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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.



Maria

J'ai reçu votre lettre, et m'a fait
 bon plaisir. J'ai vu la description
 des deux espèces, par j'en ai rencontré.

Le vin fini me vient re-
 mercier de vouloir donner mon

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nom. Je suis sûr que vous m'en
 moi en homme, mais il vaudrait
 mieux de choisir un nom plus
 commun. Le vin me doit être
 peu.

J'espère par vos nouvelles de

pour les plantes que j'ai envoyées
à M^r Kerk.

M^r Molle venant à l'expédition par la
poste tous les échantillons de la nouvelle
Terre. C'est tout ce que nous avons
et je vous envoie de mon côté
quelques échantillons pour l'herbier. Plus
tard je tiens de me procurer plus
grand nombre.

Je vous salue - bon soir et

je vous prie d'apporter un senti-
ment de considération et amitié
Cairn, 11. 9. 40

Julie Affenriquet