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by the Department of Education of each province, some of the reproductions of the series of Canadian War Memorial pictures, painted for the Dominion Government by leading artists of the Empire and placed permanently in Ottawa.

(f) To promote courses of illustrated lectures, free to the children of Canada, on the history and geography of the Empire.

(g) To place, within the next five years, in every school in Canada, where there are children of foreign-born parents in attendance, a Daughters of the Empire historical library.

Canadians who have lived in the

older and more settled corners of the Dominion hardly realize how large was the influx of newcomers in the sixteen years following 1898. Most of these immigrants came from other than British countries. There are eighty-five languages and dialects and fifty-three nationalities in our young Dominion and it is plain duty—the initiation of the newcomer into our customs, to say nothing of instruction in our laws and the making of patriotic and loyal citizens. We have thought that our cousins to the South went too far in their teaching of the flag salute and the matter of American citizenship. Now that the melting-pot in Canada is fairly