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On page 223 (March number) under solution number 3, instead of

read	Water 115 cc.	
read	Water 190 cc.	
and inst	ead of	
	Phosphoric acid 1.40 sp. gr 315 cc.	
read	Phosphoric acid 1.4 sp. gr	