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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.



Merry Christmas

Pat & Ernie Schuyler

24/12/78

Happy Holidays!

- ✓ First to answer your letter of 4 May! Glad you got to see Ron Stuckey; he joins us frequently at lunch time at the Faculty Club and there never is a lull in the conversation. Good luck with you work on the Pine Barrens.
 - ✓ The last chmn. of the botany dept. was not reappointed because of his dishonest actions so Rudy is acting chmn. for one year; he started cleaning up the messes the 1st of July. Fortunately, the man is working in Texas this year.
 - ✓ Yes, we were at botanical meetings in Blacksburg and Athens; interesting universities but what cultural voids on the American landscape. Rudy gave a paper in Madison at the Hist. of Sci. meetings on childrens natural history books; comparing 19th c. with 20th c. and cheap books for both periods vs. expensive books.
 - ✓ He also continues to work on a manuscript about American women botanists. We were at the Ohio Hist. Soc. Friday for lunch with the librarian and also become more familiar with its library; I'm interested in turn of the century trade catalogs that contain buttons. We finally became members last year; it is almost within walking distance of our house.
 - ✓ In November we flew to Calgary for the annual meeting of the Arctic Inst. No. Amer and Rudy's last time to preside over the meeting. It was a tricky meeting due to changes in financing, by-laws and U.S./Canadian politics. He did an excellent job. I reported that our newly founded Ohio Chapter has over 30 members and encouraged others to establish local chapters.
 - ✓ I'm now on an I.B.Singer book reading binge; just finished The Manor and enjoyed the interview in the NY Times Mag. section recently. Earlier in the year Rudy found a large collection of Nabokov which I devoured. I also finished another lovely book, you may like it too, by Susan Fromberg Schaeffer, Time in Its Flight, Doubleday, 1978.
- This card I got recently in DC where I was for two days trying to get U.S. Environmental Protection Agency report literature from their many divisions, sections, info. centers, libraries, etc. In addition to reports coming from all these places at Waterside Mall, there is the radiation literature from Headquarters in Virginia, 8 national laboratories, 10 regions in the U.S. and who knows where else. I stopped in at U.S. Dept. of Energy headquarters; they are now located in 18 buildings in the District! But the subway system is so clean and neat; can't wait for it to be completed. Had a wonderful lunch in the remodeled old redsandstone Smithsonian

building (with memories of working there nearly 20 yrs. ago in the herbarium and library...not air conditioned).

Well, it is the time of year to check up on families and friends. You know that we want to see you soon; it's just not possible now.

We had a cocktail party for the bot. dept. fac., staff and grad students (at the request of the grad students!) Dec. 3 and over 80 people came...you can imagine the decibel level after several drinks! This meant that I got the house decorated early.

Think of you often.

Fondly,

Ann

Ann + Rudy Rudolph

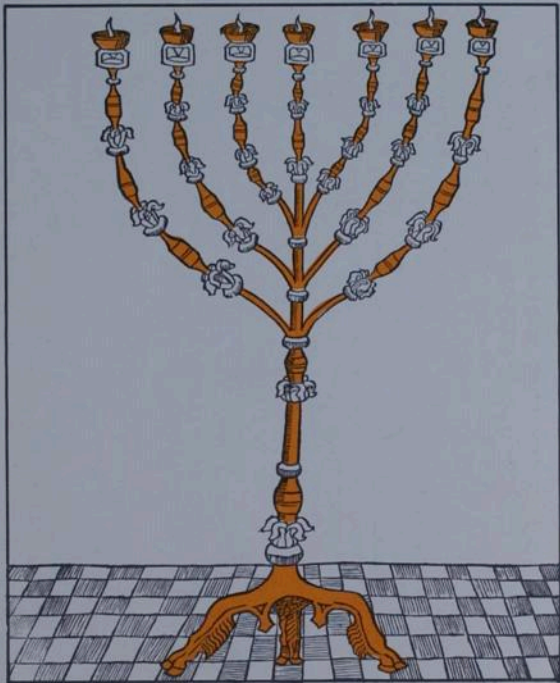


*When there is dog
Sampson - now 8 yr.*

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Menorah, a woodcut from Hartmann Schedel's *Liber chronicarum*, published in Nuremberg, Germany, in 1493. Illustrated by Michael Wolgemut and Wilhelm Pleydenwurff.

