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A man went to Louisiana on a visit to a certain colonel. It was bedtime when he arrived at the house, and as it happened there were no mosquito-curtains to his bed, he suffered severely all night long. When on the following morning the negro ser-

vant came into the room with water and towels, the unhappy victim asked why there were no mosquito curtains in the room.
"Doesn't the colonel have any in his room?" he finally inquired.
"No, suh," replied the negro.
"Well, how on earth can he stand

it?" said the visitor.
"Well, suh," came the reply, "I reckon it's jes dis way. In de fo' part of de night de colonel's mo'genly so 'toxicated dat he don' pay no 'tention to de skeeters; an' in de las' part ob de night de skeeters is genly so 'toxicated dat dey don' pay no 'tention to de colonel."—Ex.



A Mother's Tribute

THIS letter from Mrs. Roberts gives such a fine idea of the value of Dr. Chase's medicines for use in the home that we shall publish it without further comment.

Mrs. Everett Roberts, 44 Endicott Ave., Halifax, N.S., writes:

"I feel it a pleasure as well as my duty to recommend Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and Ointment. After the shock of the Halifax explosion my system was all run down, and I was so weak that I could not walk. Night after night I lay awake unable to sleep. Nothing did me any good until one of my neighbors recommended Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. After a treatment of this medicine I can positively say that my health and strength have been restored, and I can now sleep well and do my work as well as ever.

"I used Dr. Chase's Ointment for my baby, who had ringworms all over his face. I tried almost everything I knew of without success until I used Dr. Chase's Ointment. This cured him in a short time. I would not be without either of these medicines in the house, and trust this may induce others to give them a trial and be convinced of their merits."

You can scarcely ask for a stronger guarantee of the value of a medicine than the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D., on the box. This is for your protection against imitations and substitutes. Edmanson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

Teacher's Strike Called Off

Fredericton, April 22—The executive of the New Brunswick Teacher's Association concluded its session this afternoon and the members left for their homes tonight. W. M. Barker, principal of Sussex High School, was selected as the association's representative on the commission to investigate the matter of school teachers' salaries appointed by the province. Mr. Barker has had a wide acquaintance on conditions in rural schools having taught in the southern and western parts of the province.

The schedule for teachers' minimum salaries for high and superior schools and first-class teachers was prepared by the executive but will not be published for some days. Published reports that there will be a strike or general resignation of teachers unless these salaries are accepted are incorrect. Present occupants of teaching positions will not be affected but in the event of vacancies occurring members of the association are pledged not to accept an appointment under scheduled salaries. It was said today that the association now has a membership upwards of 450 teachers and that there are another 150 or more eligible for membership who are rapidly joining the association.

During the sessions here a suggestion was received by wire from the meeting of second and third class teachers who were organizing at Moncton asking that the constitution of the New Brunswick Teachers' Association be changed so that all teachers could become members of the union. The reply, which was made was to the effect that action could not be taken by the executive but only by the association as a whole. However, this morning it was said that it was hoped the near future would see all the teachers in the province organized in one association.

An unofficial estimate, today, was that the new scale of salaries would be from twenty-five to fifty per cent above the existing rates.

Allies Ready For German Bluff

Paris, April 22—With the return of Mr. Lloyd George to Paris, the active work of completing the peace treaty draft was immediately resumed. Within a week the German plenipotentiaries will arrive. Arrangements have been made for their accommodations, but the treaty is not ready for them as yet. An immense amount of work remains to be done before it will be in readiness for presentation to the German representatives. It is believed here that the Germans are preparing some clever proposals to the purpose of creating dissension between the Allied nations, or controversy within the Allied states, but in the past, experience has been that German cunning has usually overreached itself with the results disastrous to those who depended upon it. The representatives of the Allied powers are believed to be quite prepared for all such enterprises of German statesmanship. The permanent officials of the German Foreign Office and of many other Government departments are practically as they were prior to the revolution. The new Government found it necessary to employ their services as there were no others possessing the requisite knowledge and experience.

Enemy Property Confiscated

Toronto, April 22—Enemy property valued at \$100,000 at present in custody of the National Trust Company, was by order of Mr. Justice Middleton at Osgood Hall this morning vested in the minister of finance as public custodian. The property consists of 100 bonds of the Pere Marquette Railway of a value of \$1,000 each. They are collateral trust twenty-year gold bonds.

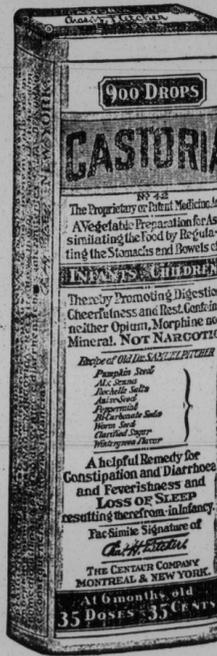
An affidavit by the under-secretary for state asserts that from documents filed it appears to him probable that Count Alfonse Matuszka, for whom the property is held, is an enemy.

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