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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.

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Dear Sir David Brainer

Principal Adam Smith told me today
that he had written asking you to review
for the "University Review" the memorial
Volume to Professor Trail, and asked me to
send you a copy. It will be sent out to all
subscribers, but shall try to let you have
an advance copy. I think you will be
pleased by the collection we have been able
to include & trust that the work of the
(sometimes too large) staff of editors will meet
with your approval.

We have been fortunate in our artist

and the Plague promises to be a real success.
We plan to have the whole Annual
complete by October - in time for the opening
of the new Department of Botany.

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Yours very truly

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