

3. *Eos rubra*, Gm.

*Domicella rubra*, Finsch, Die Papag., vol. ii. p. 786, 1868.

*Psittacus (Eos) bernsteini*, Rosenb. Nat. Tijdschr. v. Ned. Ind., vol. xxv. p. 145, 1863, Ki Islands.

*Lorius squamatus*, Schleg. (*nec* Bodd.), Mus. P.-B., *Psittaci*, p. 124, Noa. 1, 2, 1864 (types examined).

*Domicella schlegeli*, Finsch, Die Papag., vol. ii. p. 792, 1863, Ki Islands (type examined).

*Eos rubra*, Salvad., Proc. Zool. Soc., 1878, p. 86, et Ann. Mus. Civ. Genova, vol. xiv. p. 640.

[Nos. 272, male; 273, female. Eyes light red; bill dull red; legs black. Stomach contained seeds, with some insects. Only two were shot. The Professor has one of the same species alive on board, bought at Ki Doulan.]

No. 324. Female. Eyes brown; legs black; bill rose-coloured. This bird was purchased alive at Ki Doulan, Ki Islands, and kept till to-day (Oct. 12, 1874) on board, and was killed on account of the noise it made.]

Three specimens—one male (No. 272) and one female (No. 273) fully adult and alike, and a female (No. 324) not fully adult, with some of the feathers of the underparts edged with blue and turning to greenish in the hidden part.

The *Domicella schlegeli*, Finsch. *l.c.* (= *Lorius squamatus*, Schleg.), was established on some young birds, which have the feathers of the underparts edged with blue; the same thing happens in the young of *Eos riciniata* and of *Eos cyanogenys*.

4. *Rhipidura assimilis*, G. R. Gr.

*Rhipidura assimilis*, G. R. Gr., Proc. Zool. Soc., 1858, p. 176, Ki Islands (type examined); Salvad., Proc. Zool. Soc., 1878, p. 87, et Ann. Mus. Civ. Genova, vol. xiv. p. 648; Sharpe, Cat., vol. iv. p. 330.

[No. 286. Male. Insects in stomach. Eyes black.]

This species is allied to *Rhipidura isura* (Gould) from Australia, and to *Rhipidura setosa* (Q. & G.) from New Ireland and New Guinea. It differs from the first in the larger dimensions, in the paler band across the breast, and in the spot at the tip of the two outer tail-feathers less extended, and light fulvous instead of white. From *Rhipidura setosa* it is easily distinguished by the rufescent upper tail-coverts.

5. *Graucalus pollens*, Salvad. (Pl. XIX.).

*Graucalus pollens*, Salvad., Ann. Mus. Civ. Gen., vol. v. p. 75, 1874; Proc. Zool. Soc., 1878, p. 87, et Ann. Mus. Civ. Genova, vol. xiv. p. 650.

*Artamides pollens*, Sharpe, Cat., vol. iv. p. 13.

[No. 280. Female. Eyes black. Stomach contained seeds. Feet and bill black.]

This specimen agrees entirely with the typical females described by me. The species comes next to *Graucalus caledonicus* (Gm.) from New Hebrides and New Caledonia;