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The Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentation, a research division of Carnegie Mellon University, specializes in the history of botany and all aspects of plant science and serves the international scientific community through research and documentation. To this end, the Institute acquires and maintains authoritative collections of books, plant images, manuscripts, portraits and data files, and provides publications and other modes of information service. The Institute meets the reference needs of botanists, biologists, historians, conservationists, librarians, bibliographers and the public at large, especially those concerned with any aspect of the North American flora.

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.

Probably Prof E M Wilcox who has my place
at Auburn. would undertake to get it for you.
if he knew the locality.

I hope to see you Monday afternoon, as I
shall be in Washington for a few hours on
my way to West Texas.

Yours truly
F. P. Earle

ferns. I had supposed this would be
the case since it is the only possible
logical arrangement still I am very
glad to hear of it for I know it would
meet Underwoods wishes. Poor man!
we will none of us ever get over the
shock of his tumble ending. I can't
at all realize it even yet.

Yours as ever

J S Earle