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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.

Ans. Nov. 23.

Manaos, Oct. 3, 1896.

Dear Sir,

Occupied since the beginning of this year in the exploration of the flora of the Upper Amazonas and its tributaries, I allow me to offer you a set of my herbarium plants from these regions. The specimens are well prepared and will be distributed with determination.

The price will be 60 Mark for a hundred specimens.

Every year I suppose to be able to send 5 to 6 centuries.

If you like to subscribe for a set, I ask you to be so kind as to send me your answer by next mail.

Should you like to receive from here also fruit, seeds, drugs or alcoholic materials of biological interest, I shall be

Yours faithfully

Dr. P. Taubert
(from Götting Herbarium)

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Caixa 20.