

PARA

Parus raggiana, Scater
Mus. Civ. Genova

Take it all in all, I consid
the startling and sing
completely unknown up to the p
show the probability that ot
the rumour first spread abro
these two birds were merely
it not only differs from that
and *P. apoda* are examples.

That the *Parus raggiana*
north, is very evident. I
visited by Signor d'Alberti
but our collections will lo
the Secretary of the Zoolo
the best description of this
the mountains; for I found
in its voice, movements, an
habit; and I could find no
dense forest, and is gene
birds prefer the neighbour
this sex less abundant, beca
one sex of *P. apoda* than
by having distinguishable t
from the breast-feathers.

age. The long flank-feat
for days—even in a few
P. japonicus, and in no stag
long as in *P. apoda*, and a
inquisitive bird, and often
notwithstanding for some second
a peculiar cry, upon the sc
and cries out, many others
lowest houghs. The adult
other species, and as I al
obtained no information.
enterprising traveller could
of the eggs, &c.

The following description
Total length from bill to
Bill pale blue; feet lea
crown, sides, and neck fir
green from the rich maro
brown, with a distinct ma
brown towards the ends, th
and terminating in a spatu
smaller than the male;
of neck, and breast deep
The entire green colour o
ring under the throat, the
The figures in the acco