In Defence of Darwin.

or Evening Telegram. Dear Sir.—That item on page five of st evening's Telegram under the ared to me so unmerited an attack non the memory of a great man as to pon the months of the first property of the first place the term "Darwinism" does not place the terms and the author of it to fair should have been more explicit, rwin was a great and original thinkand a clever investigator, and the rld of science owes much to his ors and to his memory. Darwin's divities covered almost every uch of science that occupied the brains of the first half of the nineoth century. It must be rememberthat up to the time of even living ments of science one might hold rofessorship in applied sciences at the greatest of colleges. One gle text book might then cover all hat was known of a science so broadjout to-day that a whole library helf may not hold the half of the ble works upon that one science. then to be wondered at that the entist of that day made mistakes. is it anything to his shame that Darwas wrong in one great par-

If by Darwinism is meant all that Darwin did for science the one who mmmends death to Darwinism is padly deficient in veneration, and still pore sadly lacking in appreciation of I that a great worker has done for the advancement of human knowjedge. Darwin made the mistake of milding man's evolution from the monkey, and perhaps this is what Dr. Rader meant by Darwinism, if so, it is pity he is not more specific. Darwin taught other things beside man's iscent from the monkey, and it is unfair to condenin him in toto for one mistake, or even a dozen. Darwin himself if alive to-day would feel ashamed of his theory, and further, were he alive now, he would still be a great man, a great thinker, a great investigator. He was wonderfully rsatile, and his studies embraced most everything from earth worms the solar system. He was too great man to be swept aside so ruthlessly Dr. Rader would dispose of him. his memory shall be green when all fry like Dr. Rader shall have

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Yours truly, ARTHUR ENGLISH.

McMurdo's Store News.

FRIDAY, Nov. 25. Now is the time when chaps and brasions make their appearance, and when sprayed hands, lips and face-are the order of the day. There are of wurse many different preparations to leve and cure these co ere are few more efficient than ream of Lilies, our own preparation, which is compounded with special reference to our Newfoundland climatic meditions, and has been singularly successful for winter use for many years past. We can thoroughly recommend Cream of Lilies, and suggest that those whose hands are sensitive to the action of cold and hard winds, obtain a pot at once. Price 30c. a pot.

Personal.

Mr. Wm. Fitzgerald, manager of the Bank Nova Scotia at New Glasgow, N. , who was so dangerously ill last week that his mother was telegraphed for, is, we learn, out of danger. Mr. Fitzgerald of Job's, father of the young man had a message to that effect yesterday. Mr. Pitzgerald will probably return next week.

Capt. Thos. Bonta who was around Conception Bay locating new routes for the roads destroyed during the great storm returned to the city yes-

Skating on Pond.

Most of the ponds in the suburbs are now frozen over. Yesterday a number of boys were skating and playing buckly ice" on Burton's Pond. The larger ponds are not yet solid, and many are open in the centres. As hearly every year fatalities are caused by proons venturing on the ponds and lakes before they are solidly rozen, parents should caution their

Another Candidate.

Mr. Thomas Kent has announced his Intention of being a candidate at the forthcoming Municipal Election. Mr. Kent is one of the old timers of the East End and was a foreman on the building of the Great Tunnel, Water St, East. Mr. Kent has had a lot of experlence at road work and promises that if elected he will be the eyes of

Shipping Notes.

chooner Humorist has sailed from adiz with a load of salt for this port. S.S. Sachem leaves Halifax for here n Monday. The ship is taking a large eight and is due here on Wednesday. 8.8. Digby left Liverpool on Wednesy for this port.

"K" BOOTS! We have just eceived a new shipment of these lamous British Made Boots. F. ALLWOOD, "K" Agency for

Friday-Sat. Bargain Days

New Blouses Notable Beauties

This is a good opportunity to choose a Blouse that will please your sense of fashion according to your ideas on Black Silk Shirtwaists. Smart roll collar, tucked fronts; sizes 36 to 42. Reg. \$6.00 \$3.75

Flannel Blouses.
Striped effect on light grounds, shirtwaist styles, convertible collar; sizes 36 to 42. Reg. \$6.75 \$3.50 Tricoline Shirtwaists.

