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Dear Sir: —

Not earlier than a few days ago I could send you the Cent. II of my Fungi exsicc. pres. Scand. By this I have quoted a part of my debt to you for Syll. Fung. Vol. IX. As you remember you promised me, having with 30 Kr. cash paid the half part of my debt for Vol. IX and Chromotaxis, to pay the other half with Cent. II and III of my Fungi exsicc. pres. Scand. Several circumstances have hitherto prevented the issue of Cent. II and I am at this moment not able to say when Cent. III can issue, although I have long ago had materials sufficiently collected for it.

I duly received also vol. IX
of Your Syll. Frueg. for which
I thank You sincerely. I am
very sorry that I have hitherto
wanted means for paying it. But
during this year I hope to be
able to remit You the amount.
If You will please still since
have bestowed upon me the same
patience and forbearance as
hitherto I hope You will not
regret it.

Very truly, Yours
L. Roubal

Do You not think Your Ovala-
ria Soumieri (Richelbana) in Geom.
Vol. 21. p. 68 to be identical with
Ovalaria muscilioides P. & Mart.
Syll. IV. p. 145? I have found

an Ooularia on Uyrica Gale
here in Sweden at Hockholm
and in Suåland (Luccia meridionalis)
Conid obovata v. ellipt., hyalina, conti-
nua vel rariss. sparsae 1-septata
brevisime catenulata vel saepe
solitaria 20-30 x 10-12. Basid.
hyalina, dense aggregata floccosa
v. breviter fursum ramoso-tubercu-
losa, 50-70 x 4-5 Ramulas
mortuos ambicus ^{albida} nivesca vel cinerea-
nivesca. This I think to be Or.
umbrinoides. I have not the spe-
cimens to hand. But if you wish,
I can send you later.

Will you please advise me
if the ~~same~~ specimen here enclosed
under n^o 84 belongs to your Dotti-
orella advena or not.

On pine leaves (Folia Pini silv.)

I found (29/4 1894) together with
Pseudohelotium Puncti, *Cenangium acci-*
column, *Lachnum pulverulentum*
etc. a fungus belonging to *Spha-*
roides, that I hitherto have
failed to determine. *Perithecia*
are similar to that of *Discolea*,
but the sporidia form branched
chains, each sporula being cylin-
drical, with both ends somewhat
thickened, $15-24 \times 2\frac{1}{2}-3$, near the
upper end provided with 3 (some-
times only 1-2) long hairs or
bristles. Do You know of any-
thing like this? I have not the
specimens to hand for instance.
But I can send You later, if
You please.

Sincerely Yours
E. Roulet

