that is, on the side which is apparent when the wings are folded. Large bands of a reddish obscure bown, and spotted with black, cover the interior side of these same quill feathers; and the others are black, waved as it were, with grey and a reddish grey.

The quill feathers of the tail are grey, with large bands of black spots: they are terminated with a reddish grey, except the two intermediate quill feathers, which have their extremities grey bordered with white.

All the under part of the body, with the exception of a semi-collar, black and veined with a reddish grey, are of a dirty grey: the feathers of the belly are white, and as soft as down to the touch. The small covert feathers on the under part of the wings are of a dirty grey: the others are white, and some of the large ones have blackish bands. The feathers of the feet are white, streaked with black: these feathers extend two inches in length beyond the tarsus, the posterior side of which is entirely bare.

The beak, the membrane at its base, the naked skin upon the cheeks, and the nails, are black: the feet and the toes are covered with yellow scales.

I have been very diffuse in my description of

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