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NOTE



IN 1887 the publishers of this volume issued a small collection of Mr. Sill's poems under the title *Poems by Edward Rowland Sill*. In the prefatory note a brief account was given of the poet and his productions, and attention was drawn to the scattering of his poems during his lifetime in many forms of print and even with a variety of signatures. The volume then gathered was purposely small and gave a hint only of the activity of Mr. Sill's poetic nature.

Two years later a second collection was made, and published under the title *The Hermitage, and Later Poems*, with a tributary lyric by Mr. Aldrich. These two volumes have won many readers, and the strong personal interest in Mr. Sill thus created has led to an urgent demand for a still further collection of his scattered

poems. After a lapse of ten years, therefore, the publishers present a third and final volume, in which they have endeavored to gather from print and manuscript such verses as may satisfy a demand created by reading an author who gave freely, but after all would have set light store upon many of his gifts. Thus the three volumes really contain a selection rather than a collection of Mr. Sill's poetical writings.

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