

Of course ~~xxxx~~ they did not want to spread it so rapidly that they would be engulfed with a lot of people with a different viewpoint from theirs, and the whole character and civilization ~~xx~~ change, but they tried guarding against that, yet keeping it spreading. Sometimes it would be a particular city that would be given it, asometimes an area, ~~xxx~~ and sometimes a group of people. But it kept gradually spreading. So this idea of law, this something in Rome, this idea of law was very important. The Romans, when they dealt with other nations near the, they did not take the attitude it was our nation/ ten years ago. The Nazis might kill people and oppress people within ~~x~~ Germany, that was none of our business, that was in another country. They might attack neighboring countries, that was none of our business, but you let them or their friends attack us at Pearl Harbor and immediately we must start ~~xxxx~~out and destroy them. That was not in general the Roman attitude. The Roman attitude was that if in justice, if ~~xxxxxxx~~ violation of fundamental rights was ~~xxxx~~ practiced on their border it was something which would eventually harm them and it was of immediate interest to them. But we find that 200 years before the time of Christ the Antiochusepiphanes(?) the rulers of the Syrians who ruled over Palestine, ~~xxxxxxx~~ Syria to the north of it, quite a large area throughthere. He had been brought up as a <sup>o</sup>by in Rome. Now he was king over this large area, and he... (8½) to conquer Egypt. And his cousin who was just a young boy came with his armies and sent all kinds of letters to his cousin and he worked it in such a way that it looked as if he would get control of Egypt, and he came there into Egypt and he had Egypt almost entirely in his' hand and he was there in northern Egypt ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ when a boat arrived, a Roman boat, and an official came up to the shore, and he saw in it a man whom he had known, a young fellow in Rome, he was brought up in Rome, and this young man was now a member of the Roman senate. And he said hello whatever his name was, ~~xxxxxxxxxxxx~~ <sup>it's so nice</sup> to see you. And he had a very stern face, and he said I have a message for you from the Roman senate. And he said well, that is fine, but can't we have dinner. And the other man said no the message had to be delivered immediately. The Roman senate says that it is