

THE HARPER

THE BEAUTIFUL MISS BROOKE. By Z. Z. New York: The Appleton & Co. It is an open secret that "Z. Z." is Mr. Louis Zangwill, a younger brother of that brilliant if somewhat erratic writer and critic, who has so forcibly impressed his name upon the literature of the day.

In the latest number of his series of "Little Journeys to the Homes of Famous Women," (Putnam), Elbert Hubbard writes of Christina Rossetti and the old Rossetti house in Torrington square, where Christina died, as well as of the earlier home of the Rossettis, where were born the quartette of children who were destined to make the family name illustrious.

Christian Rossetti is the fifth in the series of these charming little sketches of Mr. Hubbard's, and of it we must complain as we have of the predecessors, that the only fault is that they are too short.

YELLOW PINE BASIN: THE STORY OF A PROSPECTOR. By Henry G. Catlin. New York: George H. Rinehart & Co. Yellow Pine Basin has a local flavor about it, in environment and experience, that should strike an answering chord in the heart of many a sturdy prospector of this Northwest coast.

Miss Lillian Whiting, the author of "The World After Her Death" has just published a new book entitled "After Her Death" upon the opening page she writes: "The new whose presence in the scene of the unseen world ever makes for me a 'world beautiful,' this little story of the summer after her death is tenderly intended."

pression of the spirit power than is the physical body. The man living in the present life is essentially a spirit; he does not become one by death but simply slips out of the outer, coarser physical body and finds himself in a spiritual body, that has hands and feet and head, and the form to which he has been accustomed.

THE SUN OF SARATOGA: A ROMANCE OF BURGONYE'S SURRENDER. The war and the fortunes of its combatants is well told. Richard Shelby, the hero, is a fine dashing type of soldier, and in the various escapes of spies and Tories and their recapture, he bears a prominent part.

AMERICAN PLUMBING PRACTICE. A Selected Reprint of Articles Describing Notable Plumbing Installations in the United States and Quebec and Answers on Problems Arising in Plumbing and House Drainage. New York: The Engineering Record, 100 William street, \$3.00.

LITERARY COMMENT. Dr. Benjamin Jowett, the late master of Balliol, was not, as we may judge from his letters, an admirer of Browning, though he made him an honorary fellow of Balliol, and he admitted the value of his "Christmas Eve and Easter Day."

BOOKS RECEIVED. "The Romance of a Jesuit Mission." By M. Bourcier. San Francisco: New York: The Baker & Taylor Company.

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inability and spirit won for it immediate favor, and its author, Thomas Wharton, received several offers for permission to dramatize it. It practically established Mr. Wharton as a writer, though he had previously published two clever novels, and had long been a contributor to the periodical and the daily press.

MAGAZINE NOTES. The Pall Mall Magazine for June contains a unique contribution entitled "Kaffir Music," a series of "War Songs, Etc.," by Nora and William Charles Scully.

There is also in this magazine a most interesting installment of Robert Louis Stevenson's unfinished story, "St. Ives." Apropos of this the London letter of the "Critic of June" writes the writer selected to finish this story is Mr. Quiller Couch, and goes on to say "for if there be any writer fitted by nature and by sympathy to undertake the task, it is the author of 'The Splendid Spirit'."

THE OVERLAND MONTHLY FOR JUNE has as its leader a brightly written paper entitled "The Sketch Club," which deals of a well known San Francisco organization and gives numerous examples of the cleverness of its members in its illustrations; it is written by N. L. Murtha, a member of the club.

THE COSMOPOLITAN FOR JUNE is a remarkably interesting number. Among a few of its good things may be mentioned "Marlborough House," the London house of the Prince and Princess of Wales, with many fine illustrations of its exterior and interior.

THE MONTH FOR JUNE has as its frontispiece a very fine portrait of the Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott. Among other portraits of interest is one of Fran Agnes Gorma, the famous German actress who has just returned from a tour of the Irving Place theater.

THE JUNE NUMBER OF CURRENT LITERATURE is so full of things that it is difficult to particularize. "War Songs of the Greeks," giving as it does the Hellenic Marsellaise by Constantine Rigaas, translated by Lord Byron, together with songs written by famous American and English poets, is a most interesting contribution compiled by M. S. Beeson.

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Weak, violent or irregular palpitation, fatty degeneration, valvular lesions, shortness of breath, aches and rheumatic pains of the heart are treated by DOCTOR RATCLIFFE far in advance of any other specialist or medical institution in the country.

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Diabetes or Bright's disease, inflammation or congestion of the kidneys, which are often accompanied by a weak, aching back, sediment in urine, and sometimes with partial or complete impotency—in the treatment of these diseases DOCTOR RATCLIFFE has proven himself to be beyond the shadow of a question the best and most successful specialist in the United States.

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A large portion of DOCTOR RATCLIFFE'S treatment is by mail. He usually desires at least one personal visit when convenient to the patient, but his system of home treatment through correspondence is so nearly perfect that satisfactory results are always assured.

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Advertisement for THE SEATTLE THEATER. DON'T Miss the Big BIG GAME MEET Of Queen City Good Roads Club. At Y. M. C. A. Park, Saturday Afternoon and Evening, July 3. Held Under L. A. W. Sanction. LIST OF EVENTS: 1. Half mile, open; first prize, \$35; second, \$20. 2. One mile, open; first prize, \$50; second, \$30. 3. One mile tandem, open; first prize, \$25; second, \$10. 4. One mile lap; first prize, \$35; second, \$15. 5. Three mile handicap; first prize, \$25; second, \$10. AMATEUR. 6. One mile novices. 7. Half mile, open. 8. One mile lap. 9. One mile handicap. 10. One mile tandem. 11. Half mile fat man's (250 lbs.) race, handicap. Handsome gold and silver medals will be awarded first and second men respectively in each event. SEATTLE THEATER. Commencing Friday Night, July 2. SPECIAL MATINEE SATURDAY. "Mrs. H. Yale's Greatest Spectacle, Twelve Temptations." With a company of 50 people, will be with you for the first time. The performance embraces all kinds of stage amusements skilfully and deftly rolled into one gigantic whole. Night, Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00 and \$1.00. Seats for the first night opens Wednesday, June 30, at 8:40 a. m.