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Men's Blucher Bals, made in grain or box tip. Regular, $3; sale, $2.25.

Men's Three-Eyelet Low Shoes, tan or patent leathers. Regular, $5; sale, $3.75.

Ladies' Patent Button Oxfords, Goodyear welted solest. Regular, $3.50; sale, $2.88.

Ladies' Tan Laced Low Shoes. Regular, $3.50; sale, $2.88.

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Ladies' Dongola Kid Lace Boots, hand-sewed. Regular, $3.25; sale, $2.44.

Ladies' Tan Low Heel Boots, calf, buttoned. Regular, $35 sale, $2.25.

Ladies' Velvet or Satin Pumps. Regular, $3; sale, $2.25.

Ladies' Kid Strap Slippers. Regular, $1.50; sale $1.13.

Ladies' Dongola Button Boots. Regular, $2.50; sale, $1.88.

Boys' Velour Calf Blucher Bals. Regular, $3; sale, $2.25.

Boys' Box Calf Blucher Bals. Regular, $2; sale, $1.50.

Youths' Velour Calf Blucher Bals. Regular, $2.50; sale, $1.88.

Youths' Box Calf Blucher Bals. Regular, $2; sale, $1.50.

Youths' Velour Calf Blucher Bals. Regular, $1.75; sale, $1.32.

Girls' Dongola Kid Button Boots, sizes 11 to 2. Regular, $2.50; sale, $1.88.

Girls' Laced Boots, hand-sewed, box calf or vici kid. Regular, $2.50; sale, $1.88.

Girls' Dongola Kid Laced Boots in size 3. Regular, $1.50; sale, $1.13

Child's Vici Kid Laced Boots, hand-sewed, sizes, 8 to 10 1-2. Regular, $2; sale, $1.50.

Child's Dongola Kid Button Boots. Regular, $1.75; sale, $1.32.

Child's Patent Leather Pumps. Regular, $1.35; sale, 97c.

Infants' Vici Kid, Button or Laced Boots. Regular $1; sale, 75c.

Infants' Vici Kid, Buttoned or Laced Boots. Regular, 75c; sale, 57c.

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Men's Rubber Boots. Regular, $4.50; sale, $3.68.

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Men's Plain Rubbers. Regular, 85c.; sale, 64c.

Women's Plain Rubbers, light and warranted. Regular, 75c.; sale, 57c.

Women's Plain Rubbers. Regular, 60c; sale, 45c.

Girls' Rubbers, 11 to 2. Regular, 50c; sale, 38c.

Boys' Rubbers. Regular, 75c; sale, 57c.

Child's Rubbers, 4 to 10 1-2. Regular, 45c; sale, 34c.

Men's Fancy Slippers. Regular, $1.25; sale, 94c.

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16.50	12.37
18.00	13.50
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15.00	11.25
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18.00	13.50
9.00	14.25
20.00	15.00

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5.00	3.75
6.00	4.50
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BOYS' OVERCOATS.

Regular.	Sale.
$ 7.00	$ 5.25

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Regular.	Sale.
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4.00	3.00
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Regular.	Sale.
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Regular.	Sale.
$2.00	$ 1.50
2.00	1.88
2.50	1.88
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4.50	3.75
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4.00	3.00

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Regular.	Sale
$ .25	$0.19

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Regular.	Sale
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0.25	0.19
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DINNER SETS.

Regular.	Sale
$20.00	$15.00
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7.90	5.93
6.90	7.50
10.00	7.50

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Regular.	Sale
$4.00	$3.00

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Regular.	Sale
$1.50	$1.13
1.25	.83
.75	.57
.40	.30

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Regular.	Sale
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.20	.19

WATER GLASSES.

Regular.	Sale
$1.25	$ .75
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GREAT INTEREST IN THE OLD HOME WEEK

Hundreds of Enquiries Have Already Been Received from Former Residents who will Flock Home.

If the present indications are to be taken as a criterion, St. John during the month of July should be a busy centre. Not only will this be due to the usual summer tourist traffic, but the return of the city's former residents for the old home period will be responsible for a large share in the activity.

