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GLOBULITIS

It is pitiable to find a respectable journal with pretensions to sanity willingly allowing itself to be inoculated with Globulitis, near akin to hydrophobia. The Patriot yesterday republished with commendation the ravings and fulminations of the Toronto Globe against Sir Sam Hughes. What has the Minister of Militia done to deserve such opprobrium? Let us see. He has by his powers of organization, initiative and patriotic zeal, made Canada the cynosure of all eyes the wide world over. He has brought Canada within two short years to surpass the United Kingdom's ordinary military status. The standing army of the Mother Country is but 254,000 men, Canada, under the guidance of Sir Sam Hughes, has already recruited 350,000—from a nation of peace devotees. He has transformed Canadian mechanical industries from their ordinary course into arsenals and munition factories second only to those of Great Britain itself, producing munitions for the supply of every one of the Entente Allies. He has withstood the bitterest campaign of malignity and misrepresentation any minister ever has had to face, and has come through it unscathed and with a reputation unscathed. He has been hailed by the press of the United States as the greatest force which an emergency has ever produced on the American continent. He has been honoured and acclaimed by the Liberal Daily News of London and the Liberal Daily Chronicle of London as the "Kitchener of Canada" and "the personification of Canadian patriotism." His advice has been sought and acted upon by the late Lord Kitchener, when Secretary of War. He has been publicly and signally honoured by the Rt. Hon. D. Lloyd George, the present Minister of War. He has been entertained and feted by the Rt. Hon. H. H. Asquith, Prime Minister and members of the British Cabinet, who are not in the habit of going out of their way to do honour except to whom honour is due.

On the other hand what has the Toronto Globe done? It has proudly boasted that "Bourassa nationalism is but another name for Globe Liberalism". It denied there was an "Emergency" and refused to give the Mother Country the help which Mr. Asquith's Government said would be appreciated. It broke the political truce entered into between its leader, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Robert Borden. It assailed every act of the Minister of Militia to assist the Mother Country by the development of our industrial resources for the production of munitions. It fathered the racial resolution which set Quebec and Ontario by the ears. It led the vehement attack upon the honour and personal integrity of the Minister of Munitions, and was driven to cover for a time by the just judgment of an impartial commission consisting of a great Liberal and a great Conservative judge. It has done practically nothing since the war began but attempts to stir up strife and ill will in Canada, when unity and harmony were not only desirable but essential in order that we might play the part which Providence has ordained we should take in this great world upheaval. In a word, the Globe of Toronto has seen fit to assume the duties of the *advocatus Diaboli* in everything appertaining to the part taken by the Canadian government in assisting the Mother Country in what at one time was a life and death struggle. And this is the organ whose opinion of Sir Sam Hughes the Patriot seeks to adopt and commend to its readers.

The detractors of the Minister of Militia failed miserably in their attempt to impugn his honour and integrity as the head of his department in Canada. Whatever the future holds in store for Sir Sam Hughes either as an active warrior in the field or as chief of the executive at home, we may rest assured that his reputation, or the esteem in which he is held by those best competent to judge will be in no wise affected by such venomous outpourings as the misnamed Patriot yesterday reproduced from the sadly decadent Toronto Globe.

CANADA'S TRADE

The effect of the war upon the trade and the industries of Canada has been little short of marvellous. According to the report of the last financial year the total trade of Canada, export and import, amounted

to a billion and a half dollars. Of this total the exports amounted to 820 millions, an increase of about 450 millions over the exports of the previous year. The increase in the exports was not in war munitions alone, as the farm products exported amounted to 212 millions over those of the previous year, while manufactures increased by 216 millions. The imports of dutiable goods fell off by nearly 25 per cent, which indicates a certain amount of economy. It is gratifying to find that with all the encouragement of munition manufacture and war supply, agriculture still holds the first place in our foreign trade, the total amount of agricultural products exported being 400 millions.

The part of our trade most affected by the war was the export of manufactures which almost doubled those of the previous year, and was nearly six times as large as the normal output. With the closing of the war a falling off in the export of manufactures may reasonably be expected. Should the falling off reach the normal level of 45 millions, it will mean a serious displacement of industry. It is to prevent this that Development Commissions are now working overtime. The present increase is due to the manufacture of war material. That this industry will drop off with the end of the war is to be expected, but it may also be expected that to a very large extent other industries will take the place of these.

The great producing industries, agriculture and fishing, are the bed rock on which Canadian prosperity must be built, and towards the maintenance of these and their further development the best thought in the country today is being directed. With this thought the whole energy of the people should unite. These assured, prosperity and further development are assured.

SAVING THE CHILDREN

The beneficial results of greater care in the matter of civic cleanliness has been well exemplified by the recent plague of infantile paralysis in New York. The number of victims of the plague is simply astounding. Out of 7,315 there have been up to August 22nd, 1,689 deaths. Of those who survived the epidemic 1,500 are permanently crippled. Notwithstanding this terrible death rate from this one disease alone, and the heavy mortality as a result of the heat wave, the total death rate among children in New York this summer is lower than in any previous year. The health department makes the following explanation of the remarkable fact:

"Because mothers have watched over their babies with greater care.

"Because homes have been kept cleaner.

