

entrance, and is sure to have him the next day. Their flesh is superior to that of other hogs. When caught young they are easily rendered domestic, but even then they preserve their natural inveteracy against dogs, whom they attack on all occasions. They constantly live in the marshes, unless when entirely covered with water. The females produce two at a time, and they breed at all seasons of the year. Their hair is soft, like that of the Mexican hog. When tamed they follow their masters, and allow themselves to be handled by those they know, but strangers they always threaten by shewing their teeth."

THE ROUSETTE, OR TERNAT BAT, THE ROUGETTE,
OR LITTLE TERNAT, AND THE VAMPYRE.

THE Roussette* and the Rougette† seem to form two distinct species, but they so nearly resemble each other that they ought not to be presented

* Also called the Flying Dog, and the Great Bat of Madagascar.

† Or the Red-necked Flying Dog.