With adjustable high or low assorted colors; sizes 36 to \$5.70 to 40. Reg. \$7.75 ea. for.. Child's Sweaters. All wool slip-over styles, to fit girls of 7 years; colors Fawn trimmed with Saxe or Rose. Reg. \$5.00 \$4.20

each for

6 inches wide; pure Silk Taffeta in all the most popular colors; for hair

bows and millinery uses. 86c.

12 in. square, White and Colored borders. Regular 40c. each 36c.

Colored Georgette, trimmed with lace, etc. Reg. \$1.50 each \$1.25

High grade Tortoise Shell Frames, strong clasps and handle loops. Reg. \$2.10 each for

Assorted styles. Special, 13c.

Men's

TIndormone

150 dozen H. Shirts and Pants at prices far telow those pre-

vailing last year; well made and fin-ished; guaranteed to give good ser-

Former Price \$2.40 gar. \$1.65

Selling for ... \$3.75 gar. \$2.40

Men's Night Shirts.

Wool Combinations.

Wide End Ties.

45c .each for

Wide End Ties.

Full length, made of heavy Flette; Blue and Pink stripes on White ground, silk braid • finish,

extra large sizes. Reg. \$3.30

Medium weight, Stanfield's popu-

lar make; superfine quality, Pearl

crotch, long sleeves, ankle length; all sizes. Reg. \$3.85

Mercerised Silk finish, fancy assorted designs. Reg. 39c.

With patent slip-easy band; as-

designs. Reg. 68c.

Some Good Offers in

Men's Wear

Men's Winter Caps.

Boys' Pullman Caps.

sizes 61/4 to 63/4.

Made of heavy cloth, in colors of

Navy, Grey; Brown and fancy broken checks; fitted with inside

bands; sizes 6% to 7% \$1.75 Reg. \$3.20 each for ..

3 dozen all-wool knit Caps in shades of Brown, Green and Navy;

Reg. \$1,20 each for .. \$1.00

Men's Boston Garters.

Satin pads, cable cords; assorted colors.

Reg. 50c. pair for .. . 45c.

Re. 70c. pair for 57c.

All-Wool

Half-Hose

That are really great bargains. Every pair is knitted from hard wearing yarns in assorted Heather mixtures; medium and heavy weights; sizes 10 tto 11½ inch. Reg. \$1.80 \$1.00 pair for

Reg. \$1.00 yard for ...

Oriental Collars.

Shell Bag Frames.

Shell Hair Pins.

Lissue Handkerchiefs.

The Ready Way to Satisfactory Economy at the Royal Stores

Where you can depend on obtaining the greatest value for the least outlay-always. Economy is our keynote, and that is why hundreds made a point of shopping here regularly and often.

Misses'

A limited number of Smart Winter Coats for Misses of 14 and 15 years; heavy Blanket Cloth material in shades of Grey and Blue, finished with fancy bone buttons; seine belted backs. Reg. \$27.50 value. Special Friday and Saturday \$15.00 day and Saturday

Women's Winter Coats Heavy Raglans

Serviceable Raglan Coats made of heavy Waterproof Cloth, French style, with belt and strapped sleeve; shades of Fawn only, all sizes, large collars and reveres, strong rlaid linings. Reg. \$22.50 each for

Women's Winter Coats

Handsome Winter Coats in Tweed, Matta Lamb and Astrachen. Latest Tweed Coats. Reg. \$22.50 each for \$17.60

Tweed Coats. Reg. \$32.50 each for \$23.00 Matta Lamb. Reg. \$36.50 each for \$18.50 Astrachan. Reg. \$25.00 each for \$12.50

Household Linens Great Savings

Here and There.

