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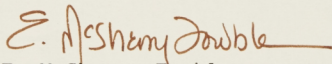
Dear Mr. Carr:

Thomas Graves has brought to our attention the watercolor painting of 1824 by John James Audubon of a pair of boat-tailed grackles.

We share with you your enthusiasm for such a discovery and thank you very much for bringing the details of your research as well as advanced notice of the sale of this important work.

Thank you for your kind consideration of the Winterthur Museum.

Sincerely yours,



E. McSherry Fowble
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