

A LOVE SONG TO A WIFE.

To the beautiful, love-breathing glowing hour,
And the breeze is rocking each slumbering
And the clattering hither and thither
Lovers are breathing their tender vows.

FROM DEATH TO LIFE.

Why a Warrior's Hair Changed from Black to White.

You wonder that my hair is so white
While I am not an old man as years go?
Perhaps your hair would be as white as mine
If you had passed through the ordeal of death in life that it was my fate to endure.

It was late at night when I woke
From the stupor produced by the drug.
Just as it became daylight the pain
Began again, with redoubled intensity.

NURSING.

When a person is dangerously ill, the
chance of recovery depends as much
upon the care that is taken of the
patient as upon the medicine given.

WILLS.

While it is true, in the language of
Holy Writ, that "we brought nothing
into this world and can carry nothing
out," yet the natural desire of men to
direct the use and enjoyment, after
their own death, of property acquired

NO MUSIC FOR HIM.

A Gentleman Who Believed That He
Would Look at the Sick Horse.
Old Squire Haggleson, who came to
town the other day to urge the petition
asking that young Zeb Sailor might
not be hanged, was induced by a friend
to attend a rendition of "Il Trovatore."

Tammany's Grand Sachem.



Wm. A. Croffut says: In appearance
John Kelly is not unlike Gen. Grant, and he
speaks in a slow voice like Grant. I hear
that Grant and Kelly have often been mistaken
for one another on the street.

In His Prime at Eighty-one.



Capt. John Ericsson, the distinguished
engineer, completed his eighty-first year on
July 31. From the time when his little
turreted ironclad, the Monitor, engaged and
destroyed the formidable Confederate ironclad,
the Merrimack, Captain Ericsson's name
has been almost a household word, but comparatively
few people have a notion of what
he looks like or how he lives.

George M. Pullman.



As president of the Pullman Palace Car
company, Mr. George M. Pullman is known
to every locality traversed by railroads; also
as founder of the wonderful city near Chicago
which bears his name.

Dame Nature Love for Politicians.

The apple crop this year is said to be of
an extraordinary character, surpassing that
of all previous seasons since 1850, which was
also a presidential year. The fact is considered
rather notable, since it seems to indicate
that nature with her usual kindness
adapts herself to the needs of man, and
provides the means for plenty of cider in the
times of exciting politics.

Do you wonder my hair is white?

There are said to be 534 seamstresses in New York City, each of whom earns only one dollar a week.

Some Indians use tortoise shell scalping-knives, probably on account of the old fable, in which it was alleged that the tortoise got away with the hare.