Tweedie Boot Tops at half price at SMALLWOOD'S, The Glove Fitting Spat.—nov25,tf

EVANGELINE! The Per-

fect Shoe for women; new styles now showing at F. SMALL-WOOD'S Showroom.—nov25,tf

GLENCOE STORM BOUND.-Since

yesterday the Glencoe has been held

up at Burgeo by a storm, which is rag-

Stafford's Phoratone for sale

ANOTHER DRUG STORE.—It is

said that a former druggist of this city,

who has spent some years in a North-

ern outport, intends opening a pre-

scription store on Water Street, West.

American Footwear for young

men; only \$6.00, \$7.00 and \$8.00

per pair at SMALLWOOD'S Eastern Display Window.—

EXPRESS ARRIVES—The incoming

express with the Sagona's mails and

passengers, arrived in town at 10.45 a.

m. over twenty hours behind schedule.

It was delayed by stormy weather

TO-NIGHT!-C. C. C. Grand

Carnival, Prince's Rink, at 8.30

to-night; absolutely the final

one. Don't miss it. Prices 20c.;

EFFECTING REPAIRS. - A new

valve is now being fitted to the engine

of S.S. Kyle, which ship is at the dock

wharf. A few other minor repairs have

to be effected after which the ship will

relieve the Sagona which has been re-

placing her on the Cabot Strait Ser-

TO-NIGHT!—The C.C.C. Full

Band will be in attendance at the

Carnival to-night with all the la-

test music. General admission

20c.: Reserved Seats 30c .--

SCHOONER ASHORE. The schr.

Silver Star" went ashore on the South

Side of Harbor Grace on Wednesday

night, and has since become a total

loss. The vessel is insured with the

Home Mutual Marine Insurance Company, Ltd. The owner is Tobias Le-

TO-NIGHT!-C. C. C. Grand

Carnival Prince's Rink at 8.30

to-night: 4 heautiful Prizes, See

Trapnell's window; 2,000 spec-

tetors and 400 Masqueraders at

the last Carnival, but 2,500 and

500 Masqueraders expected to-

INTERIOR REPAIRS. - Extensive

regairs are now being made to the in-

terior of the R.C. Cathedral. Under the

supervision of Architect Barter scaf-

folding has been erected near the

Sanctuary, where repairs to the walls

are needed. Work on the outside of

the Cathedral is now closing down

TO-NIGHT!-C. C. C. Grand

Carnival, Prince's Rink, at 8.30.

Get vour General Admission

tickets at Hutton's to-day, and

avoid the rush to-night. Reser-

ved Seats, 30c., at the Royal Sta-

tionery up to 5.30 to-day.-

HOUSEHOLDERS INCONVENIENC-

ED -- Considerable inconvenience was

caused to householders last night by

the interruptions in the electric light

service Several times during the even-

ing the lights went out to come on

again within a few minutes and this

continued until about midnight when

turn journey, the western motor truck

TO-NIGHT!-C. C. C. Grand

Carnival, Prince's Rink, at 8.30.

Don't miss this big event; we

want 3,000 spectators to-night:

only 20c. admission. Be one of

the Band's friends and attend in

your thousands; you will enjoy

it. Good music, splendid cos-

tumes, and beautiful dancing.

Reserved Seats, 30c.—nov25,1i

STORMY ALONG LINE,-All over

the line yesterday and to-day, the wea-

ther was stormy. Heavy gales were

blowing and there were occasional

snow showers. There is not sufficient

snow on the railway track to necessit-

ate the use of a plow at present. At

Bishop's Falls it was extremely cold,

Drew of Cupids.

for the winter.

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Reserved Seats, 30c.—nov25.1i

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along the line.

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at Knowling's Stores, East,

West and Central.—nov14,tf

ing on the South West Coast.

TRAY CLOTHS-2 doz. only White Linen-finished Cloths; size 16 x 24 in.; hemstitched borders. 75c.

Reg. 90c. each for ... 75c.

COSEY PADS—Large size, assorted colors; strong Sateen. \$1.00

WHITE BED SPREADS—Heavy Cottons Streeds size, 50 x 75; fency ton Spreads, size 60 x 75; fancy floral designs. Reg. \$4.55 TEA CLOTHS—Cream Crash Linen, narrow hemstitched border; size 20 x 28 in. Reg. 80c. each 55c. CUSHION COVERS—Fawn Linen, assorted colored patterns; medium sizes. Regular \$2.40 each \$1.60 HORROCKSES FLETTE White and Colored; 34 inches wide. 49c. Reg. 55c. yard for 49c.

