



CHAPTER II.

THE OPENING OF THE SCHOOL.

ABOUT seven o'clock the next morning, Grace opened her eyes ; and saw Maude already fully dressed. "What is the matter ?" she asked.

"Nothing; it is past seven o'clock, and such a beautiful morning" said Maude.

"Well, it may be," answered Grace, "but I shall have another doze; I am not getting up at this hour of the day."

"But you must be dressed by half-past seven," replied Maude, "we have breakfast at a quarter to eight."

"I do not care; they will have to bring me my breakfast up here if I am not up," replied Grace, at the same time turning over on her side to go to sleep again,