

NEW RECORD FOR LIQUOR SALE MADE

B. C. Profits, Steadily Growing, Reach \$1,634,601 in Six Months.

Victoria, B. C., June 18.—Liquor profits earned through the sale of all kinds of liquor in government stores for the six months, from October 1, 1923, to March 31, 1924, amounted to \$1,634,601.70, constituting a record for any such period since the Liquor Control Act came into force in British Columbia.

According to the system of distributing the profits, one-half goes to the credit of the consolidated revenue fund, after \$81,780 has been deducted for the reserve fund. The Government, therefore, retains \$776,435. in addition to the reserve fund allowance, while the municipalities receive a like sum.

Of this amount \$450,500 goes directly to the municipalities on a per capita basis, while the remainder of half the profits, \$252,930, is paid to hospitals and charities.

A summary prepared by Hon. John Hart, minister of finance, shows that the total liquor profits from June 15, 1921, when the Liquor Act went into effect, to March 31, 1924, the end of the fiscal year, or a period of two years and nine months, have been \$7,185,526.65. This sum has been divided as follows: Consolidated revenue fund...\$3,348,003 Municipalities...2,787,083 Hospitals and charities...949,439 Reserve Fund...949,439

A noticeable feature of the minister's report is the steady increase in liquor profits during the last two years. From April 1, 1922, to September 30, 1923, the profits amounted to \$1,076,358. For the next six months' period the profits increased to \$1,250,195, the following six months showed a figure of \$1,402,499, and the last period \$1,634,601.

NONE NOW CAN SPEED LIKE MAN

Animals, Birds and Fishes are Outdone by Modern Travelers.

Philadelphia, June 18.—(United Press)—Man is now the fastest thing on earth.

Within the last few years, after being hopelessly inferior in speed, since the beginning of time, to the birds, beasts and fish, man has, with the aid of his mechanical inventions, outstripped them all.

Wild ducks and geese are not able to exceed a mile a minute, and to snipe and golden plover are able to beat this speed only by about ten miles an hour. The fastest British bird, the peregrine, can attain a speed of 100 miles an hour. The fastest fish, the swordfish, which breeds on the mountains of northern Asia, is the fastest bird in the world, being capable of a speed of about 200 miles an hour.

But even this terrific speed is a good deal less than that which is possible with the modern airplane. The present record is 266 miles an hour.

On land, man, with the aid of the motor car, is vastly superior of the four-legged beast. Tommy Milton, racing driver, is down on the records as having exceeded 180 miles an hour with a flying start. Compared with this, the cheetah, or hunting leopard of India, the fastest thing on legs, which has been timed for short distances to have reached 90 miles an hour, is a sluggard.

Even in the water, where man can



Egyptians Overcame Gray Hair
Egyptian women, famous in song and story, were noted for the beauty of their hair. Their secret of youthful tresses is contained in

BROWNATONE
This Gray Hair Remedy
This discovery of an eminent hair specialist, combining the secrets of the Egyptians with modern science, easily turns gray, faded or bleached hair to any shade from lightest blonde to deep brown or black. Acts instantly. Free color that defies detection, will not rub off. Guaranteed. At all dealers, 50c and \$1.50. Send 10c for trial bottle indicating color desired.

THE KENTON PHARMACAL CO.
1500 Cypria Bldg., Covington, Ky.

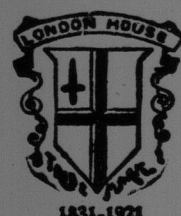
CHILDREN'S SHOES for Confirmation

We have a large assortment now of suitable footwear for Boys and Girls who are being confirmed—shoes that will do for dressy wear all summer as well as for this important event.

FOR BOYS
Black or Patent Leather Oxfords. Sizes 8 to 10½, \$3.45 up. Size 11 to 12, \$3.95 Up

FOR GIRLS
White Canvas or Patent Leather Slippers or Oxfords—a big range from \$2.15 in canvas up.

Waterbury & Rising, Ltd.
61 King Street. 212 Union Street. 677 Main Street.



Friday a Lucky Day For London House Shoppers

Just the things you need now—priced lower. Many special lots add interest for the thrifty this week end.

10 Dozen Art Silk Hose. While they Last 48c. a pr.

Colors, beige, coral, brown, or black, good art silk stockings with "seam back" wide lace top, double at wear points. Sale 48c. a pr.

Brushed Wool Golf Sweaters. Still Newer types

Subdued plaid effects on camel or gray sports sweaters very snappy for wear with the sport shirt, the collar rolls up or lays flat, close fitting sleeve. Price \$5.95.

\$1.65 Knitted Silk Camisoles Friday 98c.

Easily washed, colors, mauve, pink, tablo, golden yellow, cinder, black or white, shirred on elastic at top and bottom, ribbon shoulder straps. Sale 98c.