Millinery Hats

10.75 Values for 5.50 A sale of fashionable Hats at a price that should sell them all in one day; shades of Grey, Navy, Brown and Children's Hats.

No prettier styles in Felt Hats have been offered this season; colors of Saxe, Brown, Jade, Navy and Green, and streamers. Reg. \$4.50 \$3.30 Dresden Ribbons.

Speaking of Good Winter Gloves

Our Glove Department is at present replete with many attractive offerings in Winter Gloves of fine quality in styles, leather and fabrics of every description. Gloves that the best makers have designed for fashionable wear this coming winter season. For Friday and Saturday we have selected the following:

Superior finish Gauntlets in Angora and

Brushed Wool; colors of Fawn, White and

Heather, with stripes of contrasting

color on Gauntlet. Reg. \$1.25 \$1.08

Women's Wool Gauntlets.

Women's Suede Gloves.

20 dozen pairs Dent's Gloves of superior grade, soft finished Brown Suede, Wool lined; sizes 6 to 7½; 2 dome fasteners; reinforced seams. Reg. \$5.25 \$4.75

Women's Wool Gloves.

50 dozen pairs heavy Aberdeen Knit Gloves, in assorted Heather mixtures, long wrists, seamless fingers; all sizes.

Women's Corsets Made of strong White Coutil; sizes 20 to 30 inches; medium bust, suitable for aver age figures; four elastic suspenders. Reg. \$1.60 pair for .. \$1.40

Kleinert's Rubber Aprons. Suitable for the druggist or for the house

proof; tape fasteners. Reg. \$1.40 \$1.17

Fur Buttons. In Brown and Fawn shades; all reduced to less than Half Price.

Children's

Dressing Gowns In warm Eider of various colorings, to fit boys an dgirls of 6 to 12 years; fancy checks and floral designs, round collar, close fitting at neck, girdle at \$2.25 waist. Reg. \$4.50 each for

Women's Nightdresses.

Cream Winceyette of superior quality, trimmed with silkk embroidery, tucked fronts, long sleeves with embroidered cuffs; medium sizes. Reg. \$4.35 \$3.60

Women's Drawers.

prising of the newest, the dandiest Toys

and Games—the most interesting Books—the most bewitching Dolls.

Parents are invited to bring the children "just to look." A visit in company

with the kiddies will afford many a hint

as to Juvenile Christmas tastes.

KIDDY CARS-3 wheel, very

strongly built. \$2.50 Reg. \$3.00 for \$2.50 LARGE RUBBER BALLS

Painted on plain: football

size. Reg. \$1.50 \$1.20

al; 9 pieces, Reg. 42c.

each for ... \$1.20 TOY TEA SETS—Fancy met-

50c. set for 44C.

ly built, Reg. \$1.05

HORSES ON WHEELS— Life-like, Regular 90c. \$1,40 each for 90c. BABYS SNOW SHOVELS—

Strong make. Reg. 10c.

Cream Horrockses Flette, medium sizes, white band at waist, fluished with hemstitched frill at knee. Reg. \$1.95 \$1.60

Bring the Kiddies to the

CHIMES ON WHEELS-

Regular 75c. each 65c.

HORSE and CHIMES ON

45c. each for 35c.

HEAVY WOOD ROLLER

CHIMES — Long handles. Reg. 75c. each 60c

KNOCKABOUT WHISTLES

Special each .. CHARLIE CHAPLIN and

HAND CAR TOY
Reg. 75c. each for
POP GUNS—Reg.
26c. each for ... 22c.

-Painted wood. 3c.

Men's Wool Gloves.

Heavy Aberdeen Knit, in assorted Heather mixtures, bound with leather; one deme fastener; all sizes. Reg. 95c. \$1.10 pair for ...,

Men's Suede Gloves.

