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with what the pope told them to do. Now you find that statment made in Our Sunday Visitor. Turning to the Roman Catholic encylcopeda, look in the R.C.xenexixxeneix encyclopedia and look mpk up these different ecumenical councils of the early church days which have been revered by all men of Christendom....(end of the record)

See how many of them did the exact opposite of what the bishop of Rome wanted them to do. And see wheter these statements made in this popular propaganda are true or false. Now that doesn't determine the situation, it is determined by exegesis, but it is extremely helpful to us in understanding it to know these historical facts, and it is very helpful in six discussion with others. And so in order to understand the various types of religious forces, with which we have to meet today, of which the R.C. Church is one of the most vital, and one of the strongest, but in order to understand other religious forces of today, it is extremely helful to learn something about x

And then, number seven, is perhaps an even more prevacious reason for real value from the understanding if of Ch. Hist. is better to understand the may in which Christina people, the way in which Christian leaders, have met the problems of their day. Better to understand the way in which Christina leaders have met the problems of their day. Ch. Hist, as all history, is somethines thought of as just a series of dates. Here are these important dates, this is the time that this council met, and this is when this man ruled, and so one. And you learn the skeleton. Well, the skeleton is necessary for understanding, it is vital, but the mi skeleton of itself has no value, it is what the skeleton carries which is important. And it very offten history is studied in such a way that you learn about great movements and see nothing of the people who make up those movements. When I was in seminary, the president of the seminary was doing all he could to change that seminary to become the modernistic institution that it is today. The president me made the statement when some of us were concerned about