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THE EARL OF DERBY,

PRESIDENT,

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My Lords and Gentlemen,

FAVOURED by your kind permission, it is with feelings of mingled gratitude and pleasure, natural to one so long connected with the Society over which you preside, that I dedicate to you this Work on "The Birds of Europe," and I have the honour to subscribe myself,

My Lords and Gentlemen,

Your most obedient and obliged Servant,

JOHN GOULD.