

was originally established and the school-house (with the exception of about £20) erected *exclusively* by the *exertions* and at the *expense* of members of the Church of England.

The Committee feel no disposition to attack the principles or conduct of those who conscientiously differ from them; but they claim for themselves the just right of defending *their own* against continual misrepresentations. They would not even call such misrepresentations *wilful*, but they would presume to suggest, that, altho' *not wilful*, the parties who make them, are nevertheless by no means free from blame in publishing statements, which, the slight exertion of a little previous inquiry, would have informed them, were incorrect.

The Committee would exhort all their friends to "*endeavour to keep the Unity of the Spirit in the Bond of Peace,*" and, if "*some preach Christ even of strife, and envy,*" still to "*rejoice, that Christ is preached, knowing that this shall turn to their salvation thro' prayer and the supply of the spirit of Jesus Christ.*" They would offer their fervent prayers, in the truly catholic language of the church, to the most merciful God, "who hath made all men, and hath nothing that he hath made, nor willeth the death of a sinner, but rather that he may be converted and live;" imploring him "to have mercy on all Jews, Turks, Infidels, and Heretics; to take from them all ignorance, hardness of heart, and contempt of his word; and so to fetch them home to his flock, that they may be saved."