Will You Choose at \$5.00 each A wonder bargain in Silk Dresses Friday and Saturday

Surely a big surprise—about 25 single dresses that the department will clear at a price that is almost giving them away. Some were as high as \$80.00 and \$40.00.

Silk, Georgette, Canton and Some evening dresses. Choose Friday at \$5.00.

Coat Sale Continues Friday Poiret Twill and Tricotine Regular \$24.75 to \$59.75 Sale \$37.50

All new man tailored garments, smart wrap-like or tubular styles in navy, gray, fawn or black, some braided, all lined throughout with satin or silk crepe. Very stylish. Choose Friday at \$37.50.

Striped Bloomers Sedan Satin \$1.19 pr.

Good full size with set in gusset in gray, sand, tangerine, flesh, navy or black, double shirring at knee. Friday \$1.19.

Princess slips of striped sedan satin in same colors with camile top. Special \$1.48.

New Neckwear Kinks. Net Collar with Frilled Jabot 78c.

Peter Pan style with frilly front jabot attached, edged all round with fine guipure lace. Three good styles in white or cream. Price 78c.

Peter Pan ready tied ribbon bows. May be had in most any color with beaded ends. Price 29c. each.

Gingham Cottage Dresses. New Styles Friday \$2.48 each.

Pretty checks in pink, green, copen, brown, mauve, black and white. Coat neck or tuxedo, plique and braid trimmings. Reg. \$2.65. Week-end price \$2.48 each.

Look Mothers:—Cutest Summer Dresses at \$1.75

Children's check gingham, plain chambray or white pique dresses 2 to 14 years, the smaller sizes have panties to match, some Peter Pan styles with linen trimmings. Pretty color effects. Price \$1.75.

Gingham bloomer dresses 2 to 6 years. In pretty checks. Price \$1.65.

"Admiral" Middies with Flannel Collar at \$2.25

Made of fine white middie twill has navy detachable flannel collar trimmed narrow braid, long sleeves, buttoned cuff. Price \$2.25.

LONDON HOUSE
F. W. DANIEL & CO. HEAD KING ST.

swim no faster than two and a half miles an hour, can, with the aid of the modern motorboat, make the fastest fish look slow.

The tarpon, the beauty of Florida waters, is believed to have a maximum speed of about 80 miles an hour and this speed was slightly exceeded by Miss America I. with her 800-horsepower engines at Detroit in 1923. A later edition of this motor boat, with engines of 1,800 horsepower, is reported to have increased its speed to slightly more than 88 miles an hour.

Governor Smith Cheered by Masons

Fifteen thousand Masons marched down Fifth avenue, New York, one afternoon this week in a Flag Day parade of the National League of Masonic clubs and associated Masonic bodies. It took nearly three hours for the line to pass the reviewing stand at Fifty-ninth street, where Governor Smith, with two Masonic badges pinned on the lapel of his coat, received an ovation from the paraders.

The sun was shining when the line started moving down the avenue from Seventy-eighth street at 2:30 o'clock. Shortly after 4 a smart shower began and some of those in the reviewing stand left hastily. Among these was the Governor's wife, who seated herself in their limousine, parked beside the stand, and continued to view the marchers. The Governor refused to leave his seat, and continued to receive the salutes and cheers of the paraders until the last organization had passed.

Making Cement.
A cement that proves most effective is made by making a thick solution of gum arabic to a paste with plaster of paris.

MOBS STORM HIS FAITH HEALINGS



Rev. Robert H. Bell, Denver, whose faith-healing meetings in New York attracted such mobs of sick and disabled that the police had to be called out to disperse near riots. Women fainted and crowds fought for a place. Several thousand were reported healed. He is shown here with a child patient.

DEATHS

F. H. Stevens.
Fred H. Stevens, for many years managing director of the Hartland Observer, passed away suddenly at 10 o'clock last evening at his home in Hartland, at the age of 82 years. The late Mr. Stevens was born in Somerville, N. B., a son of Henry M. Stevens. He entered upon his business career at the age of 16 and published the Hartland Advertiser, 1890-1905. He established the Carleton Observer in 1907 and continued as its editor and manager until the time of his death. He was a New Brunswick director of the Canadian Newspaper Association, a member of the K. of P. and an Anglican in religion. The late Mr. Stevens was very well known through the medium of his newspaper ventures and was highly esteemed in business as well as social life.

He is survived by one sister, Miss Marion Stevens, and also by one cousin. The funeral will be held Friday at his home in Hartland.

PRESENTATION TO MATRON.

