

~~and~~ widespread work as he goes here and there, back and forth through
the land bringing the word of God and telling people and winning them to
the Lord, and to tie it up ^{and} to get ~~himself for it~~ a hearing for ~~what~~ it from
what Elijah had done before. Now, he has got a pretty ^{② mg ① ③ Au} good hearing now.
We have more miracles in connection with his life, but I do not think
they are specifically for this purpose. We noticed ~~that~~ that as we continue with
~~the~~ Elisha, his many helpful deeds are very conspicuous ~~things~~ in the
life of Elisha. He did many helpful deeds, ~~and~~ and his kindness to the
sons of the prophets, ignorant as they were, ~~that~~ he took them where
they were and tried to help them, tried to lead them, tried to ~~use~~ use them.
I do ^{not} remember any really kindly act like this on the part of Elijah. Elijah
was a different type, but this was ~~a~~ necessary to follow it up and to make
it ~~accomplish~~ accomplish what it should, and Elisha ^{is} one of the kindest and
~~one of the~~ most helpful people found ~~anywhere~~ anywhere in the Scripture. We
have many of these kindly, helpful actions of his, ~~but~~ ^{but} we won't have time
to look at any of them now, ^{will} but in the few minutes we have left, we ~~have~~
to be content ^{with} ~~with~~ by looking at two aspects. And one of these aspects
~~his~~
is the relation to politics. We often hear it said, Well, what 's the
Christian minister got to do with politics? Well, here ~~was Elisha. Here~~
was Elijah in the reign of Ahab, ^{and} He ran before Ahab's chariot. Here was
Elisha who spoke so strongly ^{about} to Jehoram, but for the succeeding ten or
twelve years he remained in the kingdom there, and I do not think anybody
has ever heard of suspicion of a rebellion that ^{she} Elisha was connected with.
In fact, quite to the contrary, we find in chapter 6, while this wicked