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Is a pleasant sensation.
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Nickel Plated
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In our stock, and so have determined to give our customers the benefit of reduced prices on them.
3 PINT SIZE, REGULAR PRICE..... \$1.00
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Take advantage of this offer at once, as what we have will not last long.

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In selecting a RANGE is to buy one that is
1st—A Good Baker.

We guarantee the Royal Grand to be a perfect baker.

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The ROYAL GRAND has direct draft and will work in a chimney so bad that many other stoves would fail.

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THE ROYAL GRAND will burn but one-half the fuel that some ranges consume; therefore will pay for itself in a few years in the saving of fuel.
We make the ROYAL GRAND and stand behind each one with an absolute guarantee that it will prove satisfactory in every way or we will refund the amount paid.

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By doing your shopping here you save a quarter than elsewhere. Here is the fact:
LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS..... \$1.75 up
LADIES' SILK WAISTS..... \$2.75 up
LADIES' LAWN WAISTS..... 55c up
We also carry a full line of Ladies' White Wear, with similar prices.
J. ASHKINS, 655 Main St. Opp. Long Wharf. Open Evenings.

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To Replace Your Heavy Wraps.
Special Prices.

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It's A Fact!

We will sell more style, more quality of fabric, and give a better fit in each garment for the price consideration than any other house in town.

Our \$10 Suits are the Best value you can find. Come in and see for yourself. You will receive courteous service, and will not be under the slightest obligation to buy.

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REMEMBER--

That we have 200 SAMPLES OF CURTAINS, also 50 REMNANTS OF CARPET. Would be very suitable for Mats. We will start to sell them Friday, 9 a. m. Come early and get your choice.

PARISIAN STORE, 47 Brussels Street. A. TANZMAN, Proprietor.
Store open till 9 o'clock. St. John, N. B., April 8th, 1907.

Men's Fine Tailoring
At Prices That Attract Many Orders

The fine display of cloths we are showing in both imported and domestic Tweeds and Worsted, the class of workmanship we are turning out and the price at which we make them are bringing us big increase of business in our TAILORING DEPARTMENT. Can we make your spring outfit? We guarantee fit and workmanship.

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J. N. HARVEY, Clothing and Furnishings,
199 to 207 Union St.

CARNEGIE FUND IS NOT FOR STATE UNIVERSITIES

Trustees Decline to Extend Its Field—Colleges Are No Doubt Deserving, But Should Be Looked After by Their Own Governments

NEW YORK, April 8.—In response to members of the National Association of State Universities, Maurice Humon, acting professor at the University of Toronto, and Prof. Henry T. Eddy, Dean of the graduate school, University of Minnesota, urging that the Carnegie foundation be extended to the universities of the states and provinces President Henry S. Pritchett, in a memorandum submitted with a bulletin just issued on the subject by the Carnegie foundation for the advancement of teaching, gives reasons why the universities should not share in the benefits of the foundation.

He says that while it is clear that the teaching of a private agency, even though it be national in its scope, offering the states the retiring allowance for teachers, would not greatly weaken the sense of responsibility of the states for educational support. The real problem of a state university, he says, is that of obtaining the confidence and the appreciation of the whole people in such a state. With this accomplished, he thinks all things are possible, including retiring allowances.

He says that the states have not yet failed to respond to any real demand of the time for higher education and he believes that those who govern the state universities may appeal with certainty to the patriotism and intelligence of their states in this cause as in others which preceded it. The plea that the state provides gradually for its university is, not, he states, in his opinion, any reason why the board of which the president should be to any expense.

The Carnegie system, he explains, is to develop a system of return allowances in the higher universities in such a manner as best to serve the interests of the general body of teachers.

CLASSES IN TWO OF THE SCHOOLS DISMISSED

As a Precautionary Measure—Case of Smallpox Developed on Brussels Street

A case of smallpox was discovered last night in a tenement house at 97 Brussels street. Burpee Loque is the patient.

He is now in the Isolated Hospital. Where Loque contracted the disease is not known. He has not been absent from the city lately.

The house contains a large number of occupants. There are nine members of the Loque family, and George Brooks and Henry Kincaid who board with them. On the lower flat, Deputy Chief Jenkins resides with his family. Everyone in the house has been quarantined.

The Board of Health's physician states that the condition at the present time is not very serious. The Pupils of Grade IV in Leinster street school were dismissed at 10:30 o'clock this morning. Deputy Chief Jenkins' young son has been attending school in this room up to Friday last, and it was deemed advisable to have the room disinfected.

Three rooms in Centennial school were also dismissed. Several children who resided in the quarantined house have been attending these classes. The scholars from both schools will probably resume their studies tomorrow afternoon.

MRS. JAMES O'BRIEN.
The death took place at an early hour this morning of Joanna O'Brien in the 83rd year of her age, the widow of Jas. O'Brien of Fredericton. She leaves a family of one son, Daniel, of Fredericton, and two daughters, Mrs. C. Doherty, of Portland, Maine, and Mrs. P. Connolly, of Barker street, this city, with whom she resided. The body will be taken to Fredericton this morning, and the funeral will be held on Wednesday morning from the residence of her son, Daniel O'Brien, engineer of the parliament buildings in Fredericton.

THE DEATH ROLL

HARTFORD, Conn., April 8.—Dr. George R. Shepard, medical director of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company, died at his home here late Saturday night. He was a lecturer at the Yale medical school, a member of the advisory board of the Yale medical journal, and a member of the Connecticut, Hartford & New York medical societies.

HOUSE WILL LIKELY CLOSE ON THURSDAY

Want Federal Government to Buy the Shoreline

This Included in Mr. Ryan's Resolution—Advice Commission to Fix Values on Branch Roads.

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 8.—The house this morning unanimously passed Mr. Ryan's resolution recommending that the Dominion Government take over all branch lines as part of the interlocking conditions prevailing in the Congo Free State written by Mr. J. C. McLaren, of Perth, from his own personal observations. Mr. McLaren is a representative of the East Africa Trading Company. He recently arrived in England after a long journey in which he traversed the Congo Free State from Dufle on the Nile to Bombo on the Atlantic.

"Wherever I went," says McLaren, "during the year I was in Congo it was the same tale from every one. It was that the government was not wanted everything or nothing. 'One of the great grievances is the amount of food stuffs the people are compelled to supply without payment to feed the different units of soldiers and their wives at the several stations.' 'Another abuse which weighs heavily upon the people is the commandeering of labor. One day Chief Sadull of Enza sent for me. He told me the usual tale of woe and asked if I could not intercede for him with the 'English Lord' to give him land in the British territory or he would purchase the land with ivory and move with all of his people. 'We are only Balmatal's (the Congo Government) dogs,' he said. 'A couple of days ago the officials here commandeered all my young men and boys nearly, and left me only with women and children and old men. How can they cut down the big trees and clear the land all by themselves? 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