

with the same golden green; from each side of the nuchal shield spreads a ruff of velvety steel-black plumes; the feathers of the throat also are steel-black, with a band of brilliant golden copper, which extends from behind the eye down the sides of the neck, and encircles the throat; rest of under surface of body rich velvety grass-green, the lateral plumes of the breast tipped with burnished emerald-green; the sides of the body and under wing- and tail-coverts dusky black; bill and legs black; 'iris almost black' (*Beccari*). Total length 28 inches, culmen 1·6, wing 8·8, tail 7, centre feathers 18."

The figures in the Plate are drawn from specimens in my own collection, and represent a male about the size of life, with reduced figures of a male and female in the distance.