however, with a decided greenish tinge, and the colour usually brightest and most intense towards the bases of the primaries; the tips of the tertiaries and later secondaries more or less untouched with this colour, giving the effect of rather irregular ill-defined black or blackish tippings. The tail is dark brown, margined everywhere, and both webs of the central and the outer webs of the lateral feathers suffused with a somewhat duller shade of the wing-colour, varying as this does from bright golden olive to dull greenish olive-yellow. The wing-lining varies: when the red descends far on the breast, it is chiefly ruddy olive-brown; but in others, which show less red on the breast and abdomen, it is a pure olive or olive-brown, some few of the longest feathers being like the lower surface of the quills, a dark glossy, somewhat blackish hair-brown; the edges of the wing are white, yellowish, or ruddy in patches, varying a good deal in different specimens."

The figures in the Plate represent a male and female of about the size of life; they have been drawn from a pair of birds kindly lent me by Captain Wardlaw Ramsay.

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