GRACULA CALVA.

CHARACTER GENERICUS.

Rostrum convexo cultratum, basi nudiusculum.

Lingua integra, acutiuscula, carnosula.

Pedes ambulatorii.

Lin. Syst. Nat.

CHARACTER SPECIFICUS, &c.

GRACULA subcinerea, alis caudaque fuscis,
capite utrinque nuda rubra.

GRACULA CALVA. G. subcinerea, capite
utrinque nudo.

Lin. Syst. Nat. p. 164.

Merula calva.

Briss. av. 2. p. 305.

In insulis Philippeis generata rara hæc avis nidificare
dicitur in cavis arborum, præcipue *Cocos nuciferæ* Lin-
næi. Depascitur varias fruges. Magnitudo est quasi
merulæ vulgaris.

THE
BALD GRAKLE.

GENERIC CHARACTER.

Bill convex-cultrate.

Tongue entire, sharpish, fleshy.

Feet formed for walking.

SPECIFIC CHARACTER, &c.

Subcinereous GRAKLE, with dusky wings and
tail, and bare red cheeks.

BALD GRAKLE.

Lath. Syn. 1. p. 457.

Merle chauve des Philippines.

Pl. Enl. 200.

The rare species represented on the present plate is a native of the Philippine islands, where it is said to breed in the hollows of trees, and particularly in those of the Cocoa Palm (*Cocos nucifera*. Lin.) Its general size is that of a common Blackbird.

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