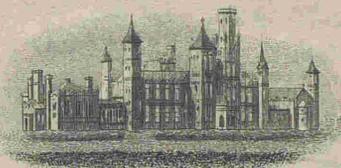


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Dr. Don d. Bolívar,
Director, Museo Nacional de Ciencias Naturales,
Madrid,

My dear Mr. Bolívar:

I am pleased to inform you
how I have found conditions excellent here in the
north for my studies and that I have now
about two hundred bird skins representing more
than fifty forms, and may hope for others in
the few days that remain to me. My work is
giving me an excellent understanding of the
living birds of this area which was my
desire in coming here.

I regret to write that I do not expect
to return to Madrid so that I may not
thank you in person for your courtesies

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to me in connection with my visit
to your country. May I express the
hope that our meeting may bring about
a closer connection and understanding
between our ~~two~~ ^{respective} museums that will
be to mutual advantage.

With kindest regards to your son and
best wishes to you yourself, I remain
Most sincerely yours,

Alexander Wetmore.

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July 8, 1930.

Dr. C. Bolivar,
c/o Museo Nacional de Ciencias Naturales,
Madrid, Spain.

Dear Dr. Bolivar:

I have just requested from the Bureau of Biological Survey, U. S. Department of Agriculture, that they send to you copies of their regulations governing the Federal Protection of Birds in this country. This is done at your request when I saw you in Madrid at the end of April.

I have only recently returned to Washington after a highly interesting journey abroad. It was very pleasant to see you in Madrid, and I hope that I may have the pleasure of meeting you in this country. With kindest regards to your father and to others at the museum, I am

Sincerely yours,

A. Wetmore
Assistant Secretary.

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