

portionately prolonged; for as effort or labor shorten their lives, so quietude and rest prolong them. Even though bees should be successfully wintered and come out strong in numbers in spring, but in a damp atmosphere, they do not live so long as they do after being placed on their summer stands or as those wintered in a dry atmosphere. Another reason is obvious: because when they are wintered in a moist atmosphere they lose their vitality, and either spring dwindle or work with less vim. The more quietly bees winter the more active they are in spring, because they retain their vigor, and young bees are worth double the old ones at thaa time.

OUR PREMIUM OFFER

For one new subscriber with \$1.00, a Porter or Hastings Bee Escape. For three new subscribers with \$3.00, a Jones Smoker. For four new subscribers with \$4.00, a copy of "Cook's Manual."

Attention Bee-Keepers!

Tested Italian Queen in May, \$1.50 each. Snow white sections \$2.50 per thousand. Hoffman frames and a full line of Bee-Keepers' Supplies. Twenty page price list free. J. M. KINZIE, Rochester, Oakland Co., Mich. b4 1y.

U. S. and FOREIGN

PATENTS

patentability. All work strictly confidential.

GEO. H. CHANDLEE,

Atlantic Bldg.,
b-13 12c.

Trade Marks, Designs,
Opinions, Searches, etc.,
promptly attended to.
Send sketch or model for
free examination as to
patentability.

Washington, D. C.



: TO :

Ontario Bee-Keepers.

INTENDING exhibitors of Honey at the Chicago Exposition, will kindly place their Ext acted Honey in tin jars, as the Commission intend shipping the Honey in these cans to Chicago. The Dominion Government will furnish glass jars in which the Extracted Honey will be shown. This will secure safe transport, and Exhibits will reach Chicago in much better shape.

NICHOLAS AWREY,

Ontario Commissioner World's Columbian Exp.
b14 1f.

THE American Bee-keeper!

A 24 page illustrated monthly for beginners

FIFTY CENTS A YEAR.

—Sample copy free. Published by—

The W. T. FALCONER Mfg. Co'y
JAMESTOWN N. Y. U.S.A.

- Largest Manufacturers In America -

—OF—

BEE HIVES, SECTIONS, AND ALL BEE-KEEPERS' SUPPLIES.

Large Illustrated Catalogue and Price List Free.

B. I. Y.

8 UNTESTED QUEENS

two months old,

75 cents each.

1000 pounds basswood honey at 7 cents, F.O.B.

R. F. WHITESIDE,

b11 12c.

Little Britain, Ont.

CALIFORNIA!

LOS ANGELES

Illustrated Herald!

Forty-eight pages about the Climate and Resources of Southern California.

50 Beautiful Illustrations

Send for a sample copy of this publication, which describes the most delightful region in the world. Sample sent for twenty cents. Stamps taken. No copies sent free. Address: AVERS & LYNCH, Los Angeles, Cal. b14 1f

Please Mister Journal,
Canada's Journal.



Tell them the story I give.
When passed chilly winter,
and season is vernal,
(If bees and your servant
shall live.
I will take up the breeding
of Carnis agalu;
But at Vaughns will the
Itals be bred,
So please now remember, all
bee-keeping men,
If you choose send your
orders ahead.

And Ask For Price List.

JOHN ANDREWS, Patten's Mills, Wash. Co., N.Y.