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trives to live in the soil." Let the cheerfulness of contented mind evidence itself in deference and submission to those who control your time, and in uniform good nature and courtesy to your companions in business. With this principle and this attitude of mind, in Divine Providence, you may suddenly prosper. Brace your nerves to meet every engagement, and, however poor, you will succeed. Dismiss from your soul all belief in the divinity of modern seers, called Lure, and stake nothing on audacious promises. In human nature, says Playfair, there is no struggle that appears more unequal, at first sight, than that of a man without connections for capital, against the man who has both; yet there is no contest which so constantly terminates in favor of him who appears to have the disadvantage."

— F. W. Alexander, D. D.

Don't believe any woman to be an angel. If you feel any symptom of that disease, take a dose of common sense. It will be to you as much salutary as the small pox and it is your business to get over it as soon as possible.