Miss E. J. Mitchell, who for years has been matron of the General Public Hospital and treasurer of the Graduate Nurses' Association of St. John, was made the recipient of a handsome har pin on Tuesday evening. Mrs. J. H. Vaughan was hostess for the nurses, who were highly complimentary of the kind thought of her friends in the chapter. The pin is platinum with sapphire setting. Miss Maud Retallick will now take up the duties of treasurer and secretary combined, on the retirement of Miss Mitchell from the former office. Mrs. Vaughan, assisted by some of her guests, served dainty refreshments.

FRECKLE-FACE

Sun and Wind Bring Out Ugly Spots. How to Remove Easily.

Here's a chance, Miss Freckle-face, to try a remedy for freckles, with the guarantee of a reliable concern that it will not cost you a penny unless it removes the freckles; while if it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from any druggist, and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of the homely freckles and get a beautiful complexion. Barely is more than one ounce needed for the worst case.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength Othine, as this strength is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

Stevenson Ltd., 35 St. Francis Xavier St., Montreal, Que.

Stores open 8.30 a. m.; close 5.55 p. m.
Friday 9.55 p. m.; Saturday 12.55 p. m.

Specials For Friday and Saturday

Probably the very things you have been needing are being featured at a special price reduction for Friday and Saturday. If you happen to be interested in any of the "Specials" mentioned below, you'll find it decidedly to your advantage to buy on these sale days.



Big Curtain Specials

Plain Scrim Curtains with narrow beading on edge. 2 1/2 yds. long. Special \$1.50 pr.

Marquisette Curtains with lace and insertion. Ivory shade only. Six styles to choose from. 2 1/4 yds. long. Special \$2.60 pr.

Marquisette Curtains, good quality in ivory and white. Insertion and lace on edge. Six styles to choose from. 2 1/4 yds. long. Special \$3.85 pr.

Colored Bordered Scrim, 36 in. wide. Special 12c yd.

(Curtains—Germain St. entrance)

Special Assortment of Rattines and Crepe Finished Fabrics
Suitable for Dresses, etc. Wide range of colors. Goods You Have Not Seen Previously. 36 in. wide Sale Friday 45c yd. Morning. (Wash goods—ground floor)

Special Pongee Bloomers with double elastic at knees. \$2.35 garment.
Special Silk Vests; pink or white. \$1.45 ea.
Special Knitted Silk Bloomers, all colors. Lovely quality. \$3.40 garment. (Whitewear—2nd floor)

Children's Middy Blouses—
White, with navy serge detachable collars, trimmed white braid. Special \$1.45 ea.
Children's Pleated Serge Skirts; navy blue. Special \$1.95 (Children's shop—2nd floor)

Special Assortment of Children's Socks and Three-Quarter Hose with colored tops. Special 25c pr.

Women's Lisle Hose with mercerized ankle. Black and colors. Special 40c pr.

Women's Fibre Silk Hose. Black and colors. Special 90c pr.

Women's Gauntlet Chamoisette Gloves in brown, mode and grey. Special 55c pr.

Women's Suede Lisle Gloves, two dome, assorted colors. Special 60c pr.

Women's Gauntlet Chamois Gloves, natural shade. Special \$1.50 pr. Sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/4

Women's Pongee and Crepe Handkerchiefs, bright colors. Special 25c ea. Sample Hand Bags, odd lines. Special \$1.00 and \$2.50 ea.

White, Hemstitched Collar and Cuff Sets. Special 50c

Sectional Collars in crepe-de-chine, cream and white. Special \$1.00 ea.

Art Silk Scarfs in stripes and plain bright colors. Special \$2.50 ea.

Children's Stamped Hats, white and colors. Special 40c ea.

Children's Colored Stamped Dresses, for ages 3 to 5 yrs. Special 75c ea. (Ground floor)

More Special Blouses

In Voile and Dimity
10 very pretty and fashionable styles. Made with Peter Pan Collars. \$1.29 ea. (Blouse dept.—2nd floor)



Pleated Skirts

Special \$3.25

Don't Miss This!

A brand new assortment in fawn, sand, cocoa and grey. Exactly what you have been looking for. Made on camile.

Week-End Price \$3.25 ea.

Be early to get the color you prefer. Not many of them.

(Costume dept.—2nd floor)

Special Hat Grouping \$7.50 ea.

Practically all types of dressy and semi-dressy hats to choose from. Best of the season's styles and a large variety of shapes and colors. Some really fine bargains among these sale hats. (Millinery salon—2nd floor)

Men's Shop Specials

Natural Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, reliable make. Special 75c ea.

Athletic Combinations in fine white balbriggan. Special \$1.00 suit.

One-Piece Cotton Bathing Suits, extra quality. Special \$1.50 suit.