The back to New Brunswick movement is progressing favorably, and there is already a bright prospect of the scheme being successful, even to a greater degree than the most optimistic of the originators could have hoped for. While the plans for the great week have been formulated only for a short time, and are not yet completely worked out in detail, the work has more than passed the preliminary stage, and is already beginning to show most gratifying results. Each succeeding day adds to the list of inquiries for information from former natives who have been advised of the purpose of holding a big family reunion of present and past natives of the soil. The scheme has evidently caught on, for all the replies to the notices sent out are in a most enthusiastic vein, and the greater number of the writers speak in commendatory terms of the idea and are asking for all sorts of information as to the particulars.

While a relatively small number of former New Brunswickers have been communicated with as yet, the replies have started to come in rapidly, and to date in the vicinity of 6000 letters have been received regarding the big week. These letters represent a wide area, extending as far west as Portland, Oregon from which place several communications have been received. From Seattle alone upwards of 150 have been heard from. As to how many of these will in reality come for the celebration is still problematical, all of them say that they hope to be on hand and to bring along as many friends as they can muster, so that St. John in common with the whole of the province promises to be an interesting place. The proposed development work at Courtenay Bay will be well under way at that time, and this fact together with the other advance movements and developments which are planned should appeal so strongly to the former sons of the province who have sought wealth in other fields and convince them that their native soil affords greater possibilities that it will be to their advantage to stay here when they come.

It is expected that western Canada will be largely represented at the back to New Brunswick celebrations. Those in charge of the advertising work in connection with the movement have not yet begun canvassing Canada but when the word has been sent out, the western provinces will undoubtedly send a large quota.

The back to New Brunswick movement has begun to take hold locally, and considerable interest is being taken in it. When the plans will have been all worked out, St. John will have to prepare to receive the back to New Brunswick procession, and there is very little doubt from present indications that it will be a lengthy one when it comes.

MR. SWEENEY TALKED MUCH BUT SAID LITTLE

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nothing of another quarter of a million of the worse than useless expenditures on account of the Central railway. The bonds issued by the present government with the exception of those for permanent bridges are the first to carry a sinking fund. Greater familiarity with the public accounts would prevent opposition speakers from making themselves ridiculous when dealing with the financial conditions of the province.

It would be tiresome to follow Mr. Sweeney through his various inaccurate statements when comparing the expenditures of the old government with those of the present administration. Touching the question of public works expenditures, Mr. Sweeney tried to claim that the figures given by the provincial secretary showed that in the last three years of its regime the old government had spent as much as the present administration on public works, a statement which is incorrect to the amount of $34,000 a year, notwithstanding that in doing this the old government was compelled to bond over a half million while the present administration, by collecting the stumpage which Mr. Sweeney failed to collect had not added a single cent to the permanent debt of the province.

Incomplete and Inaccurate.

To consider it from every point of view, Mr. Sweeney's criticism of the provincial secretary's budget is one of the most remarkable efforts of the kind ever listened to in the legislature of New Brunswick and about as incomplete, unsatisfactory and inaccurate as such a speech could possibly be.

He claimed all the credit for the success that has attended fruit growing in New Brunswick during the past two years, for the old government, remarking that it was passing strange that this province had to send to Ontario for a horticulturist, forgetting altogether that the assistant horticulturist is a native of the province.

That Mr. Sweeney is badly smitten with the hen fever is evident from the fact that he has attended two poultry shows and listened to the remarks of Mr. Jones, the government's expert on poultry raising, whom he strongly commended as a capable official. When he moved to adjourn the debate, Mr. Sweeney was discussing the Valley Railway. The news from Ottawa that the subsidy for this railway has been granted from St. John to Grand Falls has had a very depressing effect on opposition members. Just how long Mr. Sweeney will take tomorrow when he resumes his speech is not known. In all probability he will be followed by Mr. Murray.

The Commission Bill.

The municipalities committee met this evening for further consideration of the St. John commission government bill and completed the work of revising the bill as suggested by the delegations and agreed to by the promoters. No action was taken on the held-over sections which include the appointment of the recorder and chief of police, those relating to the board of health, the slaughter houses and the ferries. These will be considered at a meeting to be held tomorrow morning.

The House met at three o'clock.