Rare Book and Special Collections Division, Library of Congress





NICHT JEDER KANN DEN BERGESGIPFEL
ERREICHEN, ABER ER KANN SICH VON
IHM DIE RICHTUNG ZEIGEN LASSEN.

Ausspruch des Indianers Adjappy.
Lake Mistassini, Labrador-Halbinsel

"Not everyone can reach
the summit of the
mountain, but it can
show him the right
direction".

Hoping that yours
are well and happy,

As ever,

Liva Lips.

EIN GLÜCKLICHES GESUNDES
NEUES JAHR WUNSCHT IHNEN
UND DEN IHREN

PROF. DR. EVA LIPS

NEUJAHR 1979



NUR WAS ICH VERSTEHE
KANN ICH BESITZEN

Ausspruch des Noakapi-Indianers Josephé Marigouche,
Lac St. Jean, Canada

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Leipzig



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Prettige Feestdagen

vrolijk keestfeest
en gelukkig nieuwjaar

a merry christmas and
a happy new year

joyeux Noël et heureuse
nouvelle année

mit besten wünschen
für frohe weihnachten
und glückliches neujahr

porciamo i migliori auguri
per un buon natale ed
un prospero nuovo anno

felices pascuas de navidad
y próspero año nuevo

en god jul och
ett gott nytt år

ġoġigan kristmaskon kaj
feliċan novan jaron

From ad Lily Staple

*From
Staple*



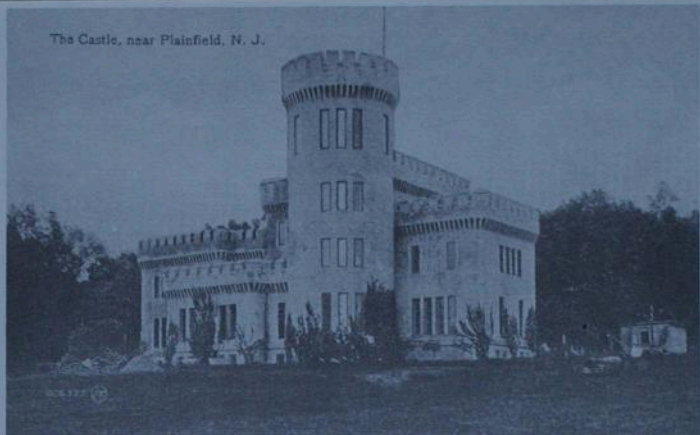
happy holidays

THE SEASON'S GREETINGS
1978 - 1979

Cornus florida. - Flowering dogwood is very abundant in our Back Hills area of the Ozarks. It comes into flower around the first of April, before the oak forest is in leaf, and lasts from two to four weeks. The oak forests are in leaf about mid-April and the dogwood is hidden. The red berries become prominent toward the end of August and stay on until the birds eat them and scatter the seeds. This photograph was taken in mid-September near our home.

Terua and Louis Williams, Route 6, Rogers, Ark. 72756

The Castle, near Plainfield, N. J.



Dear Family & Friends,

We send our annual greetings to you for a BLESSED CHRISTMAS and a GOOD NEW YEAR, and not only to each of you personally but to all the world from the Elsinore Castle, locally known as the "Moldenke Castle", as it appeared in about 1910 during the first phase of its construction. It was located on the Moldenke estate in Watchung, N. J., just across the road from Villa Elsinore where Harold was born and spent his childhood. It was built by his Uncle Richard, a famous metallurgist and mining engineer, based on a German castle on the Rhine with the addition of English battlements. More connecting buildings in the same style were added later. Here he conducted his lifelong experiments with and testing of malleable metals. The castle was used for filming portions of a Hollywood movie and for mock battle practice by the National Guard in World War I and was the locale for numerous local legends and tales. Unfortunately, after extensive vandalism it has recently been razed and replaced by a development of new luxury homes, and so a local landmark which should have been



preserved for posterity is forever gone.

