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Dr. P. A. Saccardo,
Padova, Italy.

Dear Sir: Have you copies of your *Syllogeus Fungorum* Vol. IX for sale? I should like very much to get a copy of this. I am working with the *Pyrenomyces* particularly and wish to get this volume to supplement I & II.

I enclose you indices of my new York *Fungi* Cent. II & III of which I have a few copies left. I should be glad to send you these in exchange for your Vol. IX if you care to do so. If not please send me the volume if you can with bill for the same.

I have a large collection of *Pyrenomyces* from various parts of the United States which I could exchange with you if you desired. I have already arranged an exchange with Dr. A. N. Saccardo.

Awaiting your reply I remain

Very truly yours

C. L. Shear.

P.S.

I regret very much that I cannot offer you Cent. I but it is exhausted. C. L. S.