—							
1915.							
Dec. 20	Household Ammonia.	71987	E. A. Whitman, Emer son.	12 oz.	25	Royal Crown Soap Co., Winnipeg.	
" 23	"	71988	P. Dalair, Elm Creek....	12 "	30	" "	
" 30	"	71989	H. McFelridge, Minneso da.	12 "	15	J. B. Paine Co., Toronto.	
1916.							
Jan. 5	"	71990	J. H. Moore, Souris	12 "	15	Royal Crown Soap Co., Winnipeg.	
" 6	"	71991	A. I. Grocery, Brandon ..	12 "	15	Codville Co., Brandon.	
" 6	"	71992	MacFee Drug Co., Bran don.	12 "	25	National Drug Co., Winnipeg.	
" 6	"	71993	Kennedy Pharmacy, Bran don.	12 "	15	Vendor.....	
" 6	"	71994	W. J. Young, Brandon...	12 "	20	Gold Standard Co., Winnipeg.	
" 6	"	71995	Mutter Bros., Brandon...	12 "	15	J. B. Paine, Toronto.	
" 6	"	71996	Ross & McMullen, Virden.	12 "	30	Vendors.....	
DISTRICT OF SASKATCHEWAN—							
1915.							
Dec. 18	Household Ammonia.	71533	E. R. Davis, Estevan....	1 pint.	15	Martin Bole & Wynne	
1916.							
Feb. 9	" ..	71547	Pletch's Grocery, Swift Current.	1 "	15	Royal Crown Soap Co., Winnipeg.	Swift Current.
" 9	" ..	71548	D. Wodlinger, Swift Cur rent.	1 "	15	J. B. Paine Co.,	.....
" 10	" ..	71553	Robinson McBean Co., Moose Jaw.	1 "	15	Stewart & Fisher
" 10	" ..	71554	W. S. Hamilton, Moose Jaw.	1 "	15	The Bole Drug Co.,	Winnipeg.

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HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA.

Inspector's Report. (Is not an expression of opinion.)	Name of Brand.	Results of Analysis.				No. of Sample.	Remarks and Opinion of the Chief Analyst.
		Ammonia NH ₃	Dissolved Solids.	Ash.	Specific Gravity.		
<i>Concluded.</i>							
Bull Dog Bran	Bull Dog.....	3·40	p. c.	p. c.	p. c.	54571	
		5·70				54572	
		5·75				54574	
		5·40				54576	
		5·50				54587	
		5·61				54588	
Fan Brand	Fan.....	5·66				54589	

J. B. COSGROVE, TEMPORARY INSPECTOR.

		3·40	0·09	.....	0·9868	71987
		2·90	0·12	.....	0·9894	71988
		1·80	0·01	....	0·9926	71989
		1·90	0·11	....	0·9934	71990
		4·10	0·05	....	0·9832	71991
		8·70	0·02	....	0·9634	71992
		6·00	0·01	....	0·9750	71993
		4·30	0·06	....	0·9827	71994
		2·70	0·02	....	0·9891	71995
		8·70	0·04	....	0·9633	71996

L. H. HALL, INSPECTOR.

		3·90	0·04	.....	0·9840	71533
Royal Crown	Royal Crown.....	2·50	0·10	....	0·9905	71547
Bull Dog	Bull Dog.....	2·90	0·01	0·9875	71548
Sun	Sun.....	3·30	0·02	0·9864	71553
		4·90	0·02	0·9799	71554

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				Quantity.	Cents.	Manufacturer.	Furnisher.

DISTRICT OF ALBERTA

1916.							
Feb. 10	Household Ammonia.	52371	J. H. Morris & Co., Ed- monton.	3 bot.	15	Royal Crown Soap Ltd., Calgary.	Vendor
" 10	" "	52372	G. H. Graydon, Edmon- ton.	3 "	25	Standard Soap Co.,	Calgary.
" 14	" "	52373	J. J. Christopher, Wetask- iwin.	3 "	30	Royal Crown Soap Co. Ltd., Calgary	
" 15	" "	52374	Younge Bros., Camrose.	3 "	25	Georgeon & Co., Cal- gary.	
" 15	" "	52375	P. J. Hampen,	3 "	25	Royal Crown Soap Co. Ltd., Calgary.	
" 16	" "	52376	L. J. Adams, Stettler.	3 "	30	Royal Crown Soap Co. Ltd., Calgary.	
" 22	" "	52377	John Irwin Co. Ltd., Cal- gary.	3 "	25	" "	
" 22	" "	52378	J. A. Nolan, Calgary.	3 "	25	" "	
" 23	" "	52379	Geo. J. Wood,	3 "	25	" "	
" 23	" "	52380	Woolard's Grocery, Cal- gary.	3 "	25	" "	

