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144 Main St, Albion, N.Y.
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Hon. Robert Ridgway
Curator - National Museum

Dear Sir

Some years ago - at the time the publication of your monumental work on the "Birds of North & Middle America" was undertaken, my name was at the request of my very good friend Dr. Barton W. Evermann placed upon a list to receive the work as volume by volume it was published. I might add that Dr Evermann's agency in the matter was the result of my own urgent desire to possess this work on a subject which has always been of the utmost interest to me & a source of pleasure and diversion through my own professional work.

I have been very happy to receive now Parts 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Bulletin 50, the volumes coming at intervals of a year or so as they were published. The occasion for this present communication is my failure to receive any volume since Part 4 issued in 1907 and my desire to inquire whether no subsequent parts have yet been issued or whether by some oversight I have failed to receive the

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later parts, the early publication of which was forecast in Part 4 of the Bulletin. I would be very glad if I may call the matter to your attention and shall hope to receive any volumes that have been issued subsequent to Part 4 and hope also that my name may be so entered on your lists that I will receive without fail the later volumes that are published in completing the work.

Very truly
Stuart J. Flintham

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which is also my permanent
address which should appear on
your lists and to which address
publications mailed.