

with seven or eight irregular dusky brown bars, the tips of the feathers paler than the rest; the tail is longer by about half an inch than the quills when closed; legs flesh-colour, rather long. In the woods of Paraguay.

A.—M. Buffon mentions one from Louisiana in possession of M. Mauduit, similar to the above, which was nine inches long. The bill two inches, with eight or ten very stiff bristles, the point black, with a yellowish base; general colour of the plumage much resembling the other, but the transverse stripes broader on the neck, and the rufous more pale at that part, forming a kind of collar; the rest of the under parts, as in the former. M. Vieillot says, that the Rufous Goatsucker is called in Florida, Chuck Will's Widow; rarely met with farther north than South Carolina, and is confounded with the Whip-poor-Will, or Carolina Goatsucker, but is a different bird.

34.—BRAZILIAN GOATSUCKER.

Caprimulgus Brasiliensis, *Ind. Orn.* ii. 586. *Gm. Lin.* i. 1031.

————— *Brasiliensis neivus*, *Bris.* ii. 483. *Id.* 8vo. i. 292.

————— *Americanus minor*, *Raii*, 27. 2. *Will.* 70. t. 14.

Ibijau, *Buf.* vi. 539. *Will. Engl.* 108. *Pet. Gaz.* t. 59. 1.

Brazilian Goatsucker, *Gen. Syn.* iv. 598. *Shaw's Zool.* x. 161.

SIZE of a Swallow. Bill dusky, small, nostrils not covered; eyes blackish, surrounded outwardly with a ring of yellowish white; irides dusky; the upper parts of the plumage blackish, marked with small white dots, mixed with a little yellow; the under parts also variegated with black and white; wings and tail even; the middle claw serrated on the outer edge; legs small, dusky.

Inhabits Brazil; is said frequently to spread out the tail in the shape of a fan.