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## The Animal World ABC.

### A. Antelope — Ant-eater.

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The Antelope is a timid, pretty animal, that has its home in Africa and Asia.

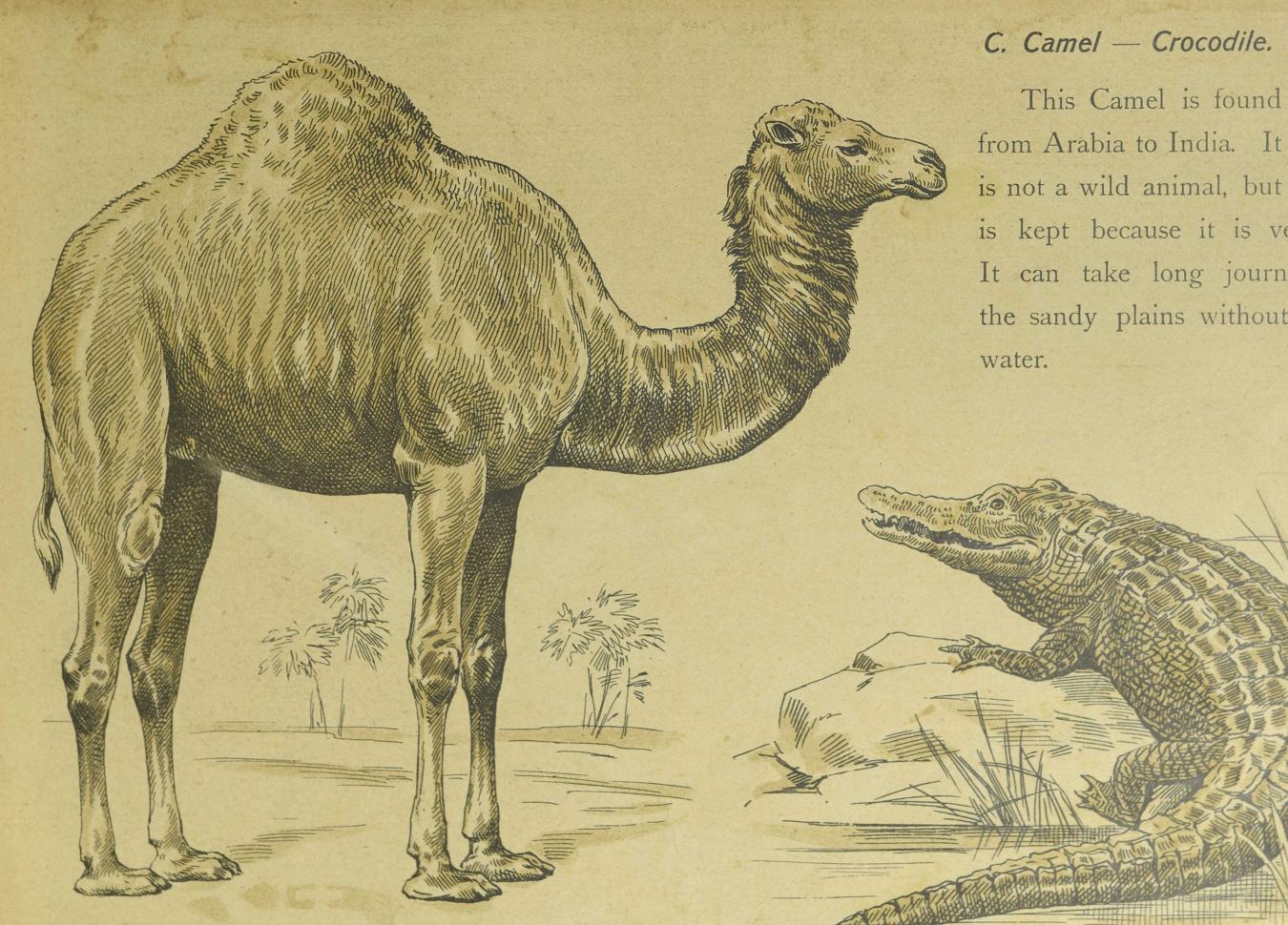
The Ant-eater. This strange animal has

a long, thin tongue with which it licks up ants and other insects.

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of the World.



