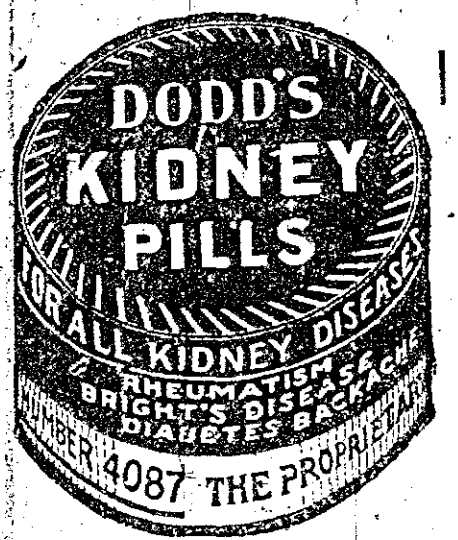


LIQUOR PRICE LIST IN MANITOBA HIGHER

Excess Cost Over Other Wet Provinces Due to Delivery Charges

Will Approximate Ten Per Cent—Some Comparisons Are Made

As the cost of delivery to all points within the province will be borne by the liquor commission, prices for



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Scotch whiskey in Manitoba will be approximately ten per cent. higher than in Quebec or British Columbia, it was indicated by the temporary price list issued yesterday.

Comparison of Prices

Scotch—	Man.	B.C.	Que.
Begg's Gold Cup	\$5.25	\$4.75	
Black and White	4.90	4.25	4.20
Royal Household	5.20		
Bullock Gold Label	4.90		
Dewar's Special			
Liquor	5.10	4.40	4.40
Dewar's Extra			
Special	5.45	4.90	4.90
Ne Plus Ultra	5.75		5.25
King George Gold Label	5.25	4.75	
King George Top Notch	4.90	4.25	4.20
White Horse	4.90	4.25	4.15
Kilmarnock Black Label	6.00		5.40
Kilmarnock Red Label	5.00	4.50	4.40
McCallum's Perfection	4.90		
Rye—			
G. & W. Special	3.50	3.50	3.25

Little difference in price exists as regards one of the best known brands of rye whisky, Manitoba's quotation being the same as that in British Columbia and 25 cents per bottle more than is charged in Quebec for the same grade and same sized bottle.

Freight enters largely into the difference as well, the ocean freight rates to Pacific coast ports being 40 cents per case, as compared with Manitoba's ocean and rail freight of \$1.60 per case, states the commission.

Though the contract for delivery in Greater Winnipeg from the stocks on hand at the government warehouse at 423 Henry avenue has not yet been definitely awarded, deliveries to permit-holders will be started immediately, the commissioners state, and a large number of orders, mostly from points outside the city, will be filled at once, now that the price lists have been prepared.

The temporary list touches only on a few of the better-known brands of Scotch whisky and reputed quarts of rye of only two varieties from one distillery, while 12-ounce bottles of another brand can be obtained for \$1.50.

The Moderation act requires that

delivery shall be made from any government store and in the case of beer from such other place or places as may be fixed by the regulations to a purchaser residing within the limits of any city or town in which there is a government store, at his residence only and to a purchaser residing outside such limits to such purchaser at the railway station or express office nearest such residence or selected for delivery by such purchaser.

Where facilities are not available at the residence of a permit-holder delivery in person may be made at any government store. It is pointed out for instance, the person living at St. Charles, or any other place where there is no express office, may call in person at the government liquor store on Henry avenue and have his order filled.

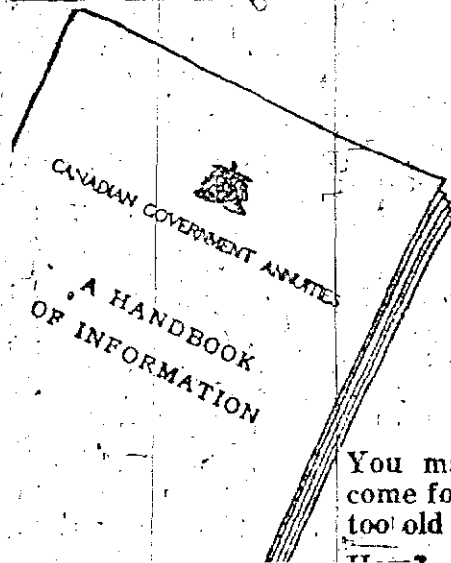
In referring to the necessity of spreading the cost of delivery to all parts of the province on the consumers in general, the commission says clause 20 of the act prescribes that the price of each particular variety of liquor shall be the same at all government stores; and the cost of delivery to purchasers residing within the limits of any city or town in which a government store is situated, and any freight or express charges to the railway stations or express office nearest to the residence of, or selected for delivery by, any purchaser living outside said limits, shall be borne by the commission.

Appointment of managers for the Portage la Prairie and Brandon stores will be announced the latter part of this week, the commission states, while decision as to the location of the store in the latter city is at present occupying the attention of the commission.

The temporary price list is as follows:

Scotch Whisky			
	26-oz. Bottle	Per 40-oz. Case	Per 24-oz. Case
Begg's Gold Cup	\$5.25	\$57.00	\$7.70
Buchanan's Black and White	4.90	53.00	7.35
Buchanan's Royal Household	5.20	57.00	
Bullock Label	4.90	53.00	7.35
Dewar's Special Liqueur	5.10	56.00	7.40
Dewar's Extra Special Liqueur	5.45	60.00	7.75
Dewar's Ne Plus Ultra	5.75	63.00	
Dis. Co. Ltd., King George Gold Label	5.25	57.00	7.70
Dis. Co. Ltd., King George Top Notch	4.90	53.00	7.20
MacKie's White Horse	4.90	53.00	7.20
McCallum's Perfection Scotch	4.90	53.00	
Walker's Kilmarnock, Black Label	6.00	66.00	
Walker's Kilmarnock, Red Label	5.00	55.00	7.35
Rye 24-oz. Btl. Case			\$38.00
Gooderham & Worts, Special	\$3.50		\$47.00
Gooderham & Worts, 1902	4.50		47.00
Corby's Special Selected (in 12-oz. bottles)		1.50	33.00
Port Wine			
	26-oz. Btl.	Case	
Kopke's Dom Pedro	\$3.00	\$33.00	
Kopke's Crown Royal	2.75	29.00	
Kopke's Full Rich	2.50	27.50	
Kopke's Four Grapes	2.25	24.50	
Kopke's Invalid	2.50	27.50	
Hum 40-oz Btl. Case			
Wedderburn's Four Year Old Proof Jamaica	\$5.95	\$55.00	
Sherry Wine			
	26-oz Btl.	Case	
Bertolas Solera, Fina	\$2.25	\$24.50	
Bertolas Solera, No. 3	2.00	22.00	

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