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many who are grieving at changes and innovations, that have been introduced in various places. -

As it was with the Israelites of old, who wanted to be like others, and have a King. When the prophet was so deeply grieved. the Lord said "They have not rejected thee, but me, they have rejected". So it is in the present day. They wish to have a salaried Minister. a leader in ^{the} meetings, it has been attempted, and discussed, in the meeting here. but thus far, it has not succeeded. The saying "One is your Master, even Christ, and all ye are brethren", still has weight with all true Friends. - And as we look to Him in simple, childlike faith, we can say with one ^{formally}. "My God shall supply all your needs." And He will. but let us not lean on an arm of flesh. R.H.H.