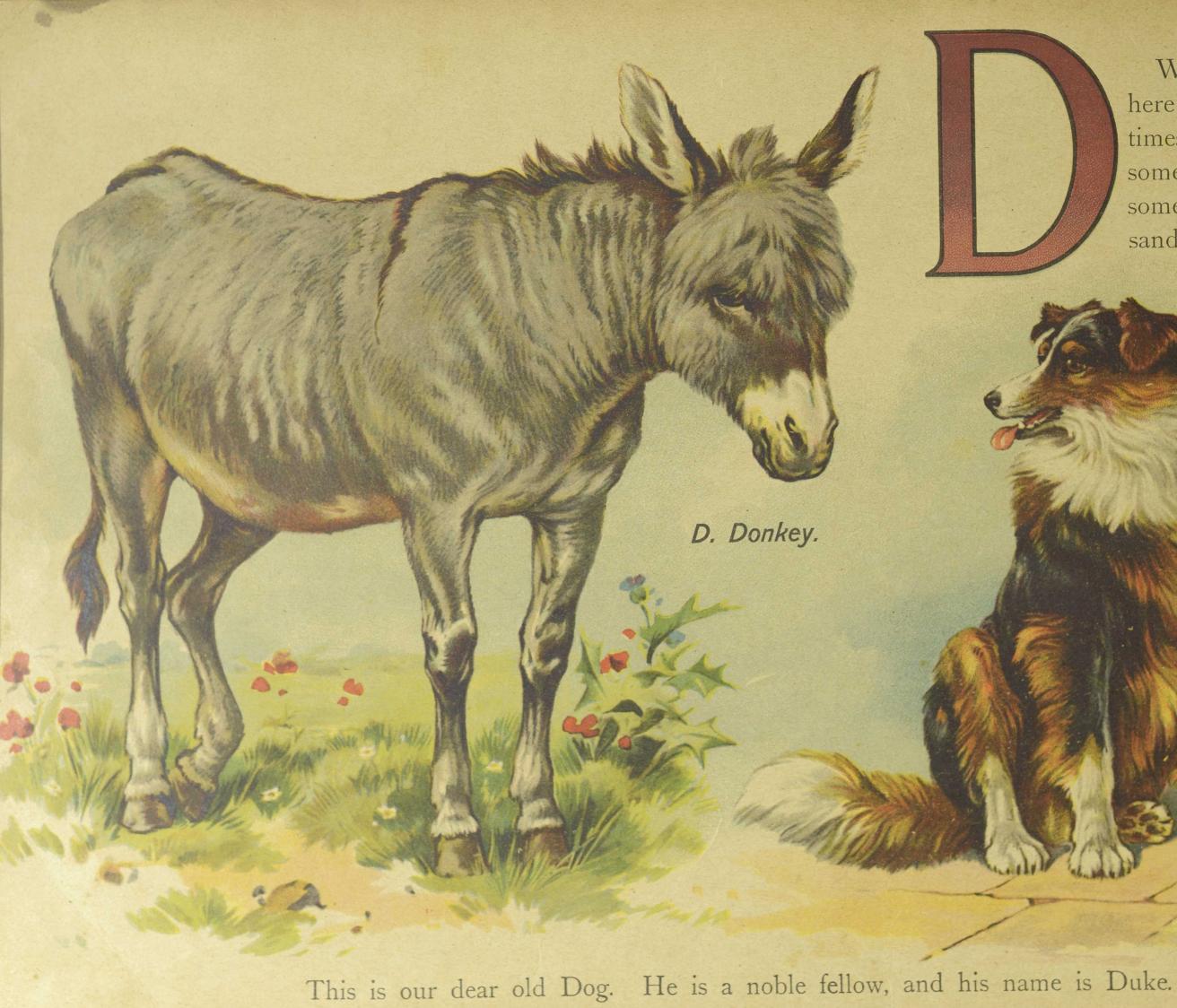


The Crocodile is a savage creature that lives hard, scaly coat.

in the rivers of Africa. It has a very

This Camel is found is kept because it is very useful.

It can take long journeys across the sandy plains without requiring



We see Donkeys here at home, sometimes in the fields, sometimes in carts, sometimes on the sands.

Dog.

and can run very fast.

### E. Elephant.

The Elephant is one of the largest animals. He lives wild in Africa and India. This one is an Indian Elephant. Elephants are very useful animals as they are very strong, and are easily tamed and taught to work.



G. Giraffe.

This strange, long-necked animal comes from Africa.

It lives on the leaves of trees that it can reach quite easily.

The Goose is to be seen in the Poultry yard and there are also wild Geese in many countries.

Guinea Pig.

Guinea Pigs are kept as pretty pets. South America is where they first came from.

