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New Zealand King Shag *Leucocarbo carunculatus* (Gmelin 1789), Endemic
20/5/1773 Queen Charlotte Sound, Marlborough

J.R. Forster collected a King Shag between Ship Cove and Hippa Island in Queen Charlotte Sound (Hoare 1980). A second was collected on 6 November 1774 between Ship Cove and Hippa Island. The first bird, an adult, was described by Johann Forster, and drawn by his son George.