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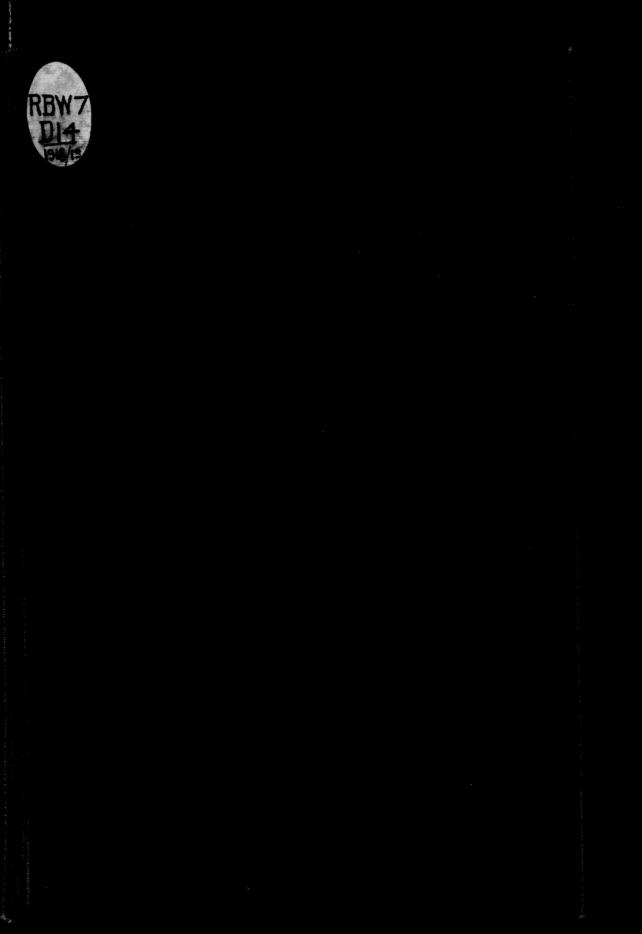
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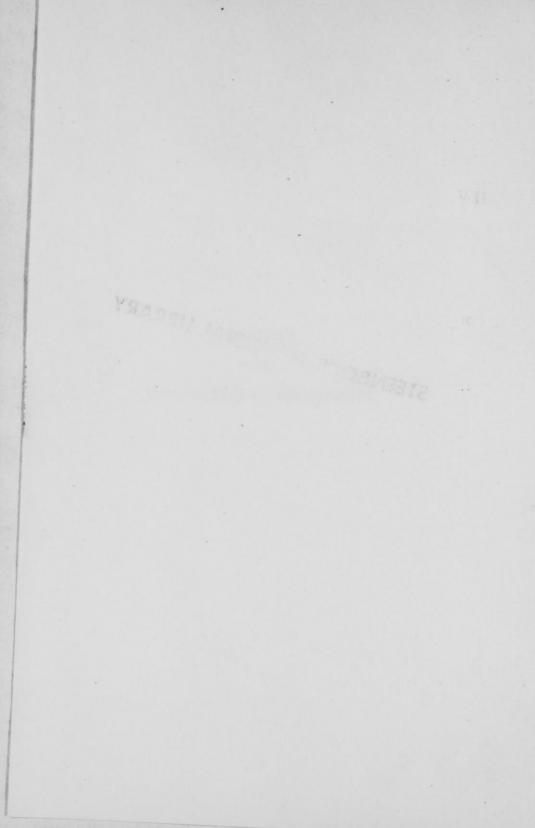


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## ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

# Dairy and Food Commissioner OF WISCONSIN

For the Period Ending June 30, 1919

#### GEORGE J. WEIGLE,

Dairy and Food Commissioner  $Ex \ Officio$ State Superintendent of Weights and Measures



MADISON, WISCONSIN 1919

## DAIRY AND FOOD COMMISSIONERS OF WISCONSIN

 H. C. THOM
 May 29, 1889, to May 28, 1891

 D. L. HARKNESS
 May 28, 1891, to June 11, 1894

 THOMAS LUCHSINGER
 June 27, 1894, to Feb. 7, 1895

 H. C. ADAMS
 Feb. 7, 1895, to May 1, 1892

 J. Q. EMERY
 Dec. 24, 1902, to Feb. 10, 1915

 GEO. J. WEIGLE
 Feb. 10, 1915,

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# ORGANIZATION OF THE COMMISSION

GEORGE J. WEIGLE, Dairy and Food Commissioner, ex officio State Superintendent of Weights and Measures. RICHARD FISCHER, Ph. D., Consulting Director of Chemical Laboratory. E. L. ADERHOLD, Assistant Commissioner (to March 31, 1919). C. E. LEE, Assistant Commissioner. HARRY KLUETER, Ph. G., Chemist. RALPH W. SMITH, Chief Inspector of Weights and Measures. M. L. WALTER, Secretary to Commissioner. MARY JANES, Stenographer (to August 8, 1918). RUTH NERDRUM, Stenographer. LOUENA FINDORFF, Stenographer and Bookkeeper. AGNES NEUBAUER, Stenographer (to October 5, 1918). VERA HODGIN, Stenographer. MINERVA NORMAN, Stenographer (from January 6, 1919). ELIZABETH KRUSE, Stenographer (November 1-December 15, 1918). GERTRUDE MILLER, Stenographer (August 19-31, 1918). MARIE SACHS, Stenographer (January 27-May 17, 1919). G. A. SERVIS, Stenographer (September 10, 1918-January 15, 1919). W. A. BRANNON, Assistant Chemist (to October 15, 1918). I. R. HOWLETT, Assistant Chemist. FRANCIS C. KRAUSKOPF, Ph. D., Assistant Chemist (to October 1, 1918). C. A. KROHN, Assistant Chemist (from December 16, 1918). PHILIP QUENTMEYER, Assistant Chemist (January 28-June 15, 1919). GEORGE EIGENBERGER (to November 30, 1918). C. J. KREMER. W. A. VOIGT. L. D. STEPHENSON (from June 1, 1919). Food Inspectors. JAMES VAN DUSER. R. B. SOUTHARD (to April 30, 1919). FRED MARTY (to October 1, 1918). JACOB LEHNHERR. S. B. COOK. S. J. DUFNER (to April 12, 1919). F. S. HANSON. OSCAR KNUDSON (to October 22, 1918). H. W. DESEBROCK (April 21-June 1, 1919). M. T. SHERWOOD (from April 1, 1919).

GEO. H. STUEBER (from June 1, 1919).

R. R. CROSBY (from April 22, 1919).

W. A. STEWART (from June 9, 1919).

Dairy and Food Inspectors.

GEORGE WARNER. B. A. HASS. WM. P. STERNS. H. L. BORNHEIMER. J. E. BOETTCHER. CHAUNCEY BECKWITH. J. M. KELLIHER. GEO. D. GILMAN. Sealers of Weights and Measures.

LEO BRENNAN, Junior Sealer of Weights and Measures (to August 10, 1918).

# LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

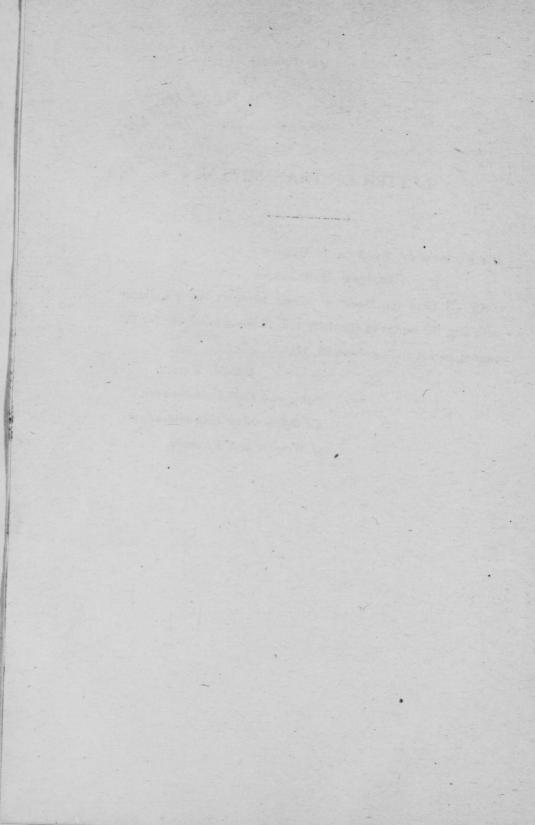
His EXCELLENCY, EMANUEL L. PHILIPP,

Governor of Wisconsin.

Sir:-I have the honor to submit herewith, in compliance with law, the report of the dairy and food commissioner for the annual period ending June 30, 1919.

GEO. J. WEIGLE,

Dairy and Food Commissioner Ex Officio State Superintendent of Weights and Measures.



## REPORT OF COMMISSIONER

In submitting my report as dairy and food commissioner for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1919, I wish to voice my firm conviction that the activities of this department have resulted in enormous benefits to the people and industries of the state. That many of these benefits are more or less intangible and cannot be expressed in terms of dollars and cents makes them none the less real. That much of the work of the department consists of preventing rather than correcting abuses detracts in no way from the good accomplished. This is particularly true of the work of food inspectors and chemists in safeguarding the health of the people and protecting them from adulterated products masquerading under the guise of products of quality.

Elsewhere in this report appear detailed discussions of the work of the various divisions,—food, dairy, and weights and measures; and considering these individual reports as a whole a summation of the work of the entire organization shows that the department is larger, its activities more varied, its organization more cohesive and its work more valuable than it has ever been before. This condition may be explained by the fundamental principles upon which the work of the department is based—a high standard of quality for food products with all that is embraced in that comprehensive expression; accuracy for weighing and measuring instruments; and a fair and common sense enforcement of the laws which it is the duty of the commissioner to administer.

During the past year the department has had many cases in court and in several instances actions have been brought against the commissioner to restrain him from enforcing certain provisions of the Statutes. A number of cases have been carried to the state Supreme Court, notably the Trading Stamp and Oleomargarine cases, and one case was decided by the U.S. Supreme Court. This latter decision affects not only Wisconsin alone but is of vital interest to every food department in the United States. I refer to the so-called Benzoate of Soda case (discussed in greater detail below) in which the authority of a state to enforce laws relating to the ingredients of food products was upheld. This was a signal victory for Wisconsin and was the culmination of a bitter fight extending over a period of two years. Specifically it affirms the right of this department to prevent the sale, in this state, of articles of food containing benzoic acid or benzoates; but the principle of state regulation which is involved is of even greater importance and has established a most valuable precedent.

The personnel of the department has suffered during the past year as a result of the resignation of no less than seven employes. The loss of Mr. E. L. Aderhold, one of the assistant commissioners and an authority on cheese, a man who had devoted many years to the service of the state, was keenly felt; and the work of the department was further hampered by the permanent loss of three creamery and cheese factory inspectors, one food inspector, and two of the office employes, and by the temporary absence of two others while engaged in war service. Those who resigned are now engaged in more lucrative employment elsewhere. Although it is an unfortunate situation, it is impossible for us to compete with outside agencies in the matter of salaries, and as head of the department the difficult choice is imposed upon me of retaining valued employes at increased salaries and consequently restricting the volume of work possible, or of accepting their resignations and trying to maintain the former quantity of work with employes of less experience. An effort has been made by careful organization and the exercise of rigid economy to offset these conditions to some extent and while the results have not been entirely satisfactory, I am glad to say in spite of all our handicaps, by reason of the splendid cooperation which has been evidenced by each individual member of the department, we have set a record of accomplishment of which we may be justly proud; and I wish to take this opportunity of expressing my personal appreciation for the assistance and cooperation of my associates in this department.

During the 1919 session of the legislature important laws coming under the jurisdiction of this department were enacted as follows:

- 1. Licensing of cream buying and milk receiving stations.
- Making the manufacturer of cheese containing an excess amount of moisture equally guilty with the person selling or offering for sale such cheese.
- 3. Licensing of condenseries and canneries.
- Limiting the moisture in brick cheese to 42%.
   Requiring the dairy and food commissioner.
- 5. Requiring the dairy and food commissioner when creditably informed that the law relating to unfair discrimination in buying milk, cream, and butter fat has been violated, to make investigation and report results to attorney general and secretary of state.
- 6. Requiring the thorough washing and cleansing of cans, bottles and other vessels used for milk, cream or other dairy products and the return of said containers within 72 hours after the contents is removed.
- Relating to the sale and delivery of bread and rolls; also prohibiting the return of bread or rolls by any consumer or other purchaser to dealer, unless the bread or rolls are imperfectly prepared or baked or are not palatable or nutritious.

Following are brief summaries of some of the important cases affecting the work of the department which were decided during the past year:

Trading Stamp Case: This case was started in Milwaukee on the question of the right to appoint an agent. Lawrence W. Halsey, circuit

judge, ordered that the dairy and food commissioner be restrained from prosecuting Wisconsin merchants under the Trading Stamp Act, Sec. 1747m-1, for appointing agents to redeem stamps issued by such merchants. Case was carried to the supreme court of Wisconsin and said court affirmed the order of Judge Halsey.

Boric Acid Case: Case was brought by the state against J. L. Mc-Carthy. Mr. McCarthy sold an article used and intended for use as an ingredient in the composition of food and used and intended for use in the preparation of food, said article containing boric acid, contrary to the provisions of section 4601e of the Statutes. This article of food was known as Mrs. Price's Canning Compound and was made up of approximately 95% boric acid and approximately 5% sodium chloride or common salt. The court held:

- 1. That boric acid as a preservative in food is injurious to health.
- 2. That no article of food should be sold which contains boric acid.
- 3. That boric acid comes within the definition of food when it becomes a part of the composition prepared to be taken into the human system.

Judge Hoppmann said: "Assuming that the three points above set forth are properly deducible from the wording of the two sections of the Statutes above set forth, and then add to them as a fourth point that the defendant admits that the compound in question contained boric acid, and that the compound in question was sold with the intention of being used as a preservative and to be taken into the human system, then does not such sale come squarely within the wording of those provisions of the two sections of the Statutes, last above quoted, and is not such sale a violation thereof- It does appear to this court that it is. It seems to be a logical conclusion to say after the legislature had determined for itself that boric acid is injurious to health, that their object in enacting the Statute was to keep boric acid not only out of the human systems of those who eat food commercially prepared, but out of the human systems of those who prepare their own focd as well. It seems only fair to assume that the legislature was impartial enough to legislate for all of the citizens of the state of Wisconsin alike and not for the protection of those only who are able to purchase their food already prepared. That they intended to protect the human systems of the great mass of citizens who would hardly know that there is any difference in the food value of this compound and 'Horlick's Malted Milk'. In short, that the legislature accomplished what they set out to do."

Benzoate of Soda Case: This case was brought by the Curtice Brothers Company, a New York corporation, in the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Wisconsin, to restrain the dairy and food commissioner of Wisconsin from enforcing certain laws of the state, especally section 4601g. That section makes it unlawful to sell any article of food that contains benzoic acid or benzoates. The Curtice Brothers Company makes certain articles from fruit, and adds benzoate of soda as a preservative. It puts them in glass bottles

and jars properly labelled under the Food and Drugs Act (June 30. 1906), packs the bottles and jars in wooden cases containing a number of the same, and ships the cases from its factory in New York to customers in Wisconsin among others. The single bottles are sold in the retail trade, and their contents are served to guests in restaurants. and hotels. The defendant disavowed any contention that the state laws affected or purported to affect sales by the importer in the unbroken wooden packages containing the bottles and the decree treated that subject as taken out of the case. But the bill went farther and setting up a decision, incorporated in a regulation under the Food and Drugs Act, that benzoate of soda is not injurious to health and that objection would not be raised to it under the Act if each container should be plainly labelled, contended that under the Food and Drugs Act and the Commerce Clause of the Constitution, the Wisconsin law was invalid even as applied to domestic retail sales of single bottles or the contents of single bottles of the plaintiff's goods. The District Court made a decree following the prayer of the bill but the case was appealed to the U. S. Supreme Court, where the decree was reversed. The following is taken from the opinion of the Supreme Court of the United States, issued January 7, 1919:

"The argument in support of the decree contends in various forms that the sale of the individual bottles when removed from the original package after entering the State, still is a part of commerce among the states, since the Act of Congress as to misbranding applies to them. But the Food and Drugs Act does not change or purport to change the moment at which an object ceases to move in interstate commerce. It imposes an obligation to label the bottles severally, although contained in one original package, as of course it may, Seven Cases of Eckman's Alterative v. United States, 239, U. S. 510, 515, 516. It provides for seizure and condemnation of misbranded or adulterated articles that have been transported from one state to another, although the transit is at an end, while the articles remain unsold or in original unbroken packages, as again it may. There is -no reason why a lien ex delicto should be lost by the end of the journey in which the wrong was done. The two things have no relation to each other. Hipolite Egg Co. v. United States. 220 U.S. 45, 57, 58. Finally the duty to retain the label upon the single bottles does not disappear at once. For reasons stated in McDermott v. Wisconsin, 228 U.S. 115, if the state could require the label to be removed while the bottles remained in the importer's hands unsold, it could interfere with the means reasonably adopted by Congress to make its regulations obeyed. But all this has nothing to do with the question when interstate commerce is over and the articles carried in it have come under the general power of the state. The law upon that point has undergone no change.

"The Food and Drugs Act indicates its intent to respect the recognized line of distinction between domestic and interstate commerce too clearly to need argument or examination of its language. It naturally would, as the distinction is constitutional. The fact that a food or drug might be condemned by Congress if it passed from state to state, does not carry an immunity of foods or drugs, making the same passage, that it does not condemn. Neither the silence of Congress nor the decision of officers of the United States have any authority

beyond the domain established by the Constitution. Rast v. Van Deman & Lewis Co., 240 U. S. 342, 362. When objects of commerce get within the sphere of state legislation the state may exercise its independent judgment and prohibit what Congress did not see fit to forbid. When they get within that sphere is determined, as we have said, by the old long-established criteria. The Food and Drugs Act does not interfere with state regulation of selling at retail. Armour & Co. v. North Dakota, 240 U. S. 510, 517. McDermott v. Wisconsin, 228, U. S. 115, 131. Such regulation is not an attempt to supplement the action of Congress in interstate commerce by the exercise of an authority outside of that commerce that always has remained in the states."

Oleomargarine Case: A complaint was brought against H. B. Essex for the sale of oleomargarine which the state held was of a color which was in semblance of yellow butter. This case was tried in the Superior Court, Dane County. The jury found the defendant guilty and notice of appeal has been given.

Egg Substitutes: Several cases for the sale of egg substitutes, falsely branded and fraudently advertised, were brought by the state and convictions secured in each case. In one instance, the defendant appealed from the District Court of Milwaukee County to the Circuit Court. The Circuit Court upheld the decision of the District Court.

The following is a summary of analysis, inspections, prosecutions, etc., made during the period from July 1, 1918 to June 30, 1919 inclusive. This summary, however, covers only a portion of the activities of the department of Dairy and Food and Weights and Measures.

Samples of food analyzed by chemists	1,052
Sanitary inspection of groceries, meat markets, etc	3,863
Sanitary inspections of bakeries	508
Sanitary inspections of confectioneries	236
Sanitary inspections of factories	223
Cheese factory inspections	3.194
Butter factory inspections	1.026
Cheese maker inspections	3.200
City milk inspections	407
Dairy inspections	2.210
Total number of weighing and measuring appliances tested,	-,
(field)	138,298
(office)	782
Packages weighed by dealers for delivery reweighed by in-	and the second sec
spector	
Convictions	213

In addition to these activities it is the duty of the department to license cheese factories, butter factories, cheese makers, butter makers, confectioneries, soda water plants and cold storage warehouses, and to see that these licenses are renewed from year to year. While the licensing of these plants has increased the work of this department enormously, not only in making inspections, but also in keeping records of all applications and reports, the results have been gratifying. Licensing has been instrumental in causing the erection of new buildings and

the improvement of old buildings, and it has brought about marked changes in the sanitary condition of these places. These statements apply especially to the so-called fish houses and bottling plants.

The condition of milk delivered to factories and condensaries as well as market milk has required the attention and time of inspectors. When such inspections are made the cans containing the milk are also examined. As a result of this work it is evident that there is room for improvement in the condition of those cans. This work has also brought to light the fact that too many dealers are using bottles belonging to competitors. This practice is in violation of the branding law.

Since the passage of the law regulating the moisture in American cheese, considerable time has been spent by inspectors of this department in determining whether or not American cheese containing more than 40% of moisture was being manufactured and sold. Information on this subject indicates that more care on the part of cheese makers, operators and dealers must be exercised so that cheese may be manufactured in compliance with law.

Our laboratory is constantly kept busy making analyses of food, drugs, kinseed oil, linseed oil compounds, etc., to find out if they are adulterated or misbranded, or in any way not in compliance with the law. It would be misleading to attempt to give the percentage of adulterated or misbranded samples, as such percentage would not represent the condition of the markets of the state, for as a rule only samples suspected of being in violation of law are sent to the chemist for analysis. Much of the chemist's time is spent in connection with new foods which are found on the market. Egg substitutes and lemon pie fillings are fair examples of such foods. War time conditions and the high prices of foods have had their effect on the quality of products sold in the state. Our work has shown that the adulteration and misbranding of food is increasing as a result of such conditions. This has naturally increased the work in the laboratory as well as the work of the inspectors.

The trading stamp law has taken some time and attention. There have been some questions as to the constitutionality of the law, and as a result three decisions have been rendered by the supreme court of the state. While much time has been necessary to take care of matters coming up in connection with this law, it could not be properly enforced during the time the cases were pending, but what has been done has shown the necessity of such a law. It has also brought to light the innumerable coupons and kinds of trading stamps which are being used.

Weights and measures is another branch of work belonging to the department. The impression is quite common that errors in weighing are due almost entirely to defective or faulty scales, but such is far from true. If the department simply devoted its time to the testing of weighing and measuring devices, it would be doing only part of its work. Try-out work—the reweighing of sealed packages on the grocers' shelves and packages put up by the grocers—is a very important phase of weights and measures work.

Besides the actual testing of weighing and measuring appliances, the department has general supervision over the work performed by the thirty-six city sealers of weights and measures in the state. The law requires that each city of 5,000 or more inhabitants have a city sealer to look after the weighing and measuring appliances within the city. These sealers are guided in their work by the tolerances and specifications and regulations issued by this department. In this branch of the work a service is rendered the public which is often greatly undervalued.

In concluding my report I wish to invite your attention to the annexed, detailed reports; that of Carl E. Lee, Assistant Commissioner and Dairy Specialist, on the subject of dairies, creameries and cheese factories; that of Harry Klueter, Chief Chemist. on the subject of food inspection and chemical analyses; and that of Ralph W. Smith, Chief Inspector of Weights and Measures, on the subject of weights and measures.

I wish to say further that I am a firm believer in the future growth of Wisconsin's dairy industry and of Wisconsin's dairy and food department. Calls for assistance reach us in constantly increasing numbers from all parts of the state; the scope of our work is being constantly broadened by the passage of additional laws, the enforcement of which is placed in our hands; the need for increased activity is constantly growing as the great dairy industry of our state grows and as our markets are invaded by the manufacturers of countless new food products; in fact, the possibilities for service to the people and industries of our state seem almost limitless. For us to realize these possibilities, to utilize the opportunities which surround us on every hand, to crystallize and bring into being the potential benefits which the future holds, is merely to justify the motto upon the Great Seal of Wisconsin, "Forward".

## REPORT BY MONTHS OF FOODS IN COLD STORAGE FROM JULY, 1918, TO JULY, 1919.

(The amounts given represent pounds except in the case of eggs in shell, it represents dozens)

Articles	July	August	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June
Meats: Beef (all kinds)	$1,303,540\\86,041\\86,479\\2,579,784\\610,510\\719,189\\47,022\\2,225\\2,707,749\\13,832\\659,314\\2,008$	$\begin{array}{c} 1,196,534\\ 41,612\\ 64,221\\ 2,009,951\\ 812,568\\ 945,796\\ 36,617\\ 3,680\\ 3,004,341\\ 19,126\\ 465,547\\ 3,380\\ \end{array}$	$1,495,659\\ 60,368\\ 78,128\\ 1,747,312\\ 2,004,508\\ 963,538\\ 58,167\\ 3,816\\ 20,964\\ 270,228\\ 2,290\\ 2,290\\$	$1,940,974\\98,410\\164,272\\1,813,323\\4,882\\1,235,297\\163,180\\3,840\\2,286,012\\21,915\\412,988\\13,582$	105,050 151,685 416,205 4,117	123,727 164,362 350,887 3,916	$\begin{array}{r} 2,332,453\\ 183,665\\ 167,231\\ 664,960\\ 25,603\\ 2,304,385\\ 560,526\\ 4,614\\ 68,685\\ 11,407\\ 142,174\\ 9,338 \end{array}$	80,005 112,418	2,085,508 90,653 99,855 1,505,527 6,575 856,510 429,005 13,365 96,780 3,132 61,500 3,216	$\begin{array}{c} 100,515\\71,460\\937,060\\2,368\\575,660\\310,926\\13,251\end{array}$	$123,810 \\ 57,879 \\ 1,446,214 \\ 1,983 \\ 640,222 \\ 206,863 \\ 13,253 \\ 13,253 \\ 12,255 \\ 12,255 \\ 12,255 \\ 12,255 \\ 12,255 \\ 12,255 \\ 12,25$	971,031 66,871 48,614 1,218,891 538,818 72,975 11,846 2,641,956 123,980 467,739 3,922

## CONVICTIONS

Date	Defendant	Cause of Action	Trial Judge	Fine or Forfeiture
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1918	- I Table Tamp P 1	Maintaining cheese factory in an unsani-	James A. Donlevy, Oconto	\$25 and costs.
July 2	Louis Falck, Lena, R. 1	tary condition.	O D Vennemen Wentoms	\$25 and costs.
	J. W. Brooks, Waupaca		C. F. Youngman, wautoma	\$25 and costs.
July 10	Martin and Geo. Burmeister,	Maintaining premises and utensis in an	Geo. Page, Milwaukee	Ann ann a start a
July 11	North Milwankee.	unsanitary condition.	T E Corew Fond du Lac	\$50 and costs.
July 13	Herman Wondra, Campbellsport.	unsanitary condition. Maintaining cheese factory premises and	J. E. Calew, Fold du Duction	
July 10	Herman Wonders, see .	utensus in an uncantenty company	A C Hoppmann, Madison	\$25 and costs.
July 16	Henry Dahlke, Verona	Selling adulterated milk Manipulating and overreading the Babcock	C. C. Kile, Ladysmith	\$25 and costs.
July 19	F F Tahor, Weverhauser	Manipulating and overreading the Dabcock	0. 0. 1.0,	teres in a second
oury ro		test in buying cream. Offering for sale unsanitary milk	C. S. Hayden, West Bend	\$25 and costs.
July 19	Peter Goetz, Hartford	Offering for sale unsanitary milk	C. S. Hayden, West Bend	\$25 and costs.
July 19	Peter Looser, Hartford	Offering for sale unsanitary milk Offering for sale unsanitary milk Offering for sale unsanitary milk	C. S. Hayden, West Bend	\$25 and costs.
July 19	wm Zurn, Hubertus	Unering for succ discussion into	a S Haydon West Bend	\$25 and costs. \$25 and costs.
July 19	John Grunnagle, Hartford	Offering for sale unsanitary milk	C. S. Hayden, West Bend	\$25 and costs.
July 19	Frank Kohler, Hartford	Offering for sale unsanitary milk	C. S. Hayden, West Bend	\$25 and costs.
July 19	Geo. Jacob, Hartford	Offering for sale unsanitary milk Offering for sale unsanitary milk	C. S. Hayden, West Bend	\$25 and costs.
July 19	Frank Pringer, Hubertus Wm. Doon, Hubertus			
July 19	Robt. Koehler, Hubertus	Offering for sale unsanitary milk	C. S. Hayden, West Bend	\$25 and costs.
July 19	Frank Murkel, Hubertus	Offering for sale unsanitary milk Offering for sale unsanitary milk	C. S. Hayden, West Bend	\$25 and costs.
July 19	Geo. Hollenstein, Hubertus	Offering for sale unsanitary milk	C. S. Hayden, West Bend.	\$25 and costs.
July 19 July 19	Peter Simon, Hubertus	Offering for sale unsanitary milk	G & Hayden, West Bend	\$25 and costs.
July 19	T Prisgen, Hubertus	Onering for sale unstanting	C S Havden West Bend	φ20 and 00000.
July 19	Nie Hoffmann, Hubertus	Onering for sale unsumbury with out from	C A Desney, Hudson	\$25 and costs.
July 23	Joe H. Blegen, Woodville	Engaged as a cheese maker without hist	C. II. Product,	and and another
oury and		obtaining a permit of needed	C. S. Hayden, West Bend	\$25 and costs.
July 23	Blasious Mayer, Hartford	Offering and exposing for sale loous not	Geo. E. I age, ministered	\$25 and costs.
July 24	Anton Vasas, Carrollville	properly protected from dust, flies, filth,		
		property protected acting	The law and the same and the law	Fine remitted on payment
	There are a second second	etc. Selling adulterated milk to a condensery	F. W. Jenkins, Chippewa Falls	of costs.
July 25	Nick Hattauer, Bloomer	Benning additional and a second		1 01 00000

## CONVICTIONS—continued.

Date	Defendant	Cause of Action	Trial Judge	Fine or Forfeiture
1918 July 25	Nick Nayer, Bloomer	Selling adulterated milk to a condensery	F W Ienking Chippers Balls	
July 26	Chas. Brandow, Antigo	Delivering unsanitary milk to a cheese fac-	T. W. Hogan. Antigo	stand costs. \$25 and costs.
uly 27	Peter H. Riesch, West Bend	tory. Operating an unclean and unsanitary cheese factory.		
uly 30	Schwartz & Markie, Tomah	Maintaining store and market in an un- sanitary condition.		
uly 31	Louis Nielsen, Green Bay	Handling, preparing and caring for meat in an unclean manner.		
ug. 5 ug. 7 ug. 7	John Mueller, Brodhead John Braun, Campbellsport Herman Wondra, Campbellsport.	Selling adulterated milk. Offering for sale unsanitary milk	H. N. B. Caradine, Monroe	\$25 and costs.
ug. 7	L. L. Wallace, West Lima	Preparing food for man and not protect- ing same from filth, dust and other contamination.		Fine suspended on payment of costs.
ug. 8 ug. 9	Robt. Menning, Mattoon Tony Hassmer, Bloomer	Selling milk in an unclean can Selling adulterated milk to a condensery	F. W. Jenkins, Chippewa Falls	Fine remitted on payment
ug. 9	Alex. Kriewaldt, Birnamwood	an unsanitary condition		
ıg. 10	Fred Stapel, Clintonville	Maintaining cheese factory and utensils in an unsanitary condition		
ug. 10	Adolph Deick, Tigerton	Selling cheese containing more than 40% moisture.		
ug. 13	Charles Kittell, Green Bay	Maintaining cheese factory in an unsani- tary condition.		
ug. 14	Albert Schultz, Cecil	Maintaining cheese factory and utensils in an unsanitary condition.		
ug. 15	Jos. Annoye, Oconto Falls	Maintaining cheese factory and utensils in an unsanitary condition.		
ug. 16	Otto Rezek, Pulaski	Maintaining cheese factory and utensils in an unsanitary condition.		
ug. 17	W. C. Starkey, Richland Center	Manufacturing whey cream as food for man and not protecting it from filth, flies and other contamination.		Fine suspended.

Au	1g. 22 (	S. Clouter, Somerset	Selling adulterated milk to a cheese fac-	A. R. Kibby, New Richmond]	Fine suspended on payment
Au	ıg. 22	F. Parent, Somerset	tory. Selling adulterated milk to a cheese fac-		of costs. Fine remitted on payment of costs.
Au	ıg. 23	Jos. Kunz, Elkhart Lake	tory. Maintaining cheese factory and utensils in	D. Mahlstead, Plymouth	\$25 and costs.
Au	ig. 23	J. C. Lang, Racine	an unsanitary condition. Preparing, handling and caring for food	Wm. Smieding, Racine	\$20 and costs.
Au	ıg. 23	Nels Nelson, Racine	in an unclean manner. Preparing, handling and caring for food	Wm. Smieding, Racine	\$20 and costs.
Au	ıg. 23	Olaf Nelson, Racine	in an unclean manner. Preparing, handling and caring for food	Wm. Smieding, Racine	\$20 and costs.
Au	ıg. 29	Jos. Tufusino, Racine	in an unclean manner. Exposing food to unsanitary conditions	Wm. Smieding, Racine	\$25 and costs.
Au	ıg. 29	Earl E. Korte, Campbellsport	Maintaining cheese factory and utensils in an unsanitary condition.	D. Mahlstead, Plymouth	\$25 and costs.
Au	ıg. 29	Cletus Neis, Gilmanton	Maintaining premises and utensils in an	n. s. connor, mondormeren	
Au	ıg. 30	Eugene Coisman, Lena	Producing whey cream under unsanitary conditions and maintaining utensils in a	J. A. Donlevy, Oconto	\$25 and costs.
A.	ıg. 31	Paul Friederich, Wausau	dirty condition. Obstructing inspector in performance of	Louis Marchetti, Wausau	Fine remitted on payment
	ig. 31	Fred Heibel, Gilmanton	his official duties. Maintaining cheese factory and utensils in		of costs. \$25 and costs.
	pt. 4	Ferd. Schmidt, Jr., Milwaukee	an unsanitary condition. Exposing bakery goods to rats and other vermin and maintaining an unclean bak-	Geo. Page, Milwaukee	Fine suspended on payment of costs.
Se	pt. 5	Geo. Bicken, Kenosha	ery. Handling, preparing and caring for food	J. Tully, Kenosha	\$30 and costs.
se	pt. 8	H. W. Goodrich, Delavan	in an unclean manner. Operating a bakery without ample toilet	A. B. Calkins, Delavan	\$20.
Se	pt. 10	Jos. Kurkaski, Amherst	facilities. Selling hamburger containing sodium sul-	J. A. Murat, Stevens Point	\$25 and costs.
	pt. 13 pt. 13	Leslie Yapp, Ridgeway Herman Wondra, Campbellsport.	phite. Delivering milk in a dirty, rusty can Maintaining cheese factory and utensils in	T. H. Arthur, Dodgeville R. C. Fairbank, Fond du Lac	\$25 and costs. \$100 and costs.
Se	pt. 18	Gould, Wells & Blackburn,	an unsanitary condition. Selling adulterated potato flour	A. C. Hoppmann, Madison	\$25 and costs.
Se	pt. 22	Madison. Wm. Flath, Plymouth	heer renched		
0.500	pt. 25		been revoked. Furnishing adulterated milk to a cheese factory.		
Se	pt. 25	S. F. La Piana, Milwaukee	Selling adulterated olive oil	Geo. Page, Milwaukee	\$100 and costs.

