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TO BE SOLD AT THE NORFOLK ARMS, HORSHAM BY ORDER OF THE PROPRIETOR
(WHO IS ABOUT TO DECLINE BUSINESS) THREE MOST CURIOUS AND VALUABLE ANIMALS

LOT 1st

A FINE BULL. Well broken to the yoke, very tractable and always ready for work. He occasionally bellows too much, but is easily quieted by a little Gilt Gingerbread.

LOT 2nd

A PORCUPINE, In fine condition, an excellent feeder, temper rather irascible, when excited shoots his quills indiscriminately at FRIENDS AND FOES; would be a useful Animal if kept constantly muzzled.

LOT 3rd

A ROUGH HAISED TERRIER, A capital yard dog, barks at the least noise, scent excellent, if an old Woman passes to the wash tub earlier than usual; or if boys play a little later at night, he is immediately on the alarm, has of late been particularly watchful. He is supposed to be rather timid, and was a few weeks since dreadfully alarmed by the bleating of 4 innocent Sheep, but having in a curious manner obtained the assistance of some fine Scotch *Terriers* from Brighton, he summoned sufficient courage to meet them.

N.B. The last Lot will be sold cheap; the Owner being desirous of getting rid of this Animal as soon as possible, having discovered that he has very seriously injured the kennel by scratching & biting.

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