

Once more to return to the days of the Mutiny, and to Canadians who played a prominent part in suppressing the revolt. Among these were two officers, both bearing well-known names in Canada, both born in Toronto, both educated at Upper Canada College, and both of whom were sons of veterans of the war of 1812. They were Samuel Peters Jarvis and Charles Walker Robinson.

COLONEL JARVIS.

The first of these was the son of Colonel Samuel Peters Jarvis, who served as a subaltern and captain throughout the whole of the war of 1812, was present at the capture of Detroit, at Queenston Heights, at Stony Creek and at Lundy's Lane.

The son was born in Toronto in 1820. He received his first commission as ensign in the Royal Canadian Rifles, was shortly afterwards transferred into the 82nd Foot, and obtained his lieutenancy in that regiment January, 1847. In July, 1881, he retired from the service with the rank of major-general. General Jarvis had not only a long but an extremely honourable military career. He served throughout the Indian Mutiny, and was present at the relief of Lucknow by Lord Clyde, in November, 1857. For his services during the Indian Mutiny he received the brevet rank of major and the medal with the clasp given for that campaign. Returning to England after the insurrection in India was quelled, Major Jarvis, as he then was, became, in 1860, adjutant of the Staff College of Sandhurst, which post he filled until 1866, when he was ordered for service in Canada. On reaching this country, he was appointed A.A.G. of militia under General

MacDougall, then commanding the forces in Canada. For three years he held this post, and then he received the appointment of D.A.G., in command of Military District No. 3 in Canada.

On the breaking out of the Riel insurrection in 1870, Colonel Jarvis, as he had become, was appointed to the command of the provisional battalion that was raised for the purpose



GENERAL SAMUEL PETERS JARVIS (SON).

of suppressing the troubles in the Red River. After the Red River disturbances came to an end, Colonel Jarvis was for some time commandant of the Northwest Territories, his headquarters being at Fort Garry, the famed Hudson's Bay post, now the modern city of Winnipeg. For his services during the Northwest troubles, Colonel Jarvis was, in 1870, created a C.M.G. He has received