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April 26, 1956

Dr. Wilson Popenoe, Director
Escuela Agricola Panamericana
Apartado 93
Tegucigalpa, Honduras
Central America

Dear Dr. Popenoe:

Enclosed you will find the copy of the paper which I presented in Antigua. Through an oversight on my part, I realized after I returned to Miami that I had not left a copy with you.

I would like you to know that I appreciate the letter which I just received from you, and I think that the Spanish nickname for me is quite fitting. I am sure that all of us are looking forward to next year's meeting in Mexico City, for we all feel that we benefited greatly from our last meeting.

With kindest regards to you and Mrs. Popenoe, I remain

Sincerely yours,

"Mustard"

Margaret J. Mustard
Research Assistant Professor
of Applied Tropical Botany

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CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA 33124

OFFICE OF THE DEAN
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January 27, 1965

Dr. Wilson Popenoe
Calle De La Nobleza Numa
Antigua, Guatemala, C.A.

Dear Doctor Popenoe:

I understand that my advancement in academic rank to that of professor may be given consideration in the very near future. A new policy recently introduced by our administration requires that letters be provided by persons not affiliated with our institution vouching for the fact that the individual concerned is in their opinion a recognized authority in his area of specialization. I feel that such a letter from you would certainly verify my qualifications. If you can find time in your busy schedule to write this letter it should be addressed to:

Dr. H. Franklin Williams
Dean of University College
University of Miami
Coral Gables, Florida 33124

Enclosed you will find a resume of my professional background and a list of my publications.

Hoping to see you on your next visit to Miami, I remain

Sincerely yours,

Margaret J. Mustard
Margaret J. Mustard
Associate Professor
of Botany

Enclosures

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION
MARGARET J. MUSTARD

INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Major</u>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>Date</u>
University of Miami	1938-42	Chemistry	B.S.	1942
University of Miami	1946-50	Botany	M.S.	1950
Ohio State University	Summer 1946			
Cornell University	Summer 1949			
Ohio State University	1956-58	Horticulture	Ph.D.	1958

Doctoral Dissertation - The Megagametophytes of the Lychee
(Litchi Chinensis Sonn.)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Dates of Service</u>
University of Florida (Sub-Tropical Exp. Sta.)	Chemical Technician	1942-1945
University of Miami	Instructor to Associate Professor	1945-present

ACADEMIC SOCIETIES

Sigma Delta Epsilon
Gamma Sigma Delta
Sigma Xi Club
Beta Beta Beta
American Men of Science
Leaders in American Science
Who's Who in American Education
Who's Who of American Women (to be listed in 3rd Ed.)

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

American Society for Horticultural Science
Caribbean Region of American Society for Horticultural Science
American Association for the Advancement of Science
Florida State Horticultural Society
The Soil and Crop Science Society of Florida
Florida Lychee Growers Association
Florida Mango Forum
Florida Academy of Sciences (inactive)

SPECIAL SERVICES OF ACHIEVEMENTS IN PROFESSIONAL FIELD

Vice President of Florida State Horticultural Society - 1951

President of Florida Mango Forum - 1961

Graduate Fellow (Ohio State University) - 1956-57

Recipient Helena Chamberlain Memorial Fellowship
(Ohio State University) - 1957-58

PUBLICATIONS

See attached list

PUBLICATIONS

(Margaret Jean Mustard)

1. Lynch, S. John, Margaret J. Mustard and Grant Slater - The Effect of Potash Upon the Yield of Papaya Fruit and Upon Some of Its Chemical Constituents. Fla. State Hort. Soc. Proc. pp. 117-122, 1943.
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11. Mustard, Margaret J. - Pectin from Persian Limes. Florida Grower, Oct. 1946.
12. Mustard, Margaret J. - Some Factors Involved in the Browning of Quick-Frozen Fruits and Vegetables. Fla. Mango Forum Proc. pp. 25-27, 1947.
13. Stahl, Arthur L., S. John Lynch and Margaret J. Mustard - Research in Tropical Horticulture at the University of Miami. Fla. State Hort. Soc. Proc. pp. 178-181, 1947.
14. Mustard, Margaret J. - Preservation of Mangos by Freezing. Fla. Mango Forum Proc. pp. 27-29, 1948.
15. Stahl, Arthur L. and Margaret J. Mustard - Consumer Packaging of Tahiti (Persian) Limes. Fla. State Hort. Soc. Proc. pp. 242-250, 1948.

