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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.

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Chico, Butte Co., Calif.

Nov 26 - 1897

Mr Fred. V. Coville

My Dear Sir

With this I send you a list
of my plants

in hopes they may be
purchased

I have about 100 more
not yet named

Yours Sincerely

H. E. Brown

P.S. you will see by the
no's. and names that some of the
plants have been coll twice howe-
ver I only charge for one but put
both in as one specimen
and charge for one