#### Fine or Forfeiture Defendant **Cause of Action** Trial Judge Date 1918 Sept. 26 H. Kramp and B. Gottschalk, Beaver Dam. an unclean manner. F. E. Zuehlke, Oshkosh..... Sept. 27 distributing them. Failure to keep bakery goods covered while A. H. Goss. Oshkosh...... \$25 and costs. Sept. 27 Wm. Ackermann, Oshkosh..... distributing them. Sept. 27 Pauline Heiss, Oshkosh..... distributing them. James Holley, Oshkosh ..... Sept. 27 distributing them. Delivering unsanitary milk to a cheese fac- C. J. Van Schoick. Black Riv. Falls \$25 and costs. Sept. 28 Aug. Koehler. Hixton..... tory. Cornelius Janisse, Oostburg..... Sept. 28 an unsanitary condition. \$25 and costs. Ripon Produce Co., Ripon..... Selling short weight butter..... Roy Reed, Ripon..... Sept. 29 \$25 and costs. W. H. Graskamp, Kewaskum ..... Maintaining cheese factory and utensils in D. Mahlsted, Plymouth..... Oct. 3 an unsanitary condition. \$10 and costs. Using false weights in buying cattle...... Chas. Hoffman, Kewaunee..... Joseph D. Dhuey, Casco..... Oct. 5 Selling less butter than the quantity repre- C. F. Youngman, Wautoma...... Abraham Hays, Hancock ...... \$1 and costs. Oct. 5 sented. Having in possession and under control H. J. Masters, Sparta...... \$50 and costs. Oct. 7 Emery Urich. Sparta..... with intent to sell unsanitary milk. John Borchardt, Beaver Dam .... Oct. 0 phite. Selling rotten eggs. J. E. Sawyer, Horicon..... \$25 and costs. Wm. Firchammer, Horicon..... Oct. 10 \$25 and costs. Chas. C. Nelson, Mgr., Racine Selling adulterated cream and not protect- Wm. Smieding, Racine..... Oct. 10 ing cream from flies. Pure Milk Co., Racine. Selling adulterated milk ..... A. C. Hoppmann, Madison..... \$25 and costs. E. Bort. Windsor..... Oct. 12 Maintaining cheese factory and utensils in R. E. Andrews, Marshfield ..... \$25 and costs. Melvin Larkee, Marshfield...... Oct. 15 an unsanitary condition. Chas. A. Buss. Jefferson ..... \$25 and costs. Offering for sale adulterated milk ..... Oct. 15 John Helts, Fort Atkinson..... \$25 and costs. Offering for sale adulterated milk ..... Chas. A. Buss. Jefferson..... Albert Christian, Lake Mills..... Oct. 15 \$25 and costs. F. Bogenschneider, Johnson Creek Offering for sale adulterated milk ..... Chas. A. Buss, Jefferson..... Oct. 15 Chas. A. Buss, Jefferson..... \$25 and costs. Offering for sale adulterated milk ..... Oct. 15 F. Bonsack, Johnson Creek ..... Offering for sale adulterated milk...... Chas. A. Buss, Jefferson..... \$25 and costs. C. W. Wollin, Johnson Creek .... Oct. 15 Offering less apples than the quantity rep. J. L. McGregor, Park Falls ...... \$10 and costs. Mike Porter, Park Falls..... Oct. 16 resented.

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Oet.		Selling adulterated cheese		
Oct.	18 Paul Luecke, Elkhart Lake	Selling adulterated cheese	O. Bassuener, Sheboygan	\$25 and costs.
Oct.	18 Ed Rhode, Timothy	Selling adulterated cheese	O. Bassuener, Sheboygan	Fine remitted on payment
				of costs.
Oct.	22 Julius Boyer, Watertown	Selling chopped meat containing sodium	Al. Cayanaugh, Watertown,	\$25 and costs.
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Oct.	H. M. Scott, Waldo		T. F. Volk, Plymouth	\$25 and costs.
	23 Theodore Specht, Sheboygan Falls			
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Oct.	e C. D. Wethore, menomone	unsanitary condition.	r. A. Clark, menomome	420 and costs.
Oct 1	Andrew Heinzelman, Watertown		Al. Cavanaugh, Watertown	\$25 and costs.
Oct.		Selling rotten eggs	Al. Cavanaugh, watertown	
Oct.				
Oct.		·Selling adulterated cheese	O. A. Bassuener, Sneboygan	\$25 and costs.
Oct.				
Oct.	5 Frank Moldenhauer, Iron Ridge		Fred Sette, Iron Ridge	\$25 and costs.
		condition.		
Oct.				
Oct.	30 A. C. Fox, Fond du Lac		J. E. Carew, Fond du Lac	\$25 and costs.
		received and when delivered to and from		
		cold storage.		
Oct.	0 C. and G. Tank, Van Dyne	Selling short weight pound butter prints	J. E. Carew, Fond du Lac	\$25 and costs.
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		tory.		
Nov.	1 Theodore Sonnabend, Greenleaf		N. J. Monahan, Green Bay	\$25 and costs.
Nov.				Fine remitted on payment
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Nov.	2 Albert Baehler, Seymour	Selling adulterated cheese	Honry Kroiss Annieton	\$25 and costs.
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Nov.				\$25 and costs.
Nov.	1 Chas. Neitzel, Reeseville		Emil Klentz, Reeseville	\$25 and costs.
		nish to a cheese factory adulterated		
	The Delle Orbert	milk.		050
Nov. 2	9 Edwin Bradley, Oshkosh	Selling adulterated milk		\$50 and costs.
Nov.		Selling adulterated cheese		\$25 and costs.
Dec.	5 Otto Hiller, Plymouth		D. Mahlsted, Plymouth	\$25 and costs.
		adulterated checse.		
Dec.	7 Wisconsin Cheese Producers' Fed-	Having in possession with intent to sell	Michael Kirwan, Sheboygan	\$50 and costs.
	eration, Plymouth.	adulterated cheese.		
Dec. 1	2 Carl Wachsmuth, Gleason	Selling adulterated cheese	M. C. Porter, Merrill	\$25 and costs.
Dec. 1		Selling adulterated butter	A. H. Schmidt, Manitowoc	\$35 and costs.
	Co., Manitowoc.			
Dec. 2		Selling adulterated cheese	T. F. Volk, Plymouth	\$25 and costs.
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Date	Defendant	Cause of Action	Trial Judge	Fine or Forfeiture
1918 Dec. 26 Dec. 27 Dec. 27 Dec. 28 Dec. 28	E. T. Jones, Oshkosh David Von Buren, Oshkosh A. C. Peep, Oshkosh L. A. Wrensch, Sherwood Wm. C. Smith, Milwaukee	Selling adulterated cream Selling adulterated milk Selling adulterated cream Selling misbranded and adulterated food, "Eggette."	A. H. Goss, Oshkosh A. H. Goss, Oshkosh Geo, Breed, Chilton	\$25 and costs.
1919 Jan. 2 Jan. 2 Jan. 3	C. H. Zutz, Rice Lake Henry Bergelin, Appleton C. Denessen, Green Bay	Offering for sale adulterated cheese Selling adulterated milk Falsely advertising a food, a baking com- pound labeled Sa-van-egg.	A. M. Spencer, Appleton	\$25 and costs. \$50 and costs. \$25 and costs.
Jan. 3	Louis Anderson, Racine	Preparing and storing food (horse meat) under unclean and unsanitary conditions.		
Jan. 4	Frank Wittkamp, Milwaukee	Selling misbranded food, to wit, Sa-van- Egg.		
Jan. 8 Jan. 10	J. A. Tiedjens, Marinette H. B. Essex, Madison	Selling adulterated milk Selling oleomargarine held to be in sem- blance of yellow butter.	Chas. C. Daily, Marinette A. C. Hoppmann, Madison	\$25 and costs. \$50 and costs.
Jan. 13 Jan. 13	F. P. Baker, St. Cloud Wm. Paulls, Rosendale		T. F. Volk, Plymouth R. C. Fairbank, Fond du Lac	\$25 and costs. Fine remitted on payment of costs.
Jan. 14	Henry Luetzow, Lake Mills	Selling oleomargarine held to be in sem- blance of yellow butter.	Chas. A. Buss, Jefferson	\$50 and costs.
Jan. 14 Jan. 16 Jan. 16	F. J. Mulvey, Random Lake E. W. Guenther, Random Lake Mike Mainella, Superior	Selling adulterated cheese	D. Mahlsted, Plymouth	\$25 and costs. \$25 and costs. \$25 and costs.
Jan. 16	Sam Titch, Superior		F. S. Porter, Superior	\$25 and costs.
Jan. 21	H. Schroeder, Nelson		H. P. Marquardt, Nelson	\$25 and costs.
Jan. 23	H. J. Dietsch, Mgr., Sheboygan Dairy Products Co., Green Bay		N. J. Monahan, Green Bay	of costs.
Jan. 23	M. G. Douma, Mgr. and Sec., She- boygan Dairy P. Co., Sheb'gan			
Jan. 23 Jan. 28	George Drexler, Sheboygan	Selling unsanitary milk	O. A. Bassuener, Sheboygan W. F. Fogo, Richland Center	\$25 and costs. \$25 and costs.

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Jan. 31	Wilson & Co., Milwaukee	Selling cold storage eggs as fresh eggs Selling unsanitary milk		who which convers
Feb. 5 Feb. 8	George Conlin, Oshkosh J. H. Rowley, Račine	Selling adulterated eggs, -eggs below qual-	win. Sinteding, Racine	420 and 00000.
Feb. 12	Louis Gruenewald, Sheboygan	Selling adulterated cheese	o, A. Dussuener, Bacooygan	Fine remitted on payment of costs.
Feb. 42 Feb. 12	F. P. Baker, St. Cloud Louis Dexheimer, Sheboygan	Selling adulterated cheese Selling adulterated milk	T. F. Volk, Plymouth O. A. Bassuener, Sheboygan	\$50 and costs. Fine remitted on payment of costs.
Feb. 13	John Bobrowski, Junction City	Delivering adulterated milk to a cheese		\$25 and costs.
Feb. 13	O. A. Voechting, Sheboygan	factory. Selling adulterated cheese Having food, unfit for human consump-	O. A. Bassuener, Sheboygan	\$25 and costs. \$25 and costs.
Feb. 14	Barney A. Jarrett, Green Bay	tion, in cold storage without proper markings.	A. J. Mohanan, orech Day	
Feb. 14	H. P. Brown, Madison	Short weight on car of mill feed shipped	in c. noppinum, municipality	
Feb. 14	Rodney Grover, Junction City	Delivering adulterated milk to a cheese fac-		\$25 and costs.
Feb. 18 Feb. 18	Frank Roach, Chippewa Falls John Britz, Stevens Point	Selling adulterated butter	G L Parks, Stevens Point,	p20 and coacs.
Feb. 20	Joseph Wittkie, Rib Lake	Maintaining premises and utensiis in an	Geo. F. Braun, Rib Lake	- 25 and costo.
Feb. 21	M. Diederich, Madison	Short measure of ½ pint on sale of 2 gal- lons of gasoline. Selling unsanitary milk		
Feb. 27 Mar. 1	John Stare, Rib Lake Fred Stank, Larsen	Maintaining cheese factory premises in an	A. M. Spencer, Appleton	\$25 and costs.
Mar. 4	M. L. Treichel, Neillsville	Selling adulterated cheese		
Mar. 7 Mar. 10	Fred Greve, Thorp J. G. Hamilton, Grand Rapids	Selling adulterated food product, to wit,	Edw. N. Pomanivine, Grand Rapids	the the costs
Mar. 11 Mar. 11	Ned Burton, Eagle Robert Krause, Genesee	Selling adulterated milk		
Mar. 12 Mar. 13	F. Vandenbergh, Green Bay R. Herrmann, Oshkosh	Selling adulterated milk Selling and exposing for sale misbranded	N.J. Monanan, Green Day	ozo and cosos.
Mar. 18	James Pucci, Kenosha	food (Sa-van-Egg). Selling adulterated olive oil Selling a misbranded article of food—but-	J. Tully, Kenosha B. Milliron, Pepin	\$25 and costs. \$25 and costs.
Mar. 18	Pepin Creamery Co., Pepin	ter.	M C Porter Merrill	\$25 and costs.
Mar. 19 Mar. 19	L. J. O'Reilly, Merrill Henry Liethen, Norrie	Delivering unsanitary milk to a cheese fac-	Louis Marchetti, Wausau	the the costs.
Mar. 21	Stephen Matz, Fall Creek	tory. Maintaining premises and utensils in an unsanitary condition.	J. H. Ellis, Eau Claire	\$25 and costs.

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Date	Defendant	Cause of Action	Trial Judge	Fine or Forfeiture
1918 Mar. 27 Mar. 28 April 1	Geo. Mazurine, Racine Harry Radtke, Bear Creek Jos. Polcyuski, Milwaukee	Returning unwashed cream cans Selling adulterated cheese Selling misbranded food, Sa-Van-Eg	A. M. Spencer, Appleton	\$25 and costs. \$25 and costs. Sentence suspended on pay- ment of costs.
April 2 April 4 April 8	Louis Horn, Withee Fred Larson, Cumberland A. E. Guetinger, buyer, R. E. Jones Elev. Co., Cochrane	Selling adulterated cheese Selling adulterated milk Taking 50 lbs. for a bushel of barley in- stead of 48 lbs.	R. F. Kountz, Neillsville Chas. Taylor, Barron D. H. Herold, Cochrane	\$25 and costs. \$25 and costs. \$5 and costs.
April 8 April 11	George Foster, Eau Claire Jas. Seller, Chippewa Falls	selling adulterated food, Egg-O-Save Having in possession with intent to sell unsanitary milk.	Henry McBain, Eau Claire F. W. Jenkins, Chippewa Falls	\$25 and costs. \$25 and costs.
April 11 April 14 April 15 April 16 April 21 April 21 April 22	C. Walter, Chippewa Falls C. H. Zutz, Rice Lake Lewis L. Hawver, Lake Geneva Frank Martin, Lake Geneva John Simon, Jr., Hubertus Niek Hoffman, Hubertus Anton Brzezinski, Fdgar	Selling adulterated cream Selling adulterated cheese Selling adulterated cream Selling adulterated milk. Selling adulterated milk. Delivering adulterated milk to a cheese factory.	Chas. Taylor. Barron R. D. Short, Lake Geneva R. D. Short, Lake Geneva C. S. Hayden, West Bend C. S. Hayden, West Bend.	\$25 and costs. \$50 and costs. \$25 and costs. \$25 and costs. \$25 and costs. \$25 and costs. and costs.
May 3	Bernh. Herman, Milwaukee	Failing to properly cleanse soda water bot- tles before filling them.		\$25 and costs.
May 8	Gustav O. Gustafson, Rice Lake.	Handling and preparing food under dirty conditions.	C. A. Stark, Rice Lake	\$20 and costs.
May 14	Oscar Wallace, Green Bay	Skimming milk used in the manufacture of American cheese.	N. J. Monahan, Green Bay	\$50 and costs.
May 19	Aug. Westphal, Hartford	Maintaining cheese factory in an unsani- tary condition and failure to display op- erator's license.	Art. Hauser, Rubicon	\$25 and costs.
May 19	Ben Miller, Portage	Selling adulterated milk to a cheese fac- tory.		\$25 and costs.
May 23	Thomas J. Bomske, Green Bay	Maintaining unsanitary cheese factory and utensils.	N. J. Monahan, Green Bay	\$25 and costs.
May 23	E. L. DeKindree, Milwaukee	Exposing bakery goods to street dust and other contamination.	Geo. Page, Milwaukee	\$10 and costs.
May 26	E. H. Nehring, Milwaukee	Exposing bakery goods to street dust and other contamination.	Geo. Page, Milwaukee	\$10 and costs.

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May 29	Gerald Lacher, Milwaukee	Offering cold storage meats for sale with-	Geo. Page, Milwaukee	\$25 and costs.
	and a second	out proper placards.	A E Dollary Tong	\$10 and costs.
May 29	Jacob Kopel, Lena	Using an unsealed scale	A. E. Peikey, Lena	and costs.
June 2	Mrs. Wm. Frenz, Theinsville	Selling adulterated milk	A. H. Kum, LOID HUSHINGCOM.	the contraction of the second se
	Henry Sache, Cedarburg	Galling adultanated milk	A. H. Kuhl, Port Washington,	\$25 and costs.
June 2		Selling adulterated (putrid) cheese and	Wm. Smieding, Racine	\$50 and costs.
June 5	F. R. Smith, Racine	Sening adulterated (putild) cheese und		
		maintaining an unsanitary meat market.	John Murat, Stevens Point	\$25 and costs.
June 11	E. M. Carter, Mgr., Sheboygan	Selling butter made from raw cream as	John Murat, Stevens Fomt	open and costs.
	Dairy P. Co., Stevens Point.	and for pasteurized butter.		hor and soats
June 11	Henry Bartel, Ixonia	Selling adulterated milk	Chas. A. Buss, Jefferson	\$25 and costs.
June 12	Frank Kadulski, Niagara	Tising a falsa soale	Wm. J. Collinson, Niagara	\$25 and costs.
		Selling adulterated milk	John Murat, Stevens Point,	\$25 and costs.
June 12	E. Nettleton, Stevens Point	Selling adulterated milk	Chas A Buss Jefferson	\$25 and costs.
June 12	Chas. J. Schumacher, Johnson	Selling adulterated mink	Chas. A. Dubs, Scherson	
	Creek.		The A Manual Champion Daint	\$25 and costs.
June 14	H. A. Martin, Spencer	Selling whey butter not properly labeled	John A. Murat, Stevens Fomt	
June 18	Michael Kellner, Kellnersville	Selling misbranded flour, misbranded as to	A. H. Schmidt, Manitowoc	Sentence suspended.
oune to	michael Menner, Mennerstinettin	waight		
T 10	Otto Muellon Gedenburg	Salling adulterated milk	A. H. Kuhl, Port Washington	\$25 and costs.
June 18	Otto Mueller, Cedarburg	Maintaining cheese factory premises and	A C Hoppmann, Madison,	\$50 and costs.
June 21	A. F. Jahnke, McFarland	Maintaining cheese ractory premises and	in of hopping, management	
100 Mar 100		utensils in an unsanitary condition.	A C Honomono Madigon	\$50 and costs.
June 25	A. F. Westphal, Hartford	Maintaining cheese factory premises and	A. U. Hoppmann, Madison	400 und coord.
		utensils in an unsanitary condition.		et and costs
June 26	Axel Olson, Mountain	Heing a false measuring device	Daniel Cole, Mountain	\$5 and costs.
June 28	Hubert A. Kufahl, Marathon City		Louis Marchetti, Wausau	\$25 and costs.
June 28	Hubert A. Kurahl, Marathon Orty	dition.		
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#### DISBURSEMENTS

#### For year Ending June 30, 1919

Weigle, Geo. J. Commissioner, sal. and exp	\$3,263.20
Aderhold, E. L., asst. commissioner, sal. and exp	2,308.83
Beckwith, Chauncey, inspector, sal. and exp	3,080.54
Boettcher, J. E., inspector, sal. and exp	3,024.07
Bornheimer, H. L., inspector, sal. and exp	2,445.59
Brannon, W. A., asst. chemist, sal	525.00
Brennan, Leo, junior sealer of weights and measures	52.90
Cook, S. B., inspector, sal. and exp	2,484.29
Crosby, R. R., inspector, sal. and exp	418.76
Desebrock, H. W., inspector, sal. and exp	243.08
Dufner, S. J., inspector, sal. and exp	2,153.05
Eigenberger, Geo., inspector, sal. and exp	1,063.88
Findorff, Louena, stenographer and bookkeeper	840.00
Fischer, Richard, consulting director chemical laboratory,	
sal. and exp	601.38
Gilman, Geo. D., inspector, sal. and exp	2,857.08
Hanson, F. S., inspector, sal. and exp	2,466.19
Hass, B. A., inspector, sal. and exp	2,714.68
Hodgin, Vera, stenographer	762.50
Howlett, I. R., asst. chemist, sal. and exp	1,759.12
Janes, Mary, stenographer	100.64
Kelliher, J. M., inspector, sal. and exp	2.384.71
Klueter, Harry, chemist, sal. and exp	2,400.52
Knudson, Oscar, inspector, sal. and exp	1,081.93
Krauskopf, asst. chemist, sal	300.00
Kremer, C. J., inspector, sal. and exp	1.996.39
Krohn, C. A., inspector, sal. and exp.	784.90
Kruse, Elizabeth. stenographer	97.50
Lee, C. E., asst. commissioner, sal. and exp	3.095.04
Lehnherr, Jacob, inspector, sal. and exp	2,668.22
Marty, Fred, inspector, sal. and exp	526.12
Miller, Gertrude, stenographer	31.45
Nerdrum, Ruth, stenographer	1.060.00
Neubauer, Agnes, stenographer	205.30
Norman, Minerva. stenographer	378.47
Quentmeyer, Philip, chemist	231.45
Sachs, Marie, stenographer	
Servis, G. A., stenographer	422.22
Sherwood, M. T., inspector, sal. and exp.	
Smith, R. W., chief inspector of weights and measures, sal.	100.00
and exp.	1.373.15
Southard, R. B., inspector, sal, and exp.	2,373.05
Stephenson, L. D., inspector, sal.	116.66
Sterns, W. P., inspector, sal, and exp.	2.784.45

Stewart, W. A., inspector, sal	73.33
Stueber, Geo. H., inspector, sal	
Van Duser, James, inspector, sal. and exp	
Voight, W. A., inspector, sal. and exp	
Walter, M. L., secretary to commissioner, sal. and exp	
Warner, Geo., inspector, sal. and exp	2,590.32
Department of Engineering	64.36
Insurance fund	36.37
Printing Board	906.68
Superintendent of Public Property	4,929.99
Refunds	1,892.00
Total	\$74 268 50

#### REPORT OF HARRY KLUETER, CHEMIST

#### HON. GEO. J. WEIGLE,

Dairy and Food Commissioner.

Dear Sir:--I take pleasure in submitting a report of the food work done for the year ending June 30, 1919.

One thousand and fifty-two samples of foods, drugs, oils and turpentines were analyzed. Four thousand eight hundred thirty sanitary inspections were made by the food inspectors of meat markets, grocery stores, bakeries, confectioneries, soda water factories and other places where foods are manufactured, prepared, stored or offered for sale. The number of samples analyzed and the number of sanitary inspections made does not for this year justly report the amount of work done. It must be remembered the great world's war was being fought and that new conditions in the sale and handling of foods resulted. Regulations were issued by the United States Food Administrator and we took an active part in enforcing them.

Our inspectors were called upon to do considerable work for the food administration. They spent a great amount of time, especially in connection with the regulations affecting bakeries. No record has been kept of that work in our office, the reports being forwarded to the State Food Administrator. Inspectors were also called upon to make other investigations for the food administration with a view to enforcing other food regulations. We feel that this time was well spent. We were going through a period when strict economy with respect to the use of food was necessary and no one passing through that period will ever forget the appeals made to the people of this country by posters, printed matter and otherwise, to save food. In a few instances we found by inspection and analysis that certain un- . scrupulous dealers in food were willing to take advantage of this situation by offering adulterated foods or by fraudulently advertising certain food. Of particular interest in this respect, are the so-called egg substitutes and potato flour.

An investigation concerning the hoarding of sugar by a certain industry was made and as a result of that investigation about fifteen cars of sugar were found in possession of that concern, when according to the food administration regulations, they would be entitled to about two cars of sugar. Getting this hoarded sugar out onto the market was important work because it was work in the interest of people of this state, whose sugar supply had been depleted because of hoarding.

A great deal of work was done in the laboratory on samples of foods submitted by the food administration and by the special agent of the Department of Justice of the United States where those officials had reason to believe certain forms of adulteration were being practiced, such as the sale of wheat flour as and for rye, or where they had reason to believe ground glass or some other injurious substance had been added to foods by parties not in sympathy with the part our country was taking in the war. It must also be remembered that during a considerable part of this period, one of our most active food inspectors was not with the department, having resigned to accept a position as federal food inspector. Another of the food inspectors was unable to work during part of this period owing to sickness and for that reason a comparison of the number of sanitary inspections made with previous years will not be favorable; but, as has been pointed out, this period was in so many respects different from any other working period, that it cannot be compared with the work done in former years.

The work of licensing bakeries, confectioneries, soda water factories and cold storage plants continued throughout the year and there can be no doubt that much good has resulted from inspections made at these places before licenses were granted. The conscientious enforcement of a law licensing establishments handling food such as cold storage plants, is of great value. Aside from having permanent records on file concerning many features of these places, we have inspections showing actual sanitary conditions. I also feel that licensing these places has stimulated the operators to put forth better efforts in improving the conditions of these places. The cold storage law properly enforced has the effect of discouraging speculation in certain foods.

Cold storage is an essential factor in the food supply of the country but it might also be a detriment to the people if uncontrolled and used for speculation. The law is so worded that if it is complied with there is little opportunty for a loss of food through storage for an indefinite period. No doubt hundreds of tons of food have been wasted in the past by storing it under unfavorable conditions and for too long a period.

The food work of the department has grown rapidly. We have been placed in direct touch with these various industries which are required to obtain a license. We are called upon to inspect them more frequently and we must know their conditions before we are in a position to say that this place or that place shall be licensed or shall not be licensed. Besides, the need for more inspectors, because of this additional work, there still remains much work to be done in connection with other laws with the enforcement of which we are charged. More work must be done on linseed oils, linseed oil compounds, turpentines and paint pigments during the coming years. We must get to the smaller villages where the badly adulterated linseed oils and turpentines have been driven because the dealers in those products feel that an inspector would not get to these villages and they are safe in offering their products for sale at these places. It is also a fact that many

farmers are buying linseed oils out of the state in barrel lots because of false and misleading circulars sent to them through the mail. While we perhaps cannot hope to take care of everyone who purchases goods from out of the state for private use, still I feel that the form of adulteration practiced on the farmer where he purchases barrel lots of linseed oil, is so gross that we are justified in putting forth our best efforts in protecting these people.

We need to do more work in connection with the canning industry. The laboratory was called upon to make an investigation of a number of cans of peas submitted by a cannery. The product was suspected of being spoiled because the ends of the cans would bulge if the cans were dropped or received a sudden shock or jar. The canner suspected that the can-capping machines in his plant were not working properly and that he was not getting the proper vacuum in his cans. He suspected that the cans were leaking and that he would suffer a large financial loss through spoilage. The investigation at the laboratory disclosed the fact that the cans were being properly sealed and hence there was no opportunity for spoilage because of leakage, but the trouble was due to the fact that the brine was not of the proper temperature when filled in the cans, thus permitting the trapping of considerable air and the prevention of a proper vacuum. No doubt we should stand ready to give assistance to food manufacturers along these lines, but we must also give more attention to the conditions under which foods are canned, namely the sanitary conditions of canneries.

Owing to the lateness of this report we are able to state that the last legislature passed a law licensing the canning factories, giving the dairy and food commissioner authority to make rules and regulations concerning the sanitary conditions of factories and the licensing of them. This I believe will bring us in much closer touch with the canning industries and no doubt we shall find conditions which must be corrected and we may hope for better canneries and consequently better canned foods.

The last legislature had before it a bill requiring a license before a person, firm or corporation could engage in the purchase of eggs. This bill also authorized the dairy and food commission to make rules and regulations concerning the handling of eggs. It is to be regretted that the legislature did not see its way clear to enact this bill into law. If Wisconsin, as a state, is to become an important factor in the egg industry, no doubt this will be hastened by suitable laws controlling the traffic in eggs. We need more power than we now have under the general food law, in handling the egg situation. We need the power of confiscation not only with respect to eggs, but with respect to other articles of food which have become unfit for consumption through spoilage. We are able under the general food law to prosecute a party for the sale of spoiled eggs, meat, cheese or any other food unfit for human consumption, but after we have prosecuted in many instances it is necessary to spend further time to see what disposition has been made of the food.

If we had the power to seize and confiscate, together with authority to denaturize unfit food, we could prevent any further traffic in that product. It may seem that by simply prosecuting further traffic will be prohibited. This may be true with small quantities but where an entire carload of spoiled food or partially spoiled food is in question, I doubt very much whether this entire lot would be properly disposed of either by destruction or by use for animal food. Therefore, it seems that we will be warranted in making further efforts in attempting a legislation relating to handling of eggs, and a legislation authorizing seizure and denaturizing of certain spoiled or otherwise unfit foods.

I believe that further legislation is called for in connection with the Babcock test. This test is used to determine the value of dairy products and these products are bought and sold on a basis of that determination. Therefore, it seems that it is important that those using the test be qualified in some way. The test is very simple and very accurate, but experience and knowledge are necessary factors in properly making a Babcock test.

#### BEVERAGES

Thirty-seven samples of beverages were analyzed. Twenty-five of these samples were soda water. These samples were tested for the presence of chemical preservatives and saccharin.

Three samples of grape nectar, wild cherry and orange, all manufactured by the Allouez Mineral Spring Company of Green Bay were found to contain benzoate of soda. None of the samples contained saccharin. Owing to the scarcity of sugar it was thought that saccharin might be substituted in part for sugar but this did not prove to be the case. While there were requests asking that saccharin might be used as a substitute for sugar, such requests could not be granted inasmuch as we have a law specifically forbidding the use of saccharine in foods. I think it was assumed by those asking for permission to use saccharin, that soda water is used largely because it is sweet. This belief, I think, is wholly unfounded. The system may crave sweets but it expects to get sweets in the form of sugar and the sugar as we know, is one of our chief foods. The value of soda water in relieving fatigue is not dependent upon satisfying the sense of taste with something sweet like saccharin, but rather on supplying a food which is easily and readily assimilated and converted into energy. Soda water containing sugar accomplishes that purpose. Saccharin does not accomplish it and saccharin has no food value and passes through the system unchanged.

The future of the soda water industry depends largely upon the quality of the product which it sells and this product is assuming a place of importance at the present time. It is gratifying to learn from a number of tests that the manufacturers have refrained from the use of saccharin. It is also encouraging to learn that true fruit flavors are supplanting the use of artificial flavors as rapidly as the manufac-

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turers are able to supply the demand for the true fruit extract or flavor.

One of the big problems remaining in food control work is a standardization of this class of products; soda water, ginger-ale, root beer, sarsaparilla and other similar beverages. By a standardization I do not mean that any definite percentage of sugar should be required. In this respect I believe only a minimum standard for the sugar content should be fixed, allowing those manufacturers who wish to put out a sweeter product to do so, but I believe that the low percentage of sugar found in a number of the samples tested for sugar, indicates the need for a minimum requirement. In one sample bought in Milwaukee we found only 22/100 of 1% of sucrose. We expected to find saccharin in this sample but none was found. The sample contained an insufficient amount of flavoring material to give it a characteristic flavor, although it was supposed to be a cherry soda and the small amount of sugar used was hardly perceptible to the taste. In fact, this sample was little more than artificially colored water, charged with carbon dioxide and of course the sale of such a product is a detriment to the rest of the industry and is unfair competition. The highest percentage of sugar found was 8.5%. This was in a sample of cream soda, a product which is usually high in sugar.

Two samples of beer were analyzed for the District Attorney of Sauk County. Both the samples were found to contain less than 234% of alcohol by weight.

Two samples of wine were analyzed: one suspected of containing hydrocyanic acid, but which was proven to be free from the same; and the other wine submitted by Father Angelo Simeoni to be used for sacramental purposes, upon analysis was shown to be free from adulteration.

Three samples of near beer were analyzed, all of whch were tested for the percentage of alcohol. One of the samples was submitted by the State Food Administrator and from the alcoholic content, all three of these beverages were correctly labeled as "Near Beer."

One sample of grape juice was analyzed and found to contain a considerable quantity of sulphurous acid. In fact, the flavor of the product was practically ruined by the addition of this chemical preservative. At least, an after taste suggesting the old sulphur match and an otherwise wholesome and palatable product had been made unpalatable as well as unhealthful.

Four samples of sweet cider were analyzed, all of which were found to contain benzoate of soda as a chemical preservative and one was found to be preserved with sulphite, undoubtedly calcium acid sulphite. This chemical was formerly used very extensively as a preservative in cider. Both benzoate of soda and sulphites are classed as prohibited preservatives by a special chemical preservative law of this state and of course the products in which they are found are not legally salable.

One sample of cider was analyzed which was not sold as sweet cider but was simply represented to be cider. An analysis of this product showed it to be an imitation of cider, not a genuine apple product.

Besides being artificially flavored, this sample was sweetened with saccharin and preserved with benzoate of soda. Its sale was in violation of law in that it was an imitation of a genuine product and in that it contained a prohibited, chemical preservative and was sweetened with saccharin.

#### BUTTER

Fifty-three samples of butter were tested, two of which were found to be standard, twenty-nine of which were found to be below the legal standard for butter or misbranded and twenty-two were submitted samples suspected of containing foreign fat. The low percentage of butters found to be standard, two out of thirty-one analyzed, does not at all indicate the condition of butter found on the Wisconsin market. Only those samples suspected of being adulterated were purchased by inspectors and submitted and from a study of the table of analysis it seems the inspectors knew where to get adulterated products. One sample of butter contained as low as 71.39% of fat and contained 23.98%, practically 24% of water.

Butter, of the composition as shown by the analysis, is not a credit to Wisconsin and it seems that for the coming year we should do more work on butter. No one can justify the sale of butter containing as low as 71% or 79% of butter fat with a standard of 821%%. I-do no believe that most of this adulterated butter is due to accident, but rather was manufactured with a view of getting in as much moisture and as little fat as possible. The analyses indicate to me deliberate attempts on the part of manufacturers to adulterate butter.

Of the twenty-two submitted samples of butter, two were found to be below the legal standard in fat, two samples were found to be old, stale, partially rancid butter and one sample submitted by Wm. J. Schull, Campbellsport, was found to be standard. Most of these samples were suspected of containing foreign fat but in no case did we find that the butter had been adulterated by the addition of oleomargarine or any foreign fat.

#### CEREAL PRODUCTS

Twenty-nine samples of cereals and cereal products were analyzed; one a wheat flour submitted from Portage as suspected of containing ground glass, but analysis showed the product to be free from that substance; two samples were submitted by Magnus Swenson, State Food Administrator, to determine in one case whether the flour was really rye flour, what it was sold for, and in the other case whether the flour was barley flour or not. Both of the samples were suspected of containing large percentages of wheat but no evidence of wheat flour was found.

Seven samples of buckwheat flour were submitted and analysis showed them to be free from adulteration. In some cases the trouble

with the product submitted was that it was not fresh buckwheat but buckwheat that had been held over from the previous season.

