



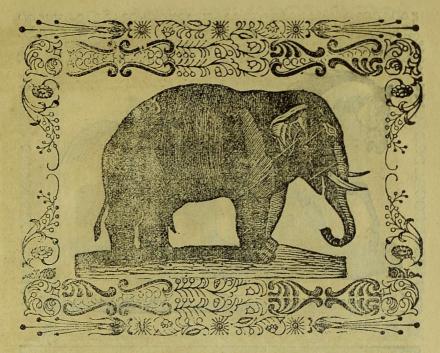
#### THE COW.

This is the beast that yields you that sweetnew milk for your breakfast every morning, my dear child. You see how quietly the cowstands while Nancy is milking her, and she does this every morning and evening. As well as to give milk, the cow is used in many countries to draw the plough and also heavy waggons.



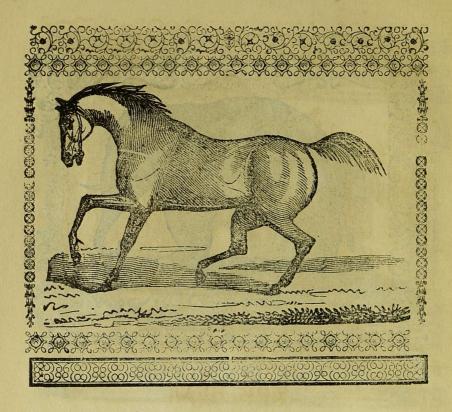
THE SHEEP.

The quiet Sheep is of the very greatest use as food for man. and its delicious flesh is called mutton. Its thick coat of wool is used to form the blankets which warm our beds in winter-time; and its skin is used for binding pretty books in, as well as for other good purposes; so that we ought certainly to prize the sheep.



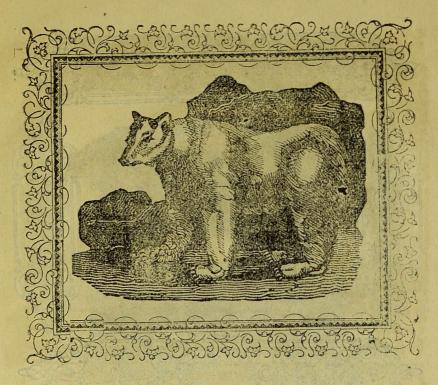
### THE ELEPHANT.

The Elephant is to be found both in Africa and Asia. It is a very strong beast; but when tamed, it is a very harmless one. You will remember seeing that one at Mr. Wombwell's large show. How quietly it took the nuts and gingerbread from the hands of the people with its long trunk, and then it gave a loud grunt to show its thankfulness and politeness.



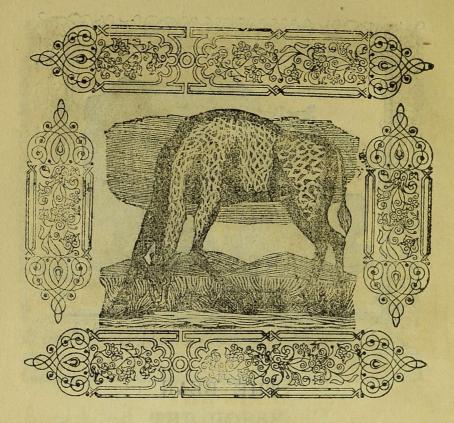
### THE HORSE.

Woho! woho! I say, what a fine-looking horse that is! He prances upon the pavement like a ball made of Indian Rubber; and he carries his glossy neck with as much pride as a haughty man. But he has a right to do it, for he is a good horse, and is always ready for his work.



# THE BEAR

This is the White bear, my dear child, which is found in the polar regions, where there is nothing but ice and snow. He is covered with long and woolly fur, and he feeds on such things as fish, seals, and dead whales. He is so very savage, that many of our sailors have had narrow escapes with their lives. He kills all he catches.



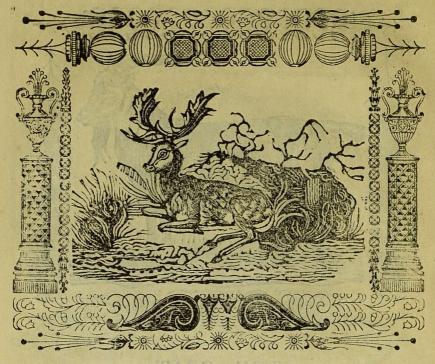
#### THE GIRAFFE.

The Giraffe is not found in any other parts of the world but the interior of Africa. When it stands upright, it is a long straightcreature with a beautifully spotted skin; and when it trots, there is not a horse in twenty that can keep pace with it. There are none in England Charles, or else you should see one



# THE GOAT.

The goat is most at home amongst rocks and mountains, where he can jump from one to another without the slightest danger. It is an animal which has become so common now, that there are many of them found in our farm-yards, where they live on the coarsest food. You will always find him very shy.



THE STAG.

The Stag is a handsome quadruped, with large and beautiful horns, and a very nicely-shaped body. It was formerly hunted in the fields of the rich; but I am very glad to tell you that it is not often practised now. It is a pity to kill so innocent and so pretty an animal, and I wonder how men could ever be so cruel.

