

ST. URSULA'S CONVENT,

OR

THE NUN OF CANADA.

CHAPTER XVI.

But Heaven has a hand in these events,
To whose high will we bound our calm contents.

SHAKESPEARE.

AFTER breakfast next morning, as Adelaide, Charlotte, and Mr. Turner, were seated in the drawing room, the latter proposed that they should have recourse to some amusement, to which the ladies assented, on condition that he should name what diversion he desired. He was proceeding to explain, when a loud knocking arrested his attention, and presently Lord Dudley and his sisters entered the room. 'Is this the manner, said lady Augusta, in which you intend passing the morning, sitting and conversing so domestically?' 'I think the best manner of passing our time, said Miss Turner, is to employ it in social and rational intercourse; but my brother was proposing some other amusement.' 'And lady Augusta is just come in time to second me, said Mr. Turner. Pray, cousins, mention what we shall have recourse to, or these