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PREFACE TO THIRD EDITION.

THE author's reason for changing the title of this book so as to make it embrace the orange interest not only of Florida, but also Louisiana and California, is found in the fact that many correspondents, residents of the last named States, and the most skilful growers of the orange have expressed unqualified approval of the methods of cultivation taught in this work.

Resting upon their judgment, we send forth this third edition upon a wider mission to bear kindly greeting to all orange-growers throughout the Union.

FRUIT COVE, Oct., 1882.

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THE author's reasons for publishing a second edition are several :

1. The first edition of more than two thousand copies is about exhausted, while orders for the work are most active ; so that, to meet the demand for information on the subject of orange-growing, a new issue would be necessary even if there were no need for emendations and enlargement.

2. A longer experience and continued observation now enable the author to write with more confidence on certain points left in doubt in the former edition, as well as to give new matter in almost every chapter.

3. Hundreds of letters have been received, making inquiry concerning matters not noticed in the first publication, also asking for fuller information on subjects briefly mentioned. To give the information desired, and to extend it to others who doubtless would have asked similar questions had they not been restrained by a thought of the trouble and expense necessary to answer each individual

by letter, the author has availed himself of this opportunity to give, more thoroughly than he otherwise could, the information asked.

To the Press, which has given so many favorable notices ; to the public, who have given so hearty a welcome ; and to the experienced orange-growers who have noticed with more hearty commendation than any others the little pamphlet first issued ; the author would here extend his thanks, and again send greeting and an earnest " God speed you."

FRUIT COVE, FLA., October, 1881.