

## STANDARDS DIVISION

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## TYPE APPROVAL

## PARKINSON & COWAN TYPE "D-LA" POSITIVE DISPLACEMENT GAS METER WITH PREPAYMENT ATTACHMENT

The apparatus specified and illustrated herein has been duly approved by the Standards Division under the provisions of the Gas Inspection Act, Chapter 129, R.S. 1952, and may be admitted to verification in Canada.

Apparatus Approved: Type "D-LA" Prepayment Positive Displacement Gas Meter, manufactured by Parkinson & Cowan (Gas Meters) Limited, London, England, and sold in Canada by Duragas Equipment Ltd., Toronto, Ontario.

Rating of Apparatus: Badged Capacity - 210 cu.ft.per hour (air).

Description: The meter body is the same as the type "D-la" approved in Circular SD-GA.14 of April 28, 1952, but the addition of the prepayment device lowers the rated capacity. The prepayment device operates with 25-cent coins, the amount prepaid being shown on the face of a revolving drum which has major scale divisions for each 100 cubic feet and minor divisions for each 20 cubic feet. The amount per coin is readily adjustable in steps of 6 cubic feet from 12 to 324 cubic feet. This adjustment is made by loosening the hasp of the coin box, rotating the indicator plate to the desired position, and then tightening the nut on the hasp which locks the mechanism in place.

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