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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.

Joseph Dalton Hooker,

fils du célèbre botaniste du même nom. Directeur
du Jardin Royal de Kew, auteur de quelques ouvrages
marquants sur les Fongues en général, et les Fongues
des Îles Britanniques en particulier. Monographeiste
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Mr. J. G.Aug 9th 1867

My dear Sir,

Mrs Miller's address is
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Many thanks for your very
 obliging offer of your prep.

Very faithfully

J. S. Mendenhall

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