One sample submitted as wheat flour by Mr. Thompson of Medford upon analysis was shown to be either entirely rye or a mixture with a very small recentage of wheat and a large percentage of rye flour.

Owing to food administration regulations concerning flour, many samples of genuine wheat flour were looked upon with suspicion and submitted and found to be free from adulteration. This is undoubtedly due to the fact that these samples were not as high a grade of patent flour as people were accustomed to using.

#### CHEESE

One hundred and sixty-nine samples of cheese were analyzed. Sixty-three of this number were passed as standard, while seventy-nine were classed as not standard. Seventy-three of these seventy-nine samples were found to contain more than. 40% of moisture and four were found to be low in fat. The ratio of fat to the moisture-free solids in these samples shows either that the samples were made from skim milk or that a foreign substance free from fat had been added. In one case we have information showing that albumen was added, while in the other cases I am inclined to believe the cheese was made from skim milk.

A demand for cheese and an unusually high price seems to have encouraged adulteraton. We have, in this state, a very liberal moisture standard for American and Cheddar cheese and if the cheese makers continue to add excessive moisture, the future of this industry is threatened. It is a well-known fact that high moisture cheese is not cheese of good keeping quality and thus serious losses may result.

Of the twenty-seven submitted samples analyzed most of them were samples of Brick cheese submitted by Senator H. Bilgren of Iron Ridge, Wisconsin, for the purpose of collecting data upon which to base a moisture standard for Brick cheese. The legislature has enacted into law a moisture standard for Brick cheese, placing the maximum percentage of moisture permissible in such cheese, at 42%. One of the submitted samples were found to contain more than 43%of moisture and this sample of cheese was condemned by Senator Bilgren as being of exceedingly inferior quality due to excessive moisture.

Four samples of American cheese were tested for moisture and fat and the ratio of fat to total solids in these four samples showed the use of skim milk in the manufacture of this cheese. One sample submitted from Monroe was suspected of containing ptomaine but an analysis showed that that substance was not present.

#### CREAM

Seventy-seven samples of cream have been analyzed. Twenty-seven samples were from city milk supplies and eight of the twenty-seven

samples were standard, leaving nineteen below the legal standard fixed for cream, 18% of butter fat. In connection with these creams from city milk supplies it is to be noted that the large percentage of samples below standard is not at all indicative of the quality of cream• offered for sale by city milk dealers. Our dairy inspectors only send in those samples which they have tested and found to be suspicious. During the course of the year hundreds of samples of cream are tested and found, to be up to standard or above.

Twenty-one samples of cream were analyzed in the laboratory to check up the tests given by factory men who were buying this cream and paying for the same by the Babcock test. In practically all of these cases we found the variation between the factory-mens' test and our test in the laboratory too small to warrant prosecution. In a few cases we felt that the tests made by factory men should have been nearer the tests received at the laboratory and in such cases the matter was taken up by correspondence.

Twenty-nine samples of cream were submitted by various parties asking for fat determinations on the same and in these cases we have reason to believe that they were dissatisfied with the test given them by some factory men.

Taking the twenty-one samples which we tested and the twentynine submitted samples, making a total of fifty samples in the year. tested to check up factory Babcock testing, it seems quite evident that there is considerable dissatisfaction with the manner in which cream is tested. This is a very important factor, especially when butter fat is selling at about \$.60 a pound. A difference of 2% in the test means a difference of from \$1.00 to \$1.20 per hundred on cream. Inaccurate testing of cream works in two ways. If underreading is practiced, a big gain to the factory is made possible and of course a loss to the producer's cream. On the other hand, overreading may be practiced by some factory men for the purpose of getting new patrons. This is unfair competition. Undoubtedly patrons obtained in that way do not receive a higher cream test for any length of time but simply long enough to get their business away from the competitor. It may well be that underreading may be practiced on these same patrons at a later date.

Considering these fifty samples as showing cause for complaint on cream tests, it indicates very strongly that further efforts should be made along the lines of getting more accurate work done by factory men. Perhaps the best method of accomplishing this end would be a law requiring that operators of the Babcock test, testing cream for the purpose of determining its value, be licensed. The last legislature had for its consideration a bill enacting such a law but did not see fit to pass it. I do not believe we should be discouraged by this but that we should renew our efforts. In this connection attention has been called to the difficulty in sampling cream. It is a fact that hundreds of cans of cream are being sampled daily, the fat content of which is from 50-60%. Considerable difficulty may be experienced in

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sampling this kind of cream. Much of it is whey cream and therefore low in casein and for that reason may be more difficult to sample.

While there has been considerable work done on the sampling of 'cream and bulletins have been issued, this work was done on cream and not whey cream. Similar tests should be carried on in connection with whey cream so that we may know whether or not it can be as accurately sampled. Experimental work of this kind naturally belongs to the College of Agriculture but that department may be too busy to carry on such work and for that reason the work might well be undertaken by this department. The matter is of vital importance. Losses from inaccurate testing may run into thousands of dollars a year and I strongly urge that we be permitted to take up this line of work.

#### EGG SUBSTITUTES

Ninety-four samples of so-called egg substitutes were analyzed in the laboratory. This was one of the most interesting, instructive pieces of work carried on in the laboratory and resulted in several prosecutions for the sale of these so-called substitutes. Most of these products in themselves are fraudulent and in many cases the advertising matter used in selling them was also fraudulent. At first some of the products appeared under names in which the word "egg" was used. Undoubtedly the purpose of using this word was to suggest the similarity of these so-called substitutes to the genuine product. egg. Bulletins issued by the dairy and food commissioner held that if the syllable "eg" is used in the name of the product it must contain 50% or more of desicated egg or egg powder. This caused many of the manufacturers to modify the name of their product. Good illustrations of this are to be found in the product first appearing as Sa-Van-Eg, which later was put out under the name Sa-Van. The product first sold as Eggine was finally changed to Marvel Powder.

The advertisements in newspapers for these products were very interesting and extravagant in their statements. It is to be remembered that this class of products appeared during the scarcity of food resulting from the war and for that reason it was possible to appeal to people from the standpoint of patriotism. Advertisements appeared informing people that it was their patriotic duty to stop wasting eggs and use these so-called egg substitutes. You can be sure nothing appeared in these advertisements advising people that they were paying about a dollar a pound for corn starch when they purchased egg substitutes. Some of these advertisements also stated. "One Package Goes As Far As Three Dozen Eggs In Baking And Cooking". The weight of the product of this particular brand was three ounces for twenty-five cents. Directions on many of the packages indicated that the contents of the package might be used in place of three dozen eggs in baking and cooking. If the product were of the same composition as egg powder or desicated egg, these advertisements and statements in directions for the use of these products would still be false since three dozen eggs contain eighteen ounces of egg solids. Practically all of the advertisements and the directions for the use inferred that the contents of the package were equivalent to a certain number of eggs.

The analysis of these so-called egg substitutes have shown that there are two classes: those which consist largely of starch, from 60 to 85% with small percentages of protein from 2 or 3% to 6%, with a small percentage of sugar; and another class of the same approximate composition except that the percentage of starch is slightly less and that there has been added to these leavening agents sodium bicarbonate and an acid reacting constituent in practically all cases found to be calcium acid phosphate.

Eggs contain three valuable food elements, namely protein, fat and ash constituents. An egg contains about half an ounce of these food elements. Analysis has shown these so-called egg substitutes to be practically free from fat except in cases where egg powder is one of the ingredients small percentages of protein are present with large percentages of starch, so that there is a great difference in the kind of food, to say nothing of the physical properties of egg albumen so necessary in certain kinds of baking and cooking. The water-free substance in eggs is composed of approximately 45% of protein and 40% of fat so that every egg used in baking and cooking furnishes as food, protein and fat. These egg substitutes being almost wholly devoid of fat and containing only small percentages of protein therefore reduce the food value of the foods in which they are used. In fact, in the one class, products containing no leavening, nothing is added to a cake that is not already contained in most cakes, while in the use of eggs there is added with each egg a quarter of an ounce of protein and almost a quarter of an ounce of fat. Any claim or statement to the effect that three and three-fourths ounces or four ounces of these mixtures are in any way equivalent to three dozen eggs, or as some of the statements claimed from forty to fifty-five eggs, are therefore false and fraudulent.

Eggs are especially valuable in cooking for the following reasons: they add food value, flavor and in many cases use is made of the property which egg albumen has, of coagulating with heat. Because of this property egg albumen stirred into a cake or whipped into a cake, immeshes innumerable bubbles of air and when heated the albumen coagulates forming a network of cells which produce a light, tender product. Cakes baked with eggs are light, fluffy and tender and have a superior flavor to cakes that are baked without eggs or with the use of egg substitutes. Eggs in cake produce a yellow color, indicating richness.

Nearly all egg substitutes examined have been found to contain a yellow, coal tar dye which was added for the purpose of imitating the yellow color obtained when eggs are mixed or beaten. This is another element of fraud. The color was intended to impart to the users of the product the idea of richness and to impart to the fin-

ished product a yellow color such as would be produced by eggs. Again indicating richness.

Several prosecutions in connection with the sale of these products served to drive many of them from the market, caused a change of name in some and caused the directions to be modified so that the idea of an egg equivalent is dropped. If a time ever returns when eggs can be bought for a reasonable price, twenty-five or thirty cents a dozen, we can rest assured that this class of products will disappear from the market because of a lack of demand for the same.

The value and properties of eggs in cooking and baking are too thoroughly understood and too well appreciated to give away to the use of egg substitutes, and thus far no food has been produced or placed on the market which is in fact a substitute for eggs.

#### FLAVORS AND FLAVORING EXTRACTS

Twelve samples were analyzed, most of which were vanilla extracts and lemon extracts. There are still some merchants who carelessly or otherwise sell compounds composed of vanillin, coumarin and artificially colored as and for vanilla extract. These compounds are very much cheaper than genuine vanilla extract and are inferior in quality. This practice is made possible largely through the use of the artificial color which makes the product appear like vanilla extract. If not artificially colored it would be practically colorless and wou'd not be taken for vanilla extract by the purchaser or consumer.

It is true, that many of these compounds are properly labeled to show that they are artificially colored but in many instances the purchaser does not have an opportunity to read this label before the goods are taken home and unwrapped. The customer calls for a bottle of vanilla extract. A bottle of the compound is taken off the shelf, wrapped up and taken home. It may be that the housewife delivers the article to the servant who does not know whether vanilla was called for or whether this cheap imitation compound was purchased in its place. If artificial color is not used in this class of products I believe the consumers of the state would receive a great deal of protection. First of all, the merchant handling the product would question the quality of the goods if they did not look like vanilla and the consumer would immediately question the product because of its color. In this way vanilla extract would be afforded protection just as butter is protected by forbidding the sale of oleomargarine which is in imitation of the color of vellow butter.

It is to be regretted that the Federal Food and Drugs Act is not so worded as to prohibit the interstate shipment of these deceitful imitations. In this connection it is to be remembered, however, that the Federal Food and Drugs Act is operative mainly between manufacturer and jobber on the one hand and the retail dealer on the other hand. In other words, it is a law designed to regulate the sale and transportation of interstate commerce shipments which, of course, are from dealer to

dealer. It is proper to assume that dealers are better informed and in fact should assume more responsibility in handling these products than should the ultimate consumer. We have a right to expect dealers in food products, whether they be retailers or wholesalers, will inform themselves as to what articles of food are lawful and what are not lawful.

#### FOODS SUSPECTED OF CONTAINING GLASS

Six samples of various kinds of foods suspected of containing ground glass were submitted and tested. One of the samples, submitted by the United States Department of Justice consisted of a piece of cake, frosted and on the frosting there was visible to the unaided eye one small piece of glass. No glass whatever was found in the cake itself where it would have been placed had it been put there with a malicious intent. One sample of flour was found to contain small pieces of stone which undoubtedly found their way in through the use of improperly cleaned wheat from which the flour was ground. The flour may have been milled in a small country mill where the facilities for properly cleaning wheat before it is ground are not as good as they might be.

A sample of peanut butter was found to contain considerable sand which undoubtedly accounted for the grit present in the food, causing it to be suspected of containing ground glass.

All of this work resulted from conditions prevailing because of the war. Many people suspected that German sympathizers had adopted this method of punishment for those whose sympathies were not with the enemy.

#### ICE CREAM

Nine samples of ice cream have been analyzed, six of which were standard and three of which were found to be below standard in fat.

The period for this report ends just as we had gotten well started on a general survey of the ice cream manufactured and sold in this state. The next report will contain some very interesting data on ice creams sold in this state.

#### LARD

Six samples of lard were analyzed. Two were found to be standard and four were found to be adulterated with foreign fat, either beef fat or mutton fat. These samples were from butchers who render their own product and it seems to have been a practice of a number of butchers to add small percentages of beef fat, from 5 to 10 or 15%to their lard for the purpose of hardening the same. Such a practice makes the lard an adulterated article of food, not necessarily injurious to health, but it cheapens the product and gives it the appearance of being a good quality of leaf lard.

It seems that a campaign on this particular article of food might be well carried on for the coming year. A large number of samples can be analyzed and publicity given, and if necessary prosecutions brought. Such a campaign, I think, will put an end to this form of adultertion.

#### LINSEED OIL

Twenty-one samples of linseed oil were analyzed, sixteen of which were found to be standard and five not standard.

During the past year we have not given the subject of linseed oil as much time and attention as it should have received. The price of linseed oil has been very high and no doubt there has been considerable adulteration practiced. By our work in former years on this product I believe we have driven much adulterated linseed oil from the market of this state.

The adulterated samples which we analyzed show the usual form of adulteration, namely mineral oil. In three samples the product consisted of at least one-third of mineral oil. In another case the product consisted of 22% of mineral oil. This adulterant is especially harmful where the adulterated linseed oil is used on new woodwork. Such woodwork coated for the first time with a paint containing large quantities of mineral oil may be ruined. It may even become impossible to successfully apply future coats of paint and have the same adhere to the building or to the woodwork. Thus permanent injury may be done to new work, to say nothing of the unfair competition of the product with linseed oil and the excessive profit obtained by this method of adulteration.

#### MILK

Three hundred and thirty-nine samples of milk have been analyzed. Nineteen samples delivered to creameries, cheese factories and condensaries were found to be standard and seventy-six delivered to the same class of factories were found to be below standard.

We find the usual form of adulteration to be watering and skimming. There seems to have been considerable temptation owing to the high price of milk and more effort is necessary on our part to stamp out this evil. The importance of the creamery, cheese factory, condensary or any other milk products factory to the State, is so great that additional effort is warranted. The people engaged in this industry are beginning to see the importance of control work and it is to be hoped that before long this fact will dawn upon the legislature and the necessary funds to do this work as it should be done, be provided.

The production of milk on the farm, delivery of it to the various factories, the manufacture of milk into the various food products, all require close inspection owing to the nature of milk and its products. Dairy products are one of the chief sources of food supply for the nation and have grown to be an important industry from the standpoint of income to the people of the State.

Forty-four samples of milk collected from city milk supplies were analyzed, seventeen of which were found to be standard and twentyseven below standard. The usual form of adulteration, skimming and watering was also practiced. The city milk supply of a city is of importance inasmuch as the many infants and especially the young of the city depend to a large extent upon it for their food. No doubt this fact will become more and more apparent to city governments and in the future we may hope that not only the larger cities of the state, but many of the smaller cities will undertake city milk inspection. While city milk inspection is now carried on in many of our larger cities I think improvement of that inspection service is possible and one of cur activities might well be along these lines. City milk inspection should be carried on in such a manner that the dealer does not know when his milk may be picked up." I do not favor the practice of many city milk inspectors picking up samples once a month or on a given date or even in the first week or last week of the month. They should be picked up at such times when the milk dealers have no reason to suspect inspection.

Publicity of the results obtained by city milk inspectors, as well as by our own inspectors, would also be of great value. By this means citizens may advise themselves of the kind of milk they are buying or that can be purchased. Publicity would also tend to improve the quality of city milk, for naturally each dealer would want to head the list.

#### MISCELLANEOUS DAIRY PRODUCTS

A number of samples of evaporated milk were submitted and analyzed and all of them found to be up to the legal standard for that product.

Two samples of condensed milk were analyzed for the State Food Administrator to determine the percentage of sugar added to this product. The analysis showed the product to contain 41.17% of sugar in one sample and 42.43% of sugar in the other sample. This work was done during the sugar shortage of 1918, brought about by the war and I think indicated where large quantities of sugar went to and in many instances may have enabled dealers manufacturing under sugar restrictions to obtain additional sugar. This is only one of the many instances in which we were called upon by the State Food Administrator to assist him in enforcing food regulations.

#### OLEOMARGARINE

Twenty samples of oleomargarine were received at the laboratory and tested. In a number of samples the analysis was made for the rurpose of determining the percentage of fat, moisture, salt and curd. The table of analysis shows that a large majority of samples of oleomargarine contain 82% or more of fat, while in only one instance did the fat content run below 80% and in that product it was found

to be as low as 70.8%. In several of the samples the fat content ran as high as 84%.

Five samples of vegetable oil oleomargarine were found to be preserved with benzoate of soda. The sale of this product is of course in violation of the law. Five samples were held to be in semblance of yellow butter and their sale therefore in violation of our food laws.

Considerable work was necessary to enforce the law with respect to the color of oleomargarine. During the past year this undoubtedly resulted from the high price of foods. Prosecution was started in Madison for the sale of oleomargarine held to be in semblance of yellow butter and this prosecution was defended by Swift and Company who were the manufacturers of the product. Practically an entire week was necessary to present the evidence in court in connection with this prosecution, the defendant being found guilty. The case was immediately appealed to the Supreme Court of the state, where it is now pending.

I feel that during the coming year considerable time and attention should be given to the manner in which oleomargarine is served at restaurants, boarding houses and hotels. No doubt butter will be as high if not higher during the coming winter and many restaurant and hotel keepers will be tempted to serve oleomargarine without giving notice to the patron. No doubt we will be able to find cases where the product is artificially colored, it being a common practice of dealers in oleomargarine to furnish small capsules containing the necesary amount of artificial color to accomplish this.

#### POTATO FLOUR

Forty-five samples of potato flour were analyzed in the laboratory. Thirty-six of these samples were bought and submitted by inspectors. The particular reason for taking up the question of potato flour at this particular time, was because of the fact that it was recognized as one of the best substitutes for wheat flour. We all know that in order to purchase wheat flour, a certain quantity of wheat flour substitute had to be purchased. This was a ruling of the United States Food Administrator. There were many other substitutes besides potato flour but for a time the demand for potato flour and its scarcity, caused a decided advance in price so that it became profitable to adulterate potato flour. This was done in two ways; by selling potato starch as and for potato flour or by mixing with potato starch varying quantities of corn starch. The latter form of adulteration was the most common and the composition of many of the samples submitted were found to contain as high as 75% of corn starch. The remainder of the product usually being potato starch.

Aside from the fact of being fraudulent as far as price is concerned, if the practice were permitted to continue and considerable quantities of adulterated potato flour were consumed, the health of the people of the state would be affected. Starches, such as corn starch and

potato starch conta'n little or no protein. They contain only a trace of fat or oil and are deficient in ash constituents. While the various kinds of flour are composed largely of starch, they contain also an appreciable amount of protein, fat and ash constituents and as we all know protein, fat and ask constituents are valuable food ingredients.

Several prosecutions resulted from this form of adulteration and considerable work was done by our inspectors, collecting official samples for the federal government, in connection with the federal food and drugs act. The federal government, I understand, has called a hearing on this matter and the parties guilty of this form of adulteration were let off with a warning and upon a promise that the goods on the market would be properly labeled and this form of adulteration discontinued.

I am inclined to feel that the regular course of prosecution should have been followed.

#### OLIVE OIL

Ten samples of olive oil were analyzed. Four samples were the product of the La Piana Drug Company of Milwaukee and these samples were found to contain little or no olive oil. They consisted of cotton seed oil.

An inspection in Milwaukee at one of the wholesale houses where oils are handled was made by our inspector, Mr. Kremer, and it was learned that the La Piana Drug Company were purchasing large quantities of cotton seed oil and occasionally a barrel or two of olive oil. A further investigation by our inspectors resulted in samples being submitted. The analyses showed the same results, namely that the product was cotton seed oil. In one case we found the product to be misbranded because the net contents of the package were incorrectly stated.

It appears there is less adulteration being carried on in connection with olive oil for I believe that the work of food departments throughout the country has helped educate the consuming public to some extent on the question of olive oil. Undoubtedly dealers in other edible oils such as cotton seed cil, corn oil and peanut oil have also realized the benefit to be derived from placing their product on the market properly labeled and sold for what it is. Olive oil is of a special value because of its flavor.

Our work on olive oil, I think, need be continued especially with respect to new brands as they appear on the market.

#### SACCHARINE PRODUCTS

Fifteen samples of various kinds of saccharine products were analyzed, nine of which were labeled syrups and two of which were sold as cane syrup. Practically all of the maple syrups were sub-

mitted samples and most of these samples were adulterated in that the sap from which the syrup was prepared, was not boiled down enough or concentrated to the proper degree.

One sample of the maple syrup which was purchased by an inspector was found to be unfit for use, owing to the fact that it contained a large amount of sand and woody material which resembled the bark of the maple tree. This syrup was simply a product that had not been properly manufactured.

Two samples of cane syrups were submitted by our inspectors, both of which were found to be below the legal standard in that they contained more than 35% of water, also in that one-third of the total sugars present was found to be invert sugar. This form of adulteration I feel was due to the scarcity of cane sugar and due to restrictions placed on the quantity of cane sugar which might be used by certain industries. It was an attempt to put on the market a syrup which could be used in place of cane sugar but which in fact was manufactured by the use of cane sugar. The invert sugar present in this syrup was obtained by inverting cane sugar, so that no saving in cane sugar could be accomplished by the use of this product. It was a clear attempt on the part of this manufacturer to evade the regulations issued by the food administrator concerning the sale of sugar. One sample of bottler's syrup was found to contain benzoate of soda.

#### TURPENTINE

Six samples of turpentine were analyzed, four of which were found to be standard and two badly adulterated. The adulterated samples both contained about 72% of a mineral oil product of the nature of kerosene. These samples were not official samples, but were submitted samples and for that reason no prosecutions were had in connection with them.

Further inspection and analysis in connection with the sale of turpentine I feel is called for. The small number of samples collected during the past year I think illustrates the fact that we have not been able to give this subject its proper attention.

#### VINEGAR

Thirty-three samples of vinegar were analyzed. These samples were in practically all cases submitted by the party who had manufactured cider and permitted it to ferment to cider vinegar. The purpose of submitting the samples was to determine whether or not fermentation had gone far enough to produce four grams of acetic acid per 100 cubic centimeters, which is the legal requirement for acetic acid in cider vinegar.

In doing work of this kind it was understood in all cases that we assume no responsibility for the purity of the product other than the acetic acid content which we reported. These people manufacturing the product were in a position to know whether it was the product of pure apple juice or not and were therefore in a position to know whether the sample was genuine and legal cider vinegar or not as soon as they knew the acid content.

Determining the acid of cider vinegar takes but a few minutes and I feel that encouragement given to those manufacturing cider vinegar by making this test, is worth while.

# SUMMARY ANALYSES

1052 Samples

	No.	of San	nples
BEVERAGES			37
CEREALS			- 29
DAIRY PRODUCTS Butter			661
Standard Not standard or misbranded Submitted samples	2 29		
Cheese Standard		169	
Tested for moisture and found to contain 40% or less Tested for moisture and found to contain more than 40% Not standard, tested for moisture and fat	58 73		
Submitted samples Cream From city supply, standard. From city supply, not standard.	 8 10	77	
Miscellancous Submitted samples Ice Cream Standard	21 29		······
Milk Delivered to creamery choese factory or condensory chorded	3	339	
Delivered to creamery, cheese factory of condensery, standard standard Herd samples City milk, standard. City milk, not standard. Submitted samples Miscellaneous	76 65 17 27		
DRIED FRUITS			
EGG SUBSTITUTES	1.1.1.1.2		7 94
FLAVORS AND FLAVORING EXTRACTS.	1		
FOODS SUSPECTED OF CONTAINING GLASS			
LARD			.4
LINSEED OIL	10		
MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS			
OLEOMARGARINE			20
OLIVE OIL			10
POTATO FLOUR Found to be free from adulteration Found to be mixtures or potato starch Submitted samples	7 29 0	·····	45

•		No	No. of Samples		
	DUCTS				
TURPENTINE Standard Not standard			·	6	

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July 31	Grape nectar F. L. Buckley, Green Bay	Allouez Mineral Spring Co., Green	Benzoic acid or a salt thereof present.
July 31	Wild cherry Al. Janssen, Green Bay	Allouez Mineral Spring Co., Green	Benzoie acid of a base thereof progent
July 31	Orange J. Seroogy, Green Bay	Allouez Mineral Spring Co., Green	Benzoic acid or a salt thereof present. Alcohol by volume-0.52%.
Aug. 13	Near beer *Food Administration, Madison		No adulteration found.
Aug. 15	Wine *Rev. Angelo Simeoni, Madison	·····	Not standard-not a cider. Preserved with
Aug. 15	lander.	National Fruit Produce Co., Mem- phis, Tenn. Aug. Gluch, Neillsville	benzoic acid. Contains saccharin. Tested for saccharin and chemical pre-
Aug. 21			servatives, none found. Tested for saccharin and chemical pre-
Aug. 21		Aug. Gluch, Neillsville	servatives, none found. Found to contain a trace of hydrocyanic
Aug. 29	Home made wild cherry W. A. Bray, Madison	Bassett & Bassett, St. Paul, Minn.	acid. Not standard. Contains benzoic acid or a
Dec. 12			salt thereof. Not standard. An artificial preparation
Dec. 19	Cider-raspberry Carl Fleustad, Ashland	Drewry & Sons, St. Paul, Minn	not made from raspberry juice. Arti-
Dec. 23	Apple cider Johnson Bros., Eau Claire		Not standard. Preserved with sulphurous acid or a salt thereof. Not standard. Contains benzoie acid.
Dec. 24	Apple cider J. F. Holterman, Superior	The Fruit Juice Co., Superior	
1919 Mar. 25	Pop John Bast, Neillsville	Gluch & Gay, Neillsville	Contains heavy sediment, found to be due to breaking down of the coal tar dye used.
May 5	Grape juice Mrs. B. B. Banks, Chetek	Sandusky, Onlo.	Sulphur dioxide present in large quanti- ties. Not standard. Contains benzoic acid.
May 7 June 16	Apple cider       B. Drooeks, Rice Lake         Near beer       *L. W. White, Keshena         Near beer       *L. W. White, Keshena		Alcohol by volume 0.07%.
June 16	Near Deer		

\* Submitted by.

CEREALS

Date	Kind	Submitted by	Remarks
1918			-
July 16	Wheat flour	Knauf & Tesch Co., Kaukauna	No adulteration found.
July 31	Corn flour	Mrs. Will Curran, Taylor	No adulteration found.
Aug. 2 Aug. 17	Rye flour	Magnus Swenson, Madison	No solution found
Sept. 11	Barley flour.		
Sept. 19	Rice flour	Dr. W. G. Tuchund, Portage	Suspected of containing the start of the sta
Sept. 30	Rice flour Corn starch	Mr. Buergin, Madison	No adulteration found
Sept. 30	Rye flour	Ed. Dommeier, Shell Lake	A mixture of corn starch destrip and a mean instance
Dec. 4	Wheat flour	Caris. Ruh, Appleton	
	intere nour	Jens M. Thomsen, Medford	Gluten test shows product to be either straight me or a mint and
Dec. 4	Wheat flour	Mrs. H. Porter, Marshall	
Dec. 6	Buckwheat flour	H. O. Junkman, Beldenville	No adulteration found.
14.2.2.2		n. o. sunkman, beidenvine	No adulteration found.
1919			
Feb. 7	Buckwheat flour	D. O. Stevlingson, Chaseburg	No adulteration found.
Feb. 7 Feb. 7		W. R. Johnson, Kiel.	No adulteration found.
Feb. 7 Feb. 7	Wheat flour	A. L. Reed, Barnum.	No adulteration found.
Mar. 4	Buckwheat flour	C. W. Poulter, Cumberland	No adulteration found.
Mar. 4	Buckwheat flour		No adulteration found.
Mar. 24	Wheat flour	Elmer Lytle, Bradley	No adulteration found.
Mar. 24	Wheat flour	wm, J. Gilson, Fremont.	No adulteration found.
Mar. 24	Buckwheat flour	C. H. Chapel, Knapp	No adulteration found.
Mar. 24	Buckwheat flour	O. X. Davenport, Minong	No adulteration found.
		Branch Laboratory, State Board of Health, Rhinelander.	No adulteration found.
April 2	Wheat flour	O. M. Huebner, Marion	No adultantia t
April 2	wheat four	Geo, F. Bancroft, Arnin	No adulteration found. No adulteration found.
April 4	Wheat flour	Mrs. E. A. Brown, Lake Beulah	No adulteration found.
April 28	Whole wheat	Dennis Fitzgerald, Racine	Sample of wheet as delivered to the million of the same
			Sample of wheat as delivered to the mill analyzed. The by-products,
			Investigation showed that the mill was returning the proper proportion
day 8	Rye flour	D. D. T. D. J. D. J.	
lay 8	Corn meal	Dr. P. J. Roets, Merrill	NO adulteration found
day 27	Wheat flour	Mrs. Mollie Webb, Campbellsport	Product found to be entirely corn, but very poorly manufactured.
		Emil Zimmerman, Butternut	
lay 28	Wheat flour	The Henry Glade Million Co	
		The Henry Glade Milling Co., Grand Island, N(b,	Not standard. Artificially bleached.

#### DAIRY PRODUCTS

Butter-	-Sta	inda	rd	

Date	Bought of	Manufacturer or Jobber
1919 April 4 May 8	The Lilliesand Store, Cambridge Alto Creamery Co., Waupun	W. R. Meier, Cambridge. Alto Creamery Co., Waupun.

# Butter-Not Standard or Misbranded

Date	Bought of	Manufacturer	Per cent milk fat	Per cent moisture	Remarks
1918					
Aug. 26	Earl Daugherty, Steuben.	Larson Dairy Assn., Gays Mills		15.88	Sold as 1 lb. Net weight 14% oz.
Oct. 10	H. G. Helmer, Richland Center.	J. T. Scott, Richland Center	81.39	15.40	Misbranded. Net weight 14 25/32 oz. Below stand- ard in fat. Nut oleomargarine served for butter.
Oct. 10			79.63	15.60	Below standard in fat.
Dec. 2	E. E. Hodgin, Madison				Below standard in fat.
Dec. 5	Sheboygan Dairy Products Co., Green Bay.	Green Bay.	78.63	16.41	
Dec. 5	Arctic Ice Cream Co., Green Bay,	Arctic Ice Cream Co., Green Bay	79.69	15.34	Below standard in fat.
Dec. 6	Kielsmeier Co., Manitowoc	Kielsmeier Co., Manitowoc	71.39	23.98	Below standard in fat.
Dec. 6	Kielsmeier Co., Manitowoc		75.89	19.72	Below standard in fat.
Dec. 17	Victoria Hotel, Manitowoc		76.30	19.35	Below standard in fat.
Dec. 17	Sheboygan Dairy Products Co., Green Bay.		79.01	15.88	Below standard in fat.
Dec. 17	H. Schroeder, Nelson				Oleomargarine served as butter.
Dec. 28	Mrs. E. R. McIntire, Madison.	•••••••	80.45	14.85	Below standard in fat.
Dec. 28	Frank Bros., Madison	Sheboygan Dairy Products Co., Madison,	80.14	15.04	Below standard in fat.
1919					
Peb. 8	Frank Hanzlek, Chippewa Falls.	••••••	77.84	16.45	Below standard in fat.

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# Butter-Not Standard or Misbranded-Continued

Date	Bought of	Manufacturer	Per cent milk fat	Per cent moisture	Remarks
1919					
Feb. 11	Phil D. Hendershot, Platteville.		79.41	15.02	Below standard in fat.
Feb. 18	Chippewa Model Dairy Co., Chippewa Falls.	Chippewa Model Dairy Co., Chippewa Falls.	78.93	14.94	Below standard in fat.
Mar. 3	Abe Heer, Monroe				Not standard. Fat falls below required Reichert- Meissel number.
May 1	C. J. E. Nelssen, Clear Lake.	Clear Lake Cry. Co., Clear Lake	79.56	16.02	Below standard in fat.
May 7	Harrisville Cry. Butter & Cheese Assn., Westfield.	Harrisville Cry. Butter & Cheese Assn., Westfield.	79.08	17.20	Below standard in fat.
June 4	Wis. Butter, Egg & Poul- try Co., Milwaukee.		81.11	14.09	Below standard in fat.
June 4	Wis. Butter, Egg & Poul- try Co., Milwaukee.	Sheboygan Dairy Products Co., Green Bay.	80.52	14.19	Below standard in fat.
June 4	Kielsmeier Co., Milwaukee	Kielsmeier Co., Manitowoc	76.97	18.00	Below standard in fat.
June 12	Puerner Cry. Co., Marsh- field.	Puerner Cry. Co., Marshfield	81.00	14.17	Below standard in fat.
June 12	Puerner Cry. Co., Marsh- field.	Puerner Cry. Co., Marshfield	81.15	13.96	Below standard in fat.
June 13	Richard Birkett, Oostburg	Sheboygan Dairy Products Co., Sheboygan.	81.70	14.98	Below standard in fat.
June 26	Kielsmeier Co., Manitowoc.	Kielsmeier Co., Manitowoc	74.16	19,59	Below standard in fat.
June 26	Kielsmeier Co., Manitowoc.	Kielsmeier Co., Manitowoc	75.80	19.39	Below standard in fat.
June 26	Kielsmeier Co., Manitowee.	Kielsmeier Co., Manitowoc	71.70	20.00	Below standard in fat.
June 28	Otto Muenchow, Wausau.	Plautz Creamery Co., Merrill	79.76	15.80	Below standard in fat.

# Butter-Submitted Samples

Date	Submitted by	Remarks
1918 July 17 Aug. 10 Nov. 4 Nov. 20 Nov. 20 Nov. 20 Dec. 8 Dec. 10 Dec. 10 Dec. 26 Dec. 27 1919 Jan. 8	C. E. Lee, Madison. G. H. Eigenberger, Madison. Geo. Henton, Doylestown. J. A. Flanigan, Green Bay. J. A. Flanigan, Green Bay. A. N. Winchell, Madison. Wild Rose Creamery Co., Wild Rose. B. E. Miller, Nakoma. Mrs. Hamilton, Police Matron, Madison. Wm. J. Schull, Campbellsport. Geo. Arde, Green Bay. Mrs. L. K. Luse, Superior.	No foreign fat found. Free from foreign fat. Free from foreign fat.
Jan. 17 Jan. 29 Feb. 15 Mar. 26 April 28 April 28 April 28 April 25 April 28 May 21	C. E. Lee, Madison. Peterson's Cash Grocery, Waupaca. F. H. King, New London. W. R. Meier, Cambridge. Dr. Jesse L. Bender, Richland Center. John B. Goulette, Hayward. John B. Goulette, Hayward. J. A. Hodgins, Appleton. Edward Babcock, Madison. Dr. F. B. Welch, Janesville.	Free from foreign fat. Butter rancid. Has a lardy, tallowy texture. Free from foreign fat. Not standard. Contains too much moisture and too little fat. Free from foreign fat. Free from foreign fat. Free from foreign fat. Free from foreign fat.

