perfectly straight. We have sometimes had to cut out a little strip, say the width of one row of cells in certain sections, to let it press back to its place, then in order to keep it from springing back again we have frequently had to spring it a little more than it ought to be, making the opening on each side slightly wider, then slipping in one or two rows of cells just enough to let the comb spring back to its place. In this way we have taken the most crooked, in fact, combs that were thrown aside to be made into wax, and shown the students how to fix them so that after the bees repaired them they looked at them with pride and even kept them to show what might be done by careful management. