

colour of the underparts, the throat being rufescent and the sides of the belly and flanks mostly dark olive-brown.

Total length ca. 4.0 inches; wing 2.25; tail 1.6; tarsus 0.7.

*Hab.* Gunong Tahan, 4000-4500 ft.: 12th June, 1905.  
Nos. 98 & 101.

*GECINUS ROBINSONI*, sp. n.

*Adult male.* Like the male of *G. occipitalis* (Vig.), but with the general colour very much darker; the crown nearly uniform black like the nape, scarcely showing any trace of grey on the sides of the feathers; the back and underparts dark olive-green instead of olive; and the tail-feathers black, with very faintly indicated greenish-grey bands on the edges of the middle pair of rectrices. Iris reddish-chestnut; bill black; feet greenish-lead-colour.

Total length ca. 11.5 inches; culmen 1.85; wing 5.5; tail 3.8; tarsus 1.15.

*Adult female.* Differs from the male in having the entire forehead black like the crown. Iris brown; bill black; feet greenish-lead-colour.

Total length ca. 11.5 inches; culmen 1.75; wing 5.35; tail 4.0; tarsus 1.15.

*Hab.* Gunong Tahan, 5300-6000 ft.: 9th July. Nos. 293 & 294.

*HETEROSCOPI VULPES*, sp. n.

*Adult male.* Nearly allied to *H. luciae*, Sharpe, from the mountains of North Borneo, but with the general colour, both above and below, foxy-red and more uniform in tint, the black markings being much reduced, especially on the top of the head.

Total length ca. 7.0 inches; wing 5.4; tail 2.7; tarsus 1.1.

*Hab.* Gunong Tahan, 5300 ft.: 25th June, 1905.  
No. 213.

The male bird in the Tring Museum, also from Gunong Tahan and doubtfully referred to *H. luciae* by Dr. Hartert, is in partially immature plumage. This is indicated by the transverse black markings on the top of the head. In other

respects it agrees well with the adult male procured by Mr. Robinson.

*SPHENOCERCUS ROBINSONI*, sp. n.

*Adult male.* Most like *S. permagnus*, Stejn., from the Loo-Choo Islands, but differs from that species in its much smaller size, somewhat greyer mantle, greyish-olive rump and tail, and in having the middle of the abdomen decidedly yellow, and the long under tail-coverts washed with cinnamon. In the two last-named characters it resembles *S. korthalsi*, Temm., from Sumatra and Java, but it entirely lacks the rufous tinge across the breast which is so characteristic of the male of that species. Iris pale blue, outer ring pink; bill purplish-mauve, greenish-horn-colour at the base; feet lake, soles yellowish.

Total length ca. 12·0 inches; wing 6·5; tail 4·9; tarsus 0·9.

*Adult female.* Very similar to the female of *S. permagnus*, but much smaller and with the middle of the belly decidedly yellow.

Total length ca. 11·0 inches; wing 6·4; tail 4·4; tarsus 0·9.

Three less adult male specimens have the olive-green of the head, neck, and breast less bright than in the adult, the maroon shoulder-patch much smaller, and the long under tail-coverts yellowish-white with only the faintest tinge of cinnamon.

*Hab.* ♂. Gunong Tahan, 3300 ft.: 2nd June, 1905. No. 25. ♀. Gunong Ulu Kali, 4800–5800 ft.: 9th Feb., 1906.

Mr. OGILVIE-GRANT also exhibited and described examples of three new species of birds from Annam, collected by Dr. J. J. Vassal:—

*CISSA GABRIELLÆ*, sp. n.

*Adult.* Differs from all other known species of *Cissa* in having the whole of the underparts *pale Naples yellow* (fading to pure white). The head is much like that of *C. chinensis*; the nape beneath the long crest-feathers olive-yellow; the back, scapulars, and lesser wing-coverts rich