prospects? Yes, my child, your wealth, whatever it may be, can never screen you from sickness, sorrow, or suffering. But God has said, "Blessed is he that considereth the poor and needy: the Lord shall deliver him in the time of trouble."

Thus you see, my dear Anna, how doing rightly brings its own reward. May you and your dear sisters be anxious, "with all your gettings, to get understanding." Early make God your friend, and his Bible your guide. It is an infallible one; and, if you pray to him, he will be his own interpreter.

I remain

Your affectionate

THE END.