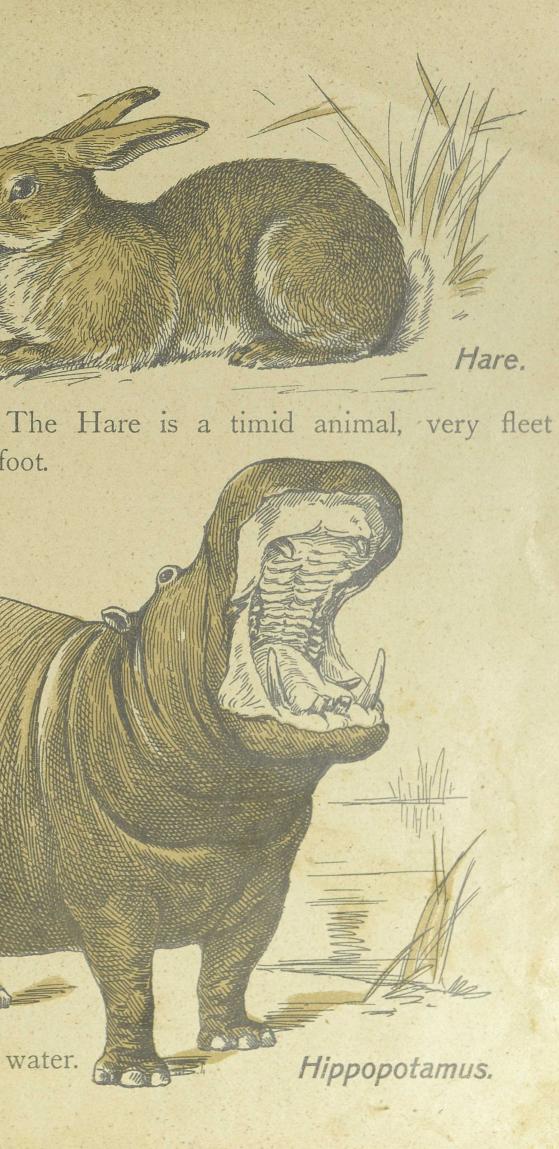
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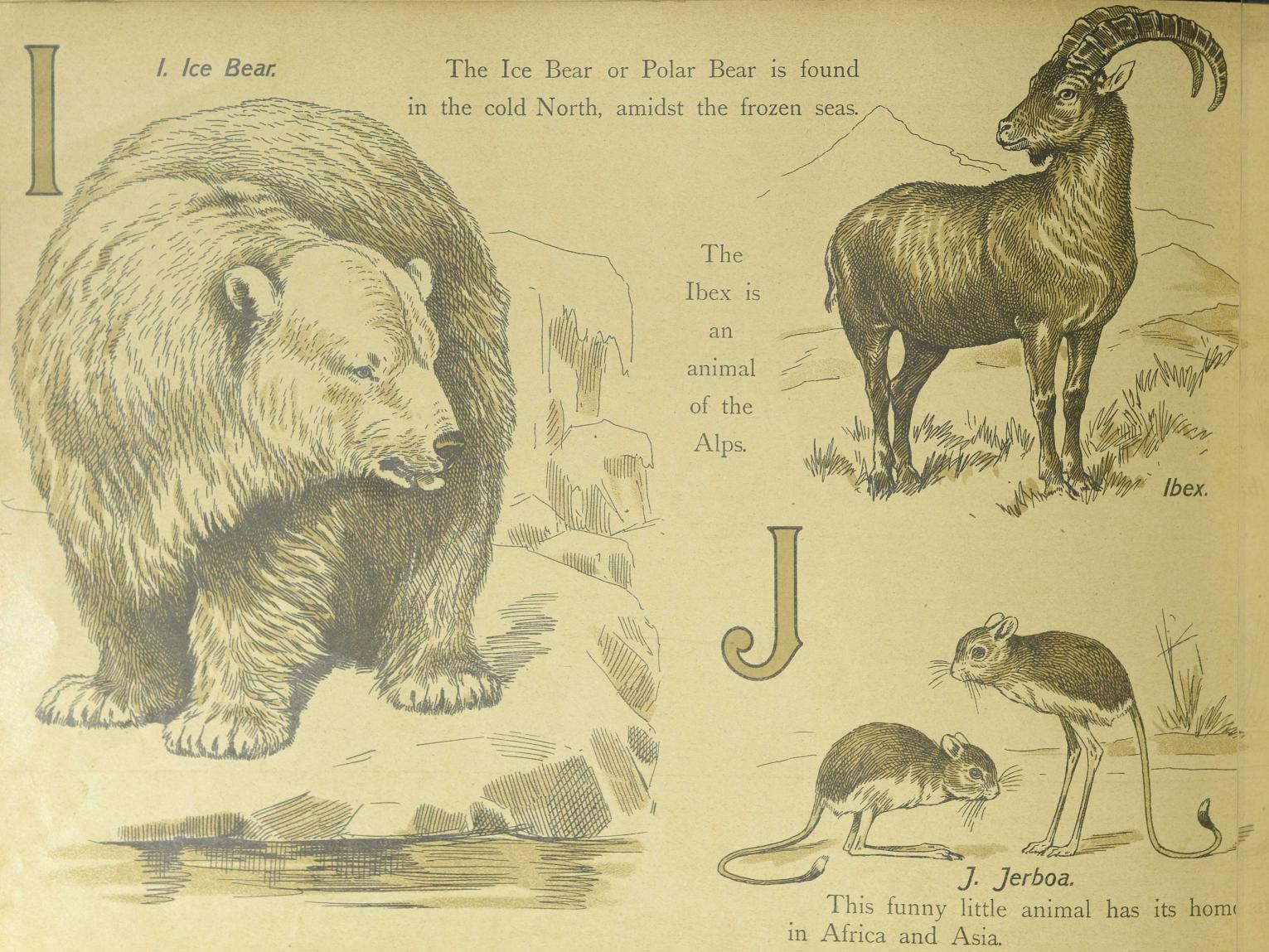
H. Horse.

