# **PSITTACUS** EXIMIUS.

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## CHARACTER GENERICUS.

Roftrum aduncum: mandibula fuperiore mobili, cera inftructa. Nares in roftri bafi. Lingua carnofa, obtufa, integra. Pedes fcanforii.

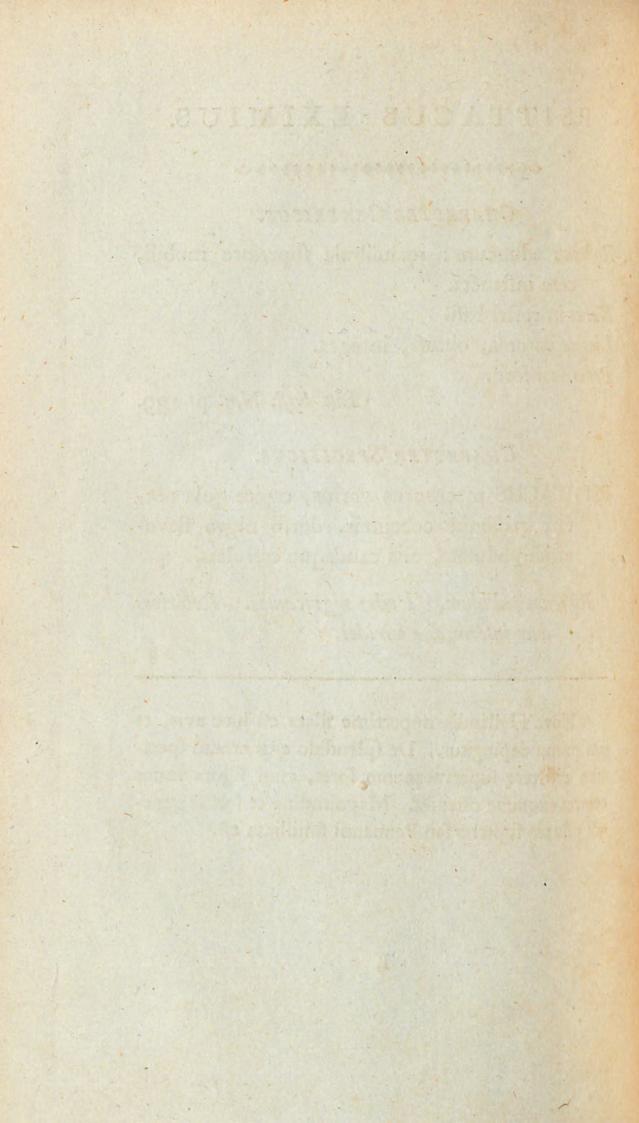
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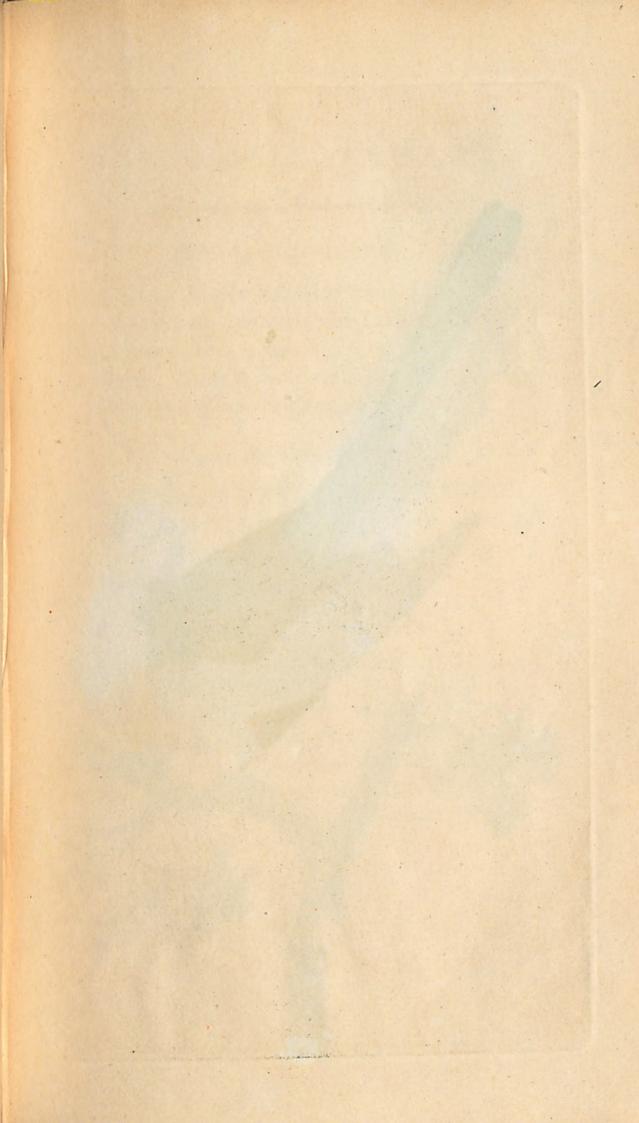
## CHARACTER SPECIFICUS.

PSITTACUS macrourus varius, capite gula pectore criffoque coccineis, dorfo nigro flavoviridi undulato, alis caudaque cæruleis.

Rofirum pallidum. Pedes nigricantes. Rectrices duæ intermediæ virides.

A Nova Hollandia nuperrime illata eft hæc avis, et jan primo depingitur. De fplendido ejus ornatu fpeciatim differere fupervacaneum foret, cum figura varios colores exquifite oftendit. Magnitudine et forma generali pfittaco fuperbo feu Pennantii fimillima eft.







#### THE

# NONPARÉIL PARROT.

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## GENERIC CHARACTER.

Bill hooked. Upper mandible moveable.
Noftrils roundifh, placed in the bafe of the bill.
Tongue flefhy, broad, blunt at the end.
Legs fhort. Toes formed for climbing, viz. two forward and two backward.

### SPECIFIC CHARACTER.

LONG-TAILED VARIEGATED PARROT, with head throat breaft and vent crimfon, back black undulated with yellow-green, blue wings and tail.

The two middle tail-feathers are green

This bird is a fpecies hitherto undefcribed; having been very lately brought from New Holland. To particularize the richnefs of its robe would be unneceffary; the figure accurately fhewing all its variegations of colour. In fize and general form it is ftrongly allied to the Pennantian Parrot.

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