

not walk far, before I killed three of them without in the least terrifying any of the rest : however, when numbers felt themselves wounded, they began to retreat ; some concealing themselves behind large branches, and others descending to the ground and running away ; but the greatest number leaped from the top of one tree to another. During this bustle I kept firing at them and killed about twenty-three in less than an hour, without any of them uttering a single cry, although they several times assembled together, and made an appearance of attacking me.”

*Distinctive Characters of this Species.*

The callitrix has pouches on each side of his cheeks, and callosities on his posteriors. The tail is much longer than both the head and body. The head is small, the muzzle long, and the face and ears are black : instead of eyebrows, he has a narrow stripe of black hairs across the forehead. The body is of a fine green mixed with a little yellow. He walks on four feet ; and the length of his body, including the head, is about fifteen inches. The female is subject to the periodical emanation.