

greenish, yellow, and brown ; legs brown.—The female is more like a Sparrow, and has a note like it.

Inhabits Brazil ; common about Paraguay : the nest on, or near the ground, made of dry grass or straw, and feathers, lined with horsehair : eggs three, whitish, with many brown spots, especially at the large end : the male has an agreeable note. A bird of this Species, or very like it, is found on the Island of Tristan da Cunha.\*

## 72.—MEXICAN BUNTING.

*Emberiza Mexicana*, *Ind. Orn.* i. 412. *Gm. Lin.* i. 873. *Shaw's Zool.* ix. 395.  
*La Therese jaune*, *Bruant du Mexique*, *Buf.* iv. 361. *Pl. enl.* 386. 1.  
 Mexican Bunting, *Gen. Syn.* iii. 198.

**LENGTH** six inches and a half. Bill and legs pale ; head to the crown, sides, throat, and fore part of the neck yellow ; body above brownish, as in the Yellow Bunting ; the brown on the sides of the neck tending upwards to the eye, in a point ; the under parts are dirty white, spotted with brown ; quills and tail edged with pale brown.—Inhabits Mexico.

## 73.—TOWHE BUNTING.

*Emberiza erythroptalma*, *Ind. Orn.* i. 413. *Gm. Lin.* i. 874. *Shaw's Zool.* ix. 414.  
*Fringilla erythroptalma*, *Lin.* i. 318.  
*Fringilla Carolinensis*, *Bris.* iii. 169. *Id.* 8vo. i. 353.  
*Le Pinçon noir aux yeux rouges*, *Buf.* iv. 141,  
*Towhe Bunting*, *Gen. Syn.* iii. 199. *Arct. Zool.* ii. No. 224. *Cut. Car.* i. pl. 34.  
*Bartr. Trav.* p. 289. *Amer. Orn.* pl. x. f. 5—the egg. *Id.* vi. pl. 53. f. 5—fem.

**LENGTH** eight inches ; breadth eleven. Bill and legs brown ; irides red ; head, neck, back, wing coverts, and rump, black ; under parts, from the breast, dull red ; the middle of the breast and belly

\* *Lin. Trans.* xii. p. 496.