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Dear Mr. Sharp.

Mr. Charles Whymper has suggested the Birds at the Natural History Museum, as a capital subject for an illustrated article or two in Good Words. The Editor likes the idea, if we can get it done by the right man. Now there is but one right man, & I have told him, — Mr. Bowdler Sharp.

Could you kindly find time to do this for us — for say even one or two of the Spring months?

he should not want the copy, until after Christmas; but Mr. Whymper would like to make his choice of subjects for pictures, and if you consented he would come & see you about them, whenever convenient.

Kindly let me hear from you regarding it & believe me

Yours very truly
John Stark

P.S.
Two short papers of three or four thousand words each would do very well.

R. Bowdler Sharpe Esq.

Dear Doctor

Will you have any objection to my accepting this? Of course I should like the money, but not at the risk of doing anything you do not like.

Yours respectfully
R Bowdler Sharpe