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LEGAL ANUMALIES.

ODD CASES THAT OFTEN ARISE IN ENGLISH COURTS OF LAW.

The Power of "Consideration" in a Money Transaction - An Interesting there to remain until the drought has jous to tell what they knew of the story Point About Tradesmen's 15tls-"Men | passed away, subsisting on the moisture of the interesting pair, and said that the of Straw" in a Criminal Prosecution.

At a time when law reformers are busy, it may be interesting to notice some of the many absurdities which still exist in English law.

A person buys goods, pays for them and gets a receipt. The tradesman sends in his bill a second time. The purchaser protests that he has paid, but cannot find the receipt. Accordingly, the tradesman brings an action and wins. Soon after this the missing receipt is found. And yet the purchaser cannot by law bring a new action to recover the amount he has paid as the result of the first action, unless he can prove actual fraud on the part of the tradesman. And why is this? Because, according to the legal maxim, "It is to the interest of the state that there should be some finality to litigation." It certainly is not, in this instance, "to the interest" of the pur-

A owes B an undisputed debt of £100. After much pressure he comes to B and, dilating on his own misfortunes in particular and the hard times in general, offers him £80 in full satisfaction. B, partly through sympathy and partly because having written off the amount as a "bad debt," is only too glad to get any-thing and accedes to those terms. Most people would think that here was an strangely enough, on the way in which the money is paid.

If the amount is paid in gold or banknotes there is no "consideration" for B agreeing to accept less than the full amount due, and therefore if he afterward repents of his bargain he can sue A for the remaining £20 in spite of his promise to be satisfied with £80. And yet if an old knife, a rusty nail or some other thing, however trifling, is "thrown in," then B is bound by his agreement to take the lesser sum in full discharge. for in this quibbling way the legal theory of "consideration" is duly satisfied.

Let us suppose that a Mr. Smith holds two houses under one lease from a Mr. Brown, and assigns one of them to a Mr. Robinson. If Mr. Smith omits to pay his rent, or breaks some other covenant in the lease, Mr. Brown-the superior landlord-can "distrain" not only o. Mr. Smith's house, but on poor Mr. Robinson's as well, though he may be a

model tenant. A proposes to sell B a piece of land, and at the same time gratituitously promises to keep the offer open for a week. In spite of this A can revoke his offer the very next day if B has not already accepted it. Legality, again defying all ideas of morality, argues that there was no "consideration" for the de-

lay agreed upon. Very frequently a busybody bringing a criminal charge elects to be "bound over to prosecute" at the assizes, even though the magistrate has expressly decided that no jury is likely to convict. Cures Chapped Hands, Wounds, Burns, Etc. Now this can be done "on his own recognizances," without any substantial sureties. The result is that if, as is often WHITE RUSSIAN SOAP. the case, the prosecutor is impecunious, the accussed when acquitted, cannot, Specially Adapted for Use in Hard Water. except in theory, make him pay his costs, nor does he feel inclined to bring an action for malicious prosecution against one who, as the lawyers say, is "not worth powder and shot." In this way unscrupulous "men of straw" have opportunities-which they not seldom utilize-of putting people to terrible annoyance and great expense without incurring

any practical risk themselves. A lessee always remains liable on the covenants until the expiration of the lease, even after he has assigned it with the approval and consent of the lessor. by Pock's Investile Tabular Ear Cash-

Quite recently two of the judges solemnly declared from the bench that it was humiliating to confess that by the laws of England, unlike those of France, brokers and other agents could not be convicted of embezzlement for misappropriating money intrusted with them for investment unless the direction to invest was in writing. One of them at the same time tersely and truly summed up the history and present stage of our law when he called it "a thing of shreds and patches," This definition explains the origin of many absurdities and incongruities. Still, it scarcely justifies their continued existence.-London Tit-

A Forgetful Professor. A story is going the rounds of Harvard, and the joke is on the professor. He is a very forgetful man, and in calling the roll, although his class is small, still has to rely on a printed list. The other day he found to his dismay that he had forgotten his list. What should he do? The office required a report of the attendance at the lecture. He could not remember the faces or names. Aha! a happy thought. "Gentlemen, there is one seat empty," said he. "Will the gentleman who is absent kindly tell me

his name?"-Boston News.

