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The Smyth Orange Co.

A. W. O. SMYTH, PRESIDENT AND GEN. MANAGER.

ORANGE PACKERS AND SHIPPERS,

Orlando, Orange Co., Florida.

PACKING HOUSES ALSO AT
Waldo, Sylvan Lake,
Stanton's Crossing,
Palm Springs,
Hampton.

Orlando, Florida Dec 5th 1892

My Darling Bee,

I have today shipped to New York, 25
Boxes Oranges, to be forwarded to London, to
Harald Cousin, Mr G. H. Greatbark,

51 Moorgate St, London E.C.

We have instructed him what to do with 5 boxes, &
written him that you would send him a list
of names to ship the 20 boxes to, we also told him
to prepay ^{P.R.} charges over there to your friends,

I want you to send a box each to Mrs Clarke, Pittman
Dodd, Arthur, Mrs Marsh (for Gussie), Uncle Osborne, Emma,
the remainder after having a full supply at home,
you can do with as your own sweet will decides, just
so you send a box to our Marion. I have not heard
from you ^{on this subject} since I wrote proposing to do it, but cannot wait
any longer I think & get them here in time for distribution
before Xmas. You must send them in your name to your friends
as your Xmas gift, that is if you like the idea, if not, just
dispose of them as you like. We have written Greatbark to
send you a card when he receives the fruit, so that you
can then notify your friends that it has been sent them.
Don't do it before, for we told our N.Y. agt. not to ship

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unless they arrive there in perfect order, we however do not doubt their going in fine order, for that is the record that our fruit is making this season. I am happy to say.

I wrote you a short letter last night & sent some other letters for you to read.

I have just returned from Jacksonville, & I told, I think I was going last night.

See, my love, I have been trying to think of something to send you for Christmas, besides all my love. My friend Bro Mance who has gone to Ireland to see his sick mother, has a commission from me to buy something very nice & staple, & send it to you from Belfast, by the way, please add to your list for Greatbrook, Old Box, to Bro Mance, J. Keegan & Co Belfast, Ireland.

I saw something that I rather fancied today in Jacksonville so bought it & ordered it sent you by mail, I say it, but there are two articles one for yourself, whichever you like best, & the other for your own dear self also, unless you want to give it to Marion, or some other dear friend for Xmas. The one I intended for you is the Popu Cattu, the other is a Pin, but you are to take either you like.

Your devoted & ever faithful lover
Arthur