

wheat which grew luxuriantly on either side of the road. He was not accustomed to see this kind of grain growing in old Massachusetts. He amused himself by hunting, fishing, shooting at target, and picking berries, which grew abundantly that season. He liked the people of Canada ; thought he would like to live there ; said he would go home and arrange his business, and perhaps he would come there to reside. He had buried his wife and felt very lonely at home. They stayed a month : visited Mrs. C. and Mrs. Judson's family, and returned home, when Ordellia went back to school.

The next letter Sabra received from them contained the sad intelligence of her dear brother's death. This was quite unexpected, for his health seemed to improve while he stayed with them ; and they had anticipated much pleasure in having him come there to live.

CHAPTER XLVII.

ORDELLIA RETURNS HOME FROM SCHOOL—ACQUIRES A FIRST-CLASS CERTIFICATE—COMMENCES TEACHING AND IS SUCCESSFUL—HER PLANS FOR FUTURE USEFULNESS—HER DEATH.

Ordellia returned home, having acquired a thorough education. She was the picture of health, the joy and hope of her parents. At the sitting of the Board of Education in F——, C. W., she received a first-class certificate. Her capacity for teaching was equal to her