RANA BICOLOR.

CHARACTER GENERICUS.

Corpus tetrapodum, ecaudatum, nudum.

Lin. Syst. Nat. p. 354.

CHARACTER SPECIFICUS, &c.

RANA supra cærulea, subtus ochracea, pedibus fissis, digitis orbiculato-dilatatis.

RANA pedibus fissis, palmis tetradactylis, plantis pentadactylis, omnibus orbiculato-dilatatis, superne cyanea, inferne fulva.

Schloff. & Boddaert. de ran. bicol. p. 19.

RANA bicolor.

Lin. Syst. Nat. Gmel. p. 1052.

In Africa? generatur animal cujus veram magnitudinem ostendit tabula, non tam formæ elegantia infigne quam colorum. Pedes similes fere pedibus ranæ arboreæ; singulis nempe digitis orbiculato-dilatatis et complanatis. A Domino Schloffer primum

mum descripta est hæc species, qui adjecit quoque
descriptioni præstantem iconem. Jactat Museum
Britannicum eximium specimen unde depicta est
hæc nostra figura.

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THE
BLUE-AND-YELLOW FROG.

GENERIC CHARACTER.

Body four-footed, naked, without tail.

SPECIFIC CHARACTER, &c.

Blue FROG, ochre-coloured beneath; with unwebbed feet, and flattened orbicular toes.

Blue-and-yellow FROG.

This animal, more remarkable for the elegance of its colors than its form, is a native of Africa? and is represented in its natural size on the annexed plate. The feet are formed nearly in the same manner as those of the *rana arborea* or tree frog; the toes being of a flattened orbicular shape. This species was first described by Dr. Schloffer, who has accompanied his description by an excellent figure. The representation here given is from a fine specimen in the British Museum.

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