CANCROMA COCHLEARIA.

CHARACTER GENERICUS.

Rostrum gibbosum, mandibula superiore cymbæ
resupinatæ forma.

Nares exiguæ in sulco rostri.

Lingua parva.

Pedes fissi.

Lin. Syst. Nat. Gmel.

CHARACTER SPECIFICUS, &c.

CANCROMA occipite cristato nigro.

CANCROMA COCHLEARIA. C. ventre ru-
fescence.

Lin. Syst. Nat.

CANCROMA Cancrophaga. C. ventre can-
dicante.

Lin. Syst. Nat.

Americam Australem incolit Cancroma Cochlearia,
locaque aquosa frequentat, victitans more ardearum,
ranis, piscibus, reliquisque id genus animalibus.

THE
BOAT-BILL.

GENERIC CHARACTER.

Bill shaped like an inverted boat.

Nostrils small, lodged in a furrow.

Tongue small.

Toes divided.

SPECIFIC CHARACTER, &c.

BOAT-BILL with the hind-head furnished
with a black, pendent crest.

BOAT-BILL.

Lath. Syn. 5. p. 26.

Le Savacou.

Buf. ois. 7. p. 443.

Pl. Enl. 38. 869.

The Boat-Bill is an inhabitant of South-America,
where it frequents watery places, feeding nearly in the
manner of herons, on frogs, fish, &c.

Shaw, George. 1805. "The Boat-Bill, *Cancroma cochlearia* [Pl. 713]." *The Naturalist's Miscellany* 17(CXCIII), <https://doi.org/10.5962/p.311150>.

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