

ROCKEFELLER GREETES CENSUS ENUMERATOR

***He Tells Lakewood Teacher He Is
Sorry He Is a Non-Resident and
Cannot Fill Out Her Blank.***

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LAKEWOOD, N. J., April 21.—A census enumerator's credentials were the open sesame today for the massive gates which guard the entrance to the Rockefeller estate here. Reporters and photographers have daily assaulted the portals in vain ever since John D. Rockefeller returned here last Friday from his Florida estate. Ensnored in privacy on his 500-acre estate, Mr. Rockefeller greeted the census enumerator, Mrs. Auguste Montulet, a teacher in the local schools, with a smile and explained that while he would be pleased indeed to be numbered in the citizenry of Lakewood, he counted New York City as his residence and would be reported by his son there. The local enumerator left the blanks for a non-resident and these will be filled out and forwarded to New York City by Mr. Rockefeller.

Ormond Beach, Fla., as well as Tarrytown, N. Y., both vied with Lakewood in an effort to have Mr. Rockefeller numbered among their citizens. New York City, however, is his legal residence.