

Exhibition will be made of the heavier material. We are having an engraving of the tin and packagemade, and will present it to our readers in a future issue.

#### OUR 60 POUND TINS.

During the past ten days we have shipped out over one thousand of these tins, and this we should take as indicative of a pretty good season all over the country. Then we have sold thousands of ten, five, two-and-a-half and one pound cans as well. The 60 lb. can is being adopted largely all over the country. In California they are putting their extracted honey up in that size package. We have placed the prices as follows: each 50 cents; per 10, \$4.80; per 25, \$11.25; per 100, \$42.00. These prices include a light but strong wooden case, of planed lumber, for shipping purposes, and, by the way, each tin has a double screw-top—a large and a small one,—the former for taking out the honey when granulated, and in suitable quantities as desired, and the latter for pouring it out when in a liquid state.

#### QUEENS TO CANADA.

Friend Doolittle writes us that he received the parcel we sent him all right, and without detention. Since then we have received from I. R. Good, Napanee—a parcel on which was paid 10 cents. It does not seem to have gone through the "Inquiry office" either. The Hon. John Jameson has, in a letter to the Hon. Edwin Willits of Lansing, Mich., voiced again our sentiments as expressed on page 275. We could not understand why the U. S. postal officials should wish to do the duty of Canadian officials in the matter of refusing to allow the queens to come into Canada by mail. We copy from the A. B. J.

HON. EDWIN WILLITS:

Sir—In regard to forwarding queen-bees to Canada, this office, of course, has nothing to do. I see no objection to the postmaster at the mailing office receiving them for such dispatch, and if the Canadian authorities see fit to receive them, this office certainly has no objection. This question has been referred to the Superintendent of foreign Mails.

JNO. JAMESON, Gen. Supt.

The probabilities are, therefore, that queens will again be allowed to pass the lines, unless hindered by the Canadian postal authorities, which is, we think, not likely; at least when they do raise any objection, we shall bring such influence to bear as will, we hope, set the matter right.

#### A GOOD INVESTMENT.

Have found the money spent for advts. through your columns a good investment.

A. E. WOODWARD.

Groom's Corners, N.Y.

## HONEY MARKET.

#### CINCINNATI.

Demand for extracted honey has been very slow of late, but seems to be improving gradually for manufacturing purposes. There is much honey in the hands of Com. Merchant and prices are very low,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 7c. per pound is the range of prices on arrival. Prices for comb honey are nominal. Arrivals of beeswax are good and demand is fair. We pay 18 to 22 cents per pound on arrival for fair to choice yellow.

CHAS. F. MUTH & SON.

BOSTON.

Honey is selling very well but prices are very low, and we are often obliged to shade our prices in order to make rates. We quote 1 lb. comb, 14 to 16 cents. 2 lb. comb, 12 to 14 cents. Extracted, 6 to 8 cents.

BLAKE & RIPLEY.

#### DETROIT HONEY MARKET.

No comb honey in the market. Beeswax scarce at 25 cents.

M. H. HUNT.

Bell Branch.

#### NEW YORK.

We quote quite an improvement in sales of comb honey the past two weeks, and owing to the lateness of the season prices rule low. In consequence of the low freight rates from San Francisco to New York, many dealers in honey are availing themselves of the rates and shipping extracted honey to this market at prices ranging from  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to  $5\frac{1}{2}$  cts. per lb. This has already had its effect on stale goods. We quote prices as follows: Fancy white comb honey, 1 lb. sections, 12 and 13 cts. per lb.; fancy white comb honey, 2 lb. sections, 9 and 10 cts. per lb.; fancy buckwheat comb honey, 1 lb. sections, 9 cts. per lb.; fancy buckwheat comb honey, 2 lb. sections, 7 and 8 cts. per lb.; off grades, 1 and 2 cts. per lb. less; extracted white clover honey, 6 and 7 cts. per lb.; extracted buckwheat honey, 5 and  $5\frac{1}{2}$  cts. per lb.; extracted California honey, 5 and 6 cents per lb.; extracted Southern, as to color and flavor, 5 and 6 cts.

MCCAUL & HILDRETH BROS.

## PRICES CURRENT.

#### BEESWAX

Beeton, July 14th, 1886  
We pay 32c. in cash (30 days) or 35c. in trade for good pure Beeswax, delivered at Beeton, at this date, sediment, (if any), deducted. American customers must remember that there is a duty of 25 per cent. on Wax coming into Canada.

#### FOUNDATION

Brood Foundation, cut to "Jones" size	per pound	52c
" " over 50 lbs.	"	50c
" " cut to other sizes	"	53c
" " over 50 lbs.	"	51c
Section " in sheets	per pound	63c
Section Foundation cut to fit $3\frac{1}{2} \times 4\frac{1}{2}$ and $4\frac{1}{2} \times 4\frac{1}{2}$	per lb.	70c.
Brood Foundation, starters, being wide enough for		
Frames but only, three to ten inches deep		48c

## EXCHANGE AND MART.

15 COLONIES of Italian bees for sale. Complete Jones hive; 10 frames with each hive. Good queens. Price \$7. Apply to ERNEST SCHULZ, Sethbridge, Muskoka.