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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.

Ans. September 1, 1898.

Div. No. 1880.

Report. Fragmentary specimens, no list made.

Disposal Returned.



to the Department of Agriculture,
(Botany), Washington, D.C.

Albuquerque, N.M.

Aug. 4. 1898.

Dear Sir!

You was so kind to regard my Herbarium, sent you by Hon. Fergusson, our able delegate, and to identify the different plants, contained in it. You would oblige me in a very high degree by identifying the flowers, which I am now going to send to you, and which I collected partly on the very top of our Sandia Mountain-ridge, partly on the Mesa of Belen, N.M., partly on our Mesa here close to Albuquerque. You may take a list of the flowers for yourself, as it may be of interest, with regard to the distribution of flowers and their occurrence at different heights. I am anxious to collect the whole flora at least of the vicinity of Albuquerque, N.M. Please send

The Herbarium looks to the address: 312 St. Third street,
Albuquerque N.M.

Yours very thankfull
Rev. J. A. Bendrat,

P. S. If you wish me, to collect also for
your department, I would gladly do so but
then send me "franks", that I need not
pay postage.