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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.

MINISTÈRE
DE
L'AGRICULTURE.

RÉPUBLIQUE FRANÇAISE.

Paris, le 25 MAI 1922

Cabinet
du Ministre.

MÉRITE AGRICOLE.

Madame

J'ai l'honneur de vous faire connaître que, par arrêté en date de ce jour, je vous ai conféré la Décoration de Chevalier du Mérite agricole.

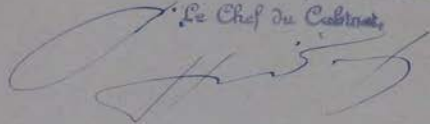
Je suis heureux d'avoir pu vous accorder cette distinction en récompense des services que vous avez rendus à l'agriculture.

Recevez, Madame, l'hommage de mes sentiments respectueux.

Le Ministre de l'Agriculture,

Pour le Ministre et par autorisation

Le Chef du Cabinet,



Madame Harding née Howard Alice
Horticulteur, Burnley Farm, Plainfield
New-Jersey - E. U. A.

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Cabinet
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Mérite agricole.

RÉPUBLIQUE FRANÇAISE.

Paris le 25 MAI 1928 192

Monsieur le Député,

J'ai l'honneur de vous faire connaître que, par arrêté
en date de ce jour, j'ai nommé Chevalier du Mérite agricole
M^{me} Harding née Leonard Alice
Horticulteur, Plainfield, New-Jersey.

Je suis heureux, Monsieur le Député, d'avoir pu
accorder cette distinction à M^{me} Harding
en récompense de ses bons services, et je m'empresse de porter
cette décision à votre connaissance.

Agrez, Monsieur le Député, l'assurance de ma
haute considération.

Le Ministre de l'Agriculture,
Pour le Ministre et par autorisation
Le Chef du Cabinet,

[Signature]

A Monsieur Romblat Député.