



## In the Tropical Regions; Or, Nature and Natural History in the Torrid Zone

By Tropical Regions

Rarebooksclub.com, United States, 2012. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 246 x 189 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*.This historic book may have numerous typos and missing text. Purchasers can download a free scanned copy of the original book (without typos) from the publisher. Not indexed. Not illustrated. 1882 Excerpt: .passion, approaching almost to demoniacal fury, and at times so completely overmastering the animal that it falls a victim to its own outburst of wrath. This insane ferocity, its great strength, and its habit of associating itself with its congeners in large and formidable bands, render it an object of great dread to the natives of Guinea, who, unless well-armed, and in large numbers, will never enter the forests frequented by the mandrill. THE AFRICAN BIRDS. Taking leave of the mammals of Africa, we come now to a brief review of some of its principal birds. One of the most characteristic of these is the Secretarybird, which derives its name from a fancied resemblance of its occipital crest of feathers to pens stuck behind a writer s ear. It is also, and more appropriately, known as the Serpent-eater. In the arid plains and dry thickets which...



**READ ONLINE**  
[ 6.39 MB ]

### Reviews

*Absolutely essential go through book. It can be rally fascinating through studying period of time. You wont truly feel monotony at at any time of your respective time (that's what catalogues are for concerning in the event you question me).*

-- **Roberto Leannon**

*This sort of publication is everything and made me seeking forward and much more. Better then never, though i am quite late in start reading this one. I am easily could possibly get a delight of reading through a created pdf.*

-- **Quinton Balistreri**