

DESCRIPTION OF A NEW *TITYRA* FROM WESTERN MEXICO.

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*Tityra personata griseiceps* RIDGW.*Tityra personata* LAWR. Mem. Bost. Soc. II, pt. iii, No. 2, 1874, 289 (Mazatlan and Sierra Madre of Colima);  *nec* JARD. & SELBY.

SUBSP. CHAR.—Similar to true *T. personata*, but female much paler and grayer, with pileum and sides of head pale brownish ash-gray, becoming lighter anteriorly, instead of deep brownish gray or grayish brown abruptly contrasted with white of throat; chin without trace of grayish or dusky.

HAB.—Western Mexico (Mazatlan and Sierra Madre of Colima).

Type, No. 58,235, U. S. Nat. Mus., ♀ ad., Mazatlan; Col. A. J. Grayson.

DESCRIPTION OF A NEW SPECIES OF HUMMINGBIRD OF THE GENUS *AGYRTRIA*.

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*Agyrtria alleni*, sp. nov.

Top of head and occiput dark greenish blue, not metallic; nape, back and shoulders, shining grass-green; rump and upper tail-coverts glittering bronze. Tail shining bronze, with the tips of the feathers pale gray, widest on the outermost rectrices, and diminishing to the central ones which have a mere indication of gray at the tip. Wings purplish brown. Sides of neck shining bluish green. Throat and centre of breast white, speckled with shining green; sides of breast and flanks metallic grass-green. Abdomen whitish. Under tail-coverts pale brown, edged with white. Maxilla black, mandible flesh color, tip black. Feet black.

Total length, 3 1-2 in.; wing, 1 7-8 in.; tail, 1 7-16 in.; bill, 3-4 in.

HAB.—Yungas, Bolivia. (Rusby.)

Type, No. 30,784, Am. Mus. Nat. Hist., New York City.

A single specimen of the bird described above was contained in a small collection of birds brought from Bolivia by Dr. H. H. Rusby and purchased by the American Museum of Natural His-