

The mink is of the otter kind, and subsists on similar food, and resembles this animal in its colour. In shape and size, it bears a strong resemblance to the martin; but its hair is much shorter. A musky scent proceeds from this animal. It is generally found along small rivers.

The following catalogue of animals, will exhibit the comparative value of the furs, which are annually purchased and exported to the civilized parts of the world, by the North West Company. The animal is first mentioned, the skins of which will amount to the greatest sum; and so on, in order, to the last, the skins of which, will amount to the smallest sum.—Beaver, otter, muskrat, martin, bear, fox, lynx, fisher, mink, wolf, buffalo.

The following catalogue will exhibit the comparative weight of the skins, of the different animals, which are annually purchased and exported, as above mentioned.—Beaver, martin, muskrat, bear, otter, wolf, buffalo, lynx, &c.

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