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insulted the pastor to-day ; I'm ashamed of you." "Jane," said he, "hawd your noise; I don't like to drop old customs -I never bought a pig in my life but I

"So you have finished your studies at the seminary? I was much pleased with the closing exercises. The author of that poem-Miss White, I think you called her-bids fair to become known as

celebrated as a poetess," remarked the young lady, pertly, with a marked em-

"Oh !-- ah !" replied the old gentleman, looking thoughtfully over his spectacles at the young lady. "I hear her sister is quite an actress, and under Miss Hosmer's instruction will undoubt-

gentleman, with imperturbable gravity, 'is fortunate in having an efficient Board of Manageresses. From the Presidentess down to the humblest teacheress unusual talent is shown. There is Miss Harper, who as a chemistress is unequaled, and Mrs. Knowles has already a reputation as an astronomeress. And in the department of music few can

the chair she was sitting on. She took the sofa at the other end of the room.

as if talking to himself, "those White sisters are very talented. Mary, I understand, has turned her attention to painting and the drama, and will surely become famous as a painteress, and even

A loud slamming of the door caused the old gentleman to look up, and the