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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.



Two-Penny
Post
Royal Mail
Kensington

Nov. 9. 1801

Dr. William Torrey
Edenburgh

Received by Mr. H. P.



them down by a smack to Leith,
at the most proper season.
I mentioned that the North wall is
already built about 50 feet of
each of the East & West walls. The
rest of the walls will be completed
as early in the season as the
weather will permit.

Accepting hearty thanks for
your kind attention to serve
me in this matter, I am truly

Sr

Yours: Geo. Humphreys
William Forbes

Place sur le Grev

List of fruit-trees

11/4/181

Pears—

Jargonelle
 Swan-Egg
 Muirford Egg
 Green Hair
 Red Auehin
 Grey Auehin
 Winter Auehin
 Summer Bergamot
 Winter—
 Colmar
 Longueville

Apples

Golden Pippin
 Orange—
 Ribstone—
 Newton
 Nonpareil
 Russet
 Leedington

Cherries

Black Heart
 White—
 Red—
 Bleeding
 Carnation
 Kentish
 May Duke
 Arch Duke

Apricot
 Moorpark
 Orange
 Turkey
 Breda

Peaches

Early Purple
 Royal George
 Noblest Orange
 Galant
 Red May Dale

Grapes

Appropos assortment
 of the best sorts
 of red & white

Plums

Nectarines
 Newington
 Duke de Chartres
 Duke de Silly
 Roman
 Green gage
 Blue
 Purple
 magnum Bonum
 Imperial
 Totheringham
 Orleans

with the addition of any other kinds that
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