Tree Snakes of Hot Countries. A set of tree snakes (Dipsas) to be found in Africa, south Asia and north Australia, devour birds, small beasts or lizards, but some also feed on eggs. These tree snakes are singularly beautiful in their coloration. More slender, as their name would imply, are the whipsnakes (Dryophis), which are also strictly arboreal, but differ from the harmless tree snakes in being nocturnal. -Quarterly Review.

Thumb Rings.

In the Seventeenth century rings were

frequently worn upon the thumb. "When I was about thy years, Hal,"

The Australian lamprey use us pass which it has learned to store in a specialized receptacle at the side of the head. age on its own account before the race Hong-Kong. of homo sapiens has been able to solve

It is an interesting question whether this Australian lamprey is not a linger- rado Springs and see her folks about it ATTORNEY ing example of the fish of Miocene ages, first. This is a genuine romance, just and as such may be considered as an an- like a novel. Eight years ago we were cestral type of European lampreys. A lovers in Vermont and were engaged. sea lamprey that I examined alive, My parents were Irish emigrants and caught in the salmon nets of the tidal poor, and her people were well fixed. It estuary, had a dintinct tendency to was agreed that I should start out to swell at either side of the head, as if the make my fortune, and that she should pouch might be forthcoming in time of wait ten years for me. She has been actual necessity. If the Australian type true, and she has waited like an angel. is not the absolute ancestor of the British I worked in the Chicago stock yards, genera, it is at least reasonable to suppose that it is an older form, and that things on the coast. roundings.-Cornhill Magazine.

Stage Struck.

Two men met on a train going west. They had known each other in the sixties and resumed acquaintance with a

"An how's that bright boy of yours?" asked the city man of his old time friend. away." "Peart, peart as ever, pard. I were goin to make a minister of him, but he got stage struck and took to that line as nat'ral as a duck does to water, an I had to gin in. And he's the best shot in Montany."

"Took to the stage, eh? And has he been successful?"

"Successful? Well, I reckon he hez. in the same day with Bill. He kin drop comin down from his perch."

"What is his role?" "Roll? I don't savey, pard." "I mean what line is he in?"

"Oh, the Mounting an Valley line that runs to Goochville through Catamount Grove and Grizzly Hollow. 'Taint fun all the time either, pard, when bandits is layin low for yer money or yer life." "Ah, he does the sensational on the

boards. I see. A low comedian." easy as rollin off a log. Ez I said, the

The Baby and the Savage.

In the bone caves of the south of France have been found figures of reindeer, mammoths and men cut on horn or ivory, and evidently executed by artists contemporary with the Elephas primigenius. The men are represented with short, bent legs, and seem to stand or walk in a stooping manner, with the body bowed slightly forward from the

Now pass your hand down the back of any infant under ten months old and feel the spine at the loin or lumbar region, where in the adult modern man the back is hollow or concave. You will observe that in the babe it is convex like that of a quadruped (a ten-monthold baby is practically a quadruped); and though the child can, perhaps, get on its legs with the support of a chair, it does not straighten its thighs and stand upright, but is bent forward in the same posture of the cave dweller, whose portrait has come down to us from the age just succeeding the last glacial epoch. If the support is removed the child falls forward and again becomes a pseudo quadruped.—Blackwood's Magazine.

Not So Green as He Looked.

A man entered a busy city office a few weeks ago and asked permission to use the telephone. He walked to the corner curiously at the instrument and after a not dare to jump. The animal got out furtive glance toward the other occupants of the room took down the receiver and gently whispered into it, "Hullo."

A broad smile passed around the room, and one of the younger clerks called out in patronizing tones, "Oh, no, uncle; hang up the tube, ring the bell on the right, then put the tube to your ear and talk to that little hole before you."

The man obediently hung up the receiver and turned toward the speaker. "Thank you!" he said dryly, "I am the general inspector of this telephone line." -Youth's Companion.

A New Profession.

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The Common Snake.