# Cheese-Standard. Tested for fat and moisture

Date	Bought of		Manufacturer	
1918 Dec. 19 1919	Kewaskum Creamery Co., Kewaskum	and the second		•
Feb. 14 April 14 April 14	C. E. Blodgett Cheese Co., Marshfield H. M. Scott, Waldo Davis Bros. Cheese Co., Plymouth O. E. Blodgett Cheese Co., Marshfield	H. M. Scott, Waldo. L. L. Clark, Greenleaf.		

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# DAIRY PRODUCTS—Continued

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# Cheese-Tested for moisture and found to contain 40% or less

Date	. Bought of	Manufacturer or Jobber		
1918		and the second		
lov. 12	Wachter Bros., Sheboygan Falls			
lov. 23	Simon Cheese Co., Appleton			
lov. 26	Fred Maidens, Antigo	Fred Maidens, Antigo.		
Dec. 5	F. A. Leitzke, Merrill	Albert Pfaff, Mosinee.		
Dec. 10	C. E. Blodgett Cheese Co., Marshfield	A. W. Bruss, Colby.		
Dec. 10	Hull Cheese & Butter Co., Colby	Hull Cheese & Butter Co., Colby.		
Dec. 10	Colby Cheese Co., Colby	W. D. Fecker, Colby.		
Dec. 19	Pauly & Pauly Cheese Co., Edgar	Poplar Grove Cheese & Butter Co., Edgar.		
Dec. 19 Dec. 26	Pauly & Pauly Cheese Co., Edgar	W. L. Becker, Edgar.		
Dec. 27	P. J. Schaefer Co., Marshfield P. J. Schaefer Co., Marshfield	West Eaton Cheese Co., Greenwood. Otto Gruenke, Granton.		
Dec. 27	Cloverbelt Cheese Co., Spencer.	F. O. Justman, Unity.		
ACC. 21	Cloverbeit Cheese Co., spencer	r. O. Justinan, Unity.		
1919				
eb. 7	Dow Cheese Co., Thorp	Emil W. Ehlert, Thorp.		
eb. 7	Dow Cheese Co., Curtiss	Melvin Larkee, Medford.		
eb. 7	Dow Cheese Co., Curtiss	Henry House, Curtiss.		
eb. 14	P. J. Schaefer Co., Marshfield	J. J. Zastrow, Stetsonville.		
eb. 14	P. J. Schaefer Co., Marshfield	C. A. Bulgrine, Owen.		
eb. 20	H. H. Solie, Osseo	H. H. Solie, Osseo.		
eb. 20	C. E. Blodgett Cheese Co., Marshfield	Wm. Laabs, Greenwood.		
eb. 25	Pauly & Pauly Cheese Co., Marathon City	A. W. Pagel, Marathon City.		
eb. 26	Blodgett Cheese Co	Aug. Ehlert, Stanley.		
eb. 26	Blodgett Cheese Co	Aug. Ehlert, Stanley.		
eb. 27	C. A. Straubel Co., Antigo Kraft Bros., Plymouth	F. J. Buss, Antigo. Fairmont Creamery Co., Green Bay.		
pril 14 pril 14	Kraft Bros., Plymouth	Fairmont Oreamery Co., Green Bay.		
pril 14	Sheboygan County Cheese Producers Federation, Plymouth	Elmer Termot, Plymouth.		
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pril 14	H. Blanke Cheese Co., Plymouth			

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April 18 April 26 April 26 May 7 May 7 May 20 June 4 June 10 June 10 June 10 June 17 June 17 June 17 June 17 June 17 June 17	Gridley Dairy Co., Cedar Grove	Lee Henderson, Stanley. South Alma Butter & Cheese Assn., Alma Center. Beaver Cheese Factory, Randolph. Louis M. Meyer, Lena. John G. Holzschuh, Spencer. Gridley Dairy Co., Cedar Grove. Hugo G. Rohde, Kiel. Emil Diehs. HenryBeil. G. M. Matznick, Kiel. Theo. Diekeral, New Holstein. Walter Dietrich, Kiel. Walter Oim, Kiel. School Hill Cheese Factory, Kiel.
June 17	Davis Bros., Plymouth	Louis Corners Factory.
June 17 June 17	J. H. Wheeler, Plymouth Davis Bros., Plymouth	Edwin Voight.
June 20	Davis Bros., Plymouth Star Valley Cheese Assn., La Farge	Star Valley Uneese Assn., La Falge.
June 23		
June 27	S. H. Conover Cheese Co., Plymouth	Peter Pauly, Jackson.
June 27	H. Blanke Cheese Co., Plymouth H. Blanke Cheese Co., Plymouth	
June 27	H. Blanke Cheese Co., Plymouth	Jos. Flath, Glenbeulah.
June 27	Dem Chasse Co Plymouth	Jacob Herter, Cunton
June 27	Davis Dros Choose Co Plymolith	
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# Cheese—Tested for Moisture and Found to Contain More than 40%

Date	Bought of	Manufacturer or Jobber	Per cent moisture
Oct. 8	Paul Luecke, Elkhart Lake Chas. Risse, Randonm Lake A. Zelm. Plymouth Steve Koenigs, Peebles		*

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#### DAIRY PRODUCTS-Continued /

# Cheese-Tested for Moisture and Found to Contain More than 40%-Continued

Date	Bought of	Manufacturer or Jobber	Per cent moisture
1918 Det. 16 Det. 20 Det. 22 Det. 23 Nov. 7 Nov. 12 Nov. 13 Ov. 14 Ov. 15 Ov. 14 Ov. 15 Ov. 16 Ov. 16 Ov. 16 Ov. 16 Ov. 16 Ov. 22 Ov. 23 Ov. 23 Ov. 23 Ov. 23 Ov. 24 Ee. 6 Ee. 10 Ee. 10 Ee. 20 Ee. 27 Ee. 27	C. E. Blodgett Cheese Co., Greenwood	C. H. Zutz, Rice Lake. Carl Wachsmith, Gleason. John G. Nutr, Merrill. John Fennema, Wausau. F. W. Zastrow, Greenwood. Walter Hintz, Withee. Geo. Schmid, Stratford. Paul Kleinhaus, Fond du Lac. E. M. Cejka, Bryant. E. M. Cejka, Bryant.	$\begin{array}{c} 45.81\\ 42.18\\ 42.41\\ 40.84\\ 43.75\\ 42.98\\ 41.74\\ 42.04\\ 42.0\\ 42.0\\ 40.94\\ 40.76\\ 41.02\\ 40.82\\ 41.06\\ 41.90\\ 41.94\\ 41.89\\ 42.87\\ 44.66\\ 43.52\\ 43.61\\ 40.21\\ 40.60\\ 40.36\\ 41.31\\ 43.44\\ 43.22\\ 41.00\\ \end{array}$

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Jan. 20	Oscar Roeder, Plymouth		40.81
Jan. 20	H. A. Kalk, Sheboygan Falls		42.08
Jan. 20	Louis Gruenewald, Sheboygan		41.59
Jan. 20	O. A. Voechting, Sheboygan,		44.00
Jan. 24	F. P. Baker. St. Cloud		46.68
Jan. 24	F. P. Baker, St. Cloud		
Jan. 25	Ed. Meinhardt, Hortonville		42.34
Jan. 25	Tion Coon Chassa Co Omro		42.43
Feb. 7	Dow Cheese Co Thorn	Fred Greve, Thorp	42.41
Feb. 7	Dow Cheese Co., Curtiss	Bert Hinkle, Medford	40.62
Feb. 10	Frenk O'Connor Fond du Lee		41.37
Feb. 10	Frank O'Connor Fond du Las		40.71
Feb. 11	Louis Guenewald, Sheboygan		42.19
Feb. 11	Louis Guenewald, Sheboygan		41.86
Feb. 14	Louis Guenevald, Sheboygan C. E. Blodgett Cheese Co	M L Treichel Neillsville	43.78
	Peacock Cheese Co., Madison	T B Milton I odi	45.34
Feb. 18		T B Milton Lodi	45.67
Feb. 18	Peacock Cheese Co., Madison	Williams Creamery Co., Augusta	41.15
Feb. 20	C. E. Blodgett Cheese Co		40.77
Feb. 22	P. J. Schaefer Cheese Co		40.12
Feb. 25	Pauly & Pauly Cheese Co., Marathon City		40.60
Feb. 26	Blodgett Cheese Co	Aug. Enlert, Stanley	41.69
Mar. (			41.16
Mar. 7	Dow Cheese Co., Merrill	Trout Brook Cheese Factory, Merrill	41.26
Mar. 7	Dow Cheese Co., Merrill	Grand Father Cheese Factory, Merrill	43.88
Mar. 10	Rice Lake Produce Co., Rice Lake	C. H. Zutz, Rice Lake	46.72
Mar. 1	Dow Chassa Co Thorn	Louis Horn, Withee,	
April 14	H Blanka Chassa Co Plymouth	Elmer Seaboldt, Uostburg	41.17
April 14	Kraft Bros Plymouth		41.55
April 14	Kraft Bros. Plymouth		42.22
April 18		Williams Creamery Co., Augusta	40.6
May 7		Anthony Greenheck, Lone Kock	40.47
May 2		Alois Freelich, Reeseville	41.19
May 2			42.74
June (			41.74
			40.48
June 6	Independent Cheese Factory, Flyhouth		40.15
June 24	Oscar L. Roeder, Plymouth		40.44
June 2		Wm. DeMunk, Calvary	40.49
June 2	Dow Cheese Co., Plymouth	will. Demulik, Culvary	

# DAIRY PRODUCTS-Continued

# Cheese-Not Standard, Tested for Moisture and Fat

Date	Bought of	Manufacturer	Per cent moisture	Per cent fat	Ratio	Remarks
1918						-
Dec. 10	Kewaskum Creamery, Kewaskum	•••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••	41.72	27.0	46.3	Made from skim milk. Contains an excessive
Dec. 19	Kewaskum Creamery, Kewaskum		41.46	29.6	50.56	amount of water.
Dec. 19 1919	Kewaskum Creamery, Kewaskum		37.02	30.29	48.12	Contains an excessive amount of water. Made from skim milk.
June 11	Davis Bros. Cheese Co., Plymouth.	H. B. Woldt, Jackson	40.10	28.4	47.57	Made from skim milk.
June 16	G. J. Kleinhesslink, Oostburg	G. J. Kleinhesslink, Oostburg.	40.70	30.0	50.5	Contains an executive amount of the
June 17	Wis. Cheese Producers' Federa- tion, Plymouth.	H. M. Scott, Waldo	41.19	27.0	45.9	Contains an excessive amount of water. Contains an excessive amount of water. Low fat content indicates either skimming or the addition of a foreign substance.

# Cheese-Submitted Samples

Date	Submitted by	Per cent moisture	Remarks
1918 July 1 July 23 Aug. 20 Oct. 11 Oct. 30 1919	John Kubly, Monroe Oscar Knudson, New London D. W. Wegner, Fond du Lac Plymouth Cheese Co., Mineral Point H. B. Stanz Co., Milwaukee	43.58	Suspected of containing ptomains. None found. Sample was poorly put up. Leaked fat. Parafine cap poorly put on, al- lowing parafine to enter crevices in the cheese sample. Fat 20.1%. Ratio of fat to total solids 49.7%. Not standard.
Jan. 22	H. Bilgrien, Iron Ridge.         H. Bilgrien, Iron Ridge.	$\begin{array}{c} 40.37\\ 37.60\\ 35.33\\ 39.77\\ 35.49\\ 42.39\end{array}$	Sample marked "E. McDermott." Sample marked "Got. Friedel." Sample marked "Bis. x H. O. Christ." Sample marked "J. L. Westphal." Sample marked "H. Otto."

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# DAIRY PRODUCTS—Continued

#### Cheese-Submitted Samples

Date	Submitted by	Per cent moisture	Remarks
Jan. 22 Jan. 28 Jan. 28 Jan. 28 Jan. 28 Jan. 28 Feb. 4 Mar. 27 Mar. 27 Mar. 27 April 14 April 28 May 14 June 10 June 21 June 21	H. Bilgrien, Iron Ridge. H. Bilgrien, Iron Ridge. H. Bilgrien, Iron Ridge.	37.22 38.6 38.16 39.3	Sample marked "E. G." Sample marked "Carl Brumi." "Boertsechi." "Got. Friedel." "H. Otto." "J. Leutzinger." Fat 29.8%. Ratio of fat to total solids 49.1%. Fat 29.6%. Ratio of fat to total solids 48.0%. Fat 30.0%. Ratio of fat to total solids 48.1%. Fat 30.0%. Ratio of fat to total solids 48.1%.

# Cream from C'ty Supply-Standard

Date	Delivered by		City	
1918 Nov 19 1919 April 18 April 18 April 18 April 18 April 18 April 18 April 18 April 18	J. Sauler, Brodhead. W. M. Boyle, Platteville. J. Linden, Platteville. Fox Bros, Platteville. W. M. Boyle, Platteville. Fox Bros, Platteville. Joe Linden, Platteville. Clover Blossom Creamery, Beaver Dam.	Platteville. Platteville. Platteville. Platteville.		,

#### DAIRY PRODUCTS-Continued

#### Cream from City Supply-Not Standard

Date	Delivered by	City	Per cent milk fat
1918 Oct. 9 Dec. 13 Dec. 16 Dec. 16 Dec. 16 Dec. 16 Dec. 16 Dec. 16 Dec. 16 Dec. 16 Dec. 16 Dec. 16	Krenzke Bros., Racine.         A. M. Hanson, Waupaca.         David Von Buren, Oshkosh.         John King, Oshkosh.         A. C. Peep, Oshkosh.         Nottleman Bros., Oshkosh.         Jones & Son, Oshkosh.         Mrs. B. Ditter, Oshkosh.         Ed. Schussler, Oshkosh.         A. Wendland, Oshkosh.         Nottleman Bros., Oshkosh.	Racine	$\begin{array}{c} 16.50\\ 13.6\\ 11.10\\ 16.2\\ 14.85\\ 14.85\\ 15.5\\ 15.0\\ 16.00\\ 15.0\\ 14.95\\ \end{array}$
1919 Jan. 17 Jan. 17 Jan. 17 Jan. 23 Mar. 5 Mar. 5 Mar. 5 Mar. 21 May 14	Herman Bros., Sheboygan. Siegl Dairy Co., Sheboygan. Grasse Milk Products Co., Sheboygan. C. C. Fries, Richland Center. Lew L. Hauver, Lake Geneva. J. M. & L. J. O'Reilly, Merrill. C. Walter, Chippewa Falls. F. O. Hodsdon, Stevens Point.	Sheboygan Sheboygan Sheboygan Richland Center Lake Geneva Merrill Chippewa Falls Stevens Point	$\begin{array}{c} 15.70 \\ 16.90 \\ 14.20 \\ 15.60 \\ 12.35 \\ 11.5 \\ 12.75 \\ 16.50 \end{array}$

#### **Miscellaneous** Creams

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Twenty-one samples of cream were tested for the purpose of checking up Babcock determinations which had been made by factory men on these samples.

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# Cream-Submitted Samples

Date	Submitted by	Per cent milk fat	Date	Submitted by	Per cent milk fat
1918 Sept. 28 Oct. 31 Nov. 4 Nov. 6 Nov. 25 Nov. 25 Nov. 29 Dec. 4 Dec. 4 1919 Jan. 14 Jan. 15 Feb. 3 Feb. 3	Bernard Kuckkahn, Juneau	21.4 20.4 21.6 11.63	1919 Feb. 19 Feb. 26 Mar. 10 April 2 April 2 April 22 April 22 April 22 April 22 May 8 May 29 June 11 June 27	Joel Haugh, Whitehall. H. Peterson, Cazenovia. E. A. Nelson, Kaukauna W. M. Soule, Arena. C. Walter, Ohippewa Falls. Hoard Creameries, Fort Atkinson. C. Walter, Chippewa Falls. L. A. Haesley, Kendall. L. A. Haesly, Kendall. L. A. Haesly, Kendall. J. F. Moon, Benton. Matt Kivi, Hurley. Ladysmith Cooperative Cry. Co., Ladysmith. Bernard Nix, Strum. E. G. Koller, Durand.	$\begin{array}{c} 21.\\ 28.8\\ 25.0\\ 37.0\\ 25.0\\ 17.18\\ 14.7\\ 19.0\\ 17.0\\ 17.0\\ 17.0\\ 17.4\\ 30.0\\ 27.0\\ 23.50\\ 35.25\end{array}$

# Ice Cream-Standard

Date	Bought of	Manufacturer
June 26 June 26 June 26	Rennebohm's Pharmacy, Madison Jones Pharmacy, Beloit Elliott's Candy Shop, Beloit H. J. Luethy, West Bend. Regner Pharmacy, West Bend. Berens & Miller, West Bend.	Consumers Milk Co., Beloit. Geo. Mansfield Co., Milwaukee. Luick lee Cream Co., Milwaukee.

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#### DAIRY PRODUCTS—Continued

Ice Cream-Not Standard

Date	Bought of	Manufacturer	Per cent milk fat
1919 June 23 June 26 June 31	Wornsey Bros., Janesville H. F. Bauer, West Bend American Ice Cream Co., Madison	Bloomer Ice Cream Co., Milwaukee	9.88 11.33 9.77

# Milk-Standard. Delivered to Creamery, Cheese Factory or Condensary

Date	Delivered by	Delivered to	
1918			
Aug. 6	I. Lund, Bloomer	Armour Co. Condenserv.	
Aug. 6	Bert Benson, Bloomer	Armour Co. Condensery.	
Aug. 6	E. Rosenbrook, Bloomer	Armour Co. Condensery.	
Aug. 6	Herman Schroetter, Bloomer	Armour Co. Condensery.	
Aug. 6	F. W. Musner, Bloomer	Armour Co. Condensery.	
Aug. 6	A. Belau, Bloomer		
Aug. 6	Carl G. Knutson, Bloomer	Armour Co. Condensery.	
Oct. 3	Martin Bull, Windsor	Token Creek Dairy Co.	
Oct. 3	G. A. Crabtree, Windsor	Toker Creek Dairy Co.	
Oct. 3	M. Jensen, Windsor	Token Creek Dairy Co.	
Oct. 3	Wm. Sommers, Windsor	Token Creek Dairy Co.	
Oct. 3	C. Adams, Windsor	Token Creek Dairy Co.	
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1919			
Jan. 23	Frank S. Bauer, Grand Rapids	Chambers Creamery Co	
Jan. 28	John Graezyk, Junction City		
April 28	Ole Mattson, Cumberland	Cumberland Creamery Co	
April 28	W. C. Slocumn, Cumberland	Cumberland Creamery Co.	
May 13	Wm. Gritzel, Burnette	Libby Condensery.	
May 13	A. A. Nowak, Juneau.	Libby Condensery.	
May 29	U. Rufer, Monticello	Hefty, ZimBrummen Cheese Factory.	

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Date	Sold or Delivered by	by Sold or Delivered to Sp 15		Per cent milk fat	Per cent total solids	Per cent solids not fat	I. R. of whey 20° C.	Remarks	
1918				1					
July 5	Henry Dahlke, Verona	Wilke Cheese Factory	1.0253	2.65	9.48	6.83	35.45	Watered.	
July 12	Ed. Frederickson, Spring Green		1.0306	3.10	11.39	8.29			
July 12	Tom Bindl, Spring Green	Lower Big Hollow Cheese Factory.	1.0293	3.30	11.26	7.96		Below standard in sol- ids not fat.	
July 13	Fred Krenz, Bloomer	Armour Co.'s Condensery	1.0295	3.25	11.46	8.21		Below standard in sol- ids not fat.	
July 13	Peter Bowe, Bloomer	Armour Co.'s Condensery	1.0291	3.67	11.85	8.18		Below standard in sol- ids not fat.	
July 13	Nick Hattamer, Bloomer	Armour Co.'s Condensery	1.0328	2.63	11.40	8.80		Skimmed.	
July 13	Herman Rufledt, Bloomer	Armour Co.'s Condensery	1.0302	3.40	11.71	8.31		Below standard in sol- ids not fat.	
July 13	Nick Nager, Bloomer	Armour Co.'s Condensery	1.0324	2.68	11.31	8.66		Skimmed.	
July 23	A. Richards, Somerset	Lagrander Cheese Factory	1.0339	2.43	11.58	9.15		Skimmed.	
July 23	F. Parent, Somerset	Lagrander Cheese Factory	1.0305	2.55	10.93	8.33	40.0	Below standard in fat.	
July 23	S. Cloutier, Somerset	Lagrander Cheese Factory	1.0344	3.05	12.31	9.26		Skimmed.	
uly 23	St. Swenson, Mt. Horeb	Swenson Cheese Factory	1.0286	2.95	10.56	7.61	37.0	Watered.	
July 30	John Mueller, Brodhead	Jacob Marty Cheese Factory	1.0220	2.80	9.24	6.44	34.4	Watered.	
July 30	John Mueller, Brodhead	Jacob Marty Cheese Factory	1.0227	2.7	8.78	6.08	34.2	Watered.	
Aug. 6	A. J. Mohr & Son, Bloomer	Armour Co.'s Condensery	1.0307	3.40	11.58	8.18		Below standard in sol- ids not fat.	
Aug. 6	Fred Krenz, Bloomer	Armour Co.'s Condensery	1.0277	2.73	7.47			Watered.	
Aug. 6	Wm. Ruff, Bloomer	Armour Co.'s Condensery	1.0305	3.20	11.46	8.26	•••••	Below standard in sol- ids not fat.	
Aug. 6	Henry Lalk, Bloomer	Armour Co,'s Condensery	1.0309	3.65	11.81	8.16		Below standard in sol- ids not fat.	
ug. 6	Andrew Hanson, Bloomer	Armour Co.'s Condensery	1.0302	. 3.53	11.65	8.12		Below standard in sol- ids not fat.	
ug. 6	Joe Hanson, Bloomer	Armour Co.'s Condensery	1.0300	3.73	11.89	8.16		Below standard in sol- ids not fat.	
ug. 6	Henry Hassmer, Bloomer	Armour Co.'s Condensery	1.0313	3.5	11.64	8.14		Below standard in fat.	
ug. 7	Tony Hassmer, Bloomer	Armour Co.'s Condensery	1.0225	2.90	8.49	5.59	33.75	Watered.	
ept. 24	John Hetts. Fort Atkinson	Mansfield's Condensery	1.0219	2.67	8.61	5.94	34.0	Watered.	
ept. 24	Albert Kerth, Johnson Creek	Mansfield's Condensery	1.0308	2.95	11.15	8.20	40.00	Below standard in fat	
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# Milk-Not Standard. Delivered to Cheese Factories, Creameries or Condensaries

# DAIRY PRODUCTS-Continued

Milk-Not Standard. Delivered to cheese factories, creameries or condensaries

Date	Sold or Delivered by	Sold or Delivered to	Sp. G. 15.5°	Per cent milk fat	Per cent total solids	Per cent solids not fat	I. R. of whey 20° C.	Remarks
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1918 Sept. 24	Helena Mueller, Johnson Creek	Mansfield's Condensery	1.0298	2.80	10.79	7.99	40.1	Below standard in fa and solids not fat.
ept. 24	C. W. Wollin, Johnson Creek	Mansfield's Condensery	1.0288	3.15	11.00	7.85	38.95	Below standard in sol ids not fat.
ept. 24	William Loeder, Johnson Creek	Mansfield's Condensery	1.0288	3.03	10.85	7.82	39.1	Below standard in sol ids not fat.
ept. 24	Albert Christian, Johnson Creek.	Mansfield's Condensery	1.0275	2.95	10.50	7.55	37.3	Watered.
ept. 24	F. Bohnsack, Johnson Creek	Mansfield's Condensery	1.0319	2.77	11.34	8.57		Skimmed.
ept. 24	F. Bogenschneider, Johnson Cr'k	Mansfield's Condensery	1.0311	2.60	11.06	8.46		Watered.
pt. 24	John Hetts, Fort Atkinson	Mansfield's Condensery	1.0219	2.67	8.61	5.94	34.	Badly watered.
ept. 24	Carl Manth, Johnson Creek	Mansfield's Condensery	1.0283	2.95	10.69	7.74	38.3	Watered.
ept. 24	Otto Klausch, Johnson Creek	Mansfield's Condensery	1.0339	3.25	12.55	9.30		Slightly skimmed.
et. 3	O. E. Hunt, Windsor	Token Creek Cheese Factory	1.0201	2.57	8.45	5.88	34.1	Watered.
ct. 2	Wm. Butterfield, Windsor	Token Creek Cheese Factory	1.0294	3.17	11.14	7.97	39.9	Below standard in so ids not fat.
et. 4	Anthony Schirpka, Edgar	Our Lady's Cheese Factory	1.0283	2.83	10.37	7.52	37.35	Watered.
et. 4	Anthony Schirpka, Edgar	Our Lady's Cheese Factory	1.0294	3.05	11.19	8.14	38.35	Watered.
ov. 16	John Schneider, Black Creek	Dietrich Cheese Factory	1.0285	3.75	11.41	7.66	37.4	Watered.
1919	John Britt, Stevens Point	Hodsdon's Milk Plant	1.0304	2.97	11.16	8.16	38.9	Watered and skimmed
an. 16 an. 17	John Britt, Stevens Point	Hodsdon's Milk Plant	1.0316	3.15	11.74	8.59	40.0	Slightly watered an skimmed.
an. 28	Rodney Grover, Junction City	Dairy Belt Cheese Factory	1.0219	1.80	7.68	5.88	31.4	Badly watered.
an. 28	Mike Wayarski, Junction City	Dairy Belt Cheese Factory	1.0310	3.00	11.26	8.26	39.5	Below standard in so ids not fat.
an. 28	John Bobrowski, Junction City	Dairy Belt Cheese Factory	1.0303	3.17	11.37	8.20	39.65	Below standard in so ids not fat.
an. 28	Peter Rhoda, Junction City	Dairy Belt Cheese Factory	1.0297	3.02	10.91	7.89	39.3	Below standard in sol ids not fat.
eb. 5	N. Berton, Eagle	Eagle Milk Plant	1.0254	3.10	9.56	6.46	34.5	Watered.
eb. 11	Robert Krause, Genesee	Spring Brook Milk Plant	1.0270	3.15	10.37	7.22	37.6	Watered.
'eb. 15		Whitewater Condensery	1.0319	2.78	11.13	8.35		Below standard in fa
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Feb. 19		Ellis Creek Cheese Factory	1.0251	2.60	9.45	6.85	35.7	Watered.	
Mar. 7	M. Hoesly, New Glarus	New Glarus Condensery	1.030	3.03	11.06	8.03	39.6	Below standard in sol-	
M 10	Nuch The Owners The band	at the attention in the	1 0005	0.00	11 05	0.1-	10.0	ids not fat. Slightly skimmed.	Report
Mar, 19		St. Augustine Cheese Factory	1.0325	2.60	11.05	8.45 7.64	40.6 39.0	Slightly watered.	0
Mar. 19 Mar. 19		St. Augustine Cheese Factory	1.0280	4.10 3.40	11.76 10.90	7.53	39.0	Watered.	0g
Mar. 19 Mar. 19	John Simon, Jr., Hubertus	St. Augustine Cheese Factory St. Augustine Cheese Factory	1.0282	2.35	8.86	6.51	35.3	Watered.	2
Mar. 19 Mar. 19		St. Augustine Cheese Factory	1.0311	2.30	10.72	8.07	40.1	Slightly watered.	t
Mar. 19 Mar. 19		St. Augustine Cheese Factory	1.0285	3.60	11:45	7.85	40.0	Below standard in sol-	of
mai. 10	Mis. John Theis, Hubertus	St. Augustine Cheese Factory	1.0200	0.00	11.10	1.00	10.0	ids not fat.	+
Mar. 19	Wm. Zurn, Hubertus	St. Augustine Cheese Factory	1.0306	2.90	10.80	7.95	40.2	Below standard in fat	W
								and solids not fat.	2.
April 2	Chas. F. Folkman, Clintonville	Sheboygan Dairy Products Co	1.0309	3.20	11.39	8.19	39.8	Below standard in sol-	SC
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, April 2	Chas. F. Folkman, Clintonville	Sheboygan Dairy Products Co	1.032	2.90	11.05	8.15	39.8	Below standard in fat	52.
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April 10		Milladore Cheese Factory Island Cheese Factory	1.0231	2.20	8.09	5.87	32.4	Watered.	2
April 11 April 22	Mrs. C. Schumacher, Johnson C'k	Ayershire Creamery	1.0288	$2.80 \\ 2.60$	10.30 9.56	7.50 6.96	38.0 35.7	Watered. Watered.	
April 22 April 28	Sever Bruce, Cumberland	Cumberland Creamery	1.0259	2.00	9.50	8.26	40.6	Below standard in sol-	ry
April 28	sever bruce, Cumbertand	Cumberland Creamery	1.0313	5.00	11.20	0.20	40.0	ids not fat.	-
May 2	Ben Miller, Portage	Fox Glen Cheese Factory	1.0334	2.45	11.17	8.72	40.5	Skimmed.	9
May 7	Henry Sache, Thiensville	Thiensville Milk Plant	1.0308	3.50	11.34	7.84	38.6	Watered.	20
May 7	Otto Mueller, Thiensville	Thiensville Milk Plant	1.0294	3.30	10.95	7.65	37.6	Watered.	1
May 10	Chas. F. Fritz, White Creek	White Creek Cheese Factory	1.0313	3.10	11.28	8.18	39.0	Below standard in sol-	F
								ids not fat.	0
May 13	Henry Lehman, Juneau	Libby Condensery	1.0285	2.70	10.37	7.67	38.6	Below standard in fat	ood
*						122020		and solids not fat.	1
May 13	Otto Schreiber, Horicon	Libby Condensery	1.0297	2.80	10.59	7.79	39.4	Below standard in fat	0
								and solids not fat.	0
. May 13		Libby Condensery	1,0240	2.3	8.71	6.41	34.5	Watered.	m
May 20		Farmers Home Cheese Factory	1.0276	3.00	10.53	7.53	36.9	Watered.	n
May 21	J. E. Dickeson, Chelsea	Greenwood Cheese Factory		2.00				Below standard in fat.	2.
May 21	Joe Witche, Rib Lake	Greenwood Cheese Factory		2.65			42.1	Below standard in fat.	SS
May 29		Hefty-ZumBrummen Cheese Factory		2.90	11.68	8.78	40.5	Below standard in fat.	20
May 29		Hefty-ZumBrummen Cheese Factory Opie Cheese Factory	1.0318	$2.50 \\ 2.85$	11.17	8.67	39.9 36.4	Skimmed Watered.	n
June 17 June 17		Opie Cheese Factory		2.85	11.48	8.78	30.4 41.7	Below standard in fat.	Commissioner
June 17	A. COOK, Warren, In	opie cheese ractory	1.0000	2.70	11.40	0.10	41.7	below standard in fat.	
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Herd Samples Collected by Inspectors in Connection with Samples Taken at Cheese Factories, Creameries, and City Milk Supplies, Sent to Laboratory for Analysis

Date	From Herd of	Sp. G. 15.5°	Per cent milk fat	Per cent total solids	Per cent solids not fat	I. R. of whey at 20° C.	Remarks
1918							
uly 5	H. Dahlke, Verona	1.0307	3.67	12.20	8.53	39.95	
ly 26	Will Moore, Madison	1.0289	2:95	11.00	8.05	40.0	
ly 26	Will Moore, Madison	1.0292	3.15	11.40	8.25	41.0	
ly 30	St. Swenson, Mt. Horeb	1.0325	3.55	11.97	8.42	39.6	
ly 30	John Mueller, Brodhead (Sample A)	1.0295	3.65	11.91	8.21	40.45	
ly 30	John Mueller, Brodhead (Sample B)	1.0290	3.7	11.90	8.20	40.5	
1g. 7	Tony Hussnur, Bloomer	1.0316	4.27	12.46	8.19		
ig. 7	A. J. Mohr & Son, Bloomer		4.30	12.01	8.71		
pt. 26	Albert Kesten, Johnson Creek	1.0318	3.53	12.00	8.50	41.0	Night's milk.
pt. 27	C. W. Wollin, Johnson Creek	1.0308	3.45	12.17	8.72	41.45	Night's milk.
pt. 27	W. M. Loeder, Johnson Creek	1.0306	2.95	11.20	8.20	39.9	
pt. 27	F. Bogenschneider, Johnson Creek	1.0312	3.57	12.10	8.53		Morning's milk.
pt. 28	Mrs. Helena Mueller, Johnson Creek	1.0292	3.45	11.41	7.99	40.0	Night's milk.
pt. 28	F. Bohnsack, Johnson Creek	1.0308	3.25	· 11.76	8.51		Night's milk.
pt. 28	Otto Klausch, Johnson Creek	1.0322	3.50	12.45	8.93		Morning's milk.
pt. 28	Albert Christian, Lake Mills	1.0322	3.67	12.57	8.92	41.7	Morning's milk.
pt. 29	John Hotts, Fort Atkinson	1.0299	3.25	11.13	7.88	38.6	Night's milk.
et. 3	O. E. Hunt, Windsor	1.0298	3.75	12.17	8.42	41.2	
ct. a	Anthony Schirpka, Edgar	1,0308	4.10	12.64	8.54	39.7	A REAL PROPERTY AND A REAL PROPERTY A REAL PROPERTY A REAL PROPERTY A REAL PROPERTY AND A REAL PROPERTY A REAL PROPERT
ct. 4	Carl Manth, Johnson Creek	1.0323	3.4	11.72	8.36		Night's milk.
	Frank S. Bauer, Grand Rapids	1.0308	4.8	13.58	8.78		Night's milk.
ct. 22	John Schneider, Black Creek	1.0320	4.4	12.95	8.55	40.3	
ov. 19	H. Bergelin, Appleton	1.0315	4.3	12.61	-8.31	41.5	
ec. 17	H. bergenn, Appleton	1.0010					
1919		1 0990	8.5	12.19	8.69	1	
an. 14	Pailip Weber, Marshfield	1.0330	4.37	13.33	8.93	41.4	
an. 17	L. Dexheimer, Sheboygan	1.0328	4.37	13.04	9.04	41.1	
an. 20	John Britz, Stevens Point	1.0329	4.00		8.95	41.0	e and a second second
an. 22	Frank S. Bauer, Grand Rapids	1.0324	4.00	12.40 12.51	8.51	42.3	and the second state
an. 28	J. J. Bobrowski, Junction City	1.0322					and the second second
an. 29	Mike Wayerski, Junction City	1.0317	3.20	11.74	8.54	41.1	

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	Jan. 29	Rodney Grover, Junction City	1.0302	3.00	10.92	7.92	39.2	
	Jan. 29	D I Phode Innetion City	1.0312	3.40	11.71	8.31	42.7	
	Jan. 29	John A Graceby Junction City		5.40			41.9	Night's milk.
	Feb. 10	Nod Burton Fagle	1.0356	3.78	12.90	9.12	41.4	Night's milk.
	Feb. 12	Dobart Vrause Genesee	1.0329		11.22	8.32		
	Feb. 17	C Theyor Whitewater	1.0306	2.9	13.80	9.07	42.6	Night's milk.
	Feb. 25	Nod Burton Fagle	1.0342	4.73	12.50	8.25	42.1	Night's milk.
01		Thomas Soransen, Elkhorn	1.0302	4.25		8.57	41.4	
	Feb. 26	Frank Preisgen, Hartford	1.032	3.87	12.44	8.54	41.5	
	Mar. 31	Fred Larson, Cumberland	1.0305	3.75	12.29		40.3	Night's milk.
	Mar. 14	Frank Preisgen, Hartford	1.0299	5.00	10.02	8.02	40.2	Night's milk.
	Mar. 31	Joe Preisgen, Hartford	1.0307	4.10	12.37	8.27	40.9	THEIR P MININ
	Mar. 31	James Cramton, Beloit	1.0322	3.80	12.74	8.94	38.5	
	Mar. 31	Wm. Zurn, Hartford	1.0290	2.6	10.24	7.64		Morning's milk.
-	April 1	Wm. Zurn, Hartford	1.0301	3.6	11.88	8.22	39.8	Morning's milk.
	April 1	John Simon, Hubertus	1.0320	3.1	11.44	8.34	40.4	Morning's milk.
	April 2	Nick Hoffmann, Hubertus	1.0327	3.2	11.88	8.68	41.4	
	April 2	Robert Kohler, Hartford	1.0297	3.2	11.36	8.16	39.6	Morning's milk.
	April 2	Mrs. John Theis, Hubertus	1.0339	3.40	12.61	9.21	41.9	Mishels mills
	April 2	H. Wauless, Sparta	1.030	3.00	11.03	8.03	39.7	Night's milk.
	April 2	Chas. F. Folkman, Clintonville	1.031	3.20	11.16	7.96	40.0	Night's milk.
	April 11	Anton Brzezinski, Edgar	1.0317	3.25	11.80	8.50	40.3	Night's milk.
	April 23	Mrs. C. Schumacher, Johnson Creek	1.0315	3.4	11.87	8.47	40.0	
	May 2	Ben Miller, Portage	1.035	3.85	12.79	8.94	41.3	
	May 7	Mrs. Wm. Frenz	1.031	3.10	10.84	7.70	38.5	Morning's milk.
	May 8	Otto Mueller, Theinsville	1.028	3.05	10.50	7.45	38.4	
	May 12	Henry Lehmann, Juneau	1.0290	2.9	10.57	7.67	39.3	
	May 13	Tom Bortol Juneau	1.0325	3.65	12.53	8.88	41.9	
	May 14	A. A. Nowak, Juneau	1.0324	4.40	13.18	8.78	41.9	
	May 15	E Nottlaton Stevens Point	1.0330	3.40	12.38	8.98	40.8	
	May 20	Henry Bartel, Ixonia		5.20			41.9	•
	May 26	Too Witche Rib Lake	1.0321	3.20	11.98	8.78	40.7	Night's milk.
	May 26	Otto Mueller Cedarburg	1.0321	3.25	11.90	8.61	39.8	
	June 9	Emil Dichard Monticello	1.0315	2.70	11.06	8.36	39.2	
	June 9	IT Dutor Monticello	1.0321	2.95	11.41	8.46	40.4	
	June 10	Cottligh Zimmerli Monticello	1.0324	3.20	11.93	8.73	40.7	
	June 19	Arthur Boelk, Warren, Ill	1.0324	5.20	11.00	1		
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#### DAIRY PRODUCTS—Continued

# City Milk-Standard

Date	Delivered by	Date	Delivered by
1918 July 26 July 26 Oct. 9 Oct. 9 Nov. 19 Nov. 19 1919 Jan. 13 Jan. 14	B. Rathman, Madison. Ole Gilbertson, Madison. Krenzke Bros., Racine. X. Sauter, Brodhead. C. S. Pierce, Brodhead. Weber Bros. Store, Marshfield. Philip Weber, Marshfield.	1919 Jan. 22 Jan. 22 Jan. 31 Mar. 5 Mar. 5 April 18 May 16 June 11 June 27	Frank Bauer, Grand Rapids. Chas. Simonson, Lone Rock. J. N. Reuter, Prairie du Sac. Clinton Pierce, Brodhead. Brodhead Bakery, Brodhead. Fox Bros., Platteville. Clover Blossom Creamery, Beaver Dam. C. Church, Stevens Point. O. B. Foster, Mauston.

