

TODUS CRISTATUS.



CHARACTER GENERICUS.

Rostrum tenue, depressum, latum, basi fetis patulis.

Nares ovatae, parvae.

Pedes gressorii, digitus exterior medio basi connexus.

Lath. ind. orn. p. 265.

CHARACTER SPECIFICUS, &c.

TODUS crista coccinea, corpore fusco albo-maculato.

Lin. Syst. Nat. Gmel. p. 446.

Naturf. 17. p. 21. n. 5. t. 1.

TODUS regius β .

Lath. ind. orn. p.

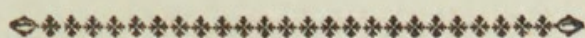
Avicula hæc in Guinea præcipue reperta, sedem sibi jure vindicat inter pulcherrimas sui generis. Magnitudinem naturalem ostendit tabula.



R. N.

London Published Nov. 1799 by F. P. Nodder, Newman Street.

THE
CRESTED TODAY.



GENERIC CHARACTER.

Bill thin, depressed, broad, with spreading bristles at the base.

Nostrils small, ovate.

Feet gressorial: the exterior toe connected with the middle at the base.

SPECIFIC CHARACTER.

Brown TODAY, spotted with white, with crimson crest, tipped with black.

This species, which may justly be considered as one of the most beautiful of its genus, is chiefly found in Guinea. It is represented on the plate in its natural size.



Shaw, George. 1799. "The Crested Tody, *Todus cristatus* [Pl. 405]." *The Naturalist's Miscellany* 11(CXXIII), <https://doi.org/10.5962/p.310852>.

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