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Tropical disease he had gotten. He was in the hospital and he just his whole body was burning up. They gave him medicines. Then he said & he felt the thing left his head, his head felt better, then his arms felt better, then his knees, and then only his lower legs and feet and then it left them. He said, he had the most wonderful feeling of unity throughout his body. It seemed to me to be an illustration of the very opposite of what he was trying to get across! But afterwards these wonderful Christians said, Wasn't that marvellous! Wasn't bhat marvellous! And these === this teacher there in the Bible Institute, I said to him, I was just a college student, who was I to argue with him, I said to him, that was a strange theng forhim to say that unity was Christian. That unity was the theme of Christianity. The way the illustration appeared to me it was getting rid of the discordant elements rather than unity with them." "Well, Robert E. Speer is a marvellous Christian , a great missionary leader. Andhe hesitated about talking against him. But I saw him 10 days later and he said, You know, during the last two weeks, I have taken occasion at six different times when I've met people who were not at that meeting, and I said, What would you say if one word were to characterize Christianity? And not one of them said unity!

My first year at Princeton --quite a few of our students went to a foreign missions convention in Washington, D.C. they had a big auditorium and thousands of people with missionaries from every board and from every country in the world just about. People from all the different organizations and groups everywhere. A tremendous big meeting. They assigned places for us to stay, particularly for the students who were there. My roommate from Princeton and I were assigned to the home of the pastor of one of the big Presbyterian churches in Washington. There also was a