# City Milk-Not Standard

Date	Delivered by	City	Sp. G. 15.5°	Per cent milk fat	Per cent total solids	Per cent solids not fat	I. R. of whey 20° C.	Remarks
1918 July 26 July 26 July 26 July 26 July 26 July 31	Fred Niebuhr, Madison F. Sprecher, Madison T. O. Mandt Dairy, Madison T. O. Mandt Dairy, Madison J. C. Becker, Hurley	Madison Madison Madison	$1.2098 \\ 1.0292$	4.47 3.65 3.90 2.40	$12.51 \\ 11.83 \\ 12.02 \\ 10.16$	8.04 8.18 8.12 7.76	40.0 39.6	Below standard in solids not fat. Below standard in solids not fat. Below standard in solids not fat. Below standard in solids not fat and fat. Milk sour, curdled and partly lost
	Frank S. Bauer, Grand Rapids H. Bergelein, Appleton H. Bergelein, Appleton T. D. Byron, Cuba City David Van Buren, Oshkosh	Appleton Appleton Cuba City	1.0216 1.0225 1.0256	$ \begin{array}{c c} 2.9 \\ 2.9 \\ 3.0 \\ 4.0 \\ 3.6 \end{array} $	$ \begin{array}{c c} 11.72\\ 8.49\\ 8.87\\ 10.75\\ 11.50\\ \end{array} $	8.82 5.59 5.87 6.75 7.90	32.3 34.3 36.9 38.4	through leaky stopper. Immersion re- fractometer reading shows watering. Skimmed. Watered. Watered. Watered. Watered.

Dec. 16	David Van Buren, Oshkosh	Oshkosh	1.0232	3.2	9.87	6.67	35.1	Watered.
Dec. 17	Louise Hoffman, Lancaster	Lancaster	1.0355	1.9	11.15	9.25		Skimmed.
1919								
Jan. 17	L. Dexheimer, Sheboygan	Sheboygan	1.0263	3.15	10.25	7.10	35.2	Watered.
Jan. 31	J. N. Reuter, Prairie du Sac	Prairie du Sac	1.0297	3.85	11.61	8.26	39.9	Slightly below standard in solids not fat as the cows give it.
Feb. 21	Thomas Sorensen, Elkhorn	Elkhorn	1.0276	3.9	11.73	7.83	38.6	Watered.
Mar. 5	F. Miller, Brodhead	Brodhead	1.0301	4.35	12.55	8.20	39.0	Slightly below standard in solids not fat.
		Brodhead	1.0311	3.15	11.47	8.32	39.8	Slightly below standard in solids not fat.
Mar. 5		Lake Geneva	1.0279	4.1	11.64	7.54	37.8	Watered.
Mar. 5	a think ment only mented of the second second		1.0303	2.95	11.10	8.15	39.4	Below standard in fat and solids not fat.
Mar. 12		Argyle						
Mar 12		Argyle	1.0297	3.20	11.27	8.07	39.7	Below standard in fat.
Mar. 13		Cumberland	1.0275	2.85	11.11	7.26	37.9	Watered.
Mar. 20	James Cranston, Beloit	Beloit	1.0315	3.40	11.69	8.29	38.7	Slightly watered.
Mar. 27		Sheboygan Falls	1.0296	2.65	10.31	7.80	39.8	Below standard in fat and solids not fat.
April 1		Clintonville	1.030	3.00	11.09	8.09	39.7	Below standard in solids not fat.
mpin 1	Clintonville.							
April 2		Sparta	1.0350	2.60	11.87	9.27	42.4	Skimmed.
May 7		Milwaukee					35.2	Sour and unfit for complete analysis. Im-
May 7	ans, whit Frenz, Thensville							mersion refractometer reading of whey shows watering.
May 14	E. Nettleton, Stevens Point S	Stevens Point	1.035	3.10	12.29	9.19	42.0	· Skimmed.

# Milk—Submitted Samples

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Date	Submitted by	Sp. G. 15.5°	Per cent milk fat	Per cent total solids	Per cent solids not fat	I. R. of whey at 20° C.
1918 July 3 July 10	Wm. Chunot, Wauzeka. A. J. Miller, Antigo.		3.95 4.05			
uly 10 uly 11 uly 11 uly 11 uly 11	Lester Watson, Wauzeka Ed Babcoek, Madison. Ed Babcoek, Madison. Ed Babcoek, Madison.	$1.0323 \\ 1.0322$	$3.4 \\ 3.72 \\ 2.55 \\ 3.10$	12.36 11.11	8.64 8.56	41.9
uly 11 uly 12 uly 17	Ed Babeoek, Madison. Ed Babeoek, Madison Wendell Scott, Jr., Green Bay.	$1.0323 \\ 1.0326$	$3.70 \\ 3.4 \\ 3.25$	12.42 12.25	8.77 8.85	41.8 42.0

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# DAIRY PRODUCTS—Continued

# Milk—Submitted Samples—Continued

Date	Submitted by	Sp. G. 15.5°	Per cent milk fat	Per cent total solids	Per cent solids not fat	I. R. of whey at 20° C.
Date 1918 uly 25 uly 31 uly 31 ul	Luick Ice Cream Co., Milwaukee.         J. O'Connor, Hartford.         Jeremiah O'Connor, Hartford         Jeremiah O'Connor, Hartford.         J. O'Connor, J. Johnson Creek.         Fred C. Mansfield Co., Johnson Creek.         Fred C. Mansfield Co., Johnson Creek.         Fred C. Mansfield C	15.5° 1.0260 1.0270 1.0305 1.0285 1.0280 1.0299 1.0320 1.0270 1.0310 1.0266 1.0331 1.0244 1.0303 		solids           13.57           12.73           16.22           12.16           12.059           12.8           14.64           12.61           10.72           11.72           9.76           10.77	$\begin{array}{c} 7.67\\ 7.91\\ 9.05\\ 7.96\\ 7.79\\ 8.239\\ 8.8\\ 8.01\\ 8.56\\ 7.82\\ 8.82\\ 6.86\\ 8.27\\ 8.63\\ 8.23\\ \end{array}$	38.0 36.55 40.9 40.85 41.7 41.1
pt. 1 pt. 9 pt. 9	Wm. E. Schratter, Stanley. Fred O. Mansfield Co., Johnson Creek. Fred O. Mansfield Co., Johnson Creek.	1.0291 1.0326 1.0207	3.23 2.97 2.0 3.7	$     \begin{array}{r}             11.22 \\             11.83 \\             7.67         \end{array}     $	7.97 8.86 5.67	39.7
ept. 13 ept. 16 ept. 20 ept. 20	R. J. Rowell, Madison. J. O'Connor, Hartford. J. O'Connor, Hartford. J. O'Connor, Hartford. J. O'Connor, Hartford. J. O'Connor, Hartford. J. O'Connor, Hartford. J. O'Connor, Hartford. Eugene Coisman, Lena.	$\begin{array}{c} 1.0279\\ 1.0292\\ 1.0271\\ 1.0275\\ 1.0328\\ 1.0328\\ 1.0310\\ 1.0297\\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{r} 4.45 \\ 4.17 \\ 4.32 \\ 5.4 \\ 3.85 \\ 2.65 \\ 4.75 \\ 3.6 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{r} 12.31\\ 12.30\\ 11.95\\ 13.355\\ 12.82\\ 11.13\\ 13.125\\ \end{array}$	7.86 8.13 7.639 7.955 8.97 8.48 8.37	

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	Tom Niland, Wauzeka		3.40 .			
Oct. 11	Tom Niland, Wauzeka W. J. Crawford, Madison		4.00			
Oct. 11	W. J. Crawford, Madison. W. J. Crawford, Madison.		2.4			
Oct. 11	W. J. Crawford, Madison. Dietrich Cheese Factory, Black Creek	1 0000	3.6	12.34	8.74	
Oct. 12	Dietrich Cheese Factory, Black Creek E. H. Julius, Neenah	1.0333	0.0	10 69	9.08	
Oct. 29	E. H. Julius, Neenan	1.0337	3.6	12.00		
Oct. 29	E H. Julius, Neenan					
Nov. 6	Lnick Ice Oream Co., Milwaukee					
Nov. 8	Fred Kueng, Monroe					
Nov. 12	I J. Tesar, Wauzeka					
Nov. 18	Lnick Ice Cream Co., Milwaukee					
Nov. 23	M E Renolds, Delavan		4.5			39.6
Dec. 13	C P. Baird, FOX Lake		3.15	11.76	8.61	39.9
Dec. 14	Roach & Seeber, Waterloo		3.15	11.39	8.24	
Dec. 14	Roach & Seeber, Waterloo Roach & Seeber, Waterloo		3.10			
Dec. 23	Roach & Seeber, Waterloo Max Roeber, Delavan					
Dec. 20					A LOUGH STOLL	and the second
1919		1.0337	3.50			
	F. Lubinski, Seymour	1.0329	3.20			
Jan. 3	F. Lubinski, Seymour F. Lubinski, Seymour	1.00000	3.7			
Jan. 3	F. Lubinski, Seymour Wm. Luick, Milwaukee	1.0338	0.97	9.20.		40.4
Jan. 14	Wm. Luick, Milwaukee Wm. Luick, Milwaukee	1.0000	8.75			
Jan. 20	Wm. Lnick, Milwaukee A. F. Guelzow, Portage		3.60			
Feb. 3	A. F. Guelzow, Portage N. G. Crawford, Madison					
Feb. 6	N. G. Orawford, Madison N. G. Orawford, Madison					
Feb. 6	N. G. Orawford, Madison P. Hilger, Waunakee		3.25			
Feb. 21						41.4 .
Feb. 25	Jas. & F. Regan, Hollandale Grace Milton, Hartford					40.3
Feb. 26	Jas. & F. Regan, Hollandale Grace Milton, Hartford. City of Ashland					40.8
Mar. 3	City of Ashland.					
Mar. 3	City of Ashland Evansville Mercantile Association, Evansville		3.5			
Mar. 10	Evansville Mercantile Association, Evansville		4.4			
Mar. 10	G. Hamm, Curtiss O. E. Thym, Pulaski		4.4			
Mar. 13	O. E. Thym, Pulaski O. E. Thym, Pulaski		3.0			
Mar. 13	O. E. Thym, Pulaski O. E. Thym, Pulaski		3.35			
Mar. 13	O. E. Thym, Pulaski		3.05 -			
Mar. 13	O. E. Thym. Pulaski		3.75			00 7
Mar. 14	Edw. Ludke, Green Bay					
Mar. 22						
Mar. 22	Jacob Bayens, Sheboygan					41.2
Mar. 22						43.5
Mar. 22						
Mar. 22	Jacob Bayens, Sheboygan. Jacob Bayens, Sheboygan. Jacob Bayens, Sheboygan.					
Mar. 22	Jacob Bayens, Sheboygan		3.0	1 11.09	0.00	
Mar. 25	Jacob Bayens, Sheboygan James C. Taylor, Gilman		3.05			
Mar. 26	James C. Taylor, Gilman C. Toeblerman, Monroe		3.15	1		. 40.25
Mar. 26 Mar. 26	C. Toeblerman, Monroe C. Toeblerman, Monroe					
Mar. 20	U. LUUUUUUU					

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## Milk-Submitted Samples-Continued

Date	Submitted by	Sp. G. 15.5°	Per cent milk fat	Per cent total solids	Per cent solids not fat	I. R. of whey at 20° C.
1919						,
ar. 26	C. Toeblerman, Monroe		3.3			
ar. 26	C. Toeblerman, Monroe		3.3			41.4
ar. 26	C. Toeblerman, Monroe		3.5			39.3
ar. 26	O. Toeblerman, Monroe		3.9			41.4
r. 26	C. Toeblerman, Monroe	•••••			•••••	40.35
r. 26			3.4			41.3
ril 2		•••••	3.45			40.65
ril 2	Eugene Berger, Oconomowoc	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	4.00			
il 2	C. Walter, Chippewa Falls	•••••				42.3
il 17	C. Walter, Chippewa Falls.					
il 17	Otto Wollner & Co., Hartford					40.1 ·
	Otto Wollner & Co., Hartford					40.3
118	Hugo Brehm, Colby		2.3			
118	Hugo Brehm, Colby		1.9			
	Hugo Brehm, Colby		3.0			
1 22	Otto Mellenthin, Spencer					41.4
6	Fred Pukall, Birnamwood		3.8			
6	Louis Rubens, Casco		2.35			39.7
6	Louis Rubens, Casco		2.85			
7 6	Fred C. Mansfield Co., Johnson Creek	1.0323	3.10	11.72	8.62	
7 6	Fred C. Mansfield Co., Johnson Creek	1.0282	3.30	10.97	7.67	39.5
6	Fred C. Mansfield Co., Johnson Creek	1.0321	3.95	12.52	8.58	
6	Fred C. Mansfield Co., Johnson Creek	1.032	3.45	11.92	8.47	
6	Fred C. Mansfield Co., Johnson Creek	1.030	2.9	10.62	7.72	
6	Fred O. Mansfield Co., Johnson Creek	1.030	3.0	10.77	7.77	
6	Fred C. Mansfield Co., Johnson Creek	1.0285	2.65	10.19	7.54	38.0 .
6	Fred C. Mansfield Co., Johnson Creek	1.0285	2.60	9.97	7.37	37.0
15	F. B. Barrows, Libby, McNeil & Libby Co., Sharon		3.57			
15	F. B. Barrows, Libby, McNeil & Libby Co., Sharon		3.45			
15	F. B. Barrows, Libby, McNeil & Libby Co., Sharon		3.57			
15	F. B. Barrows, Libby, McNeil & Libby Co., Sharon		3.57			
15	F. B. Barrows, Libby, McNeil & Libby Co., Sharon		3.52			
15	F. B. Barrows, Libby, McNeil & Libby Co., Sharon		3.52			
15	F. B. Barrows, Libby, McNeil & Libby Co., Sharon		3.57			

May 15 May 15 May 15 May 15 May 15 May 27 May 28 May 15 May 27 May 27 Ma	F. B. Barrows, Libby, McNeil & Libby Co., Sharon.	3.55     3.57     3.560     3.55     3.55     3.560     3.60     3.60     3.60     3.60     3.45     3.50     3.45     3.50     3.52     3.52     3.50     3.52     3.50     3.65     3.50     3.65     3.50     3.5			Report of Wisconsi
June 4 June 17 June 26	Labby, McNeil & Labby Co., Sharon Frank Shumate, Bagley Wisconsin Butter & Cheese Co., Elkhorn	3.65 2.95	10.92		sin

Miscellaneous Dairy Products-Submitted Samples

Date	Kind	Submitted by	Remarks *
1918 Aug. 20	Condensed milk	Harry Kleuter, Madison	Per cent           Solids         7.13           Ash         1.77           Protein         7.18           Lactose         14.00
ug. 20	Condensed milk	Harry Kleuter, Madison	Fat         7.8           Sucrose         42.4           Solids         72.1           Ash         1.7           Protein         7.0           Lactose         14.0
ov. 1	Evaporated milk Evaporated milk	Oatman Condensed Milk Co., Dundee, Ill Oatman Condensed Milk Co., Dundee, Ill	Fat 8.1 Sucrose 411.1 Total solids 26.8

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#### Dairy Products—Continued

#### Miscellaneous Dairy Products-Submitted Samples

Date Kind		Submitted by	Remarks	
1918 Nov. 1 Nov. 1 Nov. 1 Nov. 1 Nov. 1 Nov. 6 Nov. 11	Evaporated milk Evaporated milk Evaporated milk Evaporated milk Skimmed milk Human milk	Oatman Condensed Milk Co., Dundee, Ill Oatman Condensed Milk Co., Dundee, Ill Oatman Condensed Milk Co., Dundee, Ill Oatman Condensed Milk Co., Dundee, Ill Luick Ice Cream Co., Milwaukee A. W. Cooley, Madison	Total solids         26.3           Total solids         26.1           Total solids         26.1           Fat         0.2           Water         88.2           Protein         1.5           Fat         2.8	
Nov. 18 1919	Skimmed milk	Luick Ice Cream Co., Milwaukee	Sugar         7.2           Ash         .2           Fat         0.3	
Jan. 15 Mar. 6	Skimmed milk Human milk	Luick Ice Cream Co., Milwaukee Dr. A. M. McKellar, Blanchardville	Fat         0.1           Fat         .8           Total solids         9.9           Ash         0.2	
May 27	Milk powder	Geo. J. Weigle, Madison	Protein         1.6           Fat         33.3           Total solids         97.4           Moisture         2.5	

## ·DRIED FRUITS—Bleached with Sulphur Dioxide

Date	Kind	Bought of	Date	Kind	Bought of
1918 Sept. 13 Oct. 1 Oct. 1 Oct. 2	Bleached raisins Evaporated apples Raisins Dried apples	Hegen & Waller, Osseo. Chas. Biendona, Mattoon. Mattoon Merc. Co., Mattoon. Julius Netzel, Crandon.	1918 Oct. 17 Oct. 22 1919 April 22	Silver prunes Bleached raisins Dried peaches	Miscoll & Gorman, Mosinee. Wm. Rabenewish & Son, Park Falls. Alma Center Coop. Co., Alma Ctr.

Date	Kind	Bought of	Manufacturer or Jobber	Remarks
1918		The second s		
Sept. 19	Eggoe	S. D. Nelson, Rhinelander	The Eggoe Co., Marshalltown, Ia.	Analysis shows this product to be com- posed of about 85% of corn starch with about 75% of protein. Artificially col- ored with a coal tar dye to make it appear better or of greater value than it really is.
Sept. 19	Eggine	S. D. Nelson, Rhinelander	Chas. T. Morrissey & Co., Chicago	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed of about 60% corn starch, 23% of protein, most likely casein, artificial color and leavening agents. Adulterated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Misbranded. Label bears a false and misleading statement.
Dec. 6	Sa-Van	F. C. Fuller, Eland	The Nacama Co., Chicago	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn flour or corn starch with a small per- centage of protein and leavening agents. Misbranded. Label states package may be used in place of 3 dozen eggs, which is faise and misleading.
Dec. 17	IXL Egg Saver	Werich Bros., Baraboo	W. C. Laboratories, Chicago	Composed largely of starch. Misbranded. Not an egg saver or egg substitute.
Dec. 17	Magic Egg Saver	H. Potterville, Baraboo	Sherer-Gillett Co., Chicago	Composed largely of starch. Misbranded. Not an egg saver or egg substitute.
Dec. 20	IXL Egg Saver	C. H. Melde, Bayfield	W. C. Laboratories, Chicago	Composed largely of starch. Misbranded. Not an egg saver or egg substitute.
Dec. 20	Eggless	D. C. Marotta, Spooner	American Food Products Co., Minneapolis	Moisture 4.20%, protein 3.80%, starch (corn and rice) 40.55%, fat 0.31%, sugar (re- ducing) 0.67%. Leavening agents, so- dium bicarbonate, tartaric acid or tar- trates, ash 20.40%. Artificial color tu- meric. Adulterated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value.

#### EGG SUBSTITUTES

## Egg Substitutes—Continued

Date	Kind	Bought of	Manufacturer or Jobber	Remarks
1010				
1918 Dec. 21	Egg-Saver	Wm. H. Bubolz, Green Bay	Sherer-Gillett Co., Chicago	Composed largely of starch. Not an egg powder. Misbranded. Not an egg saver or egg substitute.
Dec. 21	Eg-zaet	Grand Union Tea Co., Green Bay	Godfrey & Sons, Milwaukee	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn starch, sugar and leavening agents with gelatin added. Not an egg powder. Adulterated—made to appear better or of greater value by use of artificial color. Misbranded—true character and composi- tion not stated.
Dec. 21	Sa-Van-Eg	H. J. Platten, Green Bay	The Nacama Co., Chicago	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn flour or corn starch, with a small percentage of protein and leavening agents. Not an egg powder. Misbranded—label states package may be used in place of 3 dozen eggs, which is false and misleading.
Dec. 21 Dec. 21	Egg-Sub Egg-less .	H. DeTennis, Green Bay Wm. F. Bubolz, Green Bay	J. West & Co., Chicago American Food Products Co., Minneapolis.	Not an egg powder-adulterated. Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture of corn and rice starch with about 4% of protein, most likely some skim milk, a large percentage of leaven- ing agents and artificially colored. Not an egg powder. Adulterated with arti- ficial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Undoubtedly every- thing accomplished with egg-less could
Dec. 13	Eg-zact	M. A. Droth, Park Falls	Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee	be accomplished with baking powder. Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn starch, sugar and leavening agents with gelatin. Adulterated—made to appear better or of greater value by use of artificial color. Misbranded—true char- acter and composition not stated.

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Dec.	23	Eg-zact	Wm. Carroll, Eau Claire	Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee	Moisture 7.63%, ash 9.48%, sugars 5.29%, fat .58%, protein 6.46%, starch 61.58%. Artificial color tartrazine present. Adul- terated. Made to appear better or of greater value by use of artificial color. Misbranded-true character and compo- sition not stated.	Report
Dec.	23	Eg-zaet	Allen Hansen, Eau Claire	Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee		of Wisco
Dec.	23	Eg-zact	J. A. Hepburn, Eau Claiare	Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn starch, sugar and leavening agents, with gelatin added. Adulterated. Made to appear better or of greater value by use of artificial color. Misbranded—true character and composition not stated.	nsin Dairy
Dec.		Egg-Oline	National Grocery No. 3, Eau Claire	Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee	Same as above. Same as above.	4
	23 23	Sa-Van-Eg	E. Krueger & Son, Fau Claire O. P. Jaeger, Eau Claire	The Nacama Co., Chicago	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn flour or corn starch with a small per- centage of protein and leavening agents. Misbranded-label states package may be used in place of 3 dozen eggs, which is false and misleading.	und Food
Dec.	23	Sa-Van-Eg	C. Denessen, Green Bay	The Nacama Co., Chicago	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn flour or corn starch with a small percentage of protein and leavening agents. Not an egg powder. Misbranded—label states package may be used in place of 3 dozen eggs, which is false and misleading.	Commissi
Dec.	23	Egg-O-Save	Hans Peterson, Eau Claire	Foster Bros., Eau Claire	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn starch, protein and leavening agents. Artificially colored. Adulterated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value.	oner.

# Egg Substitutes—Continued

Date	Kind	Bought of	Manufacturer or Jobber	Remarks
1918 Dec. 23	Egg-O-Save	Geo. Foster, Eau Claire	Foster Bros., Eau Claire	Moisture 5.85%, protein, 7.77%, starch (corn) 63.46%, fat 0.53%, ash 13.50%, sugar (reducing) 1.88%, leavening agents—sodium bicarbonate, calcium acid phosphate. Artificial color tartrazine.
			Parter Prog. Rev. Claim	Adulterated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Misbranded-used fraudulent advertise- ments to sell this product. Qualitative tests show this product to be
Dec. 23	Egg-O-Save	Myher Bros., Eau Claire	Foster Bros., Eau Claire	a mixture composed largely of corn starch, protein and leavening agents, artificially colored. Adulterated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Misbranded—used fraudulent advertisements to sell this product.
Dec. 23	Marvel Powder	Allen Hansen, Eau Claire	Chas. T. Morrissey & Co., Chicago	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture of about 60% corn starch, 23% protein, most likely casein, artificial color and leavening agents. Adulterated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Misbranded— label bears a false and misleading state- ment.
Dec. 23 Dec. 23 Dec. 23	Eggine Marvel Powder Egg-Sub	Wm. Carroll, Eau Claire E. Krueger & Son, Eau Claire F. E. Wicke, Fort Atkinson	Chas. T. Morrissey & Co., Chicago Chas. T. Morrissey & Co., Chicago J. S. Ziegler Company, Chicago	Same as above.
Dec. 23	Eggless	Jacobson Merc. Co., Rice Lake	American Food Products Co., Minneapolis.	abed with attricted at 4.56%, starch (corn and rice) 41.10%, fat 0.93%, sugar (reducing) 1.04%, ash 20.58%, leavening agents, sodium bicarbonate, tartaric acid or tartrates. Artificial color-none. Fraudulent advertising used in connec- tion with sale of this product.

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Dec. 26       Magic Egg Saver       F. J. Brieske, La Crosse       New Method Co., Chicago       Composed largely of st is not an egg saver or a Analysis shows this p posed of about 85% Marshalltown, Iowa.         Dec. 26       Eggoe       Weber Bros., Marshfield       The Eggoe Company, Marshalltown, Iowa.       Composed largely of st is not an egg saver or a Analysis shows this p posed of about 85% about 7½% of proteor or date with a coal ta appear better or of treally is.         Dec. 26       Sa-Van-Eg       Smales Dairy Store, La Crosse       The Nacama Co., Chicago       Qualitative tests show a mixture composed or corn stareh with of protein and leave tests.	(reducing)—trace. eled to show its composition. Label be used in place of is false and mis-
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Date	Kind	Bought of	Manufacturer or Jobber	Remarks	
1918 Dec. 26	Egg-Sub	Imperial Coffee Co., La Crosse		Moisture 5.90%, ash 8.53%, alum and so-	18 R
Dec. 26	Eggnate	F. Hildebrandt, Marshfield	C. L. Hamilton, Grand Rapids, Wis.	1.40%, sugar 4.84 (sucrose), starch 81.85%, fat 0.14%. Artificial color present. Mix- ture of starch, leavening agents and skim milk powder. Adulterated with artificial color. A mixture composed largely of corn starch, skim milk powder and leavening	eport of
Dec. 26	Eggine	Loek & Wisch, Fort Atkinson	Chas. T. Morrissey & Co., Chicago	tions state, "Use as 3 dozen eggs," in- dicating that the package is equivalent to 3 dozen eggs. Adulterated with arti- ficial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Qualitative tests show this product	Wisconsin L
Dec. 26 Dec. 27	Eggine	J. M. Bienfang, Jefferson Jos. Gilberg, La Crosse	Chas. T. Morrissey & Co., Chicago American Food Products Co.,	23% protein, most likely casein, artificial color and leavening agents. Adulterated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Misbranded label bears a false and misleading state- ment.	Dairy and H
		ς	Minneapolis.	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture of corn and rice starch with about 4% of protein, most likely some skim milk, a large percentage of leaven- ing agents, and artificially colored. Adulterated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Undoubtedly everything accomplished	Food Com
ec. 27	Eg-zact	S. Felbel, Fort Atkinson	Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee	appear better or of greater makes	ommissioner.
				use of artificial color. Misbranded-true character and composition not stated.	

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Dec.	21	7	Sa-Van-Eg	John H. Tietz, La Crosse	The Nacama Company, Chicago	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn flour or corn starch with a small percentage of protein and leavening agents. Mis- branded—label states package may be used in place of 3 dozen eggs, which is false and misleading.	Report
Dec.	2	7	Eg-U-Sav	Leonard Ott, Fort Atkinson	Wm. H. Thompson, Mazomanie	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn starch, protein and artificial color. Mis- branded-package bears a false and mis- leading statement.	of
Dec.	2'	7	Eggine	Leonard Ott, Fort Atkinson	Chas. T. Morrissey & Co., Chicago	Moisture 6.16%, ash 6.43%, nitrogen 3.65%, protein 22.81%, sucrose 0.33%, starch 58.16%. Color, artificial. Leavening agents present. Adulterated with arti- ficial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Misbranded—label bears a false and misleading statement.	Wisconsin 1
Dec.	2	8	Egona	Schaefer Bros., Appleton	C. C. Knell Co., Milwaukee	Misbranded. Label states replaces eggs, which is false and misleading.	Da
Dec.	2	8	Eggoe	O. J. Ruhsam, Appleton	The Eggoe Oompany, Marshalltown, Iowa.	Analysis shows this product to be com- posed of about 85% corn starch with about 74% of protein. Artificially col- ored with coal tar dye to make it appear better or of greater value than it really is.	airy and
Dec.	2	8	Sa-Van-Eg	R. L. Herrman, Appleton	The Nacama Co., Chicago	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn flour or corn starch, with a small percentage of protein and leavening agents. Mis- branded—label states package may be used in place of 3 dozen eggs, which is false and misleading.	Food Con
Dec.	2	8	Eggnit	A. J. Herrman, Appleton	C. H. Stuart & Co., Newark, N. Y.	Qualitative tests show it to be composed largely of corn starch with leavening agents. Artificially colored. Adulter- ated-artificially colored to make it ap- pear better or of greater value.	Commissio
Dec.	2	8	Eggine	Sam Huffman, Richland Center	Chas. T. Morrissey & Co., Chicago	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture of about 60% corn starch, 23% of protein, most likely casein, arti- ficial color, and leavening agents. Adul- terated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Mis branded—label bears a false and mislead-	ner. 79
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Date	Kind	Bought of	Manufacturer or Jobber	Remarks
1918 Dec. 28 Dec. 30	Eggine Eg-Zact	O. W. Rogge, Appleton Economy Tea & Coffee Co., Milwaukee.	Chas. T. Morrissey & Co., Chicago Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee.	Same as above. Moisture 4.23%, starch (corn and potato) 58.00%, protein (gelatin) 6.07%, fat 0.31%, sucrose 10.54%, reducing sugars 0.96%, sodium chloride 5.51%, calcium acid phosphate 4.14%, sodium bicarbon- ate present. Artificial color tartrazine present. Artificial color tartrazine present. Adulterated-made to appear better or of greater value by use of arti-
Dec. 30	Eggette	Economy Tea & Butter Co., Milwaukee.	Bestever Products Co., Chicago	ficial color. Misbranded-true character and composition not stated. Analysis shows this product to be a mix- ture of corn starch and skim milk, milk powder, artificial colored. Misbranded- bears a false and misleading statement. Does not save eggs. Adulterated with
1919 fan. 2	Eggnate	W. A. Cooper, Berlin	C. L. Hamilton & Co., Grand Rapids, Wis.	artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Moisture 5.50%, protein 11.93%, starch (corn) 56.63%, fat 0.42%, sugar (lactose) 12.90%, leavening agents-sodium-biear- bonate, calcium acid phosphate, arti- ficial color tartrazine. Adulterated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Misbranded-used fraudulent advertising to sell this prod-
an. 2	Eggoe	Frank Sroda, Stevens Point	Copps Grocery Co., Stevens Point.	uct. Moisture 7.25%, protein 7.64%, ash 0.60%, starch 84.58%, reducing sugars, trace present, not sufficient for analysis. Col-
an. 2	Eggoe	J. L. Jensen, Stevens Point	Copps Grocery Co., Stevens Point.	oring matter identified as tartrazine. Moisture 7.29%, ash 0.60%, protein 6.69%, starch 85.47%, reducing sugars—trace, not sufficient for analysis. Coloring mat- ter-tartrazine.

