

The lost history of American veterinary medicine: the need for preservation

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Table 3
US library holdings of veterinary supply catalogs

Name of company	Date	No. of records located	No. held by veterinary libraries
1. American Thermo-Ware Co.	1906	1	0
2. American Veterinary Supply Co.	1915 (5th ed.)	2	1
3. American Veterinary Supply Co.	1920 (7th ed.)	3	3
4. American Veterinary Supply Co.	1922 (8th ed.)	1	1
5. American Veterinary Supply Co.	1936	2	2
6. Beebe Laboratories	1900s	1	1
7. Becton, Dickinson & Co.	1920	1	0
8. Becton, Dickinson & Co.	1921	1	0
9. Becton, Dickinson & Co.	1935	1	0
10. Becton, Dickinson & Co. (different title from above)	1935	1	0
11. Davis & Geck, Inc.	1991	1	1
12. Detroit Veterinary Instrument & Supply Co.	1900s	1	1
13. Detroit Veterinary Supply Co.	1938	1	1
14. A. Eger	1900s	2	1
15. Fort Dodge Laboratories	1956	1	1
16. O. M. Franklin Serum Co.	1940	1	1
17. O. M. Franklin Serum Co.	1942	1	1
18. O. M. Franklin Serum Co.	1946	1	1
19. O. M. Franklin Serum Co.	1947	1	1
20. O. M. Franklin Serum Co.	1955	1	1
21. Haussmann & Dunn	1890–1899?	1	1
22. Haussmann & Dunn	1894	1	0
23. Haussmann & Dunn	1907 (8th ed.)	3	1
24. Haussman & Dunn Mfg. Co.	1929 (19th ed.)	1	1
25. Haver Glover Laboratories	1924 (2nd ed.)	1	1
26. Haver Glover Laboratories	1928 (3rd ed.)	3	3
27. Haver Glover Laboratories	1932 (4th ed.)	1	1
28. Haver Glover Laboratories	? (5th ed.)	1	1
29. Haver Glover Laboratories	1939 (6th ed.)	1	1
30. Haver Glover Laboratories	1949/50 (9th ed.)	1	1
31. Haver Glover Laboratories	? (10th ed.)	1	1
32. Haver Glover Laboratories	1950–1959? (11th ed.)	1	0
33. Jensen Salsbery Laboratories	1921 (4th ed.)	1	1
34. Jensen Salsbery Laboratories	1924	1	1
35. Jensen-Salsbery Laboratories	1929 (5th ed.)	3	1
36. Jensen-Salsbery Laboratories	1938 (9th ed.)	1	0
37. Jorgensen Laboratories	1900s	1	1
38. Kansas City Vaccine Co.	1955	1	1
39. F. A. Koch & Co.	1914 (9th ed.)	1	1
40. Miltex Instrument Company	2002	1	0
41. Omaha Vaccine Co.	1978	1	0

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42.	George P. Pilling & Son	1903	1	0
43.	Pitman-Moore	1939	1	0
44.	Pitman-Moore	1943	1	0
45.	John Reynders & Co.	1881	1	0
46.	John Reynders & Co.	1883 (2nd ed.)	1	0
47.	John Reynders & Co.	1889 (4th ed.)	1	0
48.	John Reynders & Co.	1896 (8th ed.)	1	0
49.	Sharp & Smith	1890–1909?	1	1
50.	Sharp & Smith	1929 (20th ed.)	1	0
51.	Spectrum Surgical Instruments Corp.	1996	1	1
52.	Spectrum Surgical Instruments Corp.	2000	1	1
53.	Thorne Research	2004 (4th ed.)	1	1
54.	Chas. Truax, Greene & Co.	1894	2	1
55.	Truax, Greene & Co.	1915 (17th ed.)	1	0
56.	J. H. Tuttle	1885	1	0
57.	Welch Allyn, Inc.	1940–1947	1	0
58.	Western Ranch Supply Co.	1950	1	0
59.	Winthrop Chemical Company	1940s	1	0
60.	Max Wochner & Son	1891	1	1
61.	Max Wochner & Son	1900–1920 (12th ed.)	1	0
62.	Max Wochner & Son	1910–1919? (14th ed.)	3	2
63.	Woodard, Animal Health Premix Division	1990	1	0
64.	Woodard, Animal Health Premix Division	1991	1	0
Totals		64	77	44