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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.

Hale

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION
UNITED STATES NATIONAL MUSEUM
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

July 17, 1957

Herrn. Dr. V. J. Grunmann
Liliencronstrasse 16
Berlin-Steglitz, Germany

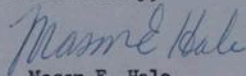
Dear Dr. Grunmann:

I recently joined the staff of the United States National Museum as Associate Curator of the Division of Cryptogams. My exchange accounts with you will therefore be combined with those of this institution. Could you provide me with the number of specimens that I presently owe to your institution?

Our exchange program will be greatly expanded this fall in an effort to build the collections of European lichens.

Best wishes for a profitable summer.

Yours sincerely,



Mason E. Hale
Associate Curator
Division of Cryptogams

18 May 1953

Dr. V. J. Grunmann!

I thank you sincerely for the excellent collection of lichens which I just received! I did not have a number of the species in my herbarium and was pleased to get them.

I would like to continue exchanges with you in the future, especially in small numbers because it is not easy for me at times to find large numbers of exchange lichens.

Sincerely, *Mason Hale*

Birge Hall, Univ. of Wis. Madison, Wisconsin USA

Madison Jan 12 1953.

Herrn Dr. Grunmann!

I thank you for your kind letter of last Nov.

I have sent a check of 80 dollars to Johnson Reprint who will credit it to your account.

I am also preparing to send you a package of lichens.

Please forgive me for the delay in completing these matters.

Sincerely, Mason E. Hale

Hale / Wisconsin
am 4. 7. 51
Rabenhorst Land 8/9
für 80 ackzig
Güller portofrei
(statt 130.-) angeboten.

Seciotea atroxocarpa
date

~~See note, 155.~~

Halt 130. - 80. -
" " 4.20 - ?

$\frac{80 \cdot 42}{65} = \frac{168}{65}$ $130:42 = 80:42$
 $\frac{420}{126}$ $\frac{546:8=68}{66}$

Madison den 5 november 1951

*Januar 15. 1. 52: ich schick
an Johnson wegen Patentsatzung.*

Sehr geehrter Dr. Grumann!

Bitte entschuldigen Sie mich, dass ich Ihnen nicht
früher geschrieben habe. Es tut mir sehr leid,
dass ich ~~ich~~ nicht genügend Geld im Augenblick für
Rabenhorst habe. Aber in der Zukunft hoffe ich
genügend Geld zur Verfügung zu haben.

Die Proben, die Sie wünschen, werde ich
Ihnen bald schicken.

Ihr ergebener

Mason Hale

Am 29 Juli 1951

Sehr geehrter Herr Dr. Grommann:

Für die Zusendung Ihrer Arbeit "Bildungsabweichungen
Flechten" danke ich Ihnen hiermit herzlichst.
Freut mich Sie zu meine Sammlung zuzufügen.

Leider habe ich keine Proben der Flechten von Connecticut
Es würde mich aber freuen, Ihnen Proben derselben
aus Wisconsin zu schicken. Ich werde auch Ihnen
Fragebogen später zuschicken.

Da mein Rabenhorst nicht vollständig ist, möchte
ich mir die Exemplare erwerben, welche Sie zum Kaufe
anbieten. Würden Sie mir bitte sofort benachrichtigen
welche die Verkaufsbedingungen sind?

Mit herzlichen Grüßen bin ich

Ihr ergebener

Wasm. Hale

Sept. 29 1952

Lawrence, S. M. 52

Dr. V. J. Grummann!

I am very sorry to have delayed writing to you so long. I received the set of Rabenhorst in good condition. At that time I was just getting married and had no money available. I wrote to Johnson Reprint in New York but they said they did not know who you were.

I think I am now able to pay you the 80 dollars for the set. I will send you the money directly, sometime before December, unless you can arrange it through Johnson Reprint.

Sincerely,

Mason E. Hale

Mason L. Hale
Birge Hall
Univ. of Wis.
Madison, Wis.

Flale angehalten am 21. 8. 51 Gemahnt
 Lot - Diller, dann Loto um Bescheld
 am 23. 10. 51.

Rabenhorst,

- | | | | |
|-----|------------------------|--|-------------|
| 1) | <u>Lot 1</u> | 10. Abt. | 3,55 Diller |
| 2) | <u>" 8</u> | Kammer | 8,45 |
| 3) | <u>" 9</u> | 1. Abt. Teil 1 | 11,45 |
| 4) | " | " 2 | 15,45 |
| 5) | " | 2. " 1 | 6,85 |
| 6) | " | " 2 | 7,90 |
| 7) | " | 4. " 1 | 6,90 |
| 8) | " | " 2 | 7,55 |
| 9) | " | 5. " 1 | 11,75 |
| 10) | " | " 3 | 5,70 |
| 11) | " | 6. " 1 | 3,20 |
| 12) | <u>" 10</u> | 2. " | 4, — |
| 13) | " | 3. " | 20,20 |
| 14) | <u>" 11</u> | | 22,50 |
| 15) | <u>" 12</u> | 4. " | 10,35 |
| 16) | <u>" 13</u> | 1. " <u>Teil 1</u> <u>2</u> abt. 1, <u>Teil 2</u> , <u>Teil 1</u> <u>2</u> abt. 2
<u>Teil 3-4</u> | 21,50 |
| 17) | <u>" 14</u> | | 13,75 |
| 18) | <u>Frucht - Frucht</u> | Ld. 8 | 3,50 |
| 19) | <u>Rabenhorst</u> | Ld. 7, <u>Teil 1</u> , <u>Teil 4-5</u> <u>2</u> <u>Teil 2</u> , <u>Teil 3-5</u> | 8,80 |

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July 19, 1960

to Hale

Dear Dr. Grumann:

Dr. Evans died last winter, and I am finishing his biography for your Lichenologen im Bild.

I might at this time add more material to my own
Hale! biography, that I previously sent to you.



Titel: Curator of the Division of Cryptogams, Smithsonian
Institution.

Zahl der lich. Verööffentl.: 30

Lich. Hauptarbeitsgebiete: Monographic studies of Parmelia,
microchemistry of lichens.

Nach dem Autor benannte Arten:

Rinodina halei Magn.

Physcia halei Thomson.

Sincerely,

Wason E. Hale

3,5 cm lang