

At your pleasure after clover bloom, just place a bee escape between where queen excluder is and next day or so all bees will be out of the above hives. If you have a fall honey flow, it may be well to place one live body above for surplus honey, but be sure the lower hive has abundance of honey for winter stores.

If you wish to produce comb honey, all the difference is to exchange upper hive bodies with full combs for supers of sections, using the surplus brood for new swarms.

All of above can be done at little spare times, any farmer can well afford the time for the honey harvest as reward.—[From the Annual Report of the State Inspector of Apiaries, Wisconsin.]

#### NATIONAL PROGRAM.

There will undoubtedly be reception committees who will meet all incoming trains the forenoon of August 30th. Hotel information can be secured from them. Those arriving in the afternoon will go direct to the convention room

#### Place of Meeting.

G. A. R. Hall, Court House, Minneapolis, Minn.

#### Time.

August 30th and 31st, 1911.

#### Sessions.

- 1—Foul Brood, 1.30 p.m., Aug. 30th.
2. Honey Selling, 7.00 p.m., Aug 30.
3. Business, 8.30 a.m., Aug. 31.
4. Miscellaneous, 1.30 p.m., Aug. 31.
5. Co-operation, 7.00 p.m., Aug. 31.
6. Free trolley ride around the city, courtesy of Minneapolis Commercial Club, 9 a.m. Sept. 1st.

#### Hotels.

Radisson, \$1.50 per day and upward.  
 Dyckman, \$1.50 per day and upward.  
 West, \$1.00 per day and upward.  
 Nicollet, \$1.00 per day and upward.  
 Vendome, \$1.00 per day and upward.  
 Rogers, \$1.00 per day and upward.

Camleld, \$1.00 per day and upward.  
 Majestic, 75c. per day and upward.  
 Golden West, 75c. per day and upward.  
 Beaufort, 75c. per day and upward.  
 Pauly, 75c. per day and upward.  
 Russell, 75c. per day and upward.

#### Program in Detail.

**Foul Brood Session** begins at 1.30 p.m., August 30th, and is subdivided into the following topics:

- 1—The present status of the campaign against foul brood.
- 2—Advantage of apiary inspection under the supervision of the State Entomologist.
- 3—How can a national campaign be conducted against foul brood?
- 4—How to get state foul brood laws.
- 5—The agricultural college and inspection.
- 6—Curing foul brood—Inspectors' methods—What are they?
- 7—Appointment of committees.
- 8—Question box.

**Honey Selling Session** begins at 7.00 p.m., August 30th, and is subdivided into the following topics:

- 1—Is a national advertising campaign for selling honey practical?
- 2—How can a national campaign be conducted for developing the wholesale honey markets?
- 3—A mail order honey trade—how conducted.
- 4—Developing the home markets.
- 5—What sized package should be used for the retail trade?
- 6—Question box.

**Business Session** begins at 8.30 a.m., August 31st, and is sub-divided into the following topics:

- 1—President's address.
- 2—General Manager's report.
- 3—Secretary's report.
- 4—Shall the National be one separate association, or an aggregation of smaller ones?
- 5—The new constitution and by-laws.

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- 6—Publication of an
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- 7—National Associ
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- 8—Nomination of o

#### Miscellaneous Session

m., August 31st, and the following topics:

- 1—Mating stations government—would the
- 2—Uncapping melter used extensively?
- 3—Steam heated un Are they practical?
- 4—Uncapping machi yet a success?
- 5—Adulteration of h tent is it being practi done to stop it?
- 6—Uniform shipping what size should they
- 7—Question box.

#### Co-operation Session

m., August 31st, and the following topics:

- 1—What the Colora ers' Association is doi
- 2—Co-operative effor
- 3—The Michigan pl Michigan Association i
- 4—What can the Na operative lines?
- 5—Obstacles to be n erative efforts, and l them?
- 6—Question box.

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