Our great joy during the past academic year was to be able to visit with and be visited by Andrew and Alison and young Kelsey while they resided on the Vassar campus. Now they are back in their home in Santa Cruz, California, while Alison is teaching in nearby Santa Clara University and Andy is continuing his research in pollination ecology and entomology and caring for Kelsey who grows healthily and happily with close parental contacts.

Alma's special joy of the year was a reunion in September of all her siblings and all their respective spouses and some offspring on the occasion of a surprise celebration of the 35th wedding anniversary of her "little" sister Frances and Albert Herling. Here we met brother Ed's (Eric's) lovely new wife, Faye.

This year we vacationed only as far away as beautiful Vermont, chiefly because our physical energy gave out.

Harold can report nearing the end of the new "Flora of Ceylon" manuscript. He has been continuing the annotation

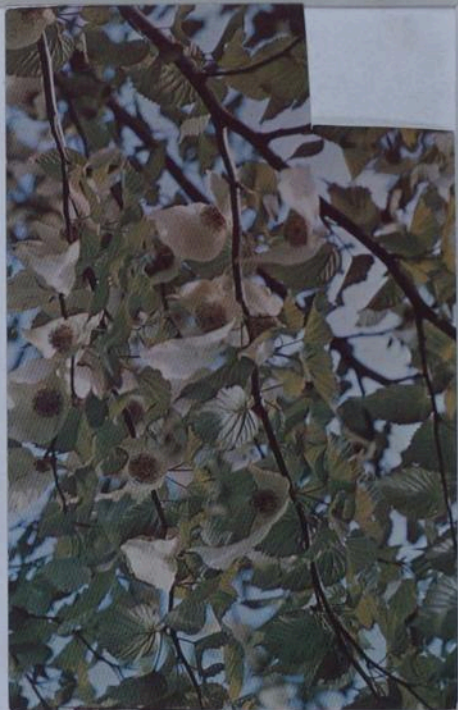
of hundred of herbarium specimens from various botanical institutions all over the world and publishing further installments to his monographs of various genera in the vervain, black-mangrove, and pipewort families in PHYTOLOGIA (which is now in its 41st volume). Alma has been busy with book reviewing, proof reading, and scientific literature tracing.

May the Camp David Summit and similar efforts produce the desired results and so

Let peace encircle all the world,
Let men walk hand in hand,
A living bond of brotherhood,
A voice from land to land.

H.B.S.
Harold & Alma Moldenke
303 Parkside Road,
Plainfield, N. J. 07060

December 1978



Dec. 1978

Davidia involucrata

Dove Tree

Introduced into this country by the Arnold Arboretum in 1904.

One of the many unusual trees grown in this world famous garden.

Dear Ed + Oscar,
How are you
of you a lot but haven't been
near Atlantic City lately.
Last summer we flew
East instead of driving
(because of the new level
air fares).

We're expecting our
family here for the
holidays so we're looking
forward to that.

Love and Holiday
Greetings from both of us
to both of you -

Alan + Mary Mac
Ewan.

Mac Ewan
3451 N. Santa Rita
Tucson
AZ 85717

POSTCARD

Oscar + Ed Langman
Riviera Apts. 7B
116 S. Raleigh Ave.
Atlantic City
N.J. 08401



Ilex aquifolium

Holly, com.

W. & A. G. S.

1878

113. Tang, Librarian - Smithsonian
Institute

I hope all is well with you. We
are fine and I'm still scurrying
around Botany Library, basic than
ever. We see Mary France about once
a year and I ran into Ginny Speck
on the subway last year. (You
wouldn't know Washington, with a
subway, yet!)

Can you believe I'm in actually
in press after all these years! I
think publication is scheduled for
spring or summer.

