

it every garment must have been soaked. I considered it my best plan to wait. I did not know on my arrival at — Square the door of the house would not be opened by the butler as was usually the case, nor even by the pretty page, but by the master of the said house, who although a most complete gentleman, could so far forget himself as to greet me with the words "It is very late, teachers should be punctual." We all know the old adage "Punctuality is the soul of business;" but not punctuality at the risk of life. My watch was a little behind on the morning in question. I felt this Mr. — had sunk far in my esteem. This was not the first time I had met with a similar reproof. A further trial to the daily instructress is the non-payment of her fees at the appointed time. The inconvenience following such non-payment can, perhaps, be hardly conceived. Can a lady whose feelings are