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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.

Agardh

celebrates author on algae now a Bishop

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AGARDH (C. A., Bishop) Naturalist, Author of "Algæ," and other Botanical Works.

My dear Sir.

Mr R. Brown having kindly offered to me, to make my name acquainted to you, and to desire you to make some arrangement for me for to have a chamber, during the meeting of ^{the} Naturalists at Cambridge, I feel myself obliged, in joining his friendly request for that purpose, to state the very day I hope to be at Cambridge, having agreed with Mr. Brown, that I would go from hence Saturday the 22^d of June, which resolution I have ^{found} afterwards necessary to change.

Mr Durdull, a friend of yours, has offered ^{to} me to be my conductor, and he going from hence ^{before} just not for Monday the 24 at one o'clock, I have

deferred my setting out to that day, for to have
the pleasure of his company during the voyage.

I am very glad to find this occasion
to express to you my sentiments of high consideration,
having the honor to be

My dear Sir,

Your most obedient humble servant

C. A. Agardh
Professor at Lund in Sweden

London the 16 June 1833

Newton Hotel, Leicester Square,

To Rev. Prof. Henslow.