O,) or place of bending, (K,) of a river, and of a valley, (S, O, K,) and of sand : (S, O:) pl. عواقيل : or the عواقيل of valleys are the angles, in the places of bending, thereof; and the sing. is alie. (TA.) _ And The main of the sea : or the waves thereof. (K.) - And A land in which (so in copies of the K, but in some of them to which,) one will not find the right way, (K, TA,) because of its many places of winding. (TA.) _ [Hence,] What are confused and dubious of عَوَاقيلُ الأَمُور offairs. (S, O, K.) _ And [hence] one says, meaning Verily he is an author, إنه لذو عواقيل or a doer, of evil. (TA.) = Also A certain plant, (O, K,) well known, (K,) not mentioned by AHn (O, TA) in the Book of Plants; (TA;) [the prickly hedysarum; hedysarum alhagi of Linn.; common in Egypt, and there called by this name; fully described by Forskål in his Flora Aegypt. Arab., p. 136;] it has thorns; camels pasture upon it; and [hence] it is called it grows upon the dykes and the [or canals for irrigation]; and has a violetcoloured flower. (TA.) [See also تُرنَجبين; and see _i_, in art. ___.]

see the next paragraph.

i. e. hill, or heap, or كثيب A great عَقَنْقُلْ oblong or extended gibbous hill,] of intermingled sands: (S, O:) or a that is accumulated (K, TA) and intermingled: or a Line [or long and elevated tract] of sand, having winding portions, and حرف [app. meaning ridges], and compacted: (TA:) accord. to El-Ahmar, it is the targest quantity of sand; larger than the : (O) عَقَاقِيلُ pl. عَقَاقِلُ (S, O) and عَقَاقِيلُ (O) and عَفْنَقُلات (TA.) _ And A great, wide, valley : (K:) pl. عَقَاقيلُ and عَقَاقلُ. (TA.) ـ Also, (S, O, K,) sometimes, (S, O,) and أعنقل * (O, K,) The مصارين [or intestines into which the food passes from the stomach], (S, O,) or قانصة [which here probably signifies the same], (K,) of a [lizard of the species called] : (S, O, K:) or the [portion of fat termed] حُشْق of the [Give thy] أَطْعِمْ أَخَاكَ مِنْ عَقَنْقَلِ الضَّبِّ (TA.) brother to eat of the intestines, &c., of the dabb : or, as some relate it, الشُّبِّة الضُّبِّة الصُّبِّة :] is a prov., said in urging a man to make another to share in the means of subsistence; or, accord. to some, denoting derision. (TA.) - Also A [drinking-cup, or bowl, of the kind called] . (Ibn-'Abbad, O, K.) _ And A sword. (Ibn-'Abbád, O, K.)

اعقل, applied to a camel, Having what is termed Jac, i. e. a twisting in the hind leg, &c. : (S, O, K: [see the last portion of the first paragraph:]) fem. عَمْلَاء, applied to a she-camel. (S, K.) = [Also More, and most, عاقل, or intelligent, &c.]

A place to which one betakes himself for refuge, protection, preservation, covert, or lodging;

syn. مَلْجَاً; (Ṣ, Mgh, O, Mṣb, Ķ;) as also أَعَقَنُ (TA.) _ And مُقْمَتُ; (Ṣ;) or عَقَهَة ; (Mṣb;) (S, O, K,) of which the pl. is عُقُولُ : (S, O:) but or both; and عُقَونُ , aor. عُقُولُ ; (K;) Az says that he had not heard عَقْل in this sense on any authority except that of Lth; and held which is cited as an ex. of its pl., to signify "the protecting oneself in a mountain:" (TA:) and مُعَقَلُ signifies also a fortress; [like as عَقْلُ is said to do ;] syn. حصنُ: (Mgh:) the pl. is معاقل. (TA.) Hence one says, using it metaphorically, هو معقل قومه He is the refuge of his people: and the kings of Himyer are termed in a trad. مُعَاقلُ الأَرْض, meaning The fortresses [or refuges] of the land. (TA.) -[It is perhaps primarily used in relation to camels; for] معاقل الإبل means The places in which the camels are bound with the rope called (TA.) عقال

and مُعْقَلَةً and the pl.: see مُعْقَلَةً, first quarter, in five places. __ [It seems to be implied in the S and O that the former signifies also Places that retain the rain-water.]

