THE following was received by the Author when Lord Metcalfe was Governor-General; and the Work is inscribed to his Lordship accordingly;—

Private Secretary's Office, Montreal.

SIR,

I AM directed by the Governor-General to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, with a Prospectus of the Canadian Gazette, and in reply to inform you, that His Excellency accepts the honour of the Dedication, and has pleasure in subscribing for ten copies of the proposed Work.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your most obedient, humble Servant,

J. HIGGINSON.

W. H. Smith, Esq., Rasco's Hotel, Montreal.

The following is from the present Governor-General, the Earl of Elgin:-

Civil Secretary's Office, Montreal.

SIR.

I AM directed by the Governor-General to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, accompanied by a copy of the Canadian Gazette, and in reply, to convey to you His Excellency's request, that if you have an Agent in Montreal for the sale of the Work, you would desire two copies of it to be sent to me, which His Excellency will forward to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your most obedient, humble Servant,

T. E. CAMPBELL (Major), Civil Secretary.

Mr. W. H. Smith, Toronto.