

Canada. To these Colonel Denison extended a hearty hospitality. Among them was Lieut. Davis, a Confederate officer barely twenty years of age. Colonel Denison concealed him in his house, while Mrs. Denison sewed into his clothing a despatch written on thin silk,

guard, and General Lee. Of the latter he says:

"No man ever impressed me as he did." He strongly urged the General to visit him in Canada, which he agreed to do, but a sudden illness interposed, followed by his death, which occurred on the



COL. G. T. DENISON (*Rusholme*).
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and assisted his return to the Confederacy. He was, however, arrested as a spy, tried, and condemned to death, but was pardoned through the clemency of the large-souled Abraham Lincoln.

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gard, and General Lee. Of the latter he says:

The Fenian Raid of 1866 brought Colonel Denison into active—sometimes very active—service. He gave up his legal profession and hurried to the front with all the available troopers he could rally. His account of the campaign on the