

appeal to the presbytery and have a committee come in and investigate, but nobody likes to hurt the man feelings. And the thing went on and on and the church got smaller and smaller. And right in the same town there was a Methodist church that was about in the same situation. And they had a man who was a good man, but nobody wanted to hurt his feelings, and nobody liked much to hear him preach, and his sermons were over the heads of the people in that particular congregation. And it wasn't just in the church. And the Methodist bishop came in and he talked to a lot of people and he looked over the ~~sitax~~ situation. And he went to another place and he looked it over and he talked to them, and he saw the situation. And then they had a meeting of the conference, and the bishop announced the appointments for the next year. And he appointed a different man to this church. And this man went to another church where the people liked his kind of sermons, and it was the sort of people that his personality ~~wantix~~ would appeal to, and he made a good success in the other church. Instead of drifting on having more and more ~~unpleasantness~~ unpleasantness in his church. While the minister who was put in here, when the people saw him, they said, what is the matter with the bishop giving us this fellow for a minister. They said, he doesn't appeal to us at all. We would rather have our old fellow back than have this fellow, even though we didn't like him very well. And that was the man they had, the bishop had appointed him, and he was there. So, at the end of the year, if you don't like him you can make an appeal for a change. Maybe you will get a change and maybe you won't. But if you don't like him, you certainly can get a change after three years. So, let us possess ourselves with patience, and go ahead and see what we can do while he is here. And within a month or two they found that they were completely wrong in their judgment. They ~~foundix~~ found that ~~x~~ when they got to know the man, he had just the ~~qualitix~~ qualities that appealed to them, and he had just the ability to ~~buildix~~ build up that church. He was just the ideal man for the ~~positionix~~ position, and the bishop had been able to see that. And he was enabled to pick out the right man for the place, even though the people ~~didn't~~ didn't think he was.....(end of record)