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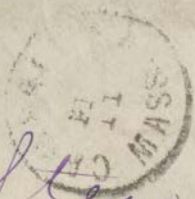
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Hunt Institute was dedicated in 1961 as the Rachel McMasters Miller Hunt Botanical Library, an international center for bibliographical research and service in the interests of botany and horticulture, as well as a center for the study of all aspects 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.

Dr. G. T. Stewart
Florida
Illinois



Feb. 10, 1870.

Corymbis no. 1. & 2.

Notwithstanding the difference
in char. habitat. I must regard
them as one species. - & of
those mentioned in Manual 5th.
as C. trichosperma approaching
C. aurea. Indeed I fear
C. aurea & trichosperma must
now run together inextricably. -
Your fine specimens & most
interesting & welcome.

After 5. = A. Drummondii.
Lindl. = A. sagittifolia, var.

After no. 1. is what I refer
to A. tenuifolia v.

bellidiflorus in Torr & Gr.
Fl. N. Amer. - & which
may include several
battering species. (*A. bellidiflorus* or *A. dracunculoides* is what you is most
like.

No. 3. I take for same
species. - a form ap=
proaching *A. miser*.

No. 4 belongs to my
A. simplex.

No. 2, = *A. laxiflorus* the
var? *latiflorus*. Fl. N.
Amer.

That is the best I can do

I am very thankful for
these fine specimens. &
I hope you will go on
making notes on these
difficult things & good
specimens. I wish you
would write your remarks
on one side only of
your paper, - so that
I may separate & keep
them with the specimens.

One of these days I hope
to have time & coverage
to study the genus over
again.

No new ed. of Chapman
yet.

I think it would be
well to make the
American Naturalist
of Salem, Mass. a
Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentation

medium for communication
between libraries -
to arrange offers for ex-
changes, etc. -

Your parcel came
only 3 or 4 days ago.
I took it up as soon
as I could.

Ever truly Yours

Albany