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"But there is a reverse." answered Caroline, sescribed with equal force in the very next page— will repeat it to you.

"Alas! when angry words basin
Their entrance on the lip to win,
Wher suffen eye and blushing cheek
Say niore than bitterest tone could speak,
And look and words than fire and steel
Give wounds more deep—time cannot heal,
And anger digs, with tauntings vain,
A gulf it may not pass again.

"Such, alsa "said Caroline, with a sigh, 'has been realised in my own sad experience."

"Why was this. Caroline? "asked Lucy; 'not from any fault in your understanding or feelings, you are the possessor both of intellect and sensibility; but you wanted, dear Caroline, his best, the only safeguard in time of trial; we may steep our memories with beautiful passages of poetry, we may dwell with rapt attention on the writings of morality and philosophy; they are all good in turn, and desirable

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