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Captain Franklin presents his Compliments to the  
President of the Imperial Academy of Sciences, at  
St. Petersburg, and requests he will do him the  
honor of accepting the accompanying narrative  
of his second voyage to the shores of the Polar Sea  
for the use of the members of that highly distinguished  
Institution

To His Excellency  
The President  
of the  
Academy of Sciences  
St. Petersburg

Demuth's Hotel Sept <sup>10</sup>/<sub>22</sub> 1820.