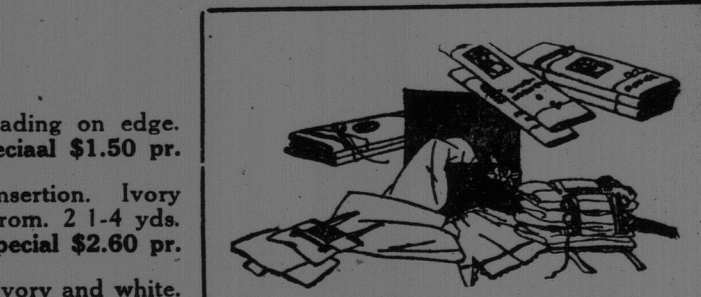
Boys' Cotton Bathing Suits. Special 65c suit.

Mercerized Lisle Socks, in black, brown and grey. Very fine values 3 prs. for 90c

White Shaker Pajamas. Special \$2.25 suit.

Outing Shirts with collars attached. Fine mercerized cloth in white, cream and tan. Special \$1.79 ea.

Hand Bags, Suit Cases, Wardrobe Trunks and General Purpose Trunks at very special values. (Ground floor)



Linen Room Specials Notice These Values!

Hemstitched Huck Towels in damask patterns. Size 18 x 34 in.—Sale 50c ea.
Dark Striped Turkish Towels—the kind you need for country or seaside use. Sale 25c ea.
Pure Linen Roller Towels, 2 1/2 yds. 3-4 long. Sale 50c ea.
Ready made Sheets, heavy weave for country homes. Sale \$1.25 ea.
Ready Hemmed Pillow Cases, made from heavy circular cotton. Sale 48c ea.
White Crochet Bedspreads; single size. Sale \$1.95
Double size—Sale \$2.75
Hemmed Damask Breakfast Cloths, 54 x 54 in. Sale \$1.75 ea.
Remnants of Table Damask, Sheet- ing, Pillow Cotton, Longcloth, Towelling, White and Natural Embroidery Linens. Exceptionally Low Prices.
(Linen room—ground floor)

Special Heavy Velour Blankets

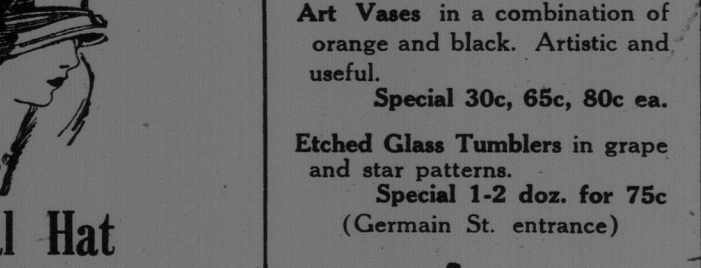
Beautiful quality, soft and warm. You'll find such comfortable Blankets excellent for city or country homes. Showing in silver grey and fawn.

Special \$4.90 pr.

"Our Own Make" Comfortables

A large variety of colors and patterns to choose from. Size 72 x 81 in. You should buy what you need while they are offering at this attractive price.

Special \$4.90 each.
(Housefurnishings—2nd floor)



Amber Candy Jars, iridescent and very pretty. Special 65c ea.
Art Vases in a combination of orange and black. Artistic and useful. Special 30c, 65c, 80c ea.
Etched Glass Tumblers in grape and sage patterns. Special 1-2 doz. for 75c (Germain St. entrance)

Sale of Verandah Rugs Continued Over the Week-End.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE HEARS REPORTS

Fredericton, June 18.—The New Brunswick Women's Institutes assembled here in twelfth annual convention devoted the greater part of the afternoon session to the hearing of the reports from branch institutes. The reports were numerous and went into the year's activities in detail. The branches had not all finished reporting when the session ended this evening.

The first address of the afternoon was by Leslie Wood, Provincial Poultry Superintendent, who took at his subject "Poultry," and pointed out the

MRS. S. D. SCOTT THE GUEST OF HONOR

That woman's diplomacy is becoming a most influential factor in political channels has been evidenced in several instances of late, says the Vancouver Province.

In contrast to the hard driving tactics of the men, women are seasoning their activities with sociability and the effect is apparent.

Among the outstanding functions of the present campaign was Mrs. Bowser's tea at the Hotel Vancouver on Monday afternoon.

While four hundred women gathered to join their hostess in paying compliment to Mrs. S. D. Scott, Conservative candidate for Vancouver city, there was nothing that would suggest

that the gathering was in any way interested in politics.

Mrs. Bowser, smartly gowned in black French charmeuse, with a small black toque and sweeping feather, received her guests with evident personal interest. It might easily have been a college graduates' reunion.

During the afternoon Mrs. A. J. Paterson, on behalf of Mrs. Bowser, presented the guest of honor with a beautiful floral basket.

Mrs. F. W. Welch, on behalf of the Conservative women present, tendered similar tribute to their hostess.

The man who devised the grooved rib and paragon frame for the umbrella, received \$2,000,000 from his idea.

Wrapping garments in newspapers is said to be an effective method of keeping out moths.