

WILLIAM H. HUNT

Care Mrs Pitt House

Charlottesville,

Virginia,

My dear Todd,

Yesterday your interesting book about the Governors reached me here where we have been for several months. We came here from San Francisco to visit our eldest daughter, Elizabeth, now Mrs Taylor, who lives near this little city. But our stay has been indefinitely extended because Mrs. Hunt's health is so bad that she has been and is entirely unable to take the journey back to San Francisco. We hope she will improve although the prospect of travelling is, we fear, a long way off. Moving, long distances for old people is dangerous to health.

Your sketches of the governors is interesting. I am sorry you did not

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make your history longer, so as to include
the development of the Island during
the last 45 years. If you ever revise
the sketches, by all means elaborate
more. You are well able to undertake
such a work, using the ground you
have covered in historical outline of
American occupation.

Thank you very much for sending me
the volume and I value the inscription
from you a faithful friend.

Everything concerning the Island
is of deep interest to me and always
will be.

When you feel disposed let me hear
from you, and let me ever be,

Faithfully your friend,

William H. Hunt

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