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THE BATTLE-FIELD.

Once this soft turf, the violet's sand,
Formed by a hurrying crowd,
And early heart and armed hand
Encountered in the battle-land.

Ah! I never shall the land forget
Which guided the life-blood of my brave—
Gladly, warm with hope and courage yet—
Upon the soil they fought to save.

Now all is calm, and fresh, and still;
Alone the chirp of flitting bird,
And talk of children in the mill,
And bell of wandering kine are heard.

No solemn host goes tramping by
The black-mouth'd gun and staggering wain;
No host that marches to the mill,
Or that I never heard again.

Some rested those who fought; but thou
Who mingled in the leader's strife
For battle's sake receive not now,
Thy warfare only ends thy life.

A headless warrior lingering long
Through weary day and weary year,
A wild and many-wounded throng
Hang on thy form and beg for aid.

Yet, never thy spirit to the ground,
And blanch not at thy chosen lot,
The timid glow may stand aloof,
The rage may show—yet faint than not.

Not heed the frost to surely cast,
Nor heed the slings and bolts of war;
For with thy side shall dwell, at last,
The victory of endurance born.

Truth craves a path, shall rise again,
The eternal ways of God are plain;
But that he would not let us see,
And die among his worshippers.

Yes, though thou lie upon the dust,
When they who help'd thee face in fear,
Like those who fill in battle here,
Another hand thy sword shall wield,
Another hand thy standard wave,
Till from the trumpet's sound shall lead
The host of triumph over thy grave.

—W. C. Bryant.

AT THE CHURCH GATE.

Although I enter not,
Yet round the spot,
Ofttimes I hover;
And the old man,
With longing eyes I wait,
Expectant of her.

The minister bell tolls out
Above the city's roof,
And noise and humming;
They've hushed the minister bell!
The organ's peal is hushed,
She's coming, coming!

My lady comes at last,
Tidied and stepping fast,
And the old man, with a gasp,
With modest eyes, doth stare;
She comes—she's here, she's past—
My heart goes to her.

Kneel, undisturbed, fair maid!
I will not e'er rise;
I will not e'er rise;
I will not e'er rise;
I will not e'er rise;
I will not e'er rise;

But suffer me to pace
Round the forbidden place,
Like a ghostly specter,
And the old man's gaze,
Angels within it.

OUR LIDA:

OR, THE MOCK MARRIAGE.
BY MRS. ANN S. STEPHENS.

'So, old, cold, thump, thump, cold, cold, cold,
There's no comfort in the house upon a washing-day!

Nonsense! I only wish the wiper of those lines
Would be content to stay in the corner,
And let me have my wash-day as usual,
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There was a disappointment to us that Lida never
came through the pine woods, for when she
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