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Dear Dr. Bowdler Sharpe,

My husband is indeed sorry not to be able to accept your kind invitation to lunch, as he would greatly have enjoyed seeing you & having a talk, & hopes to be able to fix up a meeting with you later on. But just now he is so desperately busy that he does not know which way to turn.- he have prepared an answer to that trade circular which was sent

round the House of Commons;- a copy of our reply has been sent to every M.P.,- & also to the Times.- The Times inserted the Trade circular in their issue of yesterday.-

The Trade are now pushing the "doubled" plasma fiction for all they are worth;- Can you help us with some strong Statements to the contrary?- With kindest regards from us both

Yours sincerely,

Margaretta L. Lemon

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Dear Dr. Sharpe,

As you were at Lord Avebury's house when the proposed Importation of Birds Bill was discussed I venture to send you a summarized statement of the considerations which led the Watchers' Committee of this Society to come to the conclusions at which they arrived.-

I hope shortly to send you a copy of the Bill as re-drafted by Mr. Montagu Sharpe, and in the event of Lord Avebury's consenting to adopt it, and of people like yourself being willing to give it their powerful support, it is the

hoped that it will be introduced into the House of Lords.-

Although it may not make much advance this Session, I hope the Bill Officially printed and circulated will help in gaining publicity for a subject upon which a great many people feel strongly.-

Believe me Dear Yours Truly

M. L. Lennon

In the Hon. Secretary

E. Bowdler Sharpe