Best Mocha finish, Wool lined; sizes 7% to 91/2; shades of Grey, self points; one deme fastener. Reg. \$4.80 pair \$4.35

Wool Scarves

Brushed Wool Scarves in shades of Henna, Saxe and Rose; trimmed with colored na, Saxe and ringe; size 21 x \$5.20 72. Reg. \$5.75 each for

RUBBER DOOR MATS for office use, with raised patterns.

Size 14 x 26. Reg. 95c. each for 83c. Size 18 x 30. Reg. \$1.50 each for \$1.35 FLOOR CANVAS-2 yards wide; asserted Tile and Floral designs; varnished surface. Regular \$1.80 yard \$1.65

Some New. Hosiery Values

Here you can choose Hoslery for the whole family at prices which cannot be equalled anywhere in the city. Women's Sport Hose. 5 dozen pairs All-Wool Hose, in light and dark shades of Heather size 9½ inch. Reg. \$3.00 \$2.00

Women's Cashmere Hose. All-Wool Black Cashmere Hose, "Jason" brand; special soft finish; guaranteed fast colors; medium size. Reg. \$1.90 pr. for Misses' Hose.

10 doz. pairs Brown Cashmere Hose. Size 8 —Reg. 80c. pair for ..78c. Size 8 —Reg. 85c. pair for ..78c. Size 8 —Reg. 85c. pair for ..78c. Size 8 —Reg. 90c. pair for ..77c. Size 9 —Reg. \$1.00 pair for ..85c.

Patent Leather Pumps



Sizes 3 to 6, Louis heel, pointed toe, Suede lined; all leather heel. Sold

regularly at \$4.95 pair. Women's Strap Shoes. Black Kid one-strap Shoes, Cutan heel, medium toes; sizes 3 to 6. Reg. \$3.60 pair for \$3.25 Children's Felt Slippers.

Black Gun Metal, good heavy soles; sizes 6 to 9. Reg. \$12.00 \$8.00 Men's Rubbers. Sizes 6 to 11; low cut. \$1.76

Curtains and Fabrics

Popular Weaves

Art Serge Curtains. In handsome shades of Crimson and Green, hemmed and bordered with elaborate de igns in contrasting colors; 3 yards long. Regular \$15.00 pair for \$12.75

Plain White Scrims. border designs, 36 inches wide.

Neat Mercerised finish, beautiful Reg. 40c. yard for 36c. Reg. 75c. yard for ... 68c.

Fancy Voiles

TARTAN PLAIDS-40 inches wide;

SKIRT PLAIDS-Heavy all wool, 56 Inches wide; large check effects in Brown and Black. Reg. \$6.00

Lowest Prices

Velvet Drapery.

For Curtains and Portiers; 50 inches wide; colors of Cardinal, V-Rose, Nile Green and Golden Brown; soft mirror fin-ish. Reg. \$4.25 yard for \$3.58 Fancy Scrims.

36 inches wide, plain white centres; assorted pretty floral borders Reg. 35c. yard for ... 30c.

Reg. 85c. yard for ... 77c.



the temperature having fallen to 3 degrees. STAR OF THE SEA ASSOCIA-TION.

The monthly meeting of the Star of the Sea Association will be held in the Armoury, T.A. Hall, on Sunday at 2.30 p.m. A large attendance is desired as important business will be dis-cussed. By Order, WM. F. GRA-HAM, Secy.-nov25,2i

FIRE ON YOUNG STREET. - A slight fire in the chimney of a Young Street house brought out the Central and Western Fire Companies last night. The application of a bucket of water quenched the blaze. On the return journey, the Western motor truch stalled in the snow and considerable ifficulty was experienced in extricat-

38 inches wide; latest designs in beautiful dark colorings. Reg. 40c.

all wool, assorted pretty \$1.95

ENGLISH TWEEDS-Large checks in Brown, Blue and Grey; 54 inches wide; all wool. Reg. \$9.75



Stationery Heavy Linen-finished Paper and Envelopes in fancy boxes, suitable for gift giving. Reg. \$2.10 box \$1.80

The Royal Stores, Ltd.

Toilet Kits