The Horse can truly be called the friend of man. He works for him in many ways at all seasons of the year.

The Hippopotamus lives by the banks of the rivers in the hot parts of Africa. It spends most of its time in the water.

of foot.





*K. Kangaroo.* The Kangaroo is an Australian animal.

It can spring a distance of over fifteen feet.

L. Lion — Leopard. The Lion is called the King of Beasts,

he belongs to the Cat family and comes from Africa and Asia.

> The Leopard is also a great cat and lives in the same countries as the Lion.



### M. Moose.

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The Moose is the largest of all deer. It is also called the Elk. It is a native of Northern Europe and North America.

The Marmoset is a pretty little monkey of the hot parts of South America.

The Nanny Goat is the she goat of our own fields.





N. Nanny Goat.

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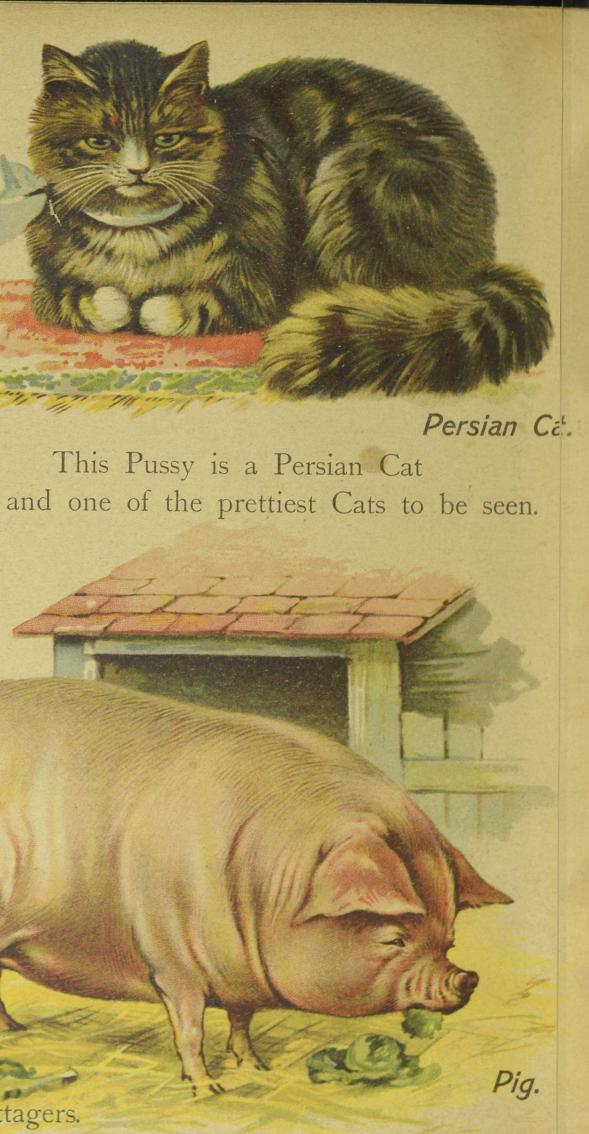
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The Ostrich is a great African bird. It cannot fly but runs very fast with its powerful legs. Ostriches are kept on large farms and their feathers are sold for a great deal of money. 1 mm 0. Ox — Ostrich. impl. im The Ox is very valuable to the Farmer. It is the animal from which we get beef.

