

of the "Poet of the Lakes," began to appear. His first volume was "Lake Lyrics and other Poems" (1889), and, since then, there have appeared: "The Dread Voyage" (1893), and "Mordred" and "Hildebrand," two tragedies (1895). One of his poems, "The Mother," published in *Harper's Mag.*, Apl. 1891, is said to have received more notice than any single poem that ever appeared in the Am. press. The Chicago *Inter-Ocean* placed it among the gems in Eng. literature, and pronounced it the nearest approach to a great poem which had cropped out in current literature for many a long day. Mr. C. is a Fellow of the Royal Soc. of Can. He m. 1884, Mary Louise, dau. of the late Dr. Mark DeBelle, Woodstock, Ont.—*Rideau St., Ottawa.*

"Mr. Campbell's title as laureate of the lakes is not to be questioned. He is their interpreter, and knows their every secret."—*N. Y. Critic.*

"He has not the serenity of Mr. Scott, nor his power of accurate portrayal, nor has he Mr. Carman's faculty of sustained flight in the higher air of poetry. His gift is the power of giving utterance to the emotions and passions. "The Mother" is a grand poem."—*John Reade.*

CAMPEAU, Rev. Léon Napoleon (R. C.), is the s. of Joseph Amable Campeau, by his wife Marie Louise Lefavre. B. at Rigaud, P.Q., Aug. 27, 1847, he was ed. at the Coll. Bourget, was ordained priest, and was apptd. vicar of Rigaud and a prof. in his *Alma Mater*, 1871. In 1873 he was transferred to St. Janvier, where he remained until 1886, when he was called to Ottawa as *procureur* to Archbp. Duhamel. In 1888 he accompanied that prelate to Rome and the Holy Land. He was apptd. Archdeacon, 1890, and, later, officiated as Adminr. of the diocese during the absence of the Archbp.—*Archbishop's Palace, Ottawa.*

CANNIFF, William, M.D., author, is the young. s. of Jonas Canniff, of Thurlow, Hastings, Ont., by his wife, Letta Flagler, a descendant of the Knickerbockers of N. Y. (U. E. L. descent). B. in Thurlow, 1830, he was ed. at the local schs. and at

Victoria Univ. He studied med. at the Toronto Sch. of Med. and at the Univ. of N. Y. (M.D., 1854). After serving as House Surgeon at the N. Y. Hospital, he went to Eng., and was admitted a mem. of the Royal Coll. of Surg., 1855. He served also in the Army Med. Dept. towards the close of the Crimean war. Returning to Can., he practised his profession at Belleville, for 5 yrs., and was called to the chair of Genl. Path. in the Med. Faculty of Victoria Coll., with which was afterwards united the Professorship of Surgery in the same institution. During the Am. civil war, he visited the hospitals at Washington, and was for a time with the army of the Potomac. Subsequently, he took up his residence in Toronto, where, owing to the declining health of the late Dr. Rolph, he became Sub-Dean of the Med. Sch., and was apptd. on the staff of the Toronto Genl. Hospital. He was also City Health Offr. In 1867 he was apptd. a del. to the Intern. Med. Congress at Paris, and read a paper before that body, on the B. N. A. Indians, in connection with consumption. In the same year he took part in organizing the Can. Med. Assn., and was elected first Secy. of the Assn. for Ont. He has been Presdt. of the Victoria Med. Alumni Assn., Presdt. of the Genl. Alumni Assn. of the same Univ., Presdt. of the Med. Soc. of the Can. Inst., and Presdt. of the N.-W. Emigration Soc. He was for many yrs. corresp. ed. of *The Can. Med. Journal*. He contributed to the London *Lancet* an able paper on "The Surgery of the Am. War," and he has written largely for the general press, including: "Early Steam Navigation in Canada," for Tackaberry's Dom. Atlas; and "Fragments of the War of 1812-14," for *Belford's Mag.* Of separate works from his pen there have been: "A Manual of the Principles of Surgery, based on Pathology, for Students" (Philadelphia, 1866); "A History of the Early Settlement of Upper Canada" (Toronto, 1869);