

have adopted his name from the analogy, without even knowing that his bird was from Australia.

Total length,  $12\frac{3}{4}$  inches; wing, from the flexure,  $11\frac{2}{5}$  inches; tips even with the end of the tail; tail, 5 inches; tarsi,  $1\frac{4}{5}$  inches.

### FALCO SPARVERIUS.—(L.)

Sparrow Hawk. *Falco sparverius*. Wilson, Am. Orn., vol. ii. p. 117.  
Sparrow Hawk. *Falco sparverius*. Audubon, Birds of America, vol. i. p. 90.

Quite common in Oregon and California, and we also saw them in Brazil, and other parts of South America.

### FALCO FEROX.—(NOB.)

### PLATE XVIII.

#### *Collection Exp. Exp.*

*F. capite dorsoque penitus fusco-sepiaco-brunneis: caudâ concolore, fasciis sex angustissimis pallidè fulvis notatâ: verticis nuchæque plumis ad basin colore pallidè cineraceo, in sepiaco-atrum, qui exteriùs apparet, transeunte: superciliis ferrugineis: auricularibus brunneis, plumulis inferioribus ferrugineo marginatis: gutture pallidè lutescenti, ferè albo: pectore abdomineque rubido-lutescentibus, brunneo strigatis punctulatisque: ano lutescenti, brunneo striato: femoribus crissoque ferrugineis, singulis plumis lineâ fusco-sepiacâ, per scapum descendente, notatis: primariis caudâque subtûs plumbeis, albo fasciatis; scapis subtûs albis, desuper nigris: remigum tertiatâ longissimâ; primâ quintâque æqualibus: tectoribus subjacentibus minoribus lutesolis, medio brunneis: caudâ rotundatâ, duodecim constante plumis, quarum scapi supernè fusco-brunnei, subtûs fuscescenti-albi: fasciis pallidis juxta corpus latissimis atque maximè conspicuis, gradatim versus caudæ extremitatem minûs insignibus: cerâ pedibusque pallidè cæruleis: iride brunneâ.*