DISTRICT OF ROCKY MOUNTAINS

1915.							
Dec. 14	Household Ammonia.	68112	Rutherford Drug Co., son.	3 bots.	45	Vendors	
" 14	" "	68113	City Drug & Stationery Co., Nelson.	3 "	30	"	
" 14	" "	68116	Canada Drug & Book Co., Nelson.	3 "	40	"	
" 14	" "	68117	Poole Drug Co., Nelson.	3 "	30	"	
1916.							
Jan. 7	" "	68151	Ira R. Manning, Cran- brook.	3 "	40		Cranbrook Job- bers, Cranbrook
" 10	" "	68158	D. E. Grove, Ymir.	3 "	30		A. Macdonald & Co., Nelson.
" 17	" "	68176	W. R. Braden, Rossland.	3 "	50	Vancouver Chem. Wks., Vancouver.	
" 17	" "	68177	Hunter Bros., Rossland.	3 "	35	Royal Crown Soaps, Vancouver.	
Feb. 9	" "	68183	T. Lauriente & Son, Trail.	1 bot.	35	W. J. Pendray & Sons, Victoria.	

DISTRICT OF VANCOUVER

Jan. 19	Household Ammonia.	55468	Slater Bros., 131 Hastings St., E. Vancouver.	3 bots.	40	Vancouver Chem. Wks., Vancouver.	
" 20	" "	55469	Red Cross Grocery, Robson and Howe Sts., Van- couver.	3 "	"	Quality Mfg. Co., Vancouver.	

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HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA.

Inspector's Report. (Is not an expression of opinion.)	Name of Brand.	Results of Analysis.				No. of Sample.	Remarks and Opinions of the Chief Analyst.
		Amonia NH ₃ .	Dissolved Solids.	Ash.	Specific Gravity.		

A. W. R. MARKLEY, INSPECTOR.

Golden West....	Golden West.....	p.e.	p.e.	p.e.	1·0674	52371
.....	.....	1·95	6·83	.....	0·9662	52372
.....	.....	8·03	0·06	.....	1·0658	52373
.....	.....	1·37	7·23	.....	1·0698	52374
Golden West....	Golden West.....	2·06	8·10	.....	0·9814	52375
.....	.....	4·36	0·06	.....	1·0282	52376
Golden West....	Golden West.....	2·00	3·87	.....	1·0666	52377
" "	" "	2·12	7·86	.....	1·0282	52378
" "	" "	2·06	3·89	.....	1·0279	52379
" "	" "	2·06	3·89	.....	0·9898	52380

THOS. PARKER, INSPECTOR.

.....	.....	6·19	0·33	.....	0·9708	68112
.....	.....	7·89	0·01	.....	0·9661	68113
.....	.....	8·13	0·01	.....	0·9634	68116
.....	.....	6·61	0·01	.....	0·9716	68117
.....	.....	6·88	0·01	.....	0·9706	68151
.....	.....	4·24	0·01	.....	0·9815	68158
.....	.....	3·75	0·01	.....	0·9837	68176
.....	Royal Crown....	4·16	0·02	.....	0·9820	68177
.....	.....	6·54	0·01	.....	0·9719	68183

