

with people much unless they seemed to be attacking him personally.

He had a friend Thomas Henry Huxley, 20 yrs. younger than he was. Darwin discussed his book with Huxley, and Huxley said, I don't see anything to it. He said, A species is set; it doesn't change; it goes on the way. You can't have changes from one species to another, Huxley said. When Darwin wrote the complete book he gave it to Huxley to read, and Huxley said, I don't see anything to it; I'm sorry, I have great respect for you but I don't see anything to it." Huxley did not accept Darwin's theory.

Huxley as a young man had been forced to go to church and hear long erudite sermons he didn't understand and did not like to listen to. He got a great dislike for the church. Huxley was a student of anatomy. He was a great student of anatomy. He said that as a student he never could remember where the mitro valve is. In England the Bishop carries a mitre. He said, I could not remember it until I realized that the mitro-valve is on the left side, and a bishop could never be right, so I could remember it after that!

That shows his animosity and hatred toward the church. He had a great dislike for it. He read Darwin's manuscript and he said, Although I have great respect for you, I don't think you've proved your point. Then when Darwin's book came out all the bishops and leaders of the church began to attack it. Huxley was very fond of Darwin and Huxley wrote Darwin, They are attacking you in an unfair way; I'm getting my claws all sharpned and my beak straightened out because I'm going to answer it on your behalf." Someone suggested to one of the big papers that they get Huxley to write the review of Darwin's book. Huxley said that when he read the book in printed form, now he got the idea which he never could get in manuscript form. From that time on Hoxley was the great advocate of Darwin's theory.