was not permitted at all in Milan.

Now we go on to number 4, Ambrose and Theodocious. Valentinian was murdered. And in 392, a usurper seized the powers, and another group came from Rome to try to persuade him to let the altar of victory be put up again. But he soon became very clearly a poor ruler, and rather cruel in his treatment, and people rose up against him, and it seemed as if chaos was coming, and Theod. came with an army and he destroyed him. And then Theod. took over the control of the whole empire. And Theod. coming to Milan that way, he came in contact with Ambrose, and he said afterwards, for the firsttime in my life, I have seen a real bishop. And what he meant was, here was a man who was an overseer in the best sense of the word. A man who was convinced of what was for the good of his people, and who would let nothing hinder him from carrying on what he felt was right. And Theod. who was a great emperor, and an able man, a good ruler, a good administrator, he was impressed with the similar qualities on the part of Ambrose. And in the next few years, there were some very interesting contacts between Ambrose and Theod. Because Ambrose thought very highly of Theod. and Amborse took the position that Theod. is a wonderful man, but he is only a man, and he is a sinful man. And if Theod does what is wrong, it is the part of the messenger of God to oppose him. It came very soon.

There was a situation where there had beeen a riot in the east, in Thessalonica. There had been a big riot. And in this riot, there had been a destruction of a Jewish synagogue. And it seems that the group of Christians had led it in this, and the bishop there seemd to have been, by his explanatory utterances, had had something to do with the action of destroying this synagogue, And Thoed. gave the order that the bishop and his poeple must rebuild the synagogue. And Ambrose siad that they were utterly wrong in destroying it, they were wrong in rising against the law ans order, but he said, for Christians to build a place where false teaching is to be presented, would get even worse. Therefore, he said, they could not

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