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EDITORIAL NOTES.

I CANNOT help saying a word in acknowledgment of the many kindly and helpful messages that are received from time to time from readers of THE LAMP. Many of these can scarcely be otherwise responded to than in this general way, but we, in Toronto, have a deep appreciation of the fraternal and kindly feeling that prompts these utterances which come to us from all parts of the world. 'This week completes for myself a period of seven years' residence in Toronto, and it is very wonderful to realize how the theosophical movement has grown in that time. For the last two years THE LAMP has brought us into touch with a world-wide circle. Those true comrades who have helped to keep the little light a-flame unite with me in this word of greeting. And as our Crusade passes from land to land a far deeper feeling than satisfaction displaces any thought of self-congratulation. Enough that we all live and work together in the new age.—A. E. S. S.

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WE regret to hear from *Lucifer* that Col. Olcott has had "a slight return of the Old Mischief."

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"IF HEAVEN," asked Mang Tsze, the Chinese philosopher, "wishes that the world should enjoy tranquility and good order, who is there besides me to bring it about?" Kind reader, consider.

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