E. J. MORGAN, INSPECTOR.

.....	7·72	0·01	0·9671	55468
Quality Brand.	Q. lity	3·33	0·01	0·9857	55469

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				Quantity.	Cost.	Manufacturer.	Furnisher.
DISTRICT OF VANCOUVER—							
1916.							
Jan. 20	Household Ammonia.	55470	S. Pritchard, 936 Robson St., Vancouver.	3 bots.	45	W. J. Pendray & Sons, Ltd., Victoria.	
" 20	" "	55471	R. H. Richardson, 1029 Robson St., Vancouver.	3 "	75	Empress Mfg. Co., Vancouver.	
" 20	" "	55472	" " "	3 "	45	W. J. Pendray & Sons, Ltd., Victoria.	
" 20	" "	55473	Hudson's Bay Co., Granville St., Vancouver.	3 "	75	Royal Crown Soaps, Ltd., Vancouver.	
" 20	" "	55474	" " "	3 "	75	S. F. Sutton & Sons, London, Eng.	
" 20	" "	55475	" " "	3 pkgs.	45	Pugsley, Dingman & Co., Toronto.	
" 22	" "	55476	New Westminster Co-op. Assn., 33 8th St., New Westminster.	3 bots.	40	The Lee Chem. Co., Vancouver.	
" 22	" "	55477	C. A. Welch Ltd., 681 Columbia St., New Westminster.	3 "	75	W. J. Pendray & Sons, Ltd., Victoria.	
DISTRICT OF VICTORIA—							
Feb. 22	Household Ammonia.	66655	Dixi H. Ross, & Co., 1317 Gov't. St., Victoria.	1 qt.	25		Wm. Jackson, & Co., Victoria.
" 22	" "	66668	The West End Grocery Co., 1002 Gov't. St., Victoria.	1 "	20	W. J. Pendray & Sons, Victoria.	
" 24	" "	66675	H. O. Kirkham & Co., 1109 Gov't. St., Victoria.	1 "	20	" " "	
" 24	" "	66686	Actor Bros., 1317 Douglas St., Victoria.	1 "	20	" " "	
" 28	" "	71307	L. D. Rives, Menzies and Simcoe Sts., Victoria.	1 "	20	Western Pickling Wks., Victoria.	
Mar. 7	" "	71312	Ivel's Pharmacy, 1415 Gov't. St., Victoria.	1 "	20		Nat. Drug & Chem. Co., Victoria.
" 9	" "	71314	D. E. Campbell, Douglas and Fort Sts., Victoria.	1 "	25		" "
" 9	" "	71315	Nat. Drug & Chem. Co., 512 Yates St., Victoria.	1 "	15	Vendor	
" 9	" "	71316	Ferry's Drug Store, 705 Fort St., Victoria.	1 "	15	" " "	
" 10	" "	71317	Geo. A. Fraser & Co., 917 Gov't. St., Victoria.	1 "	25	" " "	
DISTRICT OF NOVA SCOTIA—							
Feb. 18	Household Ammonia.	64321	Wm. Moore, Halifax.	3 bots.	30	Bee Starch Co., Montreal.	Unknown
" 21	" "	64322	J. L. Wilson, & Co., Halifax.	3 "	39	Sawyer Crystal Blue Co., Boston Mass.	Manufacturer
" 21	" "	64323	" " "	3 "	30	Stuart & Foster, Toronto.	" "

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HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA.

Inspector's Report. (Is not an expression of opinion.)	Name of Brand.	Result of Analysis.				No. of Sample.	Remarks and Opinions of the Chief Analyst.
		Ammonia NH ₃	Dissolved Solids	Ash.	Specific Gravity.		

Concluded.

Standard	Standard	5·81	0·01	p. c.	0·9752	55470	
Climax	Climax	4·07	0·01	p. c.	0·9799	55471	
Concentrated	Concentrated	6·53	0·02	p. c.	0·9722	55472	
Royal Crown	Royal Crown	4·40	0·03	p. c.	0·9813	55473	
Sutton's Compound Cream of Ammonia	Sutton's	11·84	9·08	p. c.	0·9511	55474	
Handy Brand	Handy	3·41	7·31	p. c.		55475	
Lee's Liquid Ammonia	Lee's	5·35	0·01	p. c.	0·9769	55476	
Pendray's Washing Ammonia	Pendray's	4·62	0·01	p. c.	0·9804	55477	

D. O'SULLIVAN, INSPECTOR.

Imperial	Imperial	6·15	0·01	p. c.	0·9735	66655	
Concentrated	Concentrated	6·13	0·01	p. c.	0·9736	66668	
Absolutely pure		6·39	0·01	p. c.	0·9724	66675	
Concentrated	Concentrated	6·58	0·01	p. c.	0·9719	66686	
Double strength		5·01	0·01	p. c.	0·9784	71307	
		8·40	0·01	p. c.	0·9641	71312	
		6·12	0·01	p. c.	0·9737	71314	
		2·80	0·55	p. c.	0·9838	71315	
		8·49	0·01	p. c.	0·9637	71316	
		10·76	0·01	p. c.	0·9545	71317	

R. J. WAUGH, INSPECTOR.

Bee		3·44	0·024	0·010	.....	64321	
Sawyer's		7·82	0·020	0·012	.....	64322	
Sun Brand	Sun	5·71	0·017	0·007	.....	64323	

TABLE II—BULLETIN No. 341—HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA.

