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body. Some of us remember best what we see, and few remember best what they hear.---

Some have great perseverance in certain lines and not so much in others. We all differ greatly. This perhaps, the differences are not so important for most/ⁱⁿChristian service. Certainly no physical handicap we have can keep us from serving the Lord effectively in some way or other.

I suppose most of you have heard the story of the two women in England about 100 years ago/^{who were bedridden.} And these two women were bedridden there and they devoted a great deal of time to prayer. And they say that one day the young woman who took care of them came home from church one Sunday noon and she said to them, They said, How was the church service? And she said, Oh, it wasn't much this morning. They had a fellow from America who speaks with that crazy Yankee accent, and I didn't care much for it. They said, What was his ^{him} name? She said, His name was D. L. Moody from Chicago. And one of the women immediately ~~she~~ said, Don't bring us any lunch. We're going to be very busy between now and the evening service. And these two women they say ~~and~~ ^{had} heard some time before of -- about a revival that Moody had had in Chicago which had been written up in a magazine they had read, and they had been praying for a long time that D. L. Moody would come to England and would preach in their church and they had no idea he was coming. And when they heard that they devoted themselves to prayer through the afternoon and on to the time of the ^{evening} ~~evening~~ service. And they ~~said~~ say that to everyone's surprise there was twice as many people in the ~~the~~ evening service as there had been in the morning service, and that when Moody preached the Spirit of God's presence was very manifest to everyone and a number professed conversion and a revival started that lasted a considerable time there and that spread through many portions of England. And that was the beginning of Moody's great work in the British ^{isles.} ~~isles.~~ And these two women physically were not able to do the ordinary ^{types} type of Christian service but they certainly rendered a service there that would be hard to compare. And so our physical situation should not keep any of us from serving the Lord effectively. We can all serve Him in prayer and as to other means, some are better in one means ~~the~~ ~~and~~ and some in another.