



Carducci: A Selection of His Poems, with Verse Translations, Notes, and Three Introductory Essays (Classic Reprint)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Excerpt from Carducci: A Selection of His Poems, With Verse Translations, Notes, and Three Introductory Essays My object in writing this book was to introduce to English readers a poet who (with the exception of our own Swinburne) was certainly the greatest alive in Europe at the opening of the twentieth century. As a nation we are proverbially slow to appreciate the literary achievements of foreigners. During the last forty years Italy has more than once rung throughout its length and breadth with the name of Carducci; selections from his poems have been translated into half a dozen European languages; an exhaustive study of his life and work has recently appeared in France; there is, I believe, a Carducci Society in Berlin; and yet it is doubtful whether at the present time as many as five percent, of our own poetry-reading public are even aware that such a man ever existed. If this be a true statement of the facts, I do not suppose I need apologise for wishing to fill up a gap (surely worth filling...



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