

XXIX. *An Account of the Birds sent from Hudson's Bay; with Observations relative to their Natural History; and Latin Descriptions of some of the most uncommon.*
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I. LAND-BIRDS.

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{ Rapacious. Faun. Am. Sept.

1. FALCO, } 1. Columbarius. 128. 21. Pigeon Hawk.
Falcon. } Faun. Am. Sept. p. 9. Catesby I. t. 3.
Epervier de la Caroline. Brisson I. p. 378.

Severn river, N° 19.

This species is called a *small-bird hawk* at Hudson's Bay. It is migratory, arriving near Severn River in May, breeding on the coast, and then retiring to a warmer climate in autumn. It feeds on small birds; and, on the approach of any person, will fly in circles, making a hideous shrieking noise. The breast
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