

after Captain Page's death on
the Pilcomayo River.

I am not aware that
the Syndicate who financed
Captain Page's expedition
ever raised any claim to
these or other specimens
collected by me when a
guest of the expedition and
had they or any one else
raised such a claim it
would certainly not have
been admitted by myself -
seeing that I had been
~~myself~~ responsible for
the expenditure involved

Bowdler Sharpe Collection

NATURAL HISTORY DEPARTMENT,
THE UNIVERSITY,
GLASGOW.

Dear Dr Bowdler Sharpe,

I have just had occasion
to notice glance through the
history of the Bird Collection
in the British Museum and am
much astonished to learn that
the Pilcomayo birds were
presented by Captain Juan
Page. I had till now been
under the impression that
these birds were my own
property and that they
were presented by me to the
Museum some four years

in their collection.

I hope you are very
well and with kind
regards am

Yours sincerely,
Graham Kerr

28. I. 08.