The common snake is found throughout Europe (save in Ireland, the Orkneys, Hebrides, Shetland islands and Iceland), extending northward in Scandinavia to 65 degs. It abounds in Sicily, Sardinia and Corsica, and occurs. though rarely, in Algiers, but not thence eastward in Africa. It is found in Persia and western Siberia, and Asia as far Lake Baikal, and in the Alps at an aititude of 6,000 feet.-Quarterly Review.

cipal habitat in the Murray river, and depot in Cheyenne, Wy., one morning consequently in the dry seasons it is apt an indolent looking chap in English to be imbedded beneath the hardened togs and a pretty young woman in red clay, where no water is. As the stream conversed so earnestly that they atrecedes, the animal fills its pouch and tracted the attention of everybody withdisappears into the soft mud below, in range. Several passengers were anxman was a frank, honest fellow, who would talk willingly. Cards were ex-As a matter of fact, the fish has mas- changed, and his read, "Edward F. Griftered the difficult question of water stor- fin, Overseer Public Works Department,

> girl here to stop off in Cheyenne and marry me, but she wants to go to Colo-

the divergent genera and species have "Six years ago I landed in Hong-Kong. descended along different lines in the At first I was clerk in a wholesale house, great life struggle. That the pouch of then secured my present place. My salthe antipodean lamprey is intended for ary is \$5,000, and I make something on the storage of water is a fact that can the side, as you say in America. All the hardly be doubted by any one who has time I have thought of the girl and seen the species amid its peculiar sur- knew she was single and thinking of me, though I never heard of her. She now lives at Colorado Springs and has been visiting with friends at Helena. We met in the car at Ogden and recognized each other at once. It was a pleasant meeting. Before the train had gone 100 miles we were engaged again and will be married at her home right

Griffin's story was corroborated by the girl.-Cor. St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Natives Disappearing.

From the administrative report of the Andaman Islands for the past official year, which has recently been issued in Calcutta, it appears that the aborigines of the archipelago are disappearing so Why, their ain't a man can be named rapidly that Mr. Portman states the present generation may be considered as a grizzly in his tracks without ever the last of the great Andaman tribe. All the people of Rutland Island and Port Campbell are now dead and very few remain in the South Andamans. Apart from the mortality from infectious diseases, it is said that the few children who are now born do not survive.

Mr. Portman is endeavoring to keep he is collecting all the children at his house, where they are well fed and cared for; but this can only postpone for world, but, like the Pacific Islanders,

Kept General Grant's Horses.

and shadow, have passed since Mr. W. H. CUSHING, John T. Price, the well known liveryman, first saw the light of day, and all day Monday he was kept busy receiving congratulations on his golden jubilee. Mr. Price was born in Alexandria on April 11, 1832.

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ning itself."

General Grant's Arabian steeds, presented to him by the sultan of Turkey, were placed in Mr. Price's care when they first came here.—Washington Post.

the soft mud and water. The dog was uninjured and ran back.—Bangor News.

The Turtle Seed Tree.

Among a collection of curious plants recently received at the Kew Gardens, England, is a specimen of a curious tree from the Solomon islands. It is believed to be a new genus of the order of Sapotaceæ, to which the sapodiller of Florida belongs. The tree is known to the natives of the Solomon islands as the "turtle seed tree," on account of the close resemblance which the seeds bear to a turtle.-London Letter.

A fine electric launch has just been miles an hour for seven hours. She is built of mahogany and teak, with omnibus seating on the roof of her capacious saloon.-New York Telegram.

A Strange Ordinance.

The city council of Salem, O., has passed an ordinance prohibiting girls from being on the streets after 8 o'clock at night. A number of the young men of the place are already preparing to leave and locate where the rights of the fair sex are not infringed upon by the city authorities.-Exchange.

There is a poet in the Statesboro jail. He was the first of the spring season, and the watchful editors nipped him in the bud.-Atlanta (Ga.) Constitution.

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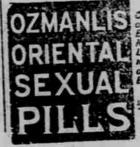
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the tribe alive as long as possible, and "Nothin low about Bill, ole friend. a short time the extinction of the race. He just sits up on the top of the Mon-tany stage an drives his four-in-hand as completely isolated from the rest of the i tany stage an drives his four-in-hand as completely isolated from the rest of the stage wuz right in his line, an he's a they seem unable to withstand contact thunderin good driver."-Detroit Free with external civilization.-Galignani's

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