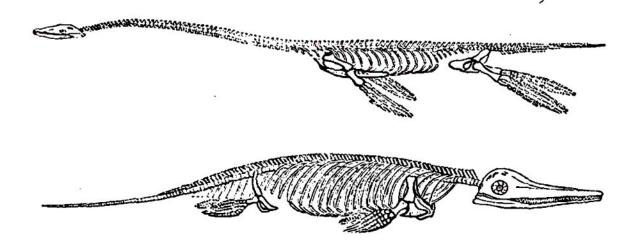
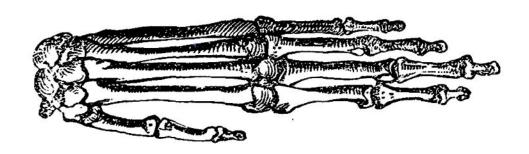
sand years, or we were to make our estimate by the records of the revolutions which have left their traces on the globe itself.*



I have now given, I hope, sufficient examples of the changes in the bones of the anterior extremity, which suit them to every possible variety of use. After a little attention to the form of the bones of the human hand, I shall take up another division of my subject.

In this sketch we have the bones of the paw of the adult Chimpanzee, from Borneo; and the



* The wood-cuts on this page give some idea of the forms of the skeletons of the ichthyosaurus and plesiosaurus restored by the Rev. Mr. Conybeare.