

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): June 8, 1999

COMMISSION FILE NUMBER 0-7570

DELAWARE	CANANDAIGUA BRANDS, INC.	16-0716709
	AND ITS SUBSIDIARIES:	
NEW YORK	BATAVIA WINE CELLARS, INC.	16-1222994
NEW YORK	CANANDAIGUA WINE COMPANY, INC.	16-1462887
NEW YORK	CANANDAIGUA EUROPE LIMITED	16-1195581
ENGLAND AND WALES	CANANDAIGUA LIMITED	---
NEW YORK	POLYPHENOLICS, INC.	16-1546354
NEW YORK	ROBERTS TRADING CORP.	16-0865491
DELAWARE	BARTON INCORPORATED	36-3500366
DELAWARE	BARTON BRANDS, LTD.	36-3185921
MARYLAND	BARTON BEERS, LTD.	36-2855879
CONNECTICUT	BARTON BRANDS OF CALIFORNIA, INC.	06-1048198
GEORGIA	BARTON BRANDS OF GEORGIA, INC.	58-1215938
NEW YORK	BARTON DISTILLERS IMPORT CORP.	13-1794441
DELAWARE	BARTON FINANCIAL CORPORATION	51-0311795
WISCONSIN	STEVENS POINT BEVERAGE CO.	39-0638900
ILLINOIS	MONARCH IMPORT COMPANY	36-3539106
GEORGIA	THE VIKING DISTILLERY, INC.	58-2183528

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

300 WillowBrook Office Park, Fairport, New York 14450

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (716) 218-2169

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS

Canandaigua Brands, Inc. released on June 8, 1999 the following announcement:

CANANDAIGUA BRANDS COMPLETES FINE WINE ACQUISITIONS

FAIRPORT, NEW YORK, JUNE 8, 1999 -- Canandaigua Brands, Inc. (Nasdaq: CBRNA and CBRNB), announced today that on June 4, 1999, the Company completed the purchase of all the outstanding capital stock of Franciscan Vineyards, Inc., and related vineyards and assets. Also, on June 4, 1999, the Company completed its purchase of all of the outstanding capital stock of Simi Winery, Inc. These acquisitions position Canandaigua as a major player in the premium wine market. The Franciscan and Simi operations will be managed together as a separate division of Canandaigua Brands.

The Franciscan purchase includes the Franciscan Oakville Estate (Napa Valley), Estancia (Monterey and Alexander Valley) and Mt. Veeder (Napa Valley) fine wines, related wineries, equipment and inventory; the distribution rights to Veramonte (Casablanca Valley, Chile) and Quintessa (Napa Valley); land and vineyards in the prestigious Napa Valley, Alexander Valley and Monterey appellations of California; as well as a majority interest in the Veramonte winery and land and vineyards in Chile's premier appellation, the Casablanca Valley. The Simi Winery purchase includes the winery, equipment, vineyards, inventory and worldwide ownership of the Simi brand name.

Canandaigua Brands, Inc., headquartered in Fairport, New York, is a leader in the production, marketing and distribution of beverage alcohol products in North America and the United Kingdom. The Company markets more than 180 premier brands, including imported beers, wines, spirits, cider and bottled water.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, each Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

CANANDAIGUA BRANDS, INC.

Dated: June 8, 1999 By: /s/ Thomas S. Summer

Thomas S. Summer, Senior Vice
President and Chief Financial
Officer

SUBSIDIARIES

BATAVIA WINE CELLARS, INC.

Dated: June 8, 1999 By: /s/ Thomas S. Summer

Thomas S. Summer, Treasurer

CANANDAIGUA WINE COMPANY, INC.

Dated: June 8, 1999 By: /s/ Thomas S. Summer

Thomas S. Summer, Treasurer

CANANDAIGUA EUROPE LIMITED

Dated: June 8, 1999 By: /s/ Thomas S. Summer

Thomas S. Summer, Treasurer

CANANDAIGUA LIMITED

Dated: June 8, 1999 By: /s/ Thomas S. Summer

Thomas S. Summer, Director
(Principal Financial Officer and
Principal Accounting Officer)

POLYPHENOLICS, INC.

Dated: June 8, 1999 By: /s/ Thomas S. Summer

Thomas S. Summer, Vice President
and Treasurer

ROBERTS TRADING CORP.

Dated: June 8, 1999 By: /s/ Thomas S. Summer

Thomas S. Summer, President and
Treasurer

BARTON INCORPORATED

Dated: June 8, 1999 By: /s/ Thomas S. Summer

Thomas S. Summer, Vice President

BARTON BRANDS, LTD.

Dated: June 8, 1999 By: /s/ Thomas S. Summer

Thomas S. Summer, Vice President

BARTON BEERS, LTD.

Dated: June 8, 1999 By: /s/ Thomas S. Summer

Thomas S. Summer, Vice President

BARTON BRANDS OF CALIFORNIA, INC.

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BARTON FINANCIAL CORPORATION

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STEVENS POINT BEVERAGE CO.

Dated: June 8, 1999

By: /s/ Thomas S. Summer

Thomas S. Summer, Vice President

MONARCH IMPORT COMPANY

Dated: June 8, 1999

By: /s/ Thomas S. Summer

Thomas S. Summer, Vice President

THE VIKING DISTILLERY, INC.

Dated: June 8, 1999

By: /s/ Thomas S. Summer

Thomas S. Summer, Vice President

INDEX TO EXHIBITS

- (1) UNDERWRITING AGREEMENT
Not Applicable.
- (2) PLAN OF ACQUISITION, REORGANIZATION, ARRANGEMENT, LIQUIDATION OR SUCCESSION
Not Applicable.
- (4) INSTRUMENTS DEFINING THE RIGHTS OF SECURITY HOLDERS, INCLUDING INDENTURES
Not Applicable.
- (16) LETTER RE CHANGE IN CERTIFYING ACCOUNTANT
Not Applicable.
- (17) LETTER RE DIRECTOR RESIGNATION
Not Applicable.
- (20) OTHER DOCUMENTS OR STATEMENTS TO SECURITY HOLDERS
Not Applicable.
- (23) CONSENTS OF EXPERTS AND COUNSEL
Not Applicable.
- (24) POWER OF ATTORNEY
Not Applicable.

(27) FINANCIAL DATA SCHEDULE

Not Applicable.

(99) ADDITIONAL EXHIBITS

None