



Nests of the Baya with the Mahodavi Creeper

(*Ploceus baya*).

See reference to this bird in Forbes' Oriental Memoirs, 1813, vol. 1, p. 48.

Baya Weaver Bird.

See other side

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I should say this drawing was by James Forbes (ca. 1811), at all events there is an almost exact copy of it in Forbes's Oriental Memoirs, 1813, vol. 1, and possibly it occurs also in the 2nd edition, revised by his daughter the Comtesse De Montalembert and published in 1834, which edition is not in any McGill library at this date, and cannot therefore be referred to.

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