

# The Final Phase

The Canadian Magazine has concluded arrangements for the publication of a series of articles on what everyone seems to regard as the final phase of the great war. The series is of remarkable interest both in relation to timeliness and extraordinary individual value. Sane optimism is the keynote, yet none of the writers ignore the less cheerful aspects. The first article is

## THE ARMY OF TO-DAY—By Patrick MacGill

Mr. MacGill has done more for the army perhaps than any other writer in the trenches. He writes from first-hand knowledge, and in a forceful, analytical style.

## THE SOUL OF THE FLEET—By "Taffrail"

"Taffrail" is doing for the Navy what MacGill is doing for the Army. He is a naval man of long standing, and is regarded as an authority.

## OUR STRANGLE-HOLD ON THE GERMAN SPY SYSTEM—By Wm Le Queux

Mr. Le Queux knows the secret service from beginning to end. He says: "Happily few loopholes exist to-day, yet those few must be closed. We have a strangle-hold upon the German spies, and we must retain it. The army of secret agents has been broken and dispersed, and the desperadoes are either repatriated or are among the 26,000 civilian enemy aliens we hold to-day behind stout barbed wire".

## A NEW NATION—By the Rt. Reverend J. E. C. Welldon, D.D.

The Dean of Manchester says that the British people are awakening to a greater courtesy, and indeed, to a greater Christianity. He considers the social conditions of the people as affected by the war and predicts great changes.

## THE SIEGE OF GERMANY FROM THE SEA—By Commander Carlyon Bellairs

Commander Bellairs in this inspiring article says that the "Germans know it, dream of it, feel it in every fibre of their bodies—this sea power. It leads Hindenburg to exclaim that England is the enemy. Slowly the dim consciousness that British sea-power will make an end of Prussian militarism is turning to stark reality".

## HOW LONG WILL HATE LAST?—By Austin Harrison

The Editor of *The English Review* says: "We shall hate, and hate pretty well. Perhaps for a generation it will be our national determination to punish the Huns as they would have punished us had they been successful at the Marne. We have yet to know what the soldiers will say when they return; much, if not all, will depend on them. They will be the spokesmen of the future."

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