



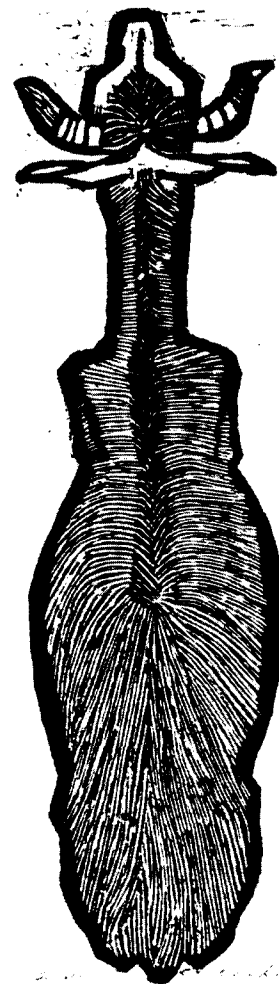
... taking the cord by his hand, he drove the pig quickly along a by-path, and lucky Hans went on his way home with the goose under his arm.

hans in luck

ILLUSTRATIONS FOR A STORY BY GRIMM



"Master, my time is up; I want to go home and see my mother. So give me my wages."



"Well now," said the peasant, "since it will be doing you such a favour, I don't mind exchanging my cow for your horse."

— Nancy Luxmore Keehn —

These illustrations are made by wood-engraving on the end grain of box wood.

THE STORY

Hans, having worked for seven years, wanted to go home to see his mother. He took his wages — a lump of gold — and set out. In succession, he made exchanges with people he met; the gold for a horse, the horse for a cow, the cow for a pig, the pig for a goose, and the goose for a grindstone. Tired from carrying the stone, he stopped at a well and accidentally pushed the stone into the well. Considering himself lucky to have got rid of the heavy stone, he went on to his mother's house.

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