Gilda are fine - Lisa is still in
Philadelphia and Kerla and Robert
are now in the New Carrollton
area here. We are enjoying having them
so close.

Ruth Schallert - 1978



Dendrocopos major - Star Flageparotte
Great spotted woodpecker - Dant Specht - Pic Epotech

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With the Season's
Greetings
and all my
Good Wishes
for 1979.

Bep M.

A m n message
Botanica -
Utrecht -
Holland



19689
METROPOLITAN ARTISTS
CAMBRIDGE, MASS. 02142
MADE IN U.S.A.

PM
1201

Merry Christmas
&
Happy New Year

WITH
EVERY GOOD WISH
FOR
YOUR HAPPINESS
THIS HOLIDAY
SEASON

Please note our new address.
201 West Evergreen Ave.
Philadelphia, Pa. 19118

C. Y. & H. L. Li
+
manus
artist

1975

LANGMAN
RIVERA APTS #78
116 S. Raleigh Avenue
Atlantic City, NJ 08401

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FIRST CLASS

Mrs. Rita J. Gordon
Hunt Botanical Library
Carnegie Mellon University
Pittsburgh, Penn.

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11 January 1877
 Dear, Cate: How good to hear from you
 getting a head for the book was fine -
 but the extra note from you was
 really on the cork! I, too, wish I could
 visit you all in Pittsburgh. But I
 don't see even in the near future way in
 your come to Atlantic City - do these
 cases interest you? I not - a week
 on the board will be always fine!

Now - let me ask you to be more
 a favor. In past years, I have sent the
 postcards I receive from botanists
 for the archives at Herbar. So would
 you please give the enclosed cards
 to Mr. Steyer. If he doesn't want them -
 he can dispose them.

Finally - how you manage for
 Mr. Keger:

Thank you for the check payment
 for the Sartorius book. Have two
 other books I am ready to sell.

1. The Botany of Cook's Voyages
 by Charles DeKay - may be
 the library already has it. It is
Chronica Botanica v. 2: 14 - 140/6.
 original price - \$4.75.
2. Guide to the manuscript
 collections in the Acad. des
 Natural Sciences of Philadelphia.

compiled by Vernon T. Phillips
and Thomas C. Phillips.

1963.

There's no need to answer quickly
on this matter. I will be away
after January 23 for several
weeks. So let me know your
answer at your convenience.

With best wishes -

Sincerely
John H. Langdon

Christmas Cards : From Matuda to Langman

1962-1978

1962 - accessioned as Individual Portrait #6 (Matuda, Matuda Eizi) in 1981.

1977 }
1978 } not accessioned as Ind. Portraits due to poor quality of photograph.

Accessioned as Matuda Individual Portraits # 8 - # 16

(portrait #'s are written on Christmas Card)

in April 2004 by Jamie Shriver

- Digital Image Print-outs can be found in individual's portrait folder.
- See Archive Collection # 179, Ida K. Langman, Box 1, ff 21
for original photograph included as part of Christmas Card.
- Master Negative is housed in vault on 5th floor

Mahda Portrait #6



Un cordial saludo

1962

Miduho y Eizi Motuda



Toumoukia pinguet, en Quahuila, Mexico.



FELICES

PASCUAS




son
nuestros mejores
deseos

Date: 1965

Mahulu

Portrait #8

Dr. & Mrs. Lanaman

May God bless you on your biological
researches. We lost Maximino in June, and very
recently Miranda (17th December). We are very triste
But this is this world. there is no eternity in this world.
With science only, there is no salvation for eternity,
there is no world wide peace! Thank God with the
Christian faith, we have unique eternity hope. Now
we will go on our way of botanical science but with
ardient hope! sincerely yours Mr & Mrs E. W. 



Dear Lagman
may the glorious hope
and happy peace
that ring through
in the angel's song,
come into your blessed hearts
at the merry Christmas
Time
And keep your blessing
the whole year 1966,
To push up your biological research.
E. & M. Matuda



In research trip, to Cactus land of
State of Igo. XII 1965

Season's Greetings

All best wishes for the new year

*Que la Paz Navideña reine en su hogar
y que el Año nuevo sea una bendición
llena de dicha y alegría*

Son los deseos de:

Dr. Eizi Matuda y Familia

Estamos recibiendo muchos
beneficios por su espléndida obra
Index Biografico.

