CYPRINUS BUPHTHALMUS.

CHARACTER GENERICUS.

Caput ore edentulo; *Os* nasale, bifulcum.

Membrana branchiostega radiis tribus.

Corpus læve.

Pinnæ ventrales sæpe novemradiatæ.

Lin. Syst. Nat. p. 525.

CHARACTER SPECIFICUS, &c.

CYPRINUS fanguineus, oculis prominentibus,
pinnis omnibus dimidiato-albis, cauda trifida.

CYPRINUS oculis prominentibus.

Bloch. austr. Fisch 12. p. 9. t. 410.

LONG-TSING-YU.

Sinenfibus.

Rutilante insignem corpore Cyprinum buphtalum generat regio Sinenfis. Magnitudine Cyprium auratum, cui maxime affinis, æquat vel paulo superat.

THE
TELESCOPE CARP.

GENERIC CHARACTER.

Mouth (in most species) toothless.

Gill-membrane with three rays.

Body smooth.

SPECIFIC CHARACTER, &c.

SCARLET CARP, with protuberant eyes, all
the fins half white ; the tail trifold.

The SCARLET CARP.

The GOGGLE-EYED CARP.

The TELESCOPE.

OEIL de DRAGONS.

Sauvigny, Hist. Nat. des Dorades,
pl. 10, 11, 12, &c.

The scarlet Carp, so remarkable for its brilliant color, is a native of China, and is equal, if not superior, in size to the common gold-fish, to which it is extremely nearly allied.

Shaw, George. 1796. "The Telescope Carp, *Cyprinus buphthalmus* [Pl. 262]." *The Naturalist's Miscellany* 8(LXXXVIII), <https://doi.org/10.5962/p.310805>.

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