Brand.	Results of Analysis					Brand.	Results of Analysis				
	No. of Samples analyzed.	Average p.c. of NH ₃ .	Average price per bottle of approx. 12 ozs.	Price per unit value.	p.c.		No. of Samples analyzed.	Average p.c. of NH ₃ .	Average price per bottle of approx. 12 ozs.	Price per unit value.	p.c.
Sun.....	20	4.24	11	2.594		Canada Drug Co.	1	4.98	10	2.000	
Bee.....	5	5.05	11	3.606		Hathaways.....	1	2.85	10	3.508	
Hartshorn's Morins Livermore.....	2	7.30	21	2.890		Baird's.....	1	2.41	10	4.149	
".....	1	16.22	20	1.233		National.....	1	5.64	10	1.773	
Bull Dog.....	5	2.53	18	7.114		Entente.....	1	1.29	10	7.752	
Sapho.....	3	2.49	12	4.819		Murrays.....	1	4.97	10	2.012	
Sawyers.....	2	7.83	14	1.788		Blue Circle.....	1	6.76	20	2.958	
Sultana.....	12	3.90	12	3.077		Fan.....	1	5.66	10	1.770	
Moody's.....	4	3.18	10	3.144		Quality.....	1	3.33	10	3.003	
Dearborn.....	5	4.52	10	2.212		Standard.....	1	5.81	10	1.721	
Hawes.....	9	5.04	10	1.984		Climax.....	1	4.67	16	3.426	
Royal Crown, Vancouver.....	4	4.28	18	4.205		Suttons.....	1	11.84	25	2.195	
Golden West.....	2	2.09	27	12.918		Lees.....	1	5.35		8.1495	
Concentrated.....	3	6.41	12	1.872		Pendrays.....	1	4.62	12	2.597	
Gorman Eckert.....	6	5.60	10	1.789		Imperial.....	1	6.15	16	2.601	
Royal Crown, Winnipeg.....	4	2.68	20	7.462		Chemical Co.....	1	4.66	15	3.218	
Simonds.....	1	2.98	10	3.355		Wilsons.....	1	11.38	10	0.873	
National Drug Co.....	1	6.89	10	1.451							

No brand given. No. of sample.	Results of Analysis.					No brand given. No. of sample.	Results of Analysis.				
	No. of Samples analyzed.	Average p.c. of NH ₃ .	Average price per bottle of approx. 12 ozs.	Price per unit value.	Cents.		No. of Samples analyzed.	Average p.c. of NH ₃ .	Average price per bottle of approx. 12 ozs.	Price per unit value.	Cents.
56632.....	1	23.80	30	1.260	71554.		1	4.90	10	2.040	
56633.....	1	5.95	18	3.025	52372.....		1	8.03	10	1.245	
56634.....	1	24.80	30	1.209	52373.....		1	1.37	10	7.299	
56635.....	1	23.50	24	1.021	52375.....		1	4.36	10	2.293	
56636.....	1	10.45	15	1.436	68112.....		1	6.19	15	2.423	
56637.....	1	7.85	20	3.548	68113.....		1	7.89	20	2.534	
56639.....	1	15.64	18	1.150	68116.....		1	8.13	26	3.197	
56641.....	1	6.64	30	4.518	68117.....		1	6.61	20	3.026	
3664.....	1	6.42	30	4.672	68151.....		1	6.88	10	1.453	
71781.....	1	8.36	10	1.196	68158.....		1	4.24	10	2.358	
71784.....	1	8.84	24	2.714	68176.....		1	3.75	25	6.666	
64576.....	1	5.40	10	1.851	68183.....		1	6.54	25	3.822	
71989.....	1	1.80	15	8.333	55468.....		1	7.72	15	1.943	
71991.....	1	4.10	15	3.658	66675.....		1	6.39	12	1.877	
71992.....	1	8.70	25	2.873	71307.....		1	5.01	12	2.395	
71993.....	1	6.00	15	2.500	71312.....		1	8.40	12	1.428	
71994.....	1	4.30	20	4.661	71314.....		1	6.12	12	1.960	
71995.....	1	2.76	15	5.555	71315.....		1	2.80	10	3.571	
71996.....	1	8.70	30	3.448	71316.....		1	8.49	10	1.177	
346.....	1	7.56	20	2.645	71317.....		1	10.76	16	1.486	
71533.....	1	3.90	10	2.566	71789.....		1	4.65	10	2.450	

TABLE II—BULLETIN 341—HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA.
SAMPLES OF DRY AMMONIA.

Brand.		Results of Analysis.				Brand.		Results of Analysis.			
		No. of Samples analyzed.	Average p.c. of NH ₃ .	Average price per pound approx.	Price per unit value.			No. of Samples analyzed.	Average p.c. of NH ₃ .	Average price per pound approx.	Price per unit value.
Lawrason's Snowflake.	.....	2	2·63	5	1·901	Good.	.....	1	2·45	5	2·040
Handy.	.....	2	3·40	5	1·470	Anchor	.....	1	2·04	5	2·450
Star	.....	1	1·78	4	3·932	H. O.	.....	1	2·38	5	2·100
Crescent	.....	2	3·49	4	1·145	Bee	.....	2	1·87	5	2·673

approx. 12 ozs.	Price per unit value.
2·000	2·000
3·508	3·508
4·149	4·149
7·773	7·773
7·752	7·752
2·012	2·012
2·988	2·988
1·770	1·770
3·003	3·003
1·721	1·721
3·426	3·426
2·195	2·195
1·495	1·495
2·597	2·597
2·601	2·601
3·218	3·218
0·878	0·878

approx. 12 ozs.	Price per unit value.
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2·940
1·245
7·299
2·298
2·423
2·534
3·197
3·026
1·453
2·358
6·666
3·822
1·943
1·877
2·395
1·428
1·960
3·571
1·177
1·486
2·450