Hon. Mr. Murray presented the report of the standing rules committee.

Mr. Copp gave notice of enquiry for Saturday next regarding the secretary treasurship of the highway board of the parish of Shediac, also regarding salary and expenses of the factory inspector in connection with the examination of stationary engineers and the expenditure for printing since the close of the fiscal year, also as to the expenditure for immigration since the close of the fiscal year, also on behalf of Mr. LaBillois, as to a bridge at Perry's Point.

Mr. Upham gave notice of enquiry as to the construction of a bridge in the parish of Wakefield, Carleton county, also as to repairs for Woodstock bridge.

Mr. Wilson presented a petition in favor of the bill to amend the act incorporating the St. John Railway Company.

Mr. Hatheway presented a petition in favor of the bill to provide for the removal of garbage in St. John, also to enable the city of St. John to expropriate lands for industries.

Mr. Wilson introduced a bill to fix the valuation on the personal property and tannery of C. H. Peters' Sons, Ltd., St. John.

Hon. Mr. McLeod presented a bill to amend the act respecting the union of the Baptist and Free Baptist churches in New Brunswick.

Hon. Mr. Maxwell introduced a bill to amend the St. John City Assessment Act.

Hon. Mr. Grimmer introduced a bill to consolidate the municipalities act. There was nothing new inserted in the bill which was merely a consolidation of the municipalities act and amendments.

Mr. Wilson introduced a bill to amend the act in regulation construction and providing for the inspection of buildings in St. John.

Hon. Dr. Landry introduced a bill to revive and amend Chap. 91, 5th Edward VII.

Mr. Sweeney resumed the debate on the budget and on adjournment, it was made the order of the day for tomorrow.

Hon. Mr. Grimmer presented a petition in favor of a bill to amend the act to incorporate the St. Andrews Lands Co.

Mr. Burchill gave notice of enquiry regarding payments for repairs to the Oyster River bridge, Northumberland county.

The House adjourned at 6 o'clock.

Driving Accidents On Main Street.

Main street was the scene of two exciting accidents yesterday afternoon. The first one was caused by the breaking of the axle of Dr. Preston's carriage which resulted in the doctor being thrown out. Happily, however, beyond getting covered with mud, he sustained no injuries. The second accident was of a more serious nature and was caused by a heavy sloven owned by James Clarke, running into R. McConnell's delivery wagon in front of McConnell's store. The driver of the sloven left the team standing some distance down the street, the horses, however, started to walk up Main street with the result that the sloven collided with the grocery wagon and upset it. Not content with this, they continued on their walk and as Mr. McConnell's horse was leg strapped, it was quickly thrown and tangled up in the remnants of the wagon, it being found necessary to cut the harness in seven places before the horse could be got on its feet.

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DIED.

McCANN—In this city, on March 20, Patrick McCann, a native of Louth, Parish of Carlingford, Ireland, in the 83rd year of his age, leaving three daughters and five sons to mourn. (Boston papers please copy.)
Funeral from his late residence, 61 Erin street, on Friday, at 2.30. Friends invited to attend.

CULLINAN—In this city, on March 20, Elizabeth (Bess), youngest daughter of Sarah and the late James Cullinan, leaving her mother, one sister and two brothers. (Toronto, New York and Boston papers please copy.)
Funeral from her late residence, 67 Stanley street, on Friday at 2.30. Friends are invited to attend.

TOWNSEND—In this city, on 20th inst. after a short illness, Rev. Chas. W. Townsend, aged 55 years, of Berkshire, England, leaving a loving wife, one son and two daughters to mourn.
Funeral service this (Thursday) evening, the 21st inst., at his late residence, 43 Albert street, at 8 o'clock. Remains will be taken to The Narrows, Queens county, on Friday morning's train for interment after arrival.

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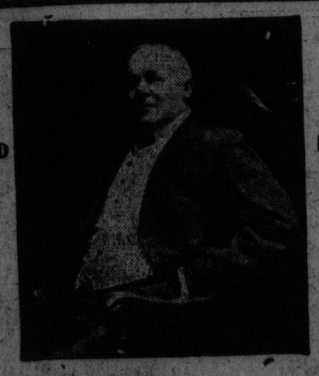

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