THE ROYAL SOCIETY, BURLINGTON HOUSE, LONDON, W. January 10, 1894. Dear Sir, The "Catalogue of Scientific Papers" which was formerly published at the expense of the Government, is now published by a private firm, and the Royal Society has not, therefore, the privilege of distributing the large number of copies which they formerly had. I am sorry to say that all we can now do is to refer you to Messrs. Clay & Sons, Ave Maria Lane. London. I am. Yours truly. Asst. Sec. R.S. M. le Professeur P. A. Saccardo, R. Orto Botanico, PADOVA.