IV. *Description of a new Species of Lichen.* By Dawson Turner,
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LICHEN PHŒOCEPHALUS.

LICHEN crustâ e granulosa sub-foliacea fuscescente; bacillis nigris; tuberculis rufo-fuscis, margine luteo-albicante.

TAB. VI. Fig. 1.

Innascitur horreorum assibus apud *Bruisyard* in Suffolciâ, et *Lakenham* in Norfolciâ.

Crusta latè effusa, crassiuscula, e granulis sub-gelatinosis, satis magnis, incisis, folia simulantibus, madore dilutè viridi-fuscis, siccitate nigricantibus, densè congestis constans; bacilla nigra, lineam ferè alta, crustam vix, aut ne vix superantia, apice in tuberculum sub-rotundum, pulvere rufo-fusco repletum, et margine tenuissimo, albicante, vel luteolo cinctum, tumescentia. Tuberculorum pulveris marginisque color in siccis madidisque idem.

I should not trouble the Linnean Society with a description and figure of this single lichen, were it not for its close affinity to *L. chrysocephalus*, which I described in a former paper*. I regarded that species as an interesting addition to our Lichenographia; but the present, which I have since been fortunate enough to find in two places, is still more interesting, on account of the singular nature of its crust. In this respect it essentially differs

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