

Then I forget the next, and- I think that there was- were shells and then fishes, then we came, let me see, did we come next? Never mind then, we came last. ^{The} Next change would be something very superior, maybe with some wings. That's it. We were fishes, and I believe we shall be crows, but you must read it. And this is a parody ~~on-a~~ on a book which was published in 1844, very, very widely circulated, a book which said, the idea then which form the progress of organic life upon our life is the simplest and the most primitive type under a law/^{to} which ^{production} that of life/^{is} subordinate gave birth to the type next above it. The fish produced the next higher and so on ~~the~~ ^{being} to the very highest. The stages of ~~advances~~/ⁱⁿ all cases very small, ~~may~~ ^{of} mainly from one ~~of~~ species only to another, so that the phenomenon has always been/^{simple} and modest character. Now there was much writing of this type before Darwin's book was published. But it affected comparatively a small number of people. The people who were trying to turn away from religion and who were seeking new truth and thinking that they were finding it in the direction of materialism. One such man was Thomas Henry Huxley. Huxley as a young man had/^{received} very much- great dislike/^{s for the} of church. He had been compelled to go to the services where he heard long tiresome discourses, and he hated and he became tremendously interested in science, and he got a great dislike for the church. But Huxley believed that every species was distinct from/^{every} other species, and there could be no crossing from one to the other. He had a friend named Darwin, and Darwin had a theory that one species developed into another and he often told Huxley about it. He was disgusted with Huxley and Huxley always said, ^{just} I/can't see it. I can't see it at all. Darwin tells us how he got his theory. Darwin read a book by Malthus on the Human/Life with the theory that people are constantly to have war and pestilences in order keep down the population, and Darwin this book by Malthus, and Darwin said, when he finished, an idea came/^{to him} like a flash, and he said, one species turns into another, and the species becomes very large, and then the four.. members of them die off, and the ones that are adapted to the survival continue and then they move toward certain directions, and