Much thanks.

E. Martens ²³

In research trip to Cactusland



Echinocactus grandis Rose en Hidalgo, México - 1966

Esperamos que alivia
pronto, en señor. y ade-
lantaremos un paso, mas,
pro-Ciencia y pro-paz.
pro dia 1968

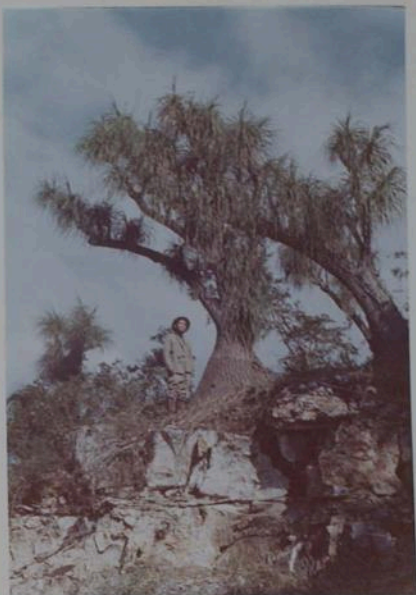
Matilde Botet # 10

*Cordial Saludo
del tiempo*

*Deseamos a usted y su apreciable
familia, toda clase de felicidad
para el año venidero 1968*

diciembre de 1967

Matuda, Eizi y Familia



BEAUCARNEA INERMIS ROSE
EN SIERRA DE ABRA, TAMAULIPAS, MEXICO.
- 200 AÑOS SOBRE LA ROCA -
ADAPTACION, APLICACION Y EXISTENCIA PARA LA VIDA.

Eizi Matuda

Season's Greetings

All best wishes for the new year

Que la Paz Navideña reine en su hogar
y que el Año 1970 sea una bendición
llena de dicha y alegría.

Son los deseos de:

Matuda, Eizi y Miduho

Matuda Postcard # 11

I was great pleasure for
me to meet you in Washington
Hoping your good health
and forward your research
works. 1970.

E. Maluda



Furcraea nanchitlensis Maluda, sp. nov.

- Familia botánica Agavaceae -

Cañada de Nanchitlilla, Tejupilco, Estado de México, (1.800 m. alt.)

Cordial Saludos

del tiempo

*Deseamos a usted y a su apreciable
familia, toda clase de felicidad
para el año venidero 1971*

Diciembre de 1970.

Matuda, Eizi y Mizuho

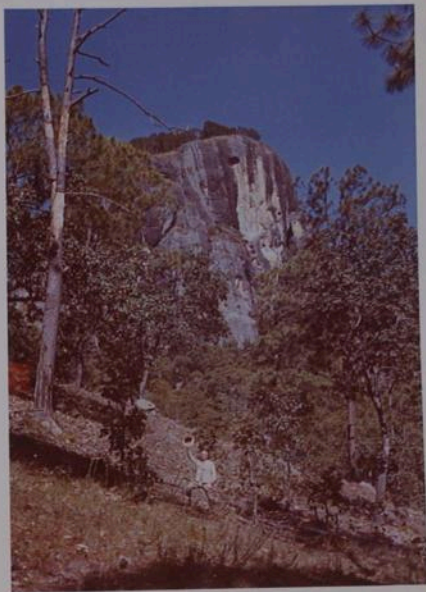
DR. EIZI MATUDA
AVE. XOTEPINCO NUM. 90. CIUDAD JARDIN
MEXICO 21, D. F.