P. Peacock.

The Peacock is a very beautiful bird. It lives wild in Asia, but there are tame Peacocks in most parts of the world.

The Pig is kept on all farms and by many cottagers.



This is a brown bird, and very good to eat. There are plenty of Quails in Egypt and the East.

Q. Quail.

This is a tame Rabbit, but there are great numbers of wild ones in the woods and fields.

The Rhinoceros is an African and Indian animal. It can gallop very fast, and is a terrible foe when angry. The Indian Rhinoceros has one horn on its nose, and the African has two.



R. Rabbit.



Sheep give us wool, and mutton; their skin makes excellent leather, and their fat is turned into tallow.

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The Squirrel is a pretty little creature that lives among the trees. It builds a nest, and collects a store of nuts for the winter.

### S. Sheep.

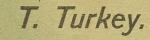
The Seal is a peculiar animal which spends most of its time in the sea. It has no legs, but fins. One kind of Seal is hunted for its fur.

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Squirrel.





The Tortoise lives inside a very large shell. There are many different kinds of Tortoises. This one is a Land Tortoise.

Tapir.

Tortoise.

You can see the Turkey in our fields and n the poultry yard. It is a large and handsome

> bird. It comes from Central America.

The Tapir has its home in the Malayan countries. It is a very armless animal, and lives near water in which it likes to swim.

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### U. Urchin.

The Urchin is also called the Hedgehog. It is a little animal covered with sharp bristles, and it rolls itself into a ball when attacked.

V Vole.

Voles of different kinds are known all over the world.

Water-voles are sometimes called Water-rats.

The Vulture is a huge bird, very

strong. There are various kinds of Vultures and their homes are in very hot countries.



W. Wolf.

The Wolf is a native of most countries. It is very like a large dog but it is a savage animal particularly when it hunts in packs. It will then attack anything.

> The Weasel is a little animal; for its size it is very ferocious.

as you can see by the picture.

Weasel.

The Wild duck is a very handsome bird,

Wild Duck.

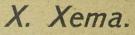


The Xema is a sea bird, and you can see that it can swim because of its webbed feet. It lives in the cold region of the frozen seas.

# Y. Yak.

The Yak is an Ox with very long hair and its home is Tibet. It is ~

a very useful animal to the people of that country for it is to them what our oxen are to us. I really do not know what we should do without the Ox and the Cow.





Z. Zebu.

The Zebu is also an Ox of the East. It is used to

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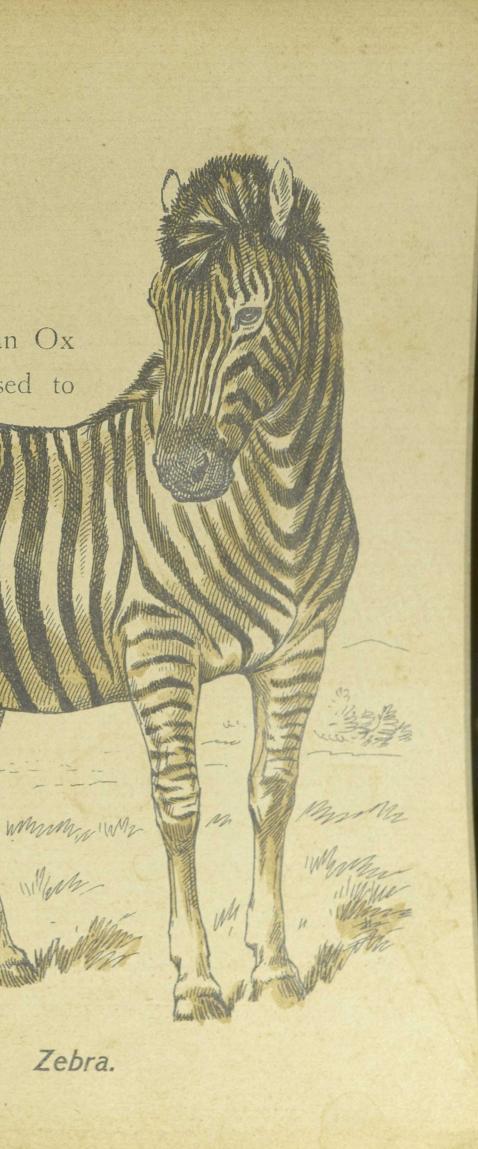
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Zebra.

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draw carts, and to pull the plough, and it gives milk from which is made butter and cheese. Its hide is turned into leather, its flesh is very good to eat, and its bones are made into buttons and knife handles.

The Zebra is a wild animal of Africa, very like a horse. It is strangely marked and is most difficult to tame.





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