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able to do now as I was
About a hundred and thirty
Sisters are continually employed in the
e all aim at one point, (as we did from
when we first engaged in the work:) Not at
any more than at ease, or pleasure, or the praise of
; but to spread true Religion through London, Dub-
lin, Edinburgh, and, as we are able, through the three
kingdoms ; that truly rational Religion, which is taught
and prescribed in the Old and New Testament ; namely,
The Love of God and our Neighbour, filling the heart
with Humility, Meekness, Contentedness, and teaching
us, on the one hand, whatever we do, to do it all to the
glory of God ; and, on the other, to do unto every man
what we would they should do unto us. This is our point.
We leave every man to enjoy his own opinion, and to
use his own mode of worship, desiring only that the Love
of God and his Neighbour be the ruling principle in his
heart, and shew itself in his life by an uniform practice
of Justice, Mercy, and Truth. And accordingly we give
the right hand of fellowship to every lover of God
and man, whatever his Opinion or Mode of worship
be ; of which he is to give an account to God only.

CXXXII. This is the way (called Heresy by Dr.
M'Lean and others,) according to which we worship the
God of our fathers. And we have known some thou-
sands who walked therein, till their spirits returned to
God. Some thousands we likewise now know who are
walking in the same path of love, and studying to have a
conscience void of offence towards God and towards
man. All these as they fear God, so they honour the
King, who is the minister of God unto them for good. They
submit themselves to every ordinance of man, for the Lord's
sake. Meantime they expect, that men should say all
manner of evil against them, for their Master's sake. But
they have counted the cost, and are willing to be as the
filth and offscouring of the world. Yea; they have many
times shewn, that they counted not their lives dear unto
themselves, so they might finish their course with joy, and
testify the gospel of the grace of God.