

Adelina Patti's Theatre

at her pleasant residence at Craig-y-Nos, in South Wales, adjoins the Billiard-room and Clock-tower. This bijou opera-house was constructed for the private and charitable concerts and operas and plays the most popular prima donna of our times rejoices to give for charitable purposes or for the entertainment of her many friends. White, of London, painted the act-drop, which consists of a portrait of Madame Patti-Nicolini, in the part of Semiramide, driving a chariot and pair of horses. The little gem of a theatre, designed by Messrs. Bucknall and Jennings, was built by Mr. H. Smith, of Kidderminster; it is electric-lighted, by the Wenham Light Company; and the scenery was painted by Mr. Walter Hann. It was privately opened on Aug. 21, with a performance of Mr. W. F. Hulley's comic opera of "The Coastguard."