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	Jan.	2	Sa Van	A. F. Cujak, Berlin	The Nacama Co., Chicago	or corn starting and leavening agents. Mis- branded—label states package may be used in place of 3 dozen eggs, which is faise and misleading.
6	Jan.	3	Egg Saver	F. G. Pierce, Medford	Sherer-Gillett Co., Chicago	Composed largely of starch. Misbranded- not an egg saver or egg substitute.
	Jan.		Eg-Zact	J. M. Coulter, Reedsburg	Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn starch, sugar and leavening agents with gelatin added. Adulterated—made to ap- pear better or of greater value by the use of artificial color. Misbranded—true
	Jan.	3	Sa-Van-Eg	F. Wittkamp, Milwaukee	The Nacama Co., Chicago	character and composition not stated. Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn flour or corn starch with a small percentage of protein and leavening agents. Mis- branded—label states package may be used in place of 3 dozen eggs, which is
	Jan. Jan.		Sa-Van-Eg Eggnate	Much & Mallory, Berlin J. F. Dolliver, Berlin	The Nacama Co., Chicago C. L. Hamilton & Co., Grand Rapids, Wis.	false and misleading. Same as above. A mixture composed largely of corn starch, skim milk powder and leavening agents. Artificially colored. Misbranded. Directions state, "Use as 3 dozen eggs", indicating that the package is equiva- lent to 3 dozen eggs. Adulterated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value.
	Jan. Jan.			W. A. Grotta, Berlin Much & Mallory, Berlin		or of greater Value. Same as above. Moisture 5.48%, protein 11.45%, starch (corn) 56.98%, fat 0.37%, ash 7.64%, s ug ar (lactose) 12.84%, leavening a g en t s-sodium blearbonate, calcium acid phosphate, artificial color-tartra- zine. Adulterated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Misbranded-used fraudulent ad- vertisements to sell this product.

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1919 Jan. 3	Eggnate	G. A. Stubbe, Berlin	C. L. Hamilton & Co., Grand Rapids, Wis.	Starch (corn) large percentage, artificial color tartrazine. Leavening agents— phosphate, calcium, sodium bicarbonate. Misbranded—directions state, "Use as 3 dozen eggs," indicating that the pack-
Jan. 4	Eg-Zact	Everson Grocery Co., Eau Claire	Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukce	age is equivalent to 3 dozen eggs. Adul- terated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value.
Jan. 4 Jan. 4	Eg-Zact Marvel Powder	Wm. Carroll, Eau Claire Ad. Bachman, Eau Claire	Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee Chas. T. Morrissey & Co., Chicago	character and composition not stated. Same as above. Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture of about 60% corn starch, 23% of protein, most likely casein, artificial color and leavening agents. Adulterated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Misbranded— label bears false and misleading state-
Jan. 6	Eg-Zaet		Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee	a mixture composed largely of corn starch, sugar and leavening agents, with gelatin added. Adulterated—made to ap- pear better or of greater value by the use of artificial color. Misbranded—true
fan. 6 fan. 6 fan. 6	Eg-Zact. Eg-Zact. Eg-Zact.	F. W. Rigli, Eau Claire Geo. J. Neher, Eau Claire Jos. Sokup, Ohippewa Falls	Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee Foster Bros. Co., Eau Claire	character and composition not stated. Same as above. Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn starch, protein and leavening agents, artificially colored. Adulterated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Misbranded—used fraudulent advertisements to sell this product.

Jan. 6 Jan. 6	Egg-O-Save Egg-O-Save	C. Nelson Estate, Eau Claire National Grocery Co. No. 4, Eau Claire.	Foster Bros. Co., Eau Claire Foster Bros. Co., Eau Claire	Same as above. Moisture 5.60%, protein 15.87%, starch (corn) 56.07%, fat 0.86%, ash 10.30%, sugar (reducing) 3.75%, leavening agents: sodium bicarbonate, calcium acid phos- phat; artificial color, tartrazine. Adul- terated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Mis- branded—used fraudulent advertisements to sell this product.
Jan. 6	Marvel Powder	Geo. J. Neher, Eau Claire	Chas. T. Morrissey & Co., Chicago	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture of about 60% corn starch, 23% of protein, most likely casein, arti- ficial color and leavening agents. Adul- terated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Mis- branded-label bears a false and mis- leading statement.
Jan. 6	Eg-Zact	J. E. Bagley, Berlin	Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn. starch, sugar and leavening agents with gelatin added. Adulterated—made to ap- pear better or of greater value by the use of artificial color. Misbranded—true
Jan. 10	IXL Egg Saver	Hanlon Bros., Racine	W. C. Laboratories, Chicago	character and composition not stated. Composed largely of starch. Misbranded— not an egg saver or egg substitute.
Jan. 15 Jan. 19	Magia For Saver	A. Brooks, Kenosha *Eau Claire Grocery Co., Eau Claire	Sherer-Gillett Co., Chicago	Same as above. Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn starch, protein and leavening agents, artificially colored. Adulterated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Misbranded-used fraudulent advertisements to sell this product.
Jan. 21	Eggoe	Giebmk Bros., Waupun	The Eggoe Company, Marshalltown, Iowa.	Analysis shows this product to be com- posed of about 85% of corn starch with about 7½% of protein. Artificially col- ored with a coal tar dye to make it ap- pear better or of greater value than it really is.

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1919				
Jan. 27	Sa-Van-Eg	Chas. Kranich, Jr., Waukesha		Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn flour or corn starch with a small percentage of protein and leavening agents. Mis- branded—label states package may be
		,		used in place of 3 dozen eggs, which is false and misleading.
Jan. 28	Egg-O-Save	Robert Steinbring, Menomonie	Foster Bros. Co., Eau Claire	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn starch, protein and leavening agents, artificially colored. Adulterated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value. Misbranded—used fraudulent advertisements to sell this product.
Jan. 30	Eggo	*Fischer's Pharmacy, Plymouth	······	Moisture 9.58%, corn starch 63.49%, casein 11.00%, fat-trace. Analysis shows this to be a mixture of corn starch and skim milk powder artificially colored.
Jan. 30	Eggette	*George J. Weigle, Dairy and Food Commissioner, Madison.		Moisture 9.21%, corn starch 56.12%, pro- tein 26.1%, fat 0.57%, lactose—not deter- mined. Ash—not determined. Analysis shows this product to be a mixture of corn starch and skim milk powder arti- ficially colored.
Mar. 10	Eggnate	H. F. Loock, Grand Rapids	C. H. Stuart & Co., Newark, N. Y.	A mixture composed largely of corn starch, skin milk powder and leavening agents. Misbranded-directions state, "Use as 3 dozen eggs", indicating that the package is equivalent to 3 dozen eggs. Adulterated with artificial color to make it appear better or of greater value.
Mar. 10 Mar. 10		Johnson & Hill, Grand Rapids Gottschalk & Anderson, Grand Rapids.	C. H. Stuart & Co., Newark, N. Y. C. H. Stuart & Co., Newark, N. Y.	Same as above.

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Mar. 18	Eg-Zact	Frank J. Balgie, South Kaukauna.	Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee	Qualitative tests show this product to be a mixture composed largely of corn starch, sugar and leavening agents with gelatin added. Adulterated—made to ap- pear better or of greater value by the use of artificial color. Misbranded—true
Mar. 24	Sa-Van-Eg	Central Drug Co., Milwaukee	The Nacama Co., Chicago	use of artificial composition not stated. Moisture 10.52%, protein 6.50%, starch (corn) 73.88%, fat 0.29%, reducing sugar 1.25%, ash 4.03%, leavening agents: sodi- um bicarbonate, calcium acid phosphate, alum. Misbranded-label states package
April 7	Egg Saver	Boerner-Kuether Co., Cedarburg	Sherer-Gillett Co., Chicago	may be used in place of 3 dozen eggs, which is false and misleading. ' Composed largely of starch. Misbranded— not an egg saver or egg substitute. Mixture of starch, leavening agents and
April 9 April 10	Ny arange		Reliable Mfg. Co., Chicago Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee	skim milk powder. Adulterated with artificial color.
April 10	Eg-Zact	R. Stelling & Co., Port Washington	Sunbeam Products Co., Milwaukee	pear better or of greater value by the use of artificial color. Misbranded-true character and composition not stated.

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Date	Kind	Bought of or Submitted by	Manufacturer or Jobber	Remarks
1918 July 10 Sept. 13 Sept. 13 Sept. 13 Oct. 16	Vanilla compound Vanilla flavor Lemon flavor Lemon extract Lemon extract		H. P. Coffee Co., St. Louis	Not standard. Contains little or no va nilla.
Oct. 16 Oct. 29	Lemon extract Lemon extract	Thielman Meat & Gro. Co., Merrill. Micheel & Sandvig, Menomonie	Chicago. E. W. Gillett Co., Chicago Foster Bros. Co., Eau Claire	Standard. Not standard. Contains no oil of lemon.
1919 Mar. 21 Mar. 28 April 17 May 9	Lemon extract Lemon extract Rosebud imitation vanilla	*Coconos Chemical Co., St. Louis John Wiric. Loyal Frank Wrzosek, Stanley *S. O. Shannon Co., Appleton	Durand & Kasper Co., Chicago Foster Bros. Co., Chippewa Falls	Not standard. Contains coumarin. Misbranded. Contents not given. Not standard. Contains no oil of lemon. Not standard. Not a vanilla compound.
May 9	flavoring. Rosebud imitation lemon flavoring.	*S. C. Shannon Co., Appleton		Passed.

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1918 July 8 July 18	Oup cake	<ul> <li>W. N. Parker, U. S. Dept. of Justice, Madison.</li> <li>Food. Administration, Madison</li> <li>Food Administration, Madison</li> </ul>	and other rocky material.
July 18 Aug. 19 Oct. 14 1919 Feb. 24	Corn flakes         Peanut butter         Peanut cookies         Peanut butter	Edward A. Babcock, Madison Geo. J. Weigle, Madison	sand present. Suspected of containing glass. None found. Considerable sand present. One cooky has on it a small sized pebble, proved to be quartz by the polarizing microscope. Several shiny particles found also proved to be quartz. No glass found. A number of large groups of quartz crystals are present. These are of a size that might be called pebbles.

# FOODS SUSPECTED OF CONTAINING GROUND GLASS

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Date	Bought of. or Submitted by	Remarks
Oct. 25	James Esterl, Park Falls Jos. Frkowicz, Mellen Tom Butkowicz, Mellen *Conrad Rajek, Marathon	Standard.

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Date	Bought of or Submitted by	Manufacturer or Jobber
1918 July 1 Aug. 26 Aug. 27 Oct. 7	American Cooperative Assn., Richland Center Chas. Bertram, Marion *D. E. Fitzgerald, Racine *Opera House Drug Store, Superior	Southern States Turpentine Co., Cleveland.
Mar. 7 Mar. 28 April 11 May 15 June 4	*A. Schneider, Oshkosh *E. J. Goetsch, Watertown	Midland Linseed Oil Co. National Linseed Co., Cleveland.
June 5 June 6 June 6 June 6 June 6 June 6	McCarthy Drug Store, Madison. Warman & Bruce, Madison. Fred Klein Co., Madison. Dresen & Rhodes, Madison. N. Randley, Madison	

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Date	Submitted by	Remarks
Aug. 18 Aug. 30	Kohler Improvement Co., Kohler	22.74% adulteration,adulteration being cylinder or lubricating oil.

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Date	Kind	Bought of or Submitted by	Remarks
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1918	Therease wishin	*Ed McLean, Green Bay	No sulphites present.
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ig. 19	Paint oil	*Martens Bros., Kilbourn	Contains little or no linseed oil. Composed largely of mineral oil and resin oil.
10.5			No adulteration found
pt. 10	Pineapple fingers	W. C. Schmeisser Co., Shawano	Tested for prohibited chemical preservatives. None found.
pt. 11	Icene Body sugar	*U. S. Food Administration, Madison	Found to be dehydrated glucos?.
pt. 11	Cold storine	Geo. Nelson, Ladysmith	Tested for prohibited chemical preservatives. None found.
pt. 17	Creme fluff	Geo. Elser. Beaver Dam	Found to be calcium sucrate.
ept. 24 ept. 25	California cherries	Miller-Waterman Co., Cumberland	Flavor good for this kind of cherry. Very little if any benzal
spt. 20	Camorina cherrics		dehyde. Considerable alcohol.
pt. 26	Pork and beans	W. N. Richardson, Beaver Dam	Adulterated—unable to find pork. No adulteration.
pt. 26	Red kidney beans	W. N. Richardson, Beaver Dam	Flavor: benzaldehyde. Very poor cherries. Tough and woody.
et. 7	Observation	I B Bremann, Wittenberg	Suspected of containing glass. None found.
et. 7	Jam (strawberry)	*U. S. Food Administration, Madison	Suspected of containing glass. None found.
et. 7			
et. 8			Flavor: mint. Cherries of poor quality; woody.
et. 11	Cherries	Dusel Mercantile Co., Turtle Lake *State Oil Insp. Dept., Madison	Found to be a commercial sample of benzol.
et. 11	Oil	*C. W. Skowland, Marinette	No adulteration found.
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et. 18 et. 18	The mine of	Frank Hanneman, Wausau	Found to be full of worms.
et. 28			
ov. 10	Tand -il (0 complex)	*Hinchev_Phillins Burr Co., weyauwega	One sample round to contain tore
ec. 30	Aspirin tablets	Warner Bros., Ashland	Salicylic acid 97.6%, aspirin 2.4%.
1919		Tanata Market Barlin	Standard.
nn. 2	Evaporated milk	Lange's Market, Berlin *C. F. Lee, Madison	Salierlie agid present
in. 2	Strawberry Jam	E. Link, Hales Corners	
an. 24	Transmal condial	And Starkosky, Thrue Lake	Adulterated. Contains sodium benzoate.
eb. 6	Sut Not	*Federal Fuel Administration, Madison	Caller ablarida (common sait)
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			Manganese dioxide
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Date	Kind	Bought of or Submitted by	Remarks .
1919			
dar. 3 dar. 18	Honey Pie filling	*John Kuehl, Thorp Schermitzler Bros., South Kaukauna	Free from adulteration. Not standard. Composed largely of corn starch; some choco- late and cocoanut present. Artificially colored to make it appear better or of greater value than it really is.
far. 24 far. 31	Honey Pork and beans	*Geo Stuhlfouth, Wausau E. A. Kohlhopp, Eau Claire	Bree from adulteration. Beans found to be unprocessed and unfit for consumption. Not spoiled.
pril 1 pril 1 pril 9	Cheese Lemon juice	Johnson Bros., Eau Claire Oscar Ballerude, Eau Claire W. A. Gillmore, Durand	Misbranded. Contains less than stated weight. Misbranded as to weight. Not standard. Contains benzoate of soda.
pril 11 pril 11 pril 17 pril 23	Separator slime Ice cream powder	*Mr. Mace, State Board of Health, Madison *N. L. Holt, Beloit	Tested for protein and fat. Both found present. Found to be partly dextranized corn starch.
pril 30 fay 2	Evaporated milk	*Chas. Schiebler, Appleton D. Reik, Milwaukee *J. J. McGillivray, Chippewa Falls	Tested for chemical preservatives. None found. Standard. Impossible to determine whether hog had died from disease by examining a small piece of meat.
lay 4 lay 6	Salt Lemon pie filling	*Witt's Grocery, Ripon R. F. Davis, Milwaukee	Tested for bromides. None found. Found to be a mixture of corn starch and citric acid. Flavored with terpeneless oil of lemon.
ay 7 ay 20 ay 20	Salad dressing	*Gene Lambert, Tomahawk A. Dernehl & Sons Co., Milwaukee J. C. Rostel, Milwaukee	Found to be potassium nitrate. Benzoic acid present. Benzoic acid present.
ay 20 ay 26 une 4	Paint Canning compound	Boston Store, Milwaukee *Anton Moeth, Sun Prairie A. F. Werner, Black River Falls	No benzoie acid found. Contains about 31% of a comparatively light mineral oil. Composed of boric acid and sodium chloride.
une 5 une 10	Sweet oil Brown sugar	J. Verhulst, Milladore *Brey-Leischow & Zander, Algoma	No adulteration found. Sorghum sugar sold for brown sugar.

#### Date Bought of or Submitted by Manufacturer or Jobber Results Remarks 1918 Per cent Oct. 15 \*Harry Klueter, Madison ..... Swift & Co., Chicago ..... Contains an excessive Salt and curd...... 7.06 amount of moisture. Low Fat ..... 70.80 in fat. A. Mack, Madison...... Swift & Co., Chicago..... Contains an excessive Oct. 21 Moisture ..... 19.80 amount of moisture. A. & P. Tea Co., Madison ..... Armour & Co., Chicago .... Oct. 21 Moisture ..... 13.20 Salt and curd..... 4.79 Salt and ash ..... 3.69 A. & P. Tea Co., Madison..... Geo. P. Braun Co., Chicago Moisture ..... Oct. 21 10.17 Salt and curd..... 3.63 Salt and ash..... 2.43 Fat ..... 86.20 Geo. M. Link, Madison..... W. J. Moxley, Chicago..... Moisture ..... 11.31 Oet. 21 Salt and eurd..... 5.76 Fat ..... 82.93 Salt and ash..... 4.281 E. L. Hatfield. Madison..... Moisture ..... Oct. 21 12.96 Salt and curd..... 5.49 Salt and ash..... 4.28 Curd ..... 1.21 Fat ..... 81.55 Simon Bros., Madison..... E. R. Godfrey & Sons, Moisture ..... Oct. 21 12.35 Salt and curd..... Milwaukee. 4.67 3.51 Salt and ash..... 1.47 Curd 82.98 Fat ..... Troco Nut Butter Co., Oct. 21 Piper Bros., Madison..... Moisture ..... 14.41 Milwaukee. Salt and curd..... 5.40 Salt and ash..... 3.64 Curd ..... 1.76 Fat ..... 80.19 Simon Bros., Madison...... Jelke Co., Chicago...... Moisture ..... 11.60 Oct. 21 4.25 Salt and curd..... Salt and ash..... 2.84 Curd ..... 1.41 Fat ..... 84.15

#### OLEOMARGARINE

#### Oleomargarine-Continued

Date	Bought of or Submitted by	Manufacturer or Jobber	Results	Remarks
1919 Oct. 30 Nov. 27 Dec. 13 Dec. 28 Dec. 30 Dec. 31	Stanz Modern Grocery, Fond du Lac. *G. A. Servis, Madison Henry Luetzow, Lake Mills Schaefer Bros., Appleton Buehler Bros., Fond du Lac A. Voegeli, Monticello	Swift & Co., Chicago	Moisture         11.28           Salt and curd.         4.74           Fat         83.98           Salt and ash.         3.51           Curd         1.23	held to be in semblance of yellow butter. Held to be in semblance of yellow butter. Held to be in semblance of vellow butter.
1919 Feb. 7 Feb. 17 Mar. 6 Mar. 6 May 6	B. A. Pieser, Turtle Lake Miller-Waterman Co., Cumberland E. A. Peterson, Ellsworth John Long & Sons, Stanley Frank Fahland, Clam Falls	Downey-Farrell Co., Chicago. Swift & Co., Chicago North Western Egg & Poul- try Co., Eau Claire.	······	benzoate of soda. Not standard. Contain benzoate of soda. Held to be in semblance of yellow butter.

\* Submitted by.

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Date	Bought of or Submitted by	Manufacturer or Jobber	Remarks
Dec. 6 Dec. 6 1919 Feb. 19	Peter Chiodo, Cumberland Peter Chiodo, Cumberland J. M. Hoveid, Menomonie Micheel-Sandvig Co., Menomonie Waterman-Erhard Co., Menomonie *La Piana Drug Co., Milwaukee *La Piana Drug Co., Milwaukee L Pucci, Kenosha	La Piana Drug Co., Milwaukee La Piana Drug Co., Milwaukee H. J. Heintz, Pittsburgh The Garibaldi Co., Chicago The Pomplean Co., Baltimore, Md	Badly adulterated with cottonseed oil. Contains little or no olive oil. Standard. Misbranded. Contents not correctly stated. Standard. No adulteration found. No adulteration found. Badly adulterated with cottonseed oil. Contains little or no olive oil.

\* Submitted by.

## POTATO FLOUR

Date	Bought of	Manufacturer or Jobber	Date	Bought of	Manufacturer or Jobber
	Geo. Post, Barron Young & Co., Monroe Wm. Steinmeyer Co., Milwaukee.		July 1	Lee Dros, De a Oconomowoe	Sprague Warner Co., Chicago.

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#### Potato Flour-Found to be mixtures or potato starch

Date	Bought of	Manufacturer or Jobber	Remarks
1918			
July 1	Miller & Weaver, Monroe	Guejer & Calkins, Freeport, Ill	Not a potato flour. A mixture of about 80% corn starch and 20% potato flour.
July 1	Carroll Brothers, Monroe	Henry Horner Co., Chicago	Not a potato flour. A mixture of about 80% corn starch and 20% potato starch.
July 1	E. H. Smith, New London	J. P. Thern & Co., New London	Not a potato flour. A mixture of about 75% corn starch and 25% potato starch.
July 1 July 1	Paul Bielecke, Dodgeville V. G. Berryman, Dodgeville	W. M. Hoyt, Chicago	Not a potato flour. Found to be potato starch. Not a potato flour. A mixture of about 75% corn starch and 25% potato flour.
July 1 July 1	Wm. Steinmeyer Co., Milwaukee Woodward Bros., Little Rapids	J. C. Morgan Co., Traverse City, Mich G. B. Hess Co., Green Bay Stein, Hall & Co., Chicago	Not a potato flour. Found to be potato starch. Not a potato flour. Found to be potato starch. Not a potato flour. Found to be potato starch.
July 1 July 1 July 1	Vienna Bakery, Wausau Chas. H. Wegner, Wausau G. A. Osswald, Wausau	Stein, Hall & Co., Chicago	Not potato flour. Found to be potato starch. Not potato flour. Found to be potato starch.
July 1 July 1 July 1	Geo. E. Lindsey, Wausau	Stein, Hall & Co., Chicago	Not potato flour. Found to be potato starch. Not potato flour. Found to be potato starch.
July 1	Henry Pagenkopf, Wausau	Stein, Hall & Co., Chicago	Not potato flour. Found to be potato starch.
July 1 July 1	G. A. Rick, Wausau Clarence Webster, Melvina		Not potato flour. Found to be potato starch. Not potato flour. Found to be potato starch.
July 1	Walter & Frederickson Co., Oconomowoc		Not potato flour. A mixture of about 10% po- tato starch and 90% corn starch.
July 1	Hellerude Grocery, Brodhead	Reid, Murdoch Co., Chicago	Adulterated. Not a potato flour-potato starch.
July 1 July 1	A. Johnson Co., Oconomowoe Chas. Walter, Oconomowoe	Stein, Hall & Co., Chicago Edward Dewey, Milwaukee	Not potato flour. Found to be potato starch. Not potato flour. Found to be potato starch.
July 2	Mrs. John Winters, Ixonia		Not potato flour. Found to be potato starch.
July 2	Wm. Dittberner, Ixonia	Watertown Grocery Co., Watertown	Not potato flour. Found to be potato starch.
July 2	G. H. Marks, Madison	Gould, Wells & Blackburn Co., Madison	Not potato flour. A mixture of about 25% po- tato starch and 75% corn starch.
July 2	H. Mack, Madison	Gould, Wells & Blackburn Co., Madison	Not potato flour. A mixture of about 20% po- tato stareh and 80% corn starch.
July 2	Frank Bros., Madison	Gould, Wells & Blackburn Co., Madison	Not potato flour. A mixture of about 20% po- tato starch and 80% corn starch.

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July 2	John L. Colby, Madison	Gould, Wells & Blackburn Co., Madison	Not potato flour. A mixture of about 15% po-
July 9	Taylor Feed Store, Platteville	Stein Hell & Co. Chiango	tato starch with about 85% corn starch. Not potato flour. Found to be potato starch. Not potato flour. A mixture of about 90% corn
July 10	Stadel Bros., Benton	R. Barrett, Galena, Ill Dahlman & Inbush Co., Milwaukee	starch and 10% potato starch.

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## Potato Flour-Submitted Samples

Date	· Submitted by	Remarks
1918 July 2 July 3 July 11 July 20 July 22 July 22 July 29 July 29 Aug. 21	Food Administration, Madison H. Klueter, Madison Ruth Henderson, Home Dem. Agent, Kenosha Jake Fiedman, Madison C. J. Kremer, Milwaukee C. J. Kremer, Milwaukee C. J. Kremer, Milwaukee C. J. Kremer, Milwaukee Wm. Dressen, Waupaca	No adulteration found. Not potato flour. Found to be potato starch. Not potato flour. Found to be potato starch. Not potato flour. Found to be corn starch with approximately 15 to 20% potato starch.

#### SACCHARINE PRODUCTS

Date	Kind	Bought of or Submitted by	Manufacturer or Jobber	Remarks
1918				Not standard. Contains more than 35%
July 10	Syrup	*Carl Peters, La Crosse		of water.
Aug. 15		Rhinelander Bottling Works, Rhinelander.		Not standard. Contains benzoate of soda.
Aug. 19	1111			Not standard. Contains more than 35% of water. One third of the total sugars is invert sugar.
Aug. 19	Cane syrup	Frommes Chemical Co., La Crosse	Frommes Chemical Co., La Crosse	is invert sugar.
Oct. 22		Wm. Rebenoursh & Sons, Park Falls.	Gowan-Lenning-Brown Co., Duluth, Minn.	No adulteration found.
Oct. 24	Maple syrup	*Wallace H. Lord, Waupaca		No adulteration found.
Nov. 7	Maple sugar	Farmers Store Co., Chippewa Falls.	·····	Sample contained large amount of sand and woody material, presumably bark. Unfit for use.
1919	-	Higgins & Hughes, New Richmond	Fred Fear Co. New York	No adulteration found.
Jan. 9				
April 14				
April 15 April 15				
April 16	Manla annun	*I I Watson Manifowoe		No adulteration ipund.
April 17	Maple syrup	Chas. Salak Co., Manitowoc		manufacturer or dealer. No statement
June 16 June 16	Maple syrup Maple syrup	*M. Johnson, Hartford *M. Johnson, Hartford		Below legal standard in solids. Below legal standard in solids.

### TURPENTINE

## Turpentine-Standard

Dute	· Submitted by	Date	_ Submitted by
1919 Mar. 12 Mar. 25	Consolidated Water Power & Paper Co., Grand Rapids. C. C. Sniteman Co., Neillsville (bought of).	April 10 April 10	Rudolph Andres, Tomah H. F. Mallman, Sheboygan Falls.

Tur	pentine-	-Not	Stand	lard
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Date	Bought of	Remarks
1918 Aug. 26 1919 May 1	Ches. Bertram, Marion Blecka & Hemig, Athens	Adulterated with 72% of a mineral oil of the nature of kerosene. Adulterated with 72% of a mineral oil of the nature of kerosene.

# VINEGAR

Date	Submitted by	Grams acetic acid per 100 ccs.	Remarks
1918 July 10 Aug. 30 Sept. 10 Oct. 25 Oct. 29 Oct. 29 Oct. 29 Oct. 29 Oct. 29 Oct. 29 Oct. 29 Oct. 29 Oct. 31 Nov. 27 Nov. 27 Nov. 27 Nov. 27 Dec. 30 Dec. 30	Stolper Bros. Co., Plymouth	$\begin{array}{c} 2.5\\ 4.58\\ 1.68\\ 4.425\\ 1.4\\ 0.75\\ 3.42\\ 4.0\\ 0.84\\ 3.8\\ 5.2\\ 4.0\\ 2.79\\ 5.52\\ 1.53\\ 4.26\\ 2.2\\ 1.53\\ 4.26\\ 2.2\\ 1.53\\ $	Not standard. Not standard. Standard. Standard. Not standard. Not standard. Not standard. Not standard. Not standard. Not standard Standard. No adulteration found. Not standard. Standard. Standard. Standard. Standard. Standard. Standard. Standard. Standard. Standard. Standard.

## Vinegar—Continued

Date Submitted by	Grams acetic acid per 100 ccs.	Remarks
1919         9b. 24       George Spilce, Clinton	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Standard. Standard. Standard. Standard. Not standard. Not standard. Not standard. Not standard. Standard. Standard. Standard. Standard. Not standard.

## REPORT OF C. E. LEE, ASSISTANT DAIRY AND FOOD COMMISSIONER AND DAIRY SPECIALIST

#### HON. GEORGE J. WEIGLE,

Dairy and Food Commissioner.

Sir: I hereby submit a report of the duties performed by me during the year ending June 30, 1919, together with suggestions and general statements as to existing conditions and changes that should be made in order that the dairy industry may continue to make progress.

I have had general supervision of the dairy work which includes all of the inspection of dairies, butter and cheese factories, condensaries, skimming and cream buying stations, and the market milk supply.

Personal inspection was made of several of the large plants manufacturing butter sold to the local trade in the principal cities. Samples of the butter manufactured were obtained and submitted to the chemist. A large number of these samples were found to contain less than the required per cent of butter fat. Prosecutions were brought and conviction secured in every case where it was found that the methods used in the manufacture of the butter were such as to result in a product low in per cent of butter fat. As a result of this work factory operators are more watchful in the manufacture of butter containing an excessive amount of water and salt.

It was found necessary to bring action against employers or officers of two corporations more than once in order to check the sale of adulterated butter.

The reports submitted by each inspector in the field have been closely studied. In a number of cases it was found necessary to assist the men in making a reinspection of some of the factories. In other cases letters were written to the operators to follow up the work of the inspector and to learn what progress had been made to comply with state regulations. It was necessary to bring two factory operators in Dane County into court for persistent violation of the Statute relating to maintaining factory utensils and premises in an insanitary condition. In each case the fine imposed by the judge was fifty dollars and costs, with a statement by the court that if another yiolation occurred a jail sentence would be imposed.

Sometime was also devoted to the study of city milk problems to assist the men in their respective territories in dealing with the problems that arise in this line of work. In one city a large dairy man was found selling milk produced by a Guernsey herd and approximately one fourth of the butter fat had been removed. In the city

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of Wausau I assisted the principal of the high school, Ira. C. Painter, in a two-day campaign in the interest of milk as a food, its production and distribution. A great deal of interest was shown in this work by the local board of health and school officials, as well as by the milk producers. One objection was raised by the producers against the plan proposed, that of requiring all cows to be free from tuberculosis as shown by tests, before the milk could be sold in the city, and this objection was raised on the cost of having the cows tested.

I have been called upon to assist factory operators in planning repairs on old buildings and in the erection of new ones. Two special trips were made for that purpose,—one of which was to assist the Arthur Creamery Company near Rewey in getting the new factory under way. Many others have been assisted by means of plans and suggestions sent from the office.

Some time has been devoted to the work done by the special dairy and food inspector stationed at Stoughton. Assistance was rendered to the Civil Service Commission in conducting the examination held on February 15 to secure a list of eligible dairy and food inspectors.

Considerable time has been devoted to the work of getting the five new men added to the inspectional force within the past year acquainted with the method of doing inspectional work. This has necessitated conferences in the field as well as in the office. It is very gratifying to be able to report that good results were obtained by all of these new men in the field.

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In September of last year I assisted two men from the federal department in making a study of the methods used in the manufacture of Wisconsin creamery butter. The various methods used in the manufacture of the higher and lower grades were examined and no doubt were compared with the data obtained in similar studies in other states. They were given an opportunity to examine the grade of butter entered at the 1918 State Fair.

Early in the year I was requested to act as a member of the dairy and poultry division of the Food Administration. In that capacity I was called upon to advise and to act in all matters pertaining to that division. I was also appointed by the Food Administrator to act as a member of a committee to arbitrate in the matter of fixing the value of milk delivered to the condensary at Middleton. The patrons and the owners, the Valecia Condensed Milk Co., had failed to agree as to whether the price set by the Chicago Milk Producers' Association should also apply to Middleton territory.

As a member of that committee I suggested a plan that was agreed to by the other members of the committee, the Valecia Condensed Milk Co. and the patrons. The plan as set forth in the letter to A. H. Melville, Secretary of the Food Administration, on August 19, 1918 was the beginning of a new method of fixing milk prices. Mr. A. H. Melville, Sec., Food Administration, Madison, Wisconsin. Dear Sir:

As a member of the committee appointed by you to arbitrate in the matter of fixing the price to be paid for milk by the operators of the Middleton Condensary to the patrons of the Middleton plant, I wish to make the following report:

I submitted to the committee this plan for a basis of settlement: The value per pound of butter fat should be based on the average Chicago market price for the month for 92 scoring butter. A differential of 6 cents shall be used as an additional value of the butter fat. This was fixed at 6 cents because it is the approximate difference between the average value of this grade of butter on the Chicago market for the month of July and the price paid by several creameries in Wisconsin.

In addition to a fixed price per pound of butter fat, the patrons of the Middleton Condensary shall be paid for their skim milk on the basis of the value of corn; namely, each hundred pounds of skim milk should be valued at one-half the price of a bushel of corn for the month. To determine the amount of skim milk that a farmer should be paid for, 85 per cent of the total amount of milk delivered should be considered skim milk. The price of corn as given in the report issued by the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture shall be considered official. The price of butter as given in the report of the Bureau of Markets, Chicago office, shall be considered official.

This plan was accepted by the other members of the committee, Professor\_J. L. Sammis of the Dairy Department of the University, and Mr. W. W. Powers of the Food Administration.

At the request of the Secretary of the Wisconsin Butter Makers' Association, I was asked to lead the debate against the use of a neutralizer in cream before being churned into butter. There were two speakers for and two against. Since this is a question of vital importance to the future welfare of the butter industry of the state, the discussion is of general interest and a copy of my address at that meeting is submitted below.