"Because flies have been swatted, starved and poisoned.

"Because baby's milk has been kept clean and cold.

"Because the doctor has been called in time.

"Because all the streets in the congested districts have been flushed daily."

More cleanliness, better care, cleaner food, preventive measures taken in time, and elimination of flies, these are the causes.

What a lesson to other cities! Fewer deaths by some two thousand or more among children because of greater care and more attention to cleanliness and sanitation! Two thousand lives saved by common sense precautionary methods.

How many children die in Charlottetown, in Prince Edward Island, whose lives might have been saved by attention to the ordinary common sense precautions? How many children die in this province yearly, poisoned by milk from tuberculous cows? How many die because they are housed in insanitary homes? How many homes are there, in Charlottetown, for instance, that are not connected with the sewerage system? We do not know because we have no idea as to the cleanliness or otherwise of the stables from which our milk is procured, because we do not know whether the cows which supply the milk to the city are healthy, because we know nothing about the cleanliness or the healthfulness of much of the food we eat. If New York by increasing its care saved the lives of some two thousand children, might we not also save the lives of some of ours by similar precautions? Might we not at least have the satisfaction of knowing, when a child dies, that we did what we could to save its life?

New York's increased care came as the result of an epidemic. Death stared the city's children in the face, and New York woke up. Some day perhaps we also may be similarly awakened, and we may take the trouble to ascertain definitely whether we are really guarding our children. But would it not be the part of wisdom to wake up before the epidemic?

Again and again we read in the Old Testament of "the angel of the Lord" coming to the aid of men and women in sore need of help.

My first and paramount reason for believing in angels is therefore the allusions to them in the Word of God.

You and I use the telephone but we do not understand it. We are carried swiftly and safely by an electric current that few of us can explain.

"What is electricity?" asked Lord Kelvin, of a workman. "I'm sure I don't know, sir," he replied, ignorant of the fact that he was speaking to one of the greatest of scientists. "And I don't," said Lord Kelvin. You scribble a few words on a cablegram form, and in an hour a home in Australia—thousands of miles across the ocean—may be thrilled or grieved by your message. Yet you could not say how the words travelled. And in the moral world you are cheered as suddenly by a helpful thought or checked from a dangerous course. May it not be one of God's angels coming to your aid?

The "angel of the Lord" that appeared to Gideon, that stood by Joshua, that

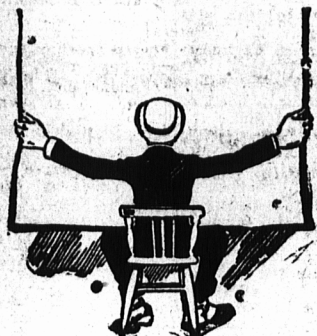
opened the prison door to the Apostles, can still appear in God's people. Our Lord said: "Thinkest thou that I cannot pray to My Father, and He shall presently give Me more than twelve legions of angels?" Every thoughtful Christian has some recollection of great mercies when it has seemed as though God had sent His angels to guard him. "For He shall give His angels charge over thee, to keep thee in thy ways."—I am, yours truly,

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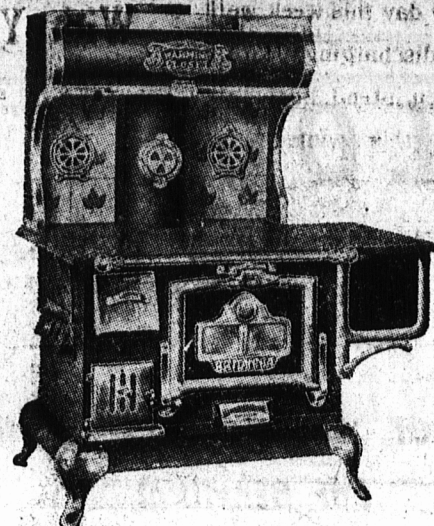


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Quartus.

GERMANY IS BUILDING FOOT ZEPPELINS.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—In a speech delivered at Bury St. Edmunds, Baron Montagu, former vice-chairman of the joint naval and military board, told of new monster super-Zeppelins which Germany was building.

"We have obtained some details of the super-Zeppelins which Germany is now building," said Baron Montagu. "The principal features of the craft are a capacity of 2,000,000 cubic feet, a length of 750 feet, a beam of eighty feet and a maximum speed of eighty miles an hour, a cruising speed of thirty-five miles an hour and a radius of action of 3,000 miles. The engines, six or seven of them, have a total of 15,000 horse power.

"The airships can carry a load of

bombs of five tons, and are able to ascend 17,000 feet. They are armed with machine guns at bow and stern and on the top of the envelope. They carry a crew of thirty-five men.

"These particulars show how largely the Germans are relying on Zeppelins as a means for harassing us. Two of these new craft have already been completed and four will be available in October."

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"OUGHT WE TO BELIEVE IN ANGELS?"

It is many years ago, on a summer Thursday evening, that I heard Charles Haddon Spurgeon say: "Christians have not believed enough in the ministry of angels. These messengers of God hover round us all through our lives."

The Bible has about 200 references to angels, and this fact alone should impress every Christian. An old-fashioned definition of angels was "those intellectual and immaterial beings whom God makes use of as His ministers to execute the orders of provid-