of separation, that we think it through, not to make it a fetish, not to make it a thing that has the greatest importance in our lives, but to think through its tremendous practical significance in our present day, and the vital importance as a part of our Christian witness, of our finding ways and means of making our influence frank felt, first to win people out of the apostasy, to bring them out of where they can hear the pure gospel, and where they can establish testimonies that will have a hope of having the gospel not merely during the life of their present pastors, but the during the time that follows in the Lord's work, and secondly that we find ma ways and means of making our influence and our voice count against the rising tyranny that has done so much in recent years to crush the preaching of the pospel, and will do far more in the next few years, unless godly men are enabled, following the Lord and seeking His will, and doing all with a spirit of love to make their influence felt the14..... if it be the Lord's will, that we may yet have a witness before our Lord's return...end of Record 3