## NEUTRALIZATION CANNOT PRODUCE QUALITY BUTTER

It is an honor to be called upon to defend the already recognized reputation of Wisconsin's creamery butter against the practice of neutralization. The worst enemy of the local creamery, regardless of its ownership, whether cooperatively or individually owned, is the possibility of marketing cream that contains a high per cent of acidity, is tainted, and that neutralization can be resorted to before such cream is manufactured into butter. The best butter is made in those sections where the marketing of tainted, high acid cream has been reduced to a minimum. Local plants are handling the product and all of the patrons are more than anxious to aid in making good butter.

## HIGH ACID CREAM TAINTED

Good, clean-flavored butter, the product that has aided in the agricultural development of the state, can only be manufactured from butter fat delivered to the creameries in milk or cream that is free from taints and objectionable flavors. Generally speaking, cream high in acidity when received at the churning plants is more or less tainted and cannot be made into strictly high grade butter. Wisconsin creamery men agree that cream that is high in acid is usually tainted. In other words, when a patron delivers cream three times per week, and the product is high in acid, the resulting butter is apt to be tainted, not because of the acid that was present but because of the taints that were present and that affected the butter fat. It is also a well-known fact that when the cream is delivered sweet, even if it has age, it is generally clean in flavor. Acidity and taints are closely associated and are usually found in the same can or ripener of cream.

## PRODUCTION OF GOOD CREAM POSSIBLE

In the butter producing counties of the state, it is possible for every dairyman to produce and deliver cream that will make good butter. This is possible in the cheese and milk producing section as well, providing there is a limit of acidity and flavor permissible in cream when it is offered for sale. The names of several creameries in this state that demand a high quality of cream can be mentioned. The two factories in Waupaca County with an output of 873,205 pounds in 1918 are examples of what can be done in demanding cream of high quality. Many Polk County factories are in this class, and others in the central, eastern and southern sections are splendid examples.

## HOW QUALITY IS LOWERED

In a certain section of Wisconsin there is located a large creamery company which for more than 20 years has aided in the development of the dairy industry. High quality butter has been their aim, although at times they have fallen short because of competition. During the past season, as in former years, I inspected two of their plants, making a special study of the quality of the butter manufactured. In discussing creamery problems with the manager it was brought out that it was exceedingly difficult to maintain the former standard against the buyers of cream who apparently had no consideration for quality. The manager had been approached by the field agent of the creamery company asking that he ship to them all cream that was too tainted to be used in the grade of butter demanded by their trade. The agent had said they could use this cream and would allow him two cents per pound butter fat in excess of cost.

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In order that I might obtain more definite information I visited a cream buying station. The person in charge stated that in the three years that he had acted as a cream buyer not a single can of cream had been rejected, nor had he ever advised his patrons regarding the quality of their product or how it should be cared for. The same day another station was visited, and I found twenty-eight ten-gallon cans ready for shipment. The quality of this cream was such that butter scoring only 88 to 90 would have resulted. All of the cream seen that day was going to churning plants where neutralization of all of the cream received during the summer months is practiced.

#### DAIRYING A DEPENDABLE INDUSTRY

It is a well-known fact that dairying has been one of the greatest factors in placing the state in the lead in many agricultural activities. It has aided in the development of the northern cut-over lands, transforming them from an area of wilderness to one of many welltilled farms. It has made the balance of the state rich in splendid homes and people, well-tilled farms, dotted with herds that are admired by prospective buyers from other states. It matters not if they are the lovers of the black and white or of those from the islands to the north of England they soon become satisfied that Wisconsin's many signs of prosperity may be directly attributed to the income from the dairy.

When men come to the state to learn of our methods, they soon become impressed with the local creamery, cheese factory or condensary established as a permanent institution to handle the product of the community.

#### METHODS HAVE CHANGED

With the general progress of agriculture general methods of handling the products of the farm have changed. This is equally true of dairy products. Some fifteen years ago it was very common to find a large amount of milk, being hauled to the butter factory for the purpose of being skimmed, the cream churned, and the skimmed milk taken back to the farm. Today the milk is skimmed at the ' farm and cream taken to the nearby creamery or placed in the cream haulers' wagon or shipped.

The reason for this is well known to all, and need not be discussed at this time. When these changes came, methods of factory operation had to be changed as this was a new problem.

At the farm a milk house or some other suitable place for the separator had to be provided. At first the cream was not cared for so as to result in a good product. As time went on there was a marked improvement; today there are factories making butter from cream skimmed on the farm that is equal in quality to the so-called "whole-milk butter", and this has all been accomplished by education and cooperation.

#### QUALITY OF RAW MATERIAL

High quality raw material is necessary to make a superior finished article. Even the well-known limburger cheese must have its beginning in milk that is near, perfection. Evaporated or condensed milk will not possess recognized quality unless the milk is low in actid and free from taints when it enters the hot wells.

It is not possible for the operators of condensaries to even attempt to build up reputations when they accept milk that must be neutralired. If the milk received must be corrected by neutralization, the finished product will not be of standard quality.

Our men who have spent years in Wisconsin's factories realize that high acid tainted cream cannot be made into butter that will win the gold medal or please the critical buyer.

#### INFLUENCE OF CREAM QUALITY

Bulletin No. 210, issued in June 1911, by the Wisconsin Experiment Station, has this to say on the influence of the quality of cream on the butter industry:

"At one time Wisconsin was considered a state where a large proportion of the butter was manufactured in factories where nothing but whole milk was received. Only a few years ago some of the commission men on South Water Street, Chicago, were heard to remark: 'A large proportion of the good butter which reaches the market comes from Wisconsin. This is accounted for by the large number of creameries in that state receiving whole milk.'

"Whole milk factories receive the milk daily during the summer months and three to four times per week during the winter. This insures milk of such quality that good butter can be manufactured. With the system of using farm separators came less frequent deliveries; factory men paid more attention to quantity than to quality. There was no system of cream grading. Butter fat in tainted off-flavored cream and that delivered in whole milk or clean-flavored cream was paid for at the same price. All of this has had its effect upon the quality of butter. In order to make good butter, the butter fat in the milk or cream must be free from taints. There is a direct relation between the two.

"There must be a change in the general method of factory operation with reference to quality of cream received before a marked improvement in the quality of the butter will be noticeable. Good butter can be made from farm-skimmed cream of clean flavor. In the future the ability of the product of the creamery industry of Wisconsin to compete upon the central markets will be determined largely by the quality of the butter manufactured. The butter merchants are beginning to recognize that there is now a wider range in the quality

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of creamery butter than formerly, and that in the future each consignment of butter must be paid for according to quality.

"Good butter will always be in demand but the under grades do not move readily; hence, the manufacturers or the patrons must suffer. The public will continue to demand good butter and unless it can be purchased many will buy substitutes. It is therefore of concern to the creamery industry of the state to give attention first of all to quality."

In the same bulletin a table is presented giving the average score placed upon the butter entered in the scoring exhibitions conducted by the Dairy Department of this state. This has furnished valuable information with reference to the influence the kind and quality of the raw material have upon the quality of the butter manufactured therefrom.

Butter that was made from whole milk scored 93.40, 92.15, 92.75, and 93.68 for four years, and butter made from farm-skimmed cream scored 92.48-91.72, 91.24, and 91.78 for the same four years.

#### FACTORY SYSTEM FAVORS QUALITY

The factory system of the state in its organization is such that cream of fairly good quality is received. In many plants it may be classed as having excellent quality. Factories are in charge of men who favor the manufacture of butter from high grade cream only. Nearly all of the men who in the past have at times resorted to neutralization now prefer to receive cream that has not lost its original flavor. Not long ago a well-known creamery man made the statement. "We neutralize but we would rather receive the product that is free from taints and high acid." Professor G. L. Mc Kay on December 4, addressed a letter to the Dairy and Food Commissioner of Wisconsin. This statement appeared among others: "Everybody, I think, must realize that the quality of the cream has an important bearing on the finished product. It is true that possibly neutralization will be continued from year to year, as there will always be some who will neglect the care of their cream." A mighty clear statement of why neutralization is resorted to. Many butter makers when asking for help to secure positions specify: "I would like to get a position in a creamery receiving a good grade of cream."

#### NO ECONOMIC NECESSITY FOR NEUTRALIZATION IN WISCONSIN

The 850 butter factories now in operation are in charge of men who, at one time or another, have had training at the Wisconsin Dairy School, an institution of recognized standing, or have come indirectly under its influence. Very few of these men have received any training in the use of neutralizers, mainly because neutralization of cream is not considered a factor in the production of good butter.

One of the main arguments set forth by these men who favor neutralization is that it is an economic necessity to save a valuable food product. Such an argument has no place when dealing with the cream produced by Wisconsin dairymen. There is no excuse for high acid tainted cream for we have an abundance of cold water to use in keeping the cream cool and sweet. Cold springs are found everywhere. Furthermore, our dairymen, even if located somewhere in the northern woods, can and do place upon the market clean-flavored sweet cream. As an example of what can be accomplished under adverse conditions, let me tell you what happened a few years ago. At the close of a talk before a group of dairymen in Burnett County in August, a dairyman asked me to examine a can of cream that contained his entire output for one week. This cream had been hauled for ten tailes and the month was August. Yet, that cream was good and could have been used for table purposes. Why? Because the cream was cold and had been properly cared for. The can was covered with freshly cut grass and two blankets. Contrast this treatment of cream with what I have seen in some cream buying stations where cans of cream received after 3:00 P. M. would not leave for its destination until 3:00 P. M. the next day, no ice in sight, no cold water, covers wired down to prevent them from being raised by the swelling of the cream and a fifteen hour railroad journey to follow. Which butter would you prefer?

At the dairy department of the Wisconsin College of Agriculture where a large amount of butter is made from various grades of cream. none of it aside from class demonstration is neutralized before being churned into butter. This in itself should convince Wisconsin men that it is not necessary to add to cream before it is churned a substance entirely foreign to it. Very few of the largest and best organized factories of the state have in the past resorted to neutralization of cream before it is made into butter. The highest price for butter fat to cream producers of the state for the year 1918 was paid by the operators of factories receiving cream that was not neutralized. According to reports from the Bureau of Markets, Chicago, the highest quotations are made on butter in the whole milk class.

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The above facts show that if Wisconsin butter were made from neutralized cream it would be placed outside of the whole milk goods.

#### NAVY BUTTER

During the past year a great deal of Wisconsin high-grade butter was manufactured to supply the demands of the Navy. This was made possible for the reason that in some Wisconsin factories clean-flavored raw material was received and no neutralizers were used. The credit for the high standard in Navy butter belongs to the Dairy Division. United States Department of Agriculture. The Navy butter is made from sweet cream and the raw material cannot contain beyond a specified maximum of acidity when received at the factory. A great deal of this butter is made in Wisconsin for a special trade and the firm dealing in that product received a very flattering compliment from the Government inspector who made inspection of the product held in cold storage and commandeered by the federal government. A prominent resident of Chicago, who is an expert on butter, wrote me on October 22, 1918 as follows: "This letter relates to butter vet is purely personal. I have had to eat butter of the common or garden variety. I would like to arrange for my family to get regularly each week five pounds of good, freshly churned, sweet cream, unlimed butter. I wonder if you can help me out on this matter?"

A representative of a firm buying a great deal of our high grade butter made the statement in the office a few weeks ago: "No neutralizer is ever, to our knowledge, used in the manufacture of the butter demanded by our trade. In fact, we would not permit of its use." All of the butter bought by this firm is made from pasteurized cream.

#### NEUTRALIZATION WOULD RETARD GROWTH

The development of the dairy industry of the state would be retarded if neutralization were resorted to in the manufacture of the bulk of its creamery butter for the reason that the value of all of this product in the state would be reduced fully \$2,000,000 annually as the result of the lowering of the grade. There would then be no market, no distinction between whole milk and centralized butter.

The work of the dairy and food inspectors has not only aided in securing better factory conditions; they have visited many dairy farms where milk and cream are produced, thus securing better dairy conditions in general. The problems of housing the cows, proper feeding and the erection of dairy houses have been discussed freely by our state men. They have also made suggestions regarding the importance of producing good clean-flavored cream. In this they have met with a marked degree of success. They have had to contend with a few dairymen who have argued that the cream buyer has never said a single word regarding the quality of his product.

This work will be continued but its value will be greatly impaired when it becomes generally known by the dairymen that their product, produced under ideal conditions must meet upon the open market a product that is made from an inferior raw material.

#### THE FUTURE OF THE INDUSTRY AT STAKE

The dairy industry of the state is not in its infancy, but it is still making progress. Each year many new factories are built in order that the equipment and the facilities for handling may be the best. There is a general feeling of stability and cooperation between the patrons and the local plant. Hence, it would not be a wise policy for the factory operators and makers to adopt a method in the manufacture of butter which is used by those who are not in position to aid the industry.

Our product has stood the test of years. It has made good; the consumers have not been deceived. It would therefore not be well to even consider the advisability of a free use of neutralizers in cream handling. The consumer of butter has a right to be informed of what he is buying. The butter made from neutralized cream has not the quality found in butter made from the unneutralized product.

In March I was called upon to address the North Dakota State Dairymen's Convention held at Grand Forks. I have also spoken before a large number of local groups in the state.

#### MARKET MILK PROBLEMS

Many new problems have arisen in connection with the inspection of market milk. These are largely due to the advance in the price paid to the producers and the fact that the consumers are unwilling to pay the corresponding increase per quart for milk delivered by the dairymen or dealers. Many of the larger plants were not able to secure efficient men to take charge of the various departments, and for this reason sanitary conditions were not always maintained.

The value of butter and cheese has also had its influence on the supply of milk available, not alone for the larger cities but in those sections where the village or city depends upon dairymen to furnish milk and cream. Many dairymen held that it was more remunerative to sell milk or cream for the purpose of being manufactured into butter or cheese than to bottle the product and deliver it to the city trade. In many cities evaporated milk has taken the place of fresh milk for table use when the latter was not available.

During the winter months all of the men devoted nearly all of their time to city milk problems, making inspections of the plants as to sanitary conditions and the quality of the milk and cream received. Samples of milk and cream were also obtained from the wagons when making regular deliveries, in order to learn if the product sold complied with state regulations. The number of violations was not greater than in former years in the smaller villages or cities, while in some of the larger cities there seems to be a tendency on the part of a few not to consider the question of quality or standard as an essential factor of success in the retail milk and cream business.

This department must continue to urge that the larger cities should, in a measure, regulate the production and distribution of market

milk. This would simplify the work of the regular inspectors of this department. No city, however, should be left entirely without inspection by the state for the reason that many local problems arise that are not easily handled by the local authorities. We must continue to urge that milk and cream be sold only from those dairies where all the cows are known to be free from tuberculosis and in the state of health prescribed by the State Live Stock Sanitary Board. It is very important that market milk inspection be made more frequently than heretofore. Winter and summer conditions are not alike. Problems arise at certain seasons and can best be taken care of when they occur. Dairy inspection from the viewpoint of market milk production should be frequently made and especially at a time when the cows are housed. Every dairy man should be urged to provide a suitable place where the milk may receive proper care until it is delivered. Some means should also be provided for the proper cleaning and sterilizing of all utensils used in handling milk.

Every effort possible should be made to acquaint the consumers with the facts pertaining to the value of milk as food, its use in cooking and in the feeding of infants.

## THE MILK SITUATION IN OSHKOSH

On December 16, 1918 an inspection was made of the milk and cream supply of this city. A total of thirty-six samples of milk was bought as the dealers or dairymen were making their daily deliveries. Seventeen of these were found to contain more or less sediment. Twenty-one samples of cream were bought and eleven of these contained less than the standard of 18 per cent butter fat.

These results plainly show the need of inspection.

#### BUTTER FACTORY PROBLEMS

Wisconsin still maintains its place in the manufacture of creamery butter. A slight decrease in the number of factories in operation, due to the extension of cheese territory, the development of the condensing industry and the increase in the number of cream buying stations, has to a small extent reduced the total make.

Many of the large local plants have maintained their usual output and have made an effort to take care of the cream produced in the territory they operate. The income from the sale of butter will far exceed that of any previous year because of the higher prices butter has brought upon the market as compared with any previous twelvemonth.

Factory conditions have improved but not as extensively as they would had there not been a shortage of building material and of labor. In a few cases the old buildings have been replaced by new ones.

Many of the buildings now in use are not suitable and should in the

very near future be replaced by new structures or undergo extensive repairs.

The quality of the butter manufactured in many localities compares favorably with the quality in previous years. In fact less complaint has come to this office regarding the butter made in the so-called local factories this year than ever before. This is not true of the product made by the creameries depending upon cream buying stations or shippers for their source of raw material. The difference in the quality of the butter made by these two groups of factories is largely due to the difference in the quality of the cream when it is delivered to the churning plants.

Nearly all of the operators of creameries not depending upon local supply for cream and some of the local plants have resorted to the use of a neutralizer in treating the cream before it is churned. It has been my observation that when cream is so treated it is of a lower quality than the cream that is churned without the addition of lime, etc.

The treating of the cream at the factory by a neutralizer is an evil that is growing, and for the future of the industry and the reputation of our product, this system must be discouraged. Wisconsin dairymen can and will produce cream that can be made into good butter without being treated, but since they have found that there is a market for the stale, high acid tainted product they are going to follow the road of least resistance.

An effort should be made to get the factory operators and station men to cooperate for better quality cream to be used in the making of butter. If the standard is not raised the competition thus created will force the creameries now working on a quality basis to lower their standard. The so-called "centralized" or "standard" butter which is the neutralized product is always quoted at a lower figure on all principal markets than the higher grades, the product made from clean-flavored cream. The centralized product is usually offered in car lots and this makes the selling price higher than if sold the same as the product of the local creamery.

#### BUTTER SOLD LOCALLY NOT THE BEST

The bulk of the butter sold to the local trade by the grocery stores in nearly all of the principal cities of the state is not of highest quality. This condition exists because the factories making the highest grade of butter are not located in the large cities and the operators of these plants sell the entire output in the large markets, such as Chicago, New York, etc. These local groceries are supplied daily largely by operators of the so-called "centralizing" plants.

Regardless of the kind of raw material that may be used, or how the cream may be treated before it is churned, the butter is placed upon the local markets in cartons bearing the words "fancy creamery butter" or "churned from purest cream" or "made from selected

cream", etc. This is a condition that should not be permitted to go on. A law should also be enacted requiring butter made from neutralized cream to be so labeled when offered for sale within the state.

A great deal of butter sold locally has also been found to be deficient in butter fat. The average per cent of fat in ten samples collected from one concern was 75.9%. The fine imposed for the first offense was \$35.00 and for the second \$60.00 and costs, with one case pending. When butter with this low per cent of fat is made, the company defrauds the consumer to the extent of 7.5 pounds of butter in every 100 pounds sold, or 4.5c on every pound. The fine imposed, therefore, is not sufficiently high to stop such fraudulent practices. The creamery operator who comes in competition with a large corporation manufacturing butter such as referred to has no chance or assurance whatsoever that he may continue in business and pursue honest methods.

In the future a larger number of samples of butter must be collected than heretofore and if the maximum fine imposed by the state does not correct the existing evil, a change in the law must be asked so as to permit of larger penalties. The minimum fine for the second offense should be \$100.00 and for the third offense thirty days in jail.

#### CHEESE FACTORY PROBLEMS

There has been an increase in the number of cheese factories. This is due to prevailing high prices obtained for cheese as compared with butter. Many plants formerly making only butter are now operated and equipped to make both cheese and butter. The territory has been extended northward in the counties of Lincoln, Langlade, Oconto and Marinette. It has also been extended westward from the so-called north central cheese district into the counties of Eau Claire and Chippewa. The number of cheese factories has also increased in the well-established creamery section of St. Croix, Polk and Barron Counties. A number of new plants have been erected in the counties of Vernon, Crawford and Grant. Very few changes, however, have taken place as to the number of cheese factories in operation in the older districts of the lake shore region, including the counties of Winnebago, Fond du Lac and Dodge, and the Swiss cheese region of southern Wisconsin.

Since no figures have been compiled since 1917 on the output of dairy products and their value, no comparison can be made. It is safe to estimate that the make this year will approach the 300,000,000 pound mark, valued at nearly \$100,000,000.

## FACTORY CONDITIONS MUST IMPROVE

There must be a marked improvement in the general conditions of many of the buildings now used as cheese factories. Every effort should be made by this department to show the factory operators that

in a large measure the future of the industry depends upon whether or not the buildings are suitable.

In many localities the milk producers own the building and lease it for one or more seasons to someone who will take the responsibility to act as the operator. These dairymen do not fully realize that their plant has outlived its usefulness and that sooner or later a modern building must be provided. Many of these buildings now used as cheese factories were erected at a time when the milk supply was less than one-half of what it is at the present time; hence a very crowded condition in the factory prevails.

With the passing of war-time conditions when it was not possible to secure building materials, extra efforts should be made by the men in the field to study each factory as to its construction, suitability and the possibility of its being maintained in a sanitary condition. It is not always possible to make changes or repairs during the season of high production, but it should be understood that at the close of the season the recommendations suggested should be carried out or the present license should be revoked and a permit not granted to a new operator.

In many localities it would be a wise policy to advocate the erection of a new building rather than to make repairs on the old structure. In such cases it would be advisable for some factories to make a slight change in location in order to provide more suitable drainage than obtained at present.

In many localities where Swiss, Brick and Limburger cheese are made, the present curing rooms may be adequate and only the erection of a making room necessary. Too many buildings used as cheese factories are not provided with a suitable intake room. This makes it impossible for the maker to examine the condition of milk until it is in the weigh can, and no chance whatever to see the condition of the cans. In many factories it is not possible for the maker to see the man who delivers the milk unless he should stand before the opening through which the milk is poured.

Such conditions must be done away with, or very little may be expected in securing improvement in the quality of the cheese manufactured in many of these plants.

There is also a great need of improvement in the methods used in handling the whey before it is returned to the patrons. Very often the whey tank is located in a room where it is not accessible for thorough cleaning. At other places this tank may be located some distance from the factory, either above or below the surface of the ground, and not easily supplied with the needed hot water for cleaning.

In the foreign cheese districts each patron generally furnishes his own container for whey and in many plants he is required to keep it clean. This often means a neglected container. The place of loading the whey, regardless of the location of the tank or containers, is very often found neglected, creating a nuisance and foul odors. To over-

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come these conditions factory operators should be required to provide a suitable place for the farmers' whey tank or containers, have them so protected and constructed as to be easily cleaned. The place of loading the whey should be provided with a platform constructed of concrete or other suitable material, and provided with a drain outlet. Such platform should at all times be kept clean and free from foul odors.

#### QUALITY CHEESE MUST BE MAINTAINED

The future of the cheese industry of Wisconsin will in a large measure depend upon the standard maintained by those who are directly or indirectly responsible for the manufacture and handling the state's entire make. It is needless to say that many of the factory operators and makers at all times place upon the market a finished product that could safely bear the name "Made in Wisconsin", but there is a large amount of cheese that does not come up to this standard.

This lower grade of cheese is the result of many complex problems, namely,

1. Many unsuitable plants, already referred to.

2. Factories in charge of men lacking in the standard necessary to produce good cheese.

3. Competition between factory operators for the milk of a given territory is so keen that the makers fail to closely inspect the raw material.

4. The present method of marketing American cheese tends to shorten the time that the cheese is held at the factory; hence no knowledge by either the maker or the operator as to the quality of the cheese when cured.

5. A lack of cooperation between dealers in maintaining a standard as to quality of cheese that should be maintained for the best interest of the future of the industry.

6. Too many men engaged in the operation of factories and in the making of cheese who lack proper training and experience.

7. Too little use is made of the sediment and the curd tests at the intake.

8. Very little is done by the various cheese organizations to place the makers on a higher plane.

9. A tendency on the part of some operators and makers to manufacture cheese containing a high per cent of water.

10. The improper handling of the curd with a view of increasing the loss of fat in the whey, thus increasing the income derived from the sale of whey cream.

#### SWISS CHEESE INDUSTRY SUFFERS

Wisconsin for years has maintained a national reputation in the manufacture of Swiss cheese. The markets have been good for the home product. The lack of importation of this class of cheese during the period of the war has opened up new fields where our high grade goods might be placed.

Prices have been high and the patrons of those factories where good cheese was made during the entire season have been paid well for their milk. In some factories the loss has been exceedingly high for the reason that many of the large cheeses developed defective spots while passing through the curing stage. These cheeses are commonly called "stinkers". To what extent the Swiss cheese industry has suffered during the past season from this cause alone cannot be estimated. The patrons of the factories where this kind of cheese was made have lost several thousand dollars. It was impossible for this department to take care of all the requests of operators for help that came in during the past season. Inspector Lehnherr has done valuable work in dealing with this problem in a practical way. He has obtained results in so far as his time permitted.

There are other problems confronting this industry and unless something is done in the very near future to aid the Swiss cheese makers, the state may receive a very severe setback. It has been reported that California is making very rapid progress in the manufacture of Swiss cheese. Ohio is another state where this kind of cheese is extensively made. The dairy division of the Department of Agriculture at Washington is making a study of some of these problems and help from that source may be expected.

It would seem advisable at this time that steps be taken to secure the cooperation of the dairy division in placing a man in Green County and adjacent counties to deal with these problems. Such a man should be a trained bacteriologist and could work in cooperation with Mr. Lehnherr who has a greater knowledge of the practical problems involved in the making of Swiss cheese than is possessed by any other state employe.

The Swiss cheese makers are exceedingly busy during the summer months; hence they do not take the time to study these troublesome problems. To further their interest in cheese making and to make them more efficient, local meetings should be arranged during the winter months. Mr. Lehnherr could be placed in charge and render valuable assistance in discussing with these men in a practical way how to overcome the losses that occur due to defective cheese.

#### DAIRY FARMING MAKES PROGRESS

The war-time conditions that have prevailed during the past few years have not to any visible extent interfered with the normal progress of dairy farming. In certain localities the feed situation due to the rather high price of mill feeds has reduced production when the dairymen depended upon these feeds for concentrates.

In certain territories the dairymen have changed their attitude with reference to how their product shall be made up, for the reason that prices paid for fluid milk delivered to condenseries and milk plants was at times considerable higher than could be obtained for the same product sold to factories manufacturing butter. Cheese fac-

tories have also taken more than the usual share because cheese has maintained a higher price than butter. Many dairymen did not consider that the feeding value of skimmed milk and whey increased persistently with the value of other feeds.

There has been but little increase in the number of condenseries, milk powder and milk receiving plants, although there has been an increase in the volume of milk handled by these institutions. The increase in the manufacture of ice cream has also created a demand for the output of evaporated milk and regular cream.

In the so-called cheese districts, interest in dairying has increased, more cows are being milked and a greater interest in production of milk during the late fall and winter months has arisen. Many new factories have been erected to take care of added territory and increased production.

The creameries established in the regular butter producing counties located north and west of the Wisconsin River have held their own even if there has been several markets created in that territory for fluid milk. Some of the factories located on the border of cheese districts have installed equipment so as to make both butter and cheese. Whether cheese or butter will predominate will depend largely upon the market price of these two commodities in the future.

Many farmers are taking an active interest in cowtesting association work, and all other lines of activity, having for their object better cows and more efficient herds. All of this is evidence that milk production is still very popular with many Wisconsin dairymen.

Many new barns and silos were built during the past year, making it possible to provide good stable conditions and desirable feed at lowest possible cost. Personal interviews with many dairymen located in nearly all of the leading dairy centers have convinced me that they are interested in the style of farming that will insure a steady, regular income. They agree that the prices paid for milk and for the butter fat in cream have been high, but the income has been cut accordingly by the extra labor costs, high priced feeds, etc. The balance, however, is on the side of the dairymen providing they have conducted their business in such a manner as to obtain the greatest returns for feed used and labor expended.

No figures were compiled showing the production for 1918 but the 1917 report as to pounds of cheese and butter manufactured converted into milk on the basis of 10 pounds of milk being equivalent to 1 pound of cheese, and 25 pounds of milk equivalent to 1 pound of butter, gives the total milk production for the state as follows:

Milk used for cheese made in factories Milk used for cheese made on farms Milk used for butter made in factories Milk used for butter made on farms Milk used for condensaries Milk for other than butter, cheese and condensed milk Milk shipped out of the state	8,412,620 2,533,132,125 198,812,000 747,540,078 912,627,750 245,000,000
Milk used for ice cream	40,000,000
TOTAL	7 458 199 013

With the normal increase the production for 1919 should be approximately \$,000,000,000 pounds. The value of cheese will approximate \$100,000,000; butter \$45,000,000 and milk to condenseries and milk plants \$30,000,000. This, together with the added value of factory by-products, etc., will make the total value of the dairymen's income much higher than ever recorded in Wisconsin's history of dairy progress.

A great deal must be done during the coming year to show the dairymen that the future of the industry will in a large measure depend upon the quality of product delivered to condenseries, butter and cheese factories and milk plants. The volume of business should not be considered unless due consideration is given to quality. The losses from lack of quality in cheese referred to elsewhere in this report is only one item. Losses from inferior quality in butter may very easily reach the \$1,000,000 mark.

It is important that all activities by the various organizations be directed at the root of the evil, lack of quality in the raw material, rather than to the manufacture of a product from raw material which is tainted in flavor and defective in workmanship.

#### WHEY CREAM PRODUCTION INCREASES

The prevailing high prices paid for butter fat during the past year have naturally increased the number of factories that have installed equipment for the handling and the skimming of the whey. The operators of the smaller factories located in the foreign cheese district should also consider this problem from the viewpoint of saving human food and an additional income for the dairyman.

There is a good market offered for whey cream by factory operators who make butter from both whey cream and regular cream and also by cream buying stations or by shipping direct to creameries located within the state and in Illinois, Iowa or Minnesota. The price paid for whey cream, in most cases, is the same as that paid for cream shipped by dairymen.

According to the reports on file in this office by the inspectors in the field there are still a large number of cheese factory operators and makers who do not realize that whey cream is a product to be used as food for man. Whey holding tanks are located in unsuitable rooms, not protected from files, dust and filth. Pipe lines poorly washed, jets used that cannot be cleaned, whey holding tanks are rusty and poorly washed. No provision is made in many factories for the proper care of the cream until it is delivered to the creamery or railroad station.

These conditions must be corrected. So far the inspectors have been working with a view of obtaining results by persuasion and education and prosecution. Progress by this method has been very unsatisfactory. It is therefore advisable that more drastic methods

be pursued in order that whey cream may be produced and sold in compliance with state standards and regulations.

## NUMBER OF CREAM BUYING STATIONS INCREASES

There has been a marked increase in the number of cream buying stations in operation during the past season. Many of these are located in the northern counties where dairying has not developed to the extent that a creamery can be maintained. Other stations are located in cheese factory territories in order that a ready market may be provided for whey cream and also in creamery sections.

When these stations are located in villages or cities where a creamery is established, competition is created that very often has a tendency to lower the standard of the cream produced by many of the dairymen. Creamery operators as a rule are more alert than the station men as to the flavor, acidity of the cream and the general condition of the cans. This makes it exceedingly difficult for the butter maker in charge of the local creamery to maintain his standard when he knows that they will lose patronage.

The changing of the law by the 1919 legislature placing the cream buying stations under the licensing system will make it possible to maintain a closer supervision of these station men. They should be placed under the same rules and regulations as the operators of creameries and cheese factories. The standard for quality in cream delivered to cream buying stations should be the same as that maintained by the butter factory operators. Provision should also be made to properly handle the cream while in the station.

Wherever possible the men in the field should inspect the cream received at both the stations and butter factories. Recently one dairyman was told that the cream in his possession was unfit for human food and if it was offered for sale prosecution would follow. His reply was: "Nearly all of the cream received by the ——— is not much better because no standard is maintained by the operator." If these conditions continue in that territory prosecution of the guilty parties will follow.

All cream received at stations is made into butter by factory operators located either within or outside the state; hence all parties interested regardless of location should cooperate on the basis of quality.

If all of the dairymen of the state, and nation as well, who depend upon the butter industry as a source of income from the sale of butter fat in cream, understood the relation between quality and progress, the situation would not be what it is at the present time. The most effective means by which this end may be reached is education and elimination of markets for the tainted, stale, high acid cream.

#### MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE FIELD MEN

During the past year three new cars were purchased, making the total number of cars used by the dairy and food inspectors six. Two of the men are using their own cars, and only one man depends on the railroad and livery in making his territory.

It has been found that when the men are using their own cars or those furnished by the department, a much larger territory is covered at less expense than if the inspector depends upon the railroad and livery. Actual comparison as to the cost of inspection cannot be made because of the difference in territory and the nature of the work performed, and because new men were placed in charge of the work in one-half of the counties.

One of the men who has been with the department for several years and always depended upon local livery in making inland points reported that it was impossible to make much progress because livery was not available unless engaged several days in advance. He also reported that the rates were much higher than prevailed in former vears.

When the men are furnished with cars, it is possible to cover a much larger territory than by any other means of transportation. The number of inspections made each week is increased, besides making it possible to take care of the requests for special inspection in various points of the territory at a saving of time and expense.

At times inspectors are called upon to make certain factories or dairies early in the morning or late in the evening. When they have their own means of transportation in making such points the actual cost is much reduced.

It is the opinion of the men using state owned cars that their efficiency is maintained at its highest point and the expenses greatly reduced. The department should adopt the policy of furnishing each inspector with a car unless he wishes to operate his own machine on a fixed mileage basis. At present the allowance is 10c per mile. It is doubtful if the department can maintain the cost of operating its cars at an average figure much less than that. All cars do not give the same results even under similar care in operation. The roads in certain counties are much harder to travel; hence there is a great difference in the yearly cost of operating expenses.

## REPORT OF R. W. SMITH, CHIEF INSPECTOR OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

#### Hon. George J. Weigle,

Dairy and Food Commissioner.

Ex Officio State Superintendent of Weights and Measures.

Dear Sir: I have the honor to submit herewith the annual report of the state department of weights and measures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1919.

In the following report an effort has been made to touch briefly upon the more important phases of the work of the department of weights and measures. Each subject has been treated separately for ease in reference.

Tabulation and graphic representation have been resorted to whenever it was felt that the use of these methods were advantageous.

#### MECHANICAL WORK

There has been a gratifying increase in the amount of mechanical work performed by the field inspectors during the past year. A comparison of the figures for the last two years shows that, in the year just ended there was a gain of 1.024 or over seven and one-half per cent in the number of establishments inspected and a gain of 11,144 or over eight and one-half per cent in the number of appliances tested, the percentages being based on the 1918 figures.

This increase may be accounted for by a combination of several circumstances. First the weights and measures inspectors have been relieved of all but a small amount of sanitary work, this being handled almost entirely by the food inspectors. Thorough inspections of sanitary conditions consume considerable time and the time formerly devoted to this work by the weights and measures men is now given to the examination of weighing and measuring equipment.

