

KAMTSCHATKAN.



The Kamtschatdales have an olive complexion, black, strait and thin hair, a broad and compressed countenance, a thick and flat nose, prominent cheek bones, large ears, and thick lips, with a very scanty beard.— They are distinguished for their thick and reduced stature, rarely exceeding four feet in height. They are remarkable for the coarseness and filthiness of their manners and mode of life ; they live in dens and caves, and hunt the buck and elk for a subsistence. Russia, in Asia, is the place of their residence. They travel, in the winter, with a sledge drawn by five dogs, instead of horses and sleighs.