BOOK-NOTES.

Messrs.Ticknor & Co. announce for publication, on Saturday, Sept. 17, 1887, 'Three Good Giants,' from the French of François Rabelais, by John Dixmier; 'Love and Theology,' a novel, by Celia Parker Woolley; also new and cheaper library editions of 'Japanese Homes,' by Prof. Edward S. Morse; 'Choson, the Land of the Morning Calm,' by Percival Lowell.

Ginn & Co. announce that Scott's 'Last of the Last Minstrels,' edited for the series of Classics for Children by Margaret Andrews Allen, is now in the printer's hands, and will be published in two or three months.

Charles Scribner's Sons have just published new editions of Henry M. Stanley's 'How I Found Livingstone' and 'My Kalulu.'

Harper & Bros. have just issued Désiré Charnay's 'Ancient Cities of the New World,' being Voyages and Explorations in Mexico and Central America from 1857 to 1882.' It has been translated from the French by J. Gonino and Helen S. Conant, and has a preface by Allen Thorndike Rice.

Ticknor & Co. have just published 'Whist Universal,' by G. W. P., author of 'American Whist.' It is an analysis of the game as improved by the introduction of American leads, and adapted to all methods of play.

On account of the success of Ticknor's Paper Series of Original Copyright Novels, the publication will be continued semi-monthly hereafter. The publication days will be the first and third Saturdays of each month.

The D. Lothrop Co. has just ready 'Russian Novelist,' from the French of M. de Vogüé by J. L. Edmonds, an exposition of life and feeling in Russia through an examination of the most characteristic Russian writers, including a critical and general estimate of current Russian literature.

Prof. N. S. Shaler, whose articles on earthquakes, cyclones, and forests in Scribner's Magazine have attracted wide attention, will contribute to the October number of that periodical a similar paper on 'Caverns and Cavern Life,' which is to be richly illustrated.

E. Gerard, the author of 'Reata' and other novels, has written a book on Transylvania, which will be published by Messrs. Blackwood, under the title of 'The Land Beyond the Forest.' It will be in two volumes, with maps and illustrations.

The Routledges have been so successful with the One-Syllable histories already published, that they are about adding two others to the list, 'Russia' and 'Japan.'

Longmans & Co. announce as nearly ready, 'The Literary Remains of Fleeing Jenkin,' edited by Sidney Colvin, with a memoir by Robert Louis Stevenson; 'An Inquiry into Socialism,' by Thomas Kirkup, an article on socialism in the 'Encyclopedia Britannica'; a new edition of Huth's 'Marriage of Near Kin, considered with Respect to the Law of Nations, the Result of Experience, and the Teachings of Biology'; 'Educational Ends, or, the Ideal of Personal Development,' by Sophie Bryant; 'A Course of Lectures on Electricity, delivered before the Society of Arts,' by George Forbes.

The Harvard Monthly (founded 1884) will enter on its third year in October. The purpose of this magazine is described as follows in the original prospectus: "It has seemed to those who have planned the magazine that articles are written in college which are worth printing, and, for their literary merit, worth reading. It was as a means of publishing such work that the Monthly was founded. It will contain in each number a contributed article by some prominent alumnus. It will contain, also, contributed articles, poems, critical reviews, essays, careful book-notices, and editorials on topics of general interest."

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