Matuda Postcard #12

Also, this year, one
step more to the center
of mystery and truth
of the Nature, with
you.

dic. 1970

E. Matuda



EL CERRO DE TRES REYES, TEMARCAALTEPEC, ESTADO DE MEXICO,
2200 M. LOCAL TÍPICO DE *BESCHORNERIA FORMOSA*
MATUDA, SP. NOV. "ARAVACAEAE". EL CERRO TIENE 3 PERONES
SEPARADOS, DE 300 M. DE ALTO CADA UNO; AL FONDO ES EL DEL
CENTRO, LLAMADO SEGUNDO REY.

Season's Greetings

All best wishes for the new year

*Que la Paz Navideña reine en su hogar
y que el Año 1972 sea una bendición
llena de dicha y alegría,*

Son los deseos de:

Matuda, Eizi y Mihuho

Matuda Postcard #13



En busca de *FURCRAEA*, en la Sierra de Guarda, México,
bosque mixto de los Pinos y Encinos, 3,000 m
Dic. 1971.

Season's Greetings

All best wishes for the New Year

*Que la Paz Navideña reine en su hogar
y que el Año 1973 sea una bendición
llena de dicha y prosperidad*

Son los señores de

Matuda, Eizi y Miduho

Matuda Portent # 14

Hoping your continued
success on your biological
works. With best wishes
and kindest regards.

1973.

E. Matuda



Furcraea longeva Vent. con flor.
Familia Bolónica Agavaceas, en la Sierra Lecheguilla,
Yaviepec, Oaxaca, México. 2900 m. La Inflorescencia
con el escape mide 6 m. Es primera fotografía de la flor
tomada en México, mayo de 1972. Esta *Furcraea* florea
una vez, 30-40 años de crecimiento y post-floración se
seca, dejando muchas semillas.

Season's Greetings

All best wishes for the New Year

*Que la Paz Navileña reine en su hogar
y que el Año 1874 sea una bendición
llena de dicha y prosperidad*

Son los deseos de

Matuda, Eizi y Miduko

Matuda Poetent #15

Hoping to push one step
more to the Center of the
Nature, this year.

Hoping your continued
success and good health.

1974

E. Matuda

DR. EIZI MATUDA

AVE. XOTERINDO NUM. 80, CIUDAD JARDIN
MEXICO 20, D. F.



Furcraea MacDougallii Matuda
(Familia Botánica Agaváceae)

Santiago Miltepec, Estado de Oaxaca, México:
Septiembre 30 de 1973 con plena floración. El
tronco 5 metros, el escapo con la inflorescencia
nide 6 metros, la hoja más de 2 metros de largo.
Evidencia de Oaxaca. El nombre taxa en honor
de Thomas MacDougall, primer colector.

Season's Greetings

All best wishes for the New Year

*Que la Paz Navideña reine en su hogar
y que el Año 1976 sea una bendición
llena de dicha y prosperidad*

Son los deseos de

Matuda, Eizi y Miduho

AV. XOTEPINGO 90
CIUDAD JARDIN, MEXICO 21, D. F.

Matuda Postcard # 16



TILLANDSIA SUPERINSIGNIS MATUDA, SP. NOV.
BARRANCA DE NANCHITITLA, ESTADO DE MEXICO,
1800 METROS DE ALTITUD,

Season's Greetings

All best wishes for the New Year

*Que la Paz Navideña reine en su hogar
y que el Año 1978 sea una bendición
llena de dicha y prosperidad*

Son los deseos de:

Matuda, Eizi y Miduho

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MATUDAEA TRINERVIS LUND.; G. NOV.
FAMILIA HAMAMELIDACEAE
EN CAÑADA DE NANCHITITLA, TEJUPILCO,
ESTADO DE MEXICO 1600 M S N.M.

Nov 1978

Season's Greetings

All best wishes for the New Year

*Que la Paz Navidena reine en su hogar
y que el año 1977 sea una bendición
llena de dicha y prosperidad*

Son los deseos de

Matuda, Eizi y Miduho

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MEXICO

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FURCRAEA JALISCENSIS MATUDA, SP. NOV.
FAMILIA AGAVACEAE
DE BARRANCA DE EL TUITO, JALISCO, MEXICO
ESCAPO E INFLORENCIA MIDE 5 M.