16. Stahl, Arthur L. and Margaret J. Mustard - Consumer Packaging of Florida Beans. Fla. State Hort. Soc. Proc. pp. 151-158, 1949.
17. Mustard, Margaret J. and Arthur L. Stahl - Packaging and Storage of Mangos and Avocados. Fla. State Hort. Soc. Proc. pp. 226-232, 1949.
18. Mustard, Margaret J. and Arthur L. Stahl - The Freezing Preservation of Tropical and Sub-Tropical Fruits. Quick Frozen Foods, Feb. 1950.
19. Lynch, S. John and Margaret J. Mustard - Mangos in Florida. Fla. State Dept. of Agr. Bull. #135, 1950.
20. Mustard, Margaret J. - Studies on the Packaging and Storage of Persian Limes. Master's thesis, University of Miami, 1950.
21. Mustard, Margaret J. - Packaging and Storage of Persian Limes. Fla. State Hort. Soc. Proc. pp. 228-236, 1951.
22. Mustard, Margaret J. - The Use of Latex VL-600 as a Surface Coating for Tomatoes. Fla. State Hort. Soc. Proc. pp. 105-109, 1951.
23. Mustard, Margaret J. - Ascorbic Acid Content of Some Miscellaneous Tropical and Subtropical Plants and Plant Products. Food Research, 17(1): 31-35, 1952.
24. Mustard, Margaret J. - Effect of Cold Storage on Some Florida Avocados. Fla. State Hort. Soc. Proc. pp. 180-186, 1952.
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26. Mustard, Margaret J. - Future of the Guava as a Fresh Fruit is Promising. Florida Grower and Rancher pp. 4 & 19, July 1954.
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34. Mustard, Margaret J., S. John Lynch and Roy O. Nelson - Pollination and Floral Studies of the Minneola Tangelo. Fla. State Hort. Soc. Proc. pp. 277-281, 1956.
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40. Mustard, Margaret J. - Progress Report on the Unfruitfulness of the Minneola Tangelo. Ceiba, Vol. 9, No. 1, pp. 45-48, March 1961.
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Antigua, Guatemala, 9 February 1965

Dr. H. Franklin Williams,
Dean of University College
University of Miami,
Coral Gables, Florida.

Dear Doctor Williams:

It has come to my attention that Doctor Margaret Jean Mustard is being considered for advancement to the rank of Professor in your institution. Because of my long familiarity with horticultural work in southern Florida I earnestly desire to put in a word for her.

Few people have done more for the advancement of tropical horticultural science. I say this with confidence, for I have known personally most of the workers in this field during the past half century. Doctor ^{her}Mustard's work has been on a high scientific level and she has stuck to the job for many years, which cannot be said of everyone. It will materially enhance the prestige of the University if she is made a Professor, and it will encourage her to continue her useful work for many years.

than Jean Mustard
and will encourage her to continue in this field
Sincerely yours,

Wilson Popcoe
Director Emeritus

to which I have devoted my life

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February 6, 1967

Dr. Wilson Popenoe
Calle De La Nobleza Num 2
Antigua, Guatemala

Dear Dr. Popenoe:

I have just noted in reading the current issue of the newsletter of the Caribbean Region of the American Society for Horticultural Science, that you were recently honored by an International Symposium on Plant Introduction at the Escuela Agricola Panamericana.

Congratulations, this is an honor well deserved by you considering your great contributions to the horticulture of the world.

I am sorry that I did not have an opportunity to see you during your recent visit to Florida. Perhaps the next time that you are in Miami I will be able to do so.

I think you might be interested in knowing that our mutual friend, Johnny Lynch, has gone out of the retail nursery business and is currently establishing a wholesale nursery on the outskirts of Sarasota.

As soon as your new book on tropical fruits is available please let me know. Remember I have an order in for one of the first copies that come off the press. Let me know how I may procure it and I will be glad to send a check to whatever the source indicated. The next time I see you, however, I expect to get this book autographed.

With kindest personal regards, I remain,

Sincerely yours,

Margaret J. Mustard
Margaret J. Mustard
Professor Tropical Botany

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DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGY
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May 10, 1974

Dr. Wilson Popenoe
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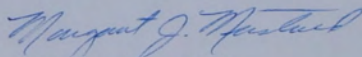
Dear Dr. Popenoe:

When I received reprints of a publication by Johnny Lynch and me, decided that you might like to know that we are still both at it. Throughout the years since the University of Miami Experimental Farm was disbanded we tried to get out a joint publication every couple of years. It gives us a good excuse to get together and discuss the Florida Horticultural problems.

I sincerely hope that you and your wife and are enjoying Antigua for it is one of the most beautiful locations that I have ever visited.

With my best regards to you both, I remain

Sincerely,



Margaret J. Mustard
Professor of Tropical Botany

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Enclosure