

Sunday Evening, January 12, 1936

S. K. RATCLIFFE

Subject:

*"Great Britain: the Outlook for the
Next Five Years"*

Amongst the brilliant company who each year cross the seas to lecture on American platforms, Mr. S. K. Ratcliffe holds a place of singular distinction and honour. Coming over to deliver a few lectures in New York some twenty years ago, he was immediately recognized as one of the leading lecturers of the day. The intervening years have confirmed and greatly widened that opinion, until for many seasons he has stood hopelessly out of reach of his nearest rival in the number and importance of his engagements.

In Montreal we have taken him to our hearts as we have done with no other visiting lecturer, and we look forward to his annual visit as to that of an old and much beloved friend.

He has been a frequent radio speaker on current affairs both in England and in America. He was chosen to describe from Washington, for the British Isles and Western Europe, the inauguration of President Roosevelt; and in August, 1935, to deliver from London to North America Sunday radio addresses on the European outlook. On the night of the last British General Election (November 14, 1935) he made the transatlantic broadcast of the results.