

a Mormon Railroad? He said, Of course I must not travel on it if it is a Mormon Railroad. It just happened that in that case that I knew that the wife of the President of the Union Pacific railroad was widely known as a very fine evangelical Bible teacher and that at least among some of the top officers of ~~of~~ the Union Pacific railroad at that time there were some very earnest Christians. Now ~~the~~ the Union Pac. railroad has one of its great centers in Salt Lake City. I would not be surprised if they have many Mormons among their employees, and if some of their top officers are Mormons. But in the matter of what railroad you are going to use, in the matter of questions like that, it is not necessary ^{that we say} ~~to say~~ that we are going to deal only with Christians. In fact it is probably better that we do not say so. It is probably better that in matters of material things, we look for the best service we can get and do not give the service according to whether the person is Christian or not. After I had been in college a few years. I went out and sold books for a brief time in the summer. And I remember one time when I came to a house and the woman received me with a very stern attitude, and as she did so I tried to sell the book but she had no interest in it whatever and I thought from her general attitude ^{is one who} she would profit from a little tract I had called, "The Loveliness of Jesus" and so when she had turned me down on the book I handed her one of the copies of the tract. And as she looked at the tract her whole appearance changed. She ~~was~~ became very friendly. She said, Why are you a Christian young man? And she said, My I am so glad to meet a Christian young man. She was so very nice that we had blessed fellowship in the Lord for a few minutes, and then she said, Now let me see that book again." (Laughter). It was an atlas that I was trying to sell. I said, No indeed I will not show you the book. I said, It's a good book and I'm anxious to sell it on its merits, but I'm not selling it to anybody because I'm a Christian young man." And I believe that was the right attitude to take in a matter like that. I ~~didn't~~ see why she should give \$5.00 to a company for something she didn't want in order to give a dollar to me because I was a Christian young man. Perhaps that's why I didn't do ~~it~~ very well as a book salesman (Laughter). I didn't stay at it very long. But I do believe that in material matters we should seek for the best service we can get. I believe that Noah when he built the ark ~~had~~ had many ungodly who were working in it