

Put to this disposition in the New Zealanders, to visit this country, unless they are men of character and influence, on whom it may be worth while to bestow labour and expence. Mowhee, I believe, behaves well. We were obliged to discard George Bruce, whom I mentioned in my last.

Letters have reached us from Mr Kendall, of Feb. 13/15, of July 6/15 to you, and of Oct 19/15; and, very lately, by the bathurst, Capt'n Graham, direct from New Zealand, Letters of Jan 19 to 29/16.

By these last we learn, with regret that Mr Hall had separated from the rest, and had been attacked by some natives, and obliged to return. By these letters, and others from Hall and King, we grieve to find that dissensions have crept in amongst them, and mutual accusations are made, particularly between Kendall and King. The Com^e must refer all these painful things to the controul and management of yourself and their other friends, under the gracious guidance of God, whose favour and mercy they devoutly implore.

Mr Kendall wished our Investment to be sent out to him for his salary: but the Com^e wish every thing to be adjusted by their friends send us a list of what articles may be requisite, and we will consign Investments to you, as we have done, and now do, and you will be good enough to manage for us the whole Mission, nothing but confusion will arise if any other course is pursued.

As circumstances do not yet favour the establishment of a Public Society, the Com^e wish you and your friends to form a corresponding Committee, in the manner in which their friends at Calcutta and at Madras, respectively, are acting. You will, of course, be kind enough to act as ~~President~~ President of the Com^e; and you and your brethren will associate any other person of decided piety with you that may be acceptable to the body. We cannot look for any cordial or efficient aid to our designs except from really pious men, either at home or abroad. Men of benevolent minds may assist us as a matter of feeling, and sometimes others will assist us from very inferior motives;