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MONTHLY PRODUCTION OF CARBONATED BEVERAGES

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics presents its monthly report on Carbonated Beverages for the second time. The response to our first publication issued last month has been quite favourable and in view of this, the report will be continued on a monthly basis. The current report shows that the production of carbonated beverages during the month of April increased slightly to 7,575,194 gallons as compared with 7,504,544 gallons produced during the same month in 1953.

TABLE 1

PRODUCTION OF CARBONATED BEVERAGES FOR 1952, 1953 AND 1954

	<u>1952</u> (Gal.)	<u>1953 (1)</u> (Gal.)	<u>1954 (1)</u> (Gal.)
January	6,972,888	6,758,093	5,791,929
February	5,967,907	5,689,583	6,322,700
March	6,307,061	6,840,284	7,137,824
April	7,362,384	7,504,544	7,575,194
May	8,952,881	9,356,465	
June	9,916,843	10,407,480	
July	13,980,270	12,931,159	
August	10,661,663	10,438,799	
September	9,074,620	10,041,580	
October	7,140,347	7,488,904	
November	6,632,923	7,254,990	
December	<u>8,425,704</u>	<u>8,522,777</u>	
TOTAL	<u>101,395,491</u>	<u>103,234,658</u>	

(1) Preliminary figures subject to revision.

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