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MRS BENJAMIN SLACK **TEACHING "CANADIAN."** How "Foreign Quarter" Scho Do Their Work.

On July 25th the death occurred of Mrs Benjamin Slack at the home of her son, Francis Slack, Long Point. Mrs Slack was a widow and had reached the age of 80 years. Her long and useful life was spent in the county of Leeds where she made a host of frien Is by her quiet, dignified manner and admirable qualities.

Five sons and two daughters survive: Charles, of Athens; Walter, of Brockville; Arthur, Francis and Michael, of Long Point; Mrs Philip Vates of Philipseib Yates of Phillipsville, and Mrs T. Laffan, of Brockport, N. Y. The funeral was held to the Lans downe Roman Catholic church when requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Kehoe, of Gauanoque. Five sons and Phillip Yates acted as pattbearers.

Among the relatives present from distance were her two sisters, Mrs John Desmond, of Carthage, N.Y., and Mrs H. Palmer, of Watertown, N.Y., also Leo Palmer of Watertown, a neph-

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS Beginning April 4th, the C. P. R. has arranged to run a series of Homseekers' 60-day return excursions .to the principal points In the Cauadian W. st, leaving this end by regular trains on April 4 and 18, May 2, 16 and 30, June 13 and 27, July 11 and 25, August 8 and 22, and Sept. 5 and Tickets are chonist class but ad 19. mit of reservation of space in the company's elegant tourist sleepers at a smal extra charge. They are also

good to stop-over at stations between Hurkett and Dryden. Ont, and at Winnipeg, or any point west thereof. going and returning within ticket limit. The fares from Brockville and stations in this d strict to some of the principal places are as follows :- Bran don \$37, Bastleford \$41.50. Caigary \$43.50, Deloraine \$37 75, Edmonton

Lethbridge \$43.25. Regina 43.50, \$39.25, Winnipeg \$35.50, and proper-tionate fares to other points. 150 lbs, baggage checked free on each full tick Children over 5 and und r 12, half above rates. Variation of route west of Winnip-g is allowed at slight additional cost Complete information and literature pertaining to the above

excursions and the magnificent terri-tory tapped by the C P.R. in the great Canadian West, may be had from Geo. E. McGiale, City Passenger agent, Brockville.



A CORONATION SCENE

The night spectacular performance at

he Ottawa exhibition will be the most magnificent pyrotechnic display ever attempted in the Capital. Arang ments have been made with the Hand Company, of Hamilton, for a reproduction of the grand naval review as seen at the Coronation of King George

All the spiendor of the great function will be portrayed. Following this a fireworks display showing a



and sympathy, she seems fitted to guide and brighten a whole commun-Half a dozen "greenies" — Jewish children, fresh from Europe—were be-ing examined. Some of them had already picked up a word or two of English, but another pupil had to be called as an interpreter before it could be learned where the children came from even.

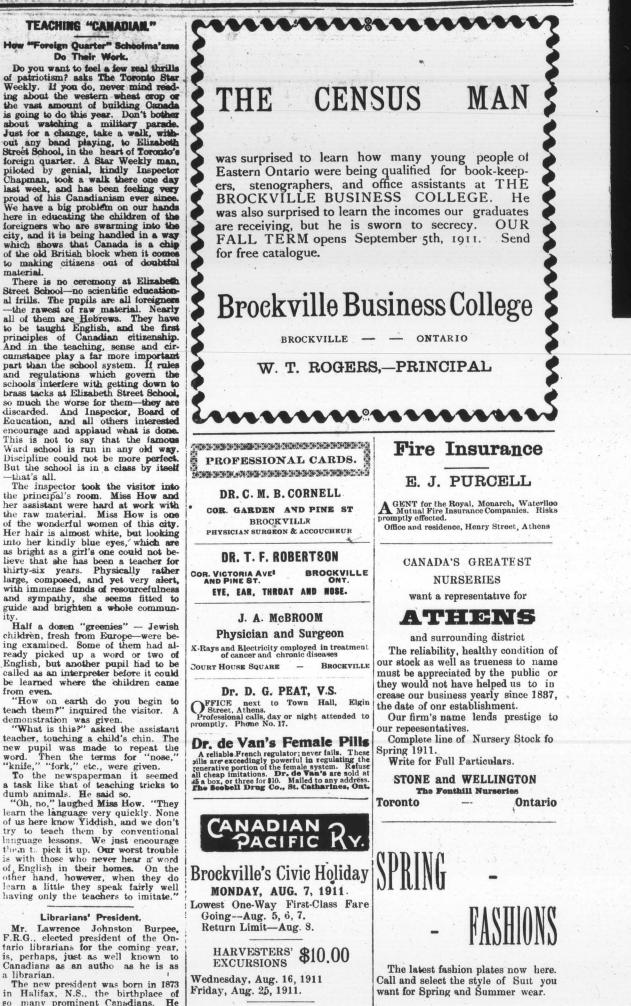
"How on earth do you begin to teach them?" inquired the visitor. A demonstration was given. "What is this?" asked the assistant what is this? asked the assistant teacher, touching a child's chin. The new pupil was made to repeat the word. Then the terms for "nose," "knife," "fork," etc., were given. To the newspaperman it seemed teaching the formation of the teach

a task like that of teaching tricks to

dumb animals. He said so. "Oh, no," laughed Miss How. "They learn the language very quickly. None of us here know Yiddish, and we don't try to teach them by conventional language lessons. We just encourage them t. pick it up. Our worst trouble is with those who never hear a word of English in their homes. On the other hand, however, when they do learn a little they speak fairly well having only the teachers to imitate."

Librarians' President.

Mr. Lawrence Johnston Burpee, F.R.G., elected president of the On-tario librarians for the coming year, is, perhaps, just as well known to Canadians as an autho as he is as librarian. a librarian. The new president was born in 1873 in Halifax, N.S., the birthplace of so many prominent Canadians. He is the son of Rev. Canon Hannington. Mr. Burpee occupied the position of private secretary of Minister of Jus-tions and ufferwards accented the Homeseekers' Excursions



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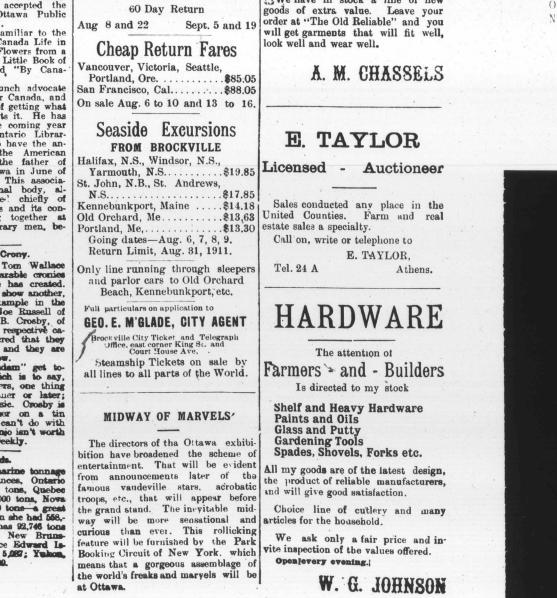
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