been in the spirit of meekness. They have not exhibited the charity which thinketh no evil.

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There is nothing wild or extravagant in the views here enunciated, and even should the reader not agree with the author's views, he will not be offended with the spirit in which he writes. The circulation of such a book cannot fail to accomplish great good, and therefore we most confidently recommend it to our readers.—E. B.

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