Second, the use of a state owned truck by two of the inspectors for transporting their testing equipment has materially speeded up the work of these men. Third, less time has been devoted to the enforcement of the Trading Stamp law and the Automobile License law. This was due, in the former case, to the fact that pending litigation made the proper interpretation of the Trading Stamp law dependent upon court decisions and it was necessary to await these decisions before proceeding with the enforcement of the law; and, in the latter case, the difficulty of securing license plates and supplying them to automobile owners caused the office of the Secretary of state to request that our men temporarily cease their efforts along this line.

Fourth, the gradual improvement of the mechanical condition of the weighing and measuring equipment in use in the state makes it possible for the inspectors to cover the ground somewhat more rapidly.

The chart prepared last year showing a comparison of the mechanical work performed by the field men for 1916, 1917 and 1918 is again submitted this year with the work for 1919 shown in addition. It will be noticeable that there is only a slight increase in the percentage of equipment sealed and only a slight decrease in the percentage condemned for repairs with an increase of six hundredths of one per cent in the number condemned. This comparison emphasizes the statement made in last year's report when, in commenting upon the improvement in the mechanical condition of weighing and measuring apparatus it was said "A point, however, is reached beyond which this improvement cannot go because, after all, scales are nothing but machines and as such deteriorate with use; and measures and weights wear out the same as any other article which is in constant use."

Appliances	Sealed	Adjusted	Condem'ed for Repairs	Con- demned	Total
Seales:		Se La C		-	
	- 000	000	100		000
	5,098	386	133	49	5,280
Hopper	241	32	14		255
Suspension	146	12	10	4	160
Computing	4,633	1,209	136	7	4,776
Wagon	1,527	137	283	13	1,823
Port. Platform	5,587	576	317	69	5,973
Dormant	898	94	43	1	942
Spring	880	49	30	191	1,101
Torsion	202	4	12	5	219
Beam	106	10	1	1	. 108
Moisture	85	4	1		86
Prescription	386	6	1	4	391
Jewelers	34	1	1	3	38
Cream	315	9	10	1	326
Test Bottles				95 -	95
Dry Measure	73		2	. 5	80
Liquid Measure	18,692	9	173	1,265	20,130
Prescription Grad	1,970	1	10	343	2,323
Aut. Pumps	3,683	565	240	32	3,955
Linear Measure	7,185	137	42	76	7,303
Weights	61,933	1,351	645	960	63,538
Totals	113,673	4,592	2,104	3,124	118,902

TABULATION	OF	MECHANICAL	WORK	PERFORMED	BY	STATE	DEPARTMENT
	FIEL	D INSPECTOR	s JULY	1, 1918, TO	APRI	L 30, 19	19

# SUMMARY Weights and Measures: 12,355 Appliances tested 118,902 Estimated tried out 2,023 Packages weighed 14,036 Packages anderweight 1,250 Sanitary and Food Inspections 792 Oil Inspections 82

Note.-The appliances adjusted have been sealed and in figuring the totals are included in the "sealed" column. COMPARISON OF PERCENTAGES OF MECHANICAL WORK FOR FISCAL YEARS 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919.

	FIELD W	ORK-STATE DEPARTMEN	T
		Sealed	Per Cent
	1916		85.06
201 and 1400	1917		88.52
	1918		
	1919		
			and a second second
		Adjusted	
	1916		3.83
	1917		3.05
	1918		4.28
	1919		3.88
		Condemned for Re	epairs
-	1916		2.98
	1917		6.94
-	1918		2.35
-	1919		1.92
		Condemned	
	1916		11.96
	1917		4.54
-	1918		2.60
	1919		2.66

Appliances	Sealed	Adjusted	Condem'ed for Repairs	Con- demned	Total
Scales:					
Less than 2 lbs	217	10	44	5	266
2 lbs. to 350 lbs	1,646	164	67	62	1,775
350 lbs. to 3,500 lbs	1,301	213	62	12	1,375
Over 3,500 fbs	340	21	114	4	458
Weights	9,864	249	147	163	10,174
Measures:		1. 1. 1. 1.	1200	W. Settler	
Linear	835	16	18	11	864
Liquid	4,076	122	106	294	4,476
Dry	4				4
Totals	18,283	795	558	551	19,392

#### TABULATION OF MECHANICAL WORK PERFORMED BY STATE DEPARTMENT FIELD INSPECTORS MAY 1, 1919, TO JUNE 30, 1919

#### SUMMARY

Weights and Measures:	
Estimated inspections	2,175
Appliances tested	19,392
Estimated tried out	172
Packages weighed	1,068
Packages short	112
Sanitary Inspections	151
Oil Inspections	13

Note.-The appliances adjusted have been sealed and in figuring the totals are included in the "sealed" column.

#### SUMMARY OF MECHANICAL WORK PERFORMED BY STATE DEPARTMENT FIELD INSPECTORS FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1919

Appliances	Sealed	Adjusted	Condem'ed for Repairs	Con- demned	Total
	and the sea	1. 19/19/19			1913
Scales: Less than 2 lbs	1,239	34	69	18	1,326
2 lbs. to 350 lbs	12,363	1,818	367	310	13,040
350 lbs. to 3,500 lbs	7.034	801	389	85	7,508
Over 3,500 lbs	3,006	284	454	18	3,478
Weights	71,797	1,600	792	1,123	73,712
Measures:					
Linear	8,020	153	60	87	8,167
Liquid	28,421	697	529	2,029	30,979
Dry	77		2	5	. 84
Totals	131,957	5,387	2,662	3,675	138,294

#### SUMMARY

Weights and Measures:	Total
Estimated inspections	14,530
Appliances tested	138,294
Estimated tried out	2,195
Packages weighed	15,104
Packages short	1,362
Sanitary Inspections	
Oil Inspections	
Prosecutions	15
Convictions	14

Note.-The appliances adjusted have been sealed and in figuring the totals are included in the "sealed" column.

Appliances	Sealed	Adjusted	Condem'ed for Repairs	Con- demned	Total
Scales:					
Counter			1		1
Hopper					
Quananatan					
Computing					
Wagon	4	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •			
Port. Platform			1		
0	145	Contraction and contract			145
					140
D	2				
		1			2
Mant Datth					
	22			30	52
Termellerer					
0					
Cream	85	4	7		92
Moisture	19	1	15		34
Dry Measure	3				3
Liquid Measure	12				12.
Prescription Grad	1				1
Aut. Pumps					
Linear Measure	2				2
Weights (Metric)	169	1 1			169
Avoirdupois	34	16			34
Prescription					
Troy					
Totals	498	23	24	30	552

# TABULATION OF MECHANICAL WORK PERFORMED IN THE OFFICE JULY 1, 1918, TO APRIL 30, 1919

Note.-The appliances adjusted have been sealed and in figuring the totals are included in the "sealed" column.

# TABULATION OF MECHANICAL WORK PERFORMED IN THE OFFICE MAY 1, 1919, TO JUNE 30, 1919

Appliances	Sealed	Adjusted	Condem'ed for Repairs	Con- demned	Total
Scales:					
Less than 2 lbs	68	6	15		83
2 lbs. to 350 lbs			2		5
350 lbs. to 3,500 lbs					
Weights	139	8		3	142
Measures:			100 - 20 - Th		
Linear					
Dry					
Totals	210	14	17	3.	230

Note.-The appliances adjusted have been sealed and in figuring the totals are included in the "sealed" column.

Appliances	Sealed	Adjusted	Condem'ed for Repairs	Con- demned	Total
Scales:					
Less than 2 lbs	172	11	37		209
2 lbs. to 350 lbs 350 lbs. to 3,500 lbs	150	1	3		153
Over 3,500 lbs	4		1		5
Weights	342	25		3	345
Measures:					010
Linear	2	A State of the		Contraction of the local	9
Liquid	35				65
Dry	3				3
Totals	708	37	41	33	782

#### SUMMARY OF MECHANICAL WORK PERFORMED IN THE OFFICE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1919

Note.-The appliances adjusted have been sealed and in figuring the totals are included in the "sealed" column.

#### SUPERVISIONAL WORK

During the period covered by this report there has been a slight decrease in the number of try out inspections made as compared with the previous year and of the total number reported the percentage of short or misbranded packages has increased from 12.8% to 14.5%. It should not be assumed from these figures that fourteen and one-half per cent of the merchandise sold in the state was deficient in weight or was not properly labeled because this assumption would be far from the true facts of the case. The inspectors, as a rule, examine in their try out work only those packages which are suspected of being short or which past experience has shown them are apt to be short. Many of the shortages reported are within a reasonable degree of tolerance or may be accounted for by a natural loss in moisture content, as in the case of milk products of different kinds; it should also be borne in mind that a package is reported as "short" if it falls ever so little below the standard in weight or measure. The value of these reports lies in the fact that whenever any shortage is found, be it large or small, the matter is brought to the attention of the proper parties and the condition responsible for the shortage is remedied. It also goes without saying that short packages are always corrected when found and, though originally short, they reach the consumer full weight or measure.

The value of systematic supervisional work try outs, educational activity, prosecutions etc.,—cannot be overestimated. In these days of unprecedented high prices this work is necessary as never before for there has never been a time when a small variation from correct weight or measure represented so large a money value. This supervisional work is fully as important as the testing of scales, weights and measures for mechanical accuracy because no purpose is served

in having equipment mechanically correct if this equipment is not properly used. It is to be greatly regretted that the territories of the state weights and measures inspectors are not smaller so that they might devote a greater portion of their time to check up work and still cover their allotted territory yearly along mechanical lines.

#### COMMENTS ON CITY SEALER'S REPORTS

An examination of the reports submitted by the city sealers of the state shows that in many cases there is still room for considerable improvement along the lines of supervisional work. This is most noticeable among the smaller cities although some of the larger ones are equally at fault.

It is true that in some cases try out work is performed and no record of the number of visits or of the work performed is kept. But this explanation is not entirely satisfying in all cases. There still appears to be a lack of appreciation of the absolute necessity of consistent, systematic supervisional activity on the part of local officials if we are to have anything approaching ideal weights and measures conditions.

The old question of proper remuneration for city sealers also has a distinct bearing on this subject. If more nearly adequate salaries were paid, particularly in the smaller cities, the sealers would have more time to devote to their work and consequently the supervisional branch of their work could and would receive greater attention.

It is also to be noticed that some cities are still without equipment to test druggists' and jewellers' scales and in some cases, druggists' graduates. This is due largely to neglect on the part of the sealer himself for the law makes ample provision for procuring the necessary equipment even in those cases where the local council fails to take the initiative. Vigorous action by the sealer, in which the state department could cooperate, is all that is necessary in this matter.

In a number of cases there is a noticeable falling off in the number of mechanical inspections made. The reason for this is not quite clear unless it may be the fact that salary increases have been conspicuous by their very small number and that under present conditions a given salary does not justify as great an expenditure of time as the same amount of money did a year or so ago. In this connection it might be said that whatever possible the city sealer should not confine himself to the yearly examinations of equipment provided by statute. A year is the *longest* period which should elapse between tests; and the local official should make his tests as much more frequently as possible.

Dry measures have practically disappeared from the state except in and around Milwaukee. Strenuous efforts should be made to bring this locality up to a par with the balance of the state in this regard.

The establishment of public markets supervised by the municipalities seems to be increasing. In most cases the city sealer is the supervising officer. Reports indicate that these markets are well patronized both in the farmers and by the public and their success seems assured.

## TABULATION OF MECHANICAL WORK CITY DEPARTMENTS OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Weights a	and Mea	sures Ap	pliances	-		0	ontaine	rs
City	Sealed	Adj.	Cd. Rep.	Cond.	Total	Cor- rect	Incor- rect	Total
Antigo	283	21	10	7	300	128		128
Appleton	3,651	131	37	128	3,816	1,628	40	1,668
Ashland	430	41	7	1	438	1,020	10	1,000
Baraboo	947	215	18	39	1.004			
Beaver Dam					1,001			
Beloit	1,527	152	33	48	1,608	429	1	430
*Chippewa Falls	323	37	10	5	338	120	1	400
Eau Claire	981	103	19	25	1,025			
Fond du Lac	1,694	71	46	166	1.906	278	9	287
Grand Rapids	692	138	5	38	735	1,233	4	1,237
Green Bay	2,862	411	168	103	3,133	211	76	287
Janesville	653	19	2	5	660	45	10	45
Kenosha	1,904	63	52	77	2,033	578		578
La Crosse	1,930	14	23	88	2,041	89		
Madison	2,936	234	40	74	3,050	434	121	89
Manitowoe	1,672	123	10	2	1,674	175	10000	555
Marinette	622	53	2	15	639	146		175
Marshfield	981	83	4	13	998	140		146
Menasha	301	48		11	312	61		17
Menomonie	714	30	3	45	762	1.816	•••••	61
Merrill	332	6	4	40	343			1,816
Milwaukee	41,414	219	872	514	42,800	49		49
Neenah	680	7	012	13	42,000	1,261	2	1,263
†Oeonto	223	22	4	15 55	282	121	13	740
Oshkosh	2.011	87	92	24		1		
Portage	1.036	01	2		2,127	96	1	97
Racine	3,969	418	108	28	1,066	2,496	864	3,360
Rhinelander	849	122	108	238	4,315	1,011	167	1,178
Sheboygan	3,051	42	13	36	900	228		228
South Milwaukee	241	25	120	26 17	3,197	211	22	233
Stevens Point	291	20	0	. 11	266	21		21
Superior	4.506	254	35					
Watertown	1,800	294	53	67	4,608	3,811	113	3,924
Waukesha	397	293		86	1,939	319	25	344
Wausau	3.049	96	37	23	420			
West Allis	1,094	90 47	23	74	3,160	633	20	653
	1,004	+1	23	24	1,141	64		64
Totals	89,755	3,682	1,852	2,122	93,729	18,192	1,481	19,673
Per cent	95.7	3.9	2.0	2.3				

July 1, 1918, to June 30, 1919

\* Appointed May 7, 1919. † Appointed February 4, 1919. Note.—The appliances adjusted have been sealed and in figuring the totals are included in the "sealed" column.

## TABULATION OF SUPERVISIONAL WORK CITY DEPARTMENTS OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

		Try	-Outs		Prose	eutions
City	Number of visits	Number of tests	Number found short	Mis- branded	Cases brought	Convietions
Antigo		283		and the second second		
Appleton	679	5.045	493			
Ashland	159	349	100			
Baraboo	100	010				
Beaver Dam						
Beloit	1.712	3,549	050			
*Chippewa Falls			358	358	1	
Eau Claire	14	112	29	12		
Fond du Lac	148	887	102	3		
	301	1,561	19			
Grand Rapids	1,440	990	165		1	
Green Bay Janesville	177	796	178	3	8	6
Kenosha	91	521	4		1	
La Crosse	156	511	2		1	1
Madison	429	977	150	16		
Manitowoe	420	20	190	10	1	1
Marinette	34					
Marshfield		230	2	46	1	1
Menasha	67	52	7	3		
	70	152	10			
	298	875	23			
	25	25				
Neenah	1,203	8,276	409	86	18	17
	1,641	11,927	46			
Oconto	7	7				
Oshkosh	58	370	7	23		
Portage		519	41		1	
Racine	1,119	6,051	3,289	664	3	3
Rhinelander ·	262	2,118	52	37	2	2
Sheboygan	379	695	219		2	2
South Milwaukee Stevens Point		135	1			
	850	3,654	50	185		
TTT	1,049	2,671	130	52		
Waukesha	120	210				
Wausau	650	2,782	22			
West Allis	50	181	23			
Totals	13,192	56,531	5,831	1.488	38	35

July 1, 1918, to June 30, 1919

\* Appointed May 7, 1919.

† Appointed February 4, 1919.

#### STATE OWNED TRUCKS

The experiment of a state owned truck, (known as Truck No. 1), specially constructed to carry all the equipment of the field inspectors, including one set of twenty fifty pound weights, has proved a decided success and meets with the enthusiastic approval of the inspectors themselves. A Ford one ton truck chassis was purchased last fall and a special body, designed for our work, was built thereon. There is an enclosed driver's cab providing ample protection against inclement weather; there are adjustable windows in the sides and rear of the cab and an adjustable windshield, thereby providing adequate ventilation. The body of the truck is divided into two compartments, the rear one containing the fifty pound weights and the

forward one the working cases and personal grips of the men. The truck has plenty of power for all demands ever made upon it and develops a speed of between fifteen and twenty miles an hour.

The use of the truck makes the inspectors independent of outside livery and drayage service with the delays and uncertainties and great expense incident thereto. The testing of scales, particularly of the heavier types, is better and more rapidly performed and the item of expense is greatly reduced.

The following tabulation shows the itemized expense on truck No. 1 during the time it has been operated, namely from October 16, 1918, to November 29, 1918, and from April 21, 1919, to June 30, 1919. The truck is not equipped with a speedometer so the mileage indicated is an estimate made by the driver. An item of \$7.30 for additional equipment for the truck is not included nor is an item of \$14.00 for storage from November 30, 1918, to April 20, 1919.

Miles travelled	1233
Gasoline	100
Gallons	182
Cost	\$52.73
Lubricating Oil	1.50
Lubricating On	1.25
Hard Oil	4.70
Repairs	46.00
Storage	40.00
Total Cost rom this tabulation the following facts are apparent	\$106.18 nt:
Total running cost per mile (including stor-	
age charges) ٥.	6 cents
Running cost per mile (not including storage	0 conta
charges) 4.	9 cents
Mileage per gallon of gasoline 6.	77

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It should be remembered in considering the mileage per gallon of gasoline that much of the time the truck is used for very short hauls, sometimes being moved only a few feet on or off a scale, and that the time of continuous traveling is comparatively small; the result is that the motor is started a great many more times and that low speed is used much oftener than might be expected from the distance travelled with a consequent increased gasoline consumption.

It has been found advisable to have two inspectors work together on the truck. The moves from one town to another being short little time is lost in traveling; and, particularly in the testing of heavy scales, two men can work to very good advantage together. Two light outfits are carried and on light work each inspector can work independently so there is no duplication or loss of time.

The use of Truck No. 1 proved so satisfactory that in the latter part of April another chassis was purchased to be equipped in a similar manner. A few slight changes were made in the body design to overcome objections that developed in the use of No. 1, but in the es-

sential points the two trucks were identical. Owing to delays in building the cab and body Truck No. 2 was not ready for use until June 24. It was put into service on that date in the southern part of the state.

With four such trucks in the service of this department the efficiency of our field force would be very greatly increased and the expense incident to the hauling and transportation of equipment would be materially cut down. It is now impossible to secure horse livery in hundreds of places and where it can be secured the charge is high —from six to seven dollars a day being the customary figures; automobile hire is almost universally twenty cents a mile or, if a lump sum is charged for a trip, it amounts to practically as much. Adequate means for reaching inland towns and for transporting a half ton of test weights being prime requisites in the field work of this department, it is apparent, in view of the high cost of renting this service, that it is a matter of plain economy to motorize the department and that the sooner this is done the sooner the beneficial results of the change will be manifest.

One advantage in the use of state owned trucks which was immediately apparent was that the inspectors could carry additional equipment which it is impracticable for them to carry when dependent upon freight and hired conveyances for transportation. Five gallon field standards of the latest Seraphin type have been provided for each truck and, as soon as they can be secured from the manufacturer, it is planned to furnish each truck with a similar measure in the one gallon size; these measures are for the purpose of testing liquid measuring pumps. Each truck is also furnished with two twenty-five pound cast iron weights to be used in bridging the gap between the so-called small weights and the fifty pound size.

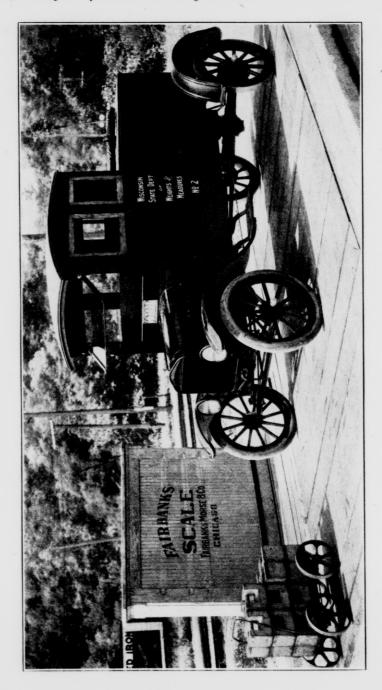
The use of the automobile truck made possible a further experiment in the handling of test weights on large scales. At the suggestion of one of the field men a small four wheeled truck or cart was designed by means of which the test weights could be readily moved about from one position to another on a wagon scale platform. The truck is made entirely of metal with twelve inch wheels and is standardized at one hundred pounds. Two shot cups fastened to the under side of the truck provide the necessary means for weight adjustment. In use, eighteen 50 pound test weights are placed on the truck, the customary 1000 pound test load being thereby provided, and the entire load is concentrated within an eighteen inch square. The truck can be easily moved from corner to corner or on or off the scale platform.

For ease in transporting the testing truck inside of the automobile truck body the wheels are made removable. Self-contained pins, which drop into place by gravity, are provided in the ends of the shafts and the truck can be knocked down or assembled in a few secconds.

The advantages claimed for this testing truck, which has been in use with Truck No. 1, for almost six weeks, are a decided saving of

time in the testing of large scales and a very great lessening of the physical effort required of the inspectors. These claims are borne out by experience and the use of the testing truck may be considered a success and its advent may be said to mark a distinct advance in the methods of scale testing in this state.

The illustration shows Truck No. 2 and the testing truck. The latter is in position for a corner test of the scale. When the picture was taken the entire set of twenty weights was placed on the truck but, as explained above, only eighteen are used in testing.



Months	Meals and Lodging	Railroad and Street Car Fares	Livery, Bus and Drayage	Freight and Express	Excess Baggage	Miscel- laneous	State Owned Trucks	Totals
		\$152.88	\$453.75	\$27.95	\$19.10	\$2.65		\$002.83
1181	388.50	133.61	522.90	44.85	22.35	3.15		1.115.36
ember		130.32	394.35	36.41	35.95	5.50		884.33
ther		139.49	440.80	16.34	35.40	2.80	\$33.14	1,065.82
ember		142.76	201.52	19.23	18.86	5.85	25.90	758.20
mber		140.02	192.55	27.02	37.93	13.62		703.84
Alst		165.51	333.63	31.90	37.42	4.15		987.11
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eh.		169.10	251.05	27.02	32.06	9.04		812.27
		144.48	278.05	31.46	28.61	7.40		834.04
		125.53	364.55	21.44	14.77	1.35	23.98	934.0
June	304.57	102.71	363.90	14.53	22.72	10.16	25.28	843.8
Totals	\$4.141.15	\$1.700.09	\$3,992.95	\$330.61	\$327.36	\$71.60	\$108.30	\$10.672.06

SUMMARY OF FIELD INSPECTORS' EXPENSES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1919

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#### FIELD INSPECTORS' EXPENSES

The above table shows an itemized summary of the expenses of the field inspectors of the department for the past year. Three items show a marked increase over the expenses for the previous year namely "Meals and Lodging", "Railroad Fares' and "Livery, Bus and Drayage". Comment was made in the 1918 report upon the fact that "Meals and Lodging" expense had increased over 15% and "Livery, Bus and Drayage" expense had increased over  $12\frac{1}{2}\%$  as compared with the figures for 1917. This year shows a further increase of more than 20% and  $12\frac{1}{2}\%$  respectively over 1918. There is also an increase this year of almost 36% in the cost of railroad fares with less actual mileage travelled.

These increases are, of course, easily explained when the general upward trend of prices and the three-cent per mile railroad fares are remembered.

In October and November, 1918, and in May and June, 1919, State truck No. 1 was in use and the livery charge for this period is greatly reduced, a total expense of \$127.48 appearing for the truck as contrasted with what two inspectors would have spent for livery and drayage had they been working under the old plan.

#### LEGISLATION

During the 1919 session of the legislature this department endeavored to have the following provisions enacted into law.

A minimum salary for city sealers of \$500.00 per annum.

All special contracts mentioned in Section 1667 of the statutes to be written. (These special contracts refer to sales other than by net weight or the standard ton of 2000 avoirdupois pounds).

A standard of 128 cubic feet for a cord of wood.

The net weight or measure of retail sales to be marked upon the package or a sales slip accompanying it.

The approval of the State Superintendent of Weights and Measures to be necessary when city sealers are appointed.

The State Superintendent of Weights and Measures to have power to remove from office, for cause, city sealers after notice and opportunity for hearing.

City sealers to submit to state department quarterly instead of annual reports.

Typographical error in last sentence of subsection 2 of Section 1661 to be corrected by transposing the words "or" and "sold".

Subsection 1 of Section 1661 to be corrected by eliminating the provision for state census records in determining those cities to have city sealers.

The last four provisions only survived and became law-being Chapter 152, laws of 1919.

It is very unfortunate that the provision for a minimum salary for city sealers was not enacted into law. This department has realized for a long time that the salaries paid for this very important work in

many of our cities have been entirely inadequate and it was for the purpose of remedying the situation somewhat and providing enough compensation so that at least a portion of the work might be properly taken care of that this bill was introduced. It is to be hoped that those of our cities which are now paying such ridicuously low salaries to their local sealers as from one to two or three hundred dollars a year will realize the importance of proper weights and measures supervision and will raise the salaries to a point where a man can afford to give a reasonable amount of time to the discharge of his duties. It is impossible for a man receiving a mere pittance for his services to maintain a proper interest in his work and there is a 'pronounced tendency in the smaller cities to resign and seek more lucrative employment. It is also becoming increasingly difficult to secure men of suitable qualifications to fill vacancies when they occur in those cities paying an extremely small salary.

The need for suitable track-scale-testing equipment in Wisconsin is as great as ever but owing to conditions at this time it was deemed inadvisable to present the matter at this session of the legislature. It is to be hoped that conditions will be more favorable two years hence and that this phase of our work may then receive the attention it deserves. The only track scale testing performed this year in Wisconsin (except such work as was done by the carriers themselves) was that of three elevator scales in Milwaukee and one in La Crosse. This work was done by Mr. Fell of the Bureau of Standards with Bureau of Standard Test Cars 3 and 4, your chief inspector being present in both cities. These tests emphasized the need for systematic work of this kind throughout the state, two of the four scales tested being in poor condition and the other two showing considerable variation although they were within tolerance.

#### NEW STATE DEPARTMENT EQUIPMENT

During the year ten 25 pound weights were purchased for the use of the state inspectors. The possession of such a weight makes it unnecessary for the inspector to make use of the "build-up" system to provide a maximum load for scales of between 20 and 50 pounds capacity. Their use also simplifies the testing of scale beams whose maximum graduations lie between 20 and 50 pounds. So far these weights have only been supplied to the two trucks in order not to complicate the transportation problem for those men dependent upon trains and hired conveyances.

All of the inspectors have now been supplied with 2 ounce liquid measures which nest with the set already in use. These two ounce measures are for use when testing glass graduates, the principle being to avoid using a graduate to test a graduate whenever possible. Their use will undoubtedly increase the accuracy possible in the testing of graduates in the field.

Two five-gallon field standards for use with the two trucks have also been provided as discussed elsewhere in this report.

#### NEW REPORT FORMS

During the year a new form of weights and measures report and a new form of weekly summary of work done have been adopted. The basic idea in changing the weights and measures report form was to show more clearly and definitely just what the inspector did at any particular place of business. It provides for a complete description of each scale, weight or measure examined and permits of the subsequent identification of each piece of equipment should the need arise. In the weekly summary, instead of dividing the work done into a large number of overlapping classes where the results are confusing by reason of this overlapping feature, the division of scales is made into four classes only, on the basis of capacity, and one grouping only is made for each of the following: weights, linear measures, liquid measures, dry measures.

The change to the new forms was made May 1st and in the two months during which they have been used they have given entire satisfaction. In the one case greater detail is supplied making a definite detailed record of all work done; in the summary all the necessary information is given in a simple manner incapable of misinterpretation.

In compiling the mechanical summary of the department's work three sets of tables have been prepared: the first showing work from July 1, 1918, to April 30, 1919, inclusive, based on the old report forms; the second from May 1, 1919, to June 30, 1919, inclusive, based on the new report forms; and the third showing the entire year's work according to the new method of reporting, the figures of the first set having been re-distributed.

#### FIFTY POUND BARLEY STANDARD

Through the field inspectors of the department additional work along the lines of buying grain according to the legal weight per bushel as established by Statute has been performed, particularly in the western part of the state. A prosecution was started and successfully concluded against one grain buyer for buying barley on the basis of a fifty pound bushel. The practice, as recommended by this department, of buying grains by the hundred pound unit instead of the bushel, is growing in a very encouraging manner. The main difficulty seems to be in overcoming an old established custom and in getting all of the buyers in a particular locality to buy on the same basis. Where the hundred weight plan has been given a trial it appears to meet with general approval.

## NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

The chief inspector atended the national conference on weights and measures held at the Pureau of Standards, Washington, D. C.,

May 21-24. This was the first conference held since 1916. A varied and helpful program was carried out. The most important subject discussed was that of liquid measuring pumps; and a set of tentative specifications and tolerances, prepared by Mr. Schlenk of the Bureau, was submitted to the conference. These were adopted conditionally, with the understanding that comments, suggestions and criticisms were later to be submitted to the tolerance committee from all parts of the country as experience with the practical operation of the new regulations should dictate. This committee will then prepare and submit to the next conference a proposed final set of specifications. Our present specifications on liquid measuring pumps are sadly deficient-in fact we can hardly be said to have any at all. With the ultimate general adoption of uniform and complete specifications governing the construction, installation and maintainance of liquid measuring pumps it may be confidently expected that this hitherto troublesome group of measuring appliances will be properly regulated, that the faulty equipment will be weeded out and that future installations of pumps will attain a standard for accuracy far above anything which the majority of our present pumps are capable of reaching.

## COMMENTS ON STATE INSPECTOR'S REPORTS

A review of the annual reports sent in by the individual state inspectors reveals the fact that the inspectors are unanimous in making certain statements, chief of which are that there is apparent a gradual improvement in the mechanical condition of the equipment examined, that liquid measuring pumps remain one of the most troublesome classes of equipment, that the general sentiment of the merchants throughout the state toward the work of the department is one of approbation and that the use of state-owned trucks by the field inspectors marks a distinct advance in our methods of work.

The improvement in the mechanical condition of equipment is variously accounted for as resulting from consistent educational work among the merchants or from actual demonstrations by the inspector as to the proper methods of adjusting and caring for weighing and measuring devices. Faulty installation seems to be blamed for the bulk of the measuring pump trouble. The favorable sentiment toward the work of the department is credited to the constructive work being done and to the realization on the part of the merchants and the public that both are being served impartially. The approval by the inspectors of the use of state-owned trucks comes both from those who have worked with the outfits we have and also from the others who are working with hired conveyances but who realize how advantageous the use of a truck would be in their territories.

Several inspectors commented upon the public sentiment which seems to be growing in favor of a more frequent inspection—one every six months at least. It was also reported by one inspector that the coal dealers in his territory had expressed dissatisfaction with

the department because of its inability to test railroad track scales.

The higher type of new equipment which is being purchased now as contrasted with conditions a few years ago was mentioned but the qualification appeared that even yet there was altogether too much new equipment which was out of adjustment, or which for other reasons did not come up to the legal requirements.

#### INSPECTION OF WORK OF CITY SEALERS

During the year the work and equipment of the city sealers in Waukesha, Racine, Kenosha, Janesville and Portage were inspected. This work was part of the general plan of the chief inspector to visit all of the city sealers as soon as possible. This plan has been seriously interfered with by reason of a four months leave of absence and various special duties such as those occasioned by the legislative session, so that comparatively few cities have been reached. It is hoped that after another year this work may have been completed in each city having a city sealer.

In all cases it has been necessary to adjust some of the weights tested but the variations from standard have been small and are to be accounted for as a result of natural wear through use. In some cases recommendations have been made for the purchase of additional equipment where such was found to be necessary or desirable.

#### STATE AND CITY PERSONNEL

At present there are two cities in which the office of city sealer is vacant, Janesville and Stevens Point. The resignation of Mr. Walter Helms, the Janesville sealer, was effective June 30, 1919. Mr. E. H. Flentie, the sealer of Stevens Point resigned during the winter when the salary of his office was cut from \$660.00 to \$100.00 per annum. This move on the part of the city of Stevens Point was a decided retrogression and it is to be hoped that the council will reconsider their action and place the salary of the city sealer at a point which will make it possible for the duties of the office to be efficiently discharged.

In the city of Oconto Mr. P. T. Meenwsen, the city clerk, has been appointed city sealer to succeed Mr. B. M. Mulvaney, resigned. Mr. P. E. Lunney has been appointed sealer of Chippewa Falls, which city was without a local sealer for a considerable period.

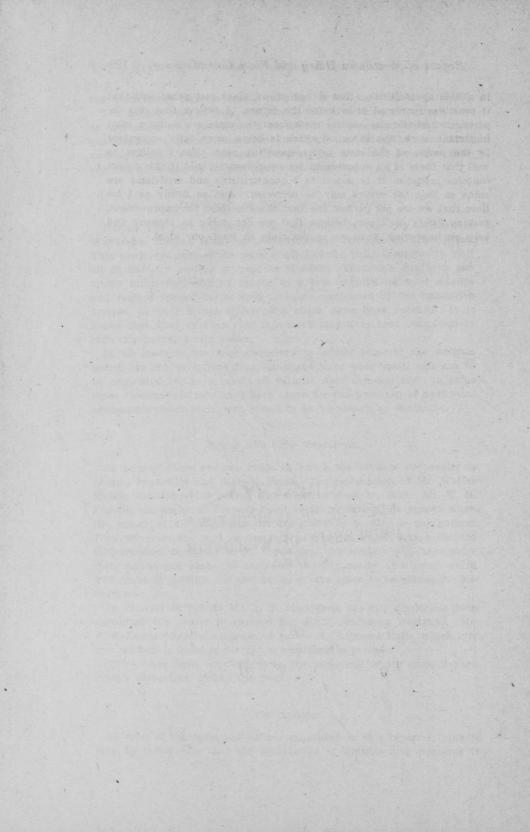
There have been no changes in the personnel of the state department's inspectors during the year.

#### CONCLUSION

In view of the facts and figures submitted in this report I think it may be safely said that the department of weights and measures is

in a healthy condition; that it has grown since last year; and that it promises increased growth for the future. I believe that this department and the city sealers throughout the state are doing a most important work, the value of which is being more fully recognized by the people of the state each succeeding year. But I believe as well that there is an opportunity for improvement; and if this report contains criticism it is meant to be constructive and criticisms are made so that the errors may be corrected. And as firmly as I believe that we are not perfect and that there is room for improvement, just as firmly do I also believe that we are going to improve and keep on improving, until we approximate, at least, our ideal.

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