رُطَبُ مَعْقِلِيُّ (Mgh, Msb,) or تَمْرُ مَعْقِلِيُّ (S,) A certain sort of dates, (Mgh, Msb,) [or fresh ripe dates,] of El-Basrah: (Msb:) so called in relation to Maakil Ibn-Yesar. (S, Mgh, Msb.)

is applied to camels (إيل) as meaning Bound with the rope called . (O, TA.) And also to a she-camel bound therewith on the occasion of her being covered: and hence the epithet is applied by a poet, metonymically, to women, in a similar sense. (TA.)

in all its senses as عَقَلُ pass. part. n. of مَعَقُولُ a trans. verb. _ Hence it signifies Intellectual, as meaning perceived by the intellect; and excogitated: thus applied as an epithet to any branch of knowledge that is not necessarily which means "desumed," such as the science of the fundamentals of religion, and the like. -Hence also, Intelligible. __ And Approved by the intellect; or reasonable. = It is also said to be an inf. n.]: see 1, latter half. _ And see عقل latter half, in two places.

Intellectual things, meaning things perceived by the intellect: generally used in this sense in scientific treatises. __ And hence, Intelligible things. - And Things approved by the intellect; or reasonable.]

1. عُقْمَتْ مَفَاصِلْهُ His joints (Ṣ, Ķ) of the arms and legs (S) became dry. (S, K.) [See , below.] Hence, (TA,) it is said in a trad. (S, TA) of Ibn-Mes'ood, relating to the resurrection, تُعْقَمُ أَصْلَابُ المُنَافِقِينَ وَالمُشْرِكِينَ وَلَا (,TA) (S, TA) i. e. The joints [of the backbones of the hypocrites and of the believers in a plurality of gods] shall become dry, and bound, so that their backbones shall be [as] one vertebra, impacted together in their constituent parts, [and they shall not be able to prostrate themselves.]

inf. n. عَقْمُ and عُقْمُ (Ṣ, Ķ) and عُقْمَ, (Ķ,) or the second of these is a simple subst., and the last is the inf. n. of the second verb; (Msb;) said of the womb (الرحمر, S, Mab, K, TA), It was, or became, barren, (Msb,) or incapable of receiving offspring, (S, K,) in consequence of a therein. (K. [See , below.]) And and عُقْمَتُ and عُقْمَتُ are said of a woman [as meaning She was, or became, barren]. (IB, TA.) _ [Hence,] عقر خلقه , said of a man, ! His disposition was, or became, bad, or evil. (TA.) _ And عَقْر (K, TA,) inf. n. عَقْر (TA,) + He (a man, TA) was, or became, silent. (K, TA.) = (حمياً عَفَر الله رحمياً (IB, Msb, K, TA,) aor. :, (Msb, K, TA, [in the CK مقمر and عقيما are erroneously put for مقمر and (,jase,]) inf. n. ; (IB, Msb, TA ;) and (IB, K) أَعُقُمُهُا * (S, IB, K;) the former used by those who say and the chaste form; the latter, by those who say عُمْتُ and عُمْتُ; the two being like and aciin ; (IB, TA;) God made her womb to be barren, (Msb,) or incapable of receiving offspring. (S, K.) _ [Hence,] one says, i.e. + [The false oath] اليَمِينُ الفَاجِرَةُ تَعْقَمُ الرَّحْمَ severs communion and kindness between men. (TA.)

2. asa, inf. n. , inf. n. , He silenced them. (K.)

3. عَقَام and مَعَاقَمة and مَعَاقَمة (TA,) He contended with him in an altercation, disputed with him, or litigated with him: (S, K, TA:) and vied wth him, contended with him for. superiority, or strove to surpass him, in strength, power, or force. (TA.)

4: see 1, last sentence but one.

5. In the saying of a poet, (S,) namely, Rabec'ah Ibn-Makroom Ed-Dabbee, (TA,)

the meaning is تَحتَفر [i. e. the verse means Many a water, or and a water, of which the supplies are altered for the worse, and which is deserted, by the sides of which the beasts of prey dig hollows in the ground, app. to obtain water that has become purified by filtration]: or, as some say, the meaning is تَرْدَد [i. e. go to and fro]. (S, TA.)

- 6. التَّعَاقُمُ is syn. with بالتَّعَاقُمُ, (K, TA,) The coming to water [by turns, or] time after time; and some say that the of the former is a substitute for the - of the latter. (TA.)
- 8. الاعتقام signifies The digging a well, and, when one has nearly reached the water, digging a small well, (S, K, TA,) in the middle of the former, (TA,) of sufficient dimensions for one's finding the flavour of the water; when, if it be sweet, the rest of it is dug, (S, K, TA,) and made wide; otherwise it is abandoned. (TA.) _ Also