

many wise and economic purposes, being now allayed, through your kind elucidations, suffer me heartily to unite with you in the wish that the system may endure for ages, until the forest, reeling to the axe, to the sickle yield a plenteous harvest, and the 'busy hum of men' is heard o'er the land. Then, when that righteous work shall have been fulfilled, may the society yet endure, for other all-wise purposes, co-eternally with its bright example—'The Society for the Promotion of Christian Knowledge.' "