THE PENGUIN.

THE PENGUIN OF THE BALTIC.

M. PALLAS, who describes this penguin, confesses that he has not had sufficient opportunities of observing it to decide whether it is a variety of the small penguin, or a distinct species; finally, however, he decides for the former opinion. M. Brunnick. however, thinks that it constitutes a distinct species, and he has called it the penguin of the Baltic Sea. But the opinion of Pallas is, perhaps, the most correct, from the almost perfect resemblance which there is between the small penguin and the subject of this article. The only difference which there is between them is, that the penguin of the Baltic has not the small stripe which proceeds from the beak to the eye, and that its plumage is entirely white on all the under parts from the