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Hunt Institute was dedicated in 1961 as the Rachel McMasters Miller Hunt Botanical Library, an international center for bibliographical research and service in the interests of botany and horticulture, as well as a center for the study of all aspects of the history of the plant sciences. By 1971 the Library's activities had so diversified that the name was changed to Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentation. Growth in collections and research projects led to the establishment of four programmatic departments: Archives, Art, Bibliography and the Library.

UNITED FRUIT COMPANY

GUATEMALA DIVISION

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GUATEMALA, GUATEMALA

W. L. TAILLON
GENERAL MANAGER

July 1st, 1957

Dr. Wilson Popence
Antigua, Guatemala

Dear Dr. Popence:

I am sending enclosed a copy of a pamphlet on the Pan American Agricultural School. It is based on the articles published in "El Imparcial" and written by Miguel Villegas Rodas. I believe you are familiar with these articles.

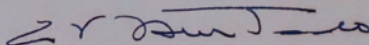
As you will see from the inside cover, we have taken the liberty of dedicating this edition to you and I hope it will meet with your approval.

Please let me know if you would like some additional copies.

May I take this opportunity to welcome Mrs. Popence and you back home to Antigua.

Best regards.

Very truly yours,



Charles V. Hurtado
Public Relations

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21 Avenida Roosevelt
San Salvador, 10 July 1957

Mr Charles V Hurtado
United Fruit Co.
Guatemala City.

Dear Charley:

Thanks for your letter of the 1st, which Helen has forwarded from Antigua, along with a copy of the Miguel Villegas folleto. This is indeded a good job - just the right thing for anybody who really wants details regarding the operation of the school. I appreciate your putting my picture on the inside cover and dedicating the folleto to me.

At a dinnerparty which the Amigos de la Tierra gave for me last night, Arnold Canton told me you had sent him a supply of these folletos. Machado Valle was also at the dinnerparty last night. I told him I would probably be over in Honduras for a day or two, before long, as Scott has just advised me that the Ambassador of Panama wants me come over there to receive the condecoración "Orden de Balboa" which the government of Panama has conferred on Doris and myself.

While we are now officially established in Antigua, I came over here on July first with a two months contract to assist the government of Salvador on a program of fruit improvement. I expect to return to Antigua early in September, but may not stay there long.

I will thank you to send some more of the Villegas folletos to Antigua, or set them aside in Guatemala and let Helen pick them up which she is in the City. She is staying in Antigua while I am over here. I would be glad to have 50 or even 100 copies if you can spare them, as I believe I can put them to good use.

Sincerely,

21 Avenida Roosevelt
San Salvador, 10 julio de 1957

Sr don Miguel Villegas Redas
Oficina Central del Café
Guatemala.

Recordado Amigo:

Nuestro mutuo amigo Charles Hurtado acaba de mandarme el folleto "La Escuela Agrícola Panamericana", excelente publicación basada en los escritos que Ud sacó a la publicidad hace algunos meses en El Imparcial.

Quiero manifestarle una vez mas mi admiración por el gran número de datos interesantes y exactos que Ud legré juntar durante los pocos días que estuve en el Zamorano, una visita, cabe agregar, que para mí era una de las mas placenteras que tuve durante mis mas de quince años en la Escuela.

Elena y yo ya estamos radicados en la Antigua, como Ud sabe, pero yo vine a San Salvador el primero del mes en curso con un contrato de dos meses para ayudar al Ministerio de Agricultura en la organización de una campaña de fruticultura. Al terminar aqui regresaré a la Antigua, donde estaré siempre a sus apreciables órdenes.

Siempre su afmo amigo,

Wilson Popenoe

cc Mr Charles V Hurtado

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W. L. TAILLON
GENERAL MANAGER

July 17, 1957

Doctor Wilson Popenoe
21 Avenida Roosevelt
San Salvador, El Salvador

Dear Doctor Popenoe:

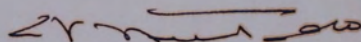
Many thanks for your letter of July 10. I am glad that you liked the pamphlet and I am sending, as you requested, 100 copies to Mrs. Popenoe at Antigua.

I am sorry I was unable to attend the dinner the Amigos de la Tierra of San Salvador gave in your honor.

I am sure that your work there on the fruit improvement program will be a great success and contribute to the development of the Salvadoran agriculture.

When you return to Antigua in September, as you plan, I hope to have the pleasure of seeing you.

Sincerely,



Charles V. Hurtado

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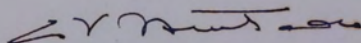
Mrs. Wilson Popenoe
Antigua.-

Dear Mrs. Popenoe:

Doctor Popenoe wrote me from San Salvador requesting
100 copies of the pamphlet on the Zamorano school. I am sending
them herewith.

When Doctor Popenoe returns to Antigua in September
I hope to have the pleasure of seeing both of you.

Sincerely,



Charles V. Hurtado