

\$95 in Montreal, \$75 in other municipalities, and \$5 in unorganized territory; for a gold mines tavern without license \$100. Selling in liquor shops less than the legal quantity \$75, also for selling outside the premises licensed. For allowing liquor to be drunk on premises only licensed as a shop, or selling to a person under sixteen years of age, the same fine; the purchaser drinking or asking others to drink the liquor bought in such shop \$10. Selling in a temperance hotel \$20. Selling at a steamboat bar in port or a place of disembarkation \$40. Displaying a sign denoting that a house or vehicle is licensed which is not, or for a different purpose \$20. Keeping for sale in unlicensed premises \$20, and a like sum for any subsequent contravention of the law. The liquors are also to be poured out on the ground and the vessels containing them, destroyed. For a second offence imprisonment for three months is incurred.

ACCOMMODATIONS, &C.

Inns and temperance hotels in a village or country parts, must contain three furnished bed rooms apart from those used by the family, a stable with stalls for four horses, and must be provided with food for travellers and their horses. In towns and cities they must have a kitchen and dining accommodation for ten persons, and two bedrooms. Restaurants must be suitably furnished and to the satisfaction of the Comrs. in Montreal. The license must be shewn to and kept exposed in the bar or elsewhere, as ordered by the Inspector. The sign over the door must state the purpose for which the place is licensed in letters three inches long, and a bottler's vehicle in letters two inches long. In country places in letters of four inches over the door or on the sign post. Peace and order must be kept and gambling not allowed, and only one bar kept open in places where liquors are sold by the glass. No sales to be made to drunken persons, minors under sixteen, nor after 8 p.m. to soldiers, sailors, apprentices or servants, nor to any one after midnight till 5 a.m., or from 11 p.m. on Saturday till 5 a.m. on Monday, unless for medicinal purposes upon orders of a doctor or J.P. and not to be drunk on the premises. During those hours the bars must be closed. None of the licensees except for liquor shops can, in cities, trade in groceries, &c. Travellers may not be refused accommodation in an inn or temperance hotel without just cause. They may not be lodged at restaurants. Any contravention of the foregoing provisions is punishable by a fine of \$10 to \$50.

OTHER PENAL PROVISIONS.

After notice in writing by the husband, wife, father, mother, brother, sister, curator, tutor, or employer of any person who drinks to excess, the manager or person in charge of any institution in which he or she resides or is kept, the curator of an inebriated person, the father, mother, brother, or sister of the husband or wife of such a person, or tutor of his or her child, not to sell him or her intoxicating liquors, given to any person licensed to sell them, the latter becomes liable in damages from \$10 to \$500 (recov-

erable by such person within 6 mos. of the offence) if he sell to such person within 1 yr. Married women may sue without the husband's authorization and the moneys received are for her sole use. The master and employees of a house where liquors are sold to a person who, becoming intoxicated, commits suicide, or dies from a resulting accident are also liable in damages of \$100 to \$1,000, action to be brought in 3 mos. If an intoxicated person commits an assault or damages property, the person who illegally sold him liquor is jointly and severally liable with him in damages. If a licensee is condemned under this Act or convicted of felony, the Court, or the Comrs. in Montreal, may revoke the certificate for his license. After notice from the Inspector his license becomes void. Payments, in money or other valuable objects, for liquors illegally sold are illegal, and may be recovered; and contracts to make such payments are void. When authorized by an Inspector, Comr. or J.P. a police officer, constable or other person may enter any frequented place not licensed and search for liquors. If found they are to be seized and carried away to be destroyed.

AUCTIONEERS.

No property except that of the Crown, that sold by authority of justice or through confiscation, on account of a dissolution of community, or belonging to any church or for a religious purpose, or any bazaar for a religious or charitable object, or in payment of municipal taxes, or sold by an inhabitant of a rural district on occasion of removal and goods of minors under licitation, may be sold by auction by any one not a licensed auctioneer. All sales by an auctioneer are subject to a duty of 1 p.c., which he collects from the seller (unless the condition of the sale be that the buyer pays), and hands over to the Inspector under penalty of \$2) per day for neglect. Sales of insolvent stocks are liable to the duty though not made by a licensed auctioneer. For sale without license of articles not excepted, a person incurs a fine of \$200 to \$400. He must also pay over the duty under penalty of \$20 per day. The duty and penalty are recoverable by the same action, and the party is liable to imprisonment for 1 to 3 mos. in default of payment. A licensed auctioneer must keep a book of all sales in form prescribed by the Prov. Treas., under penalty of \$20, and must give access to it to the Inspector or person authorized by the Treasurer under penalty of \$50. He must make a return under oath of all his sales and pay over the duties, in the first 10 days of February, May, August and November. The Inspector may administer the oath, and may question the party making it concerning the contents of the return, the answers to be given under oath. The license of a defaulter is forfeited, and after notice thereof in the *Official Gazette* becomes void. No new license can issue to such person till arrears are paid.

PAWNBROKERS.

Doing business as a pawnbroker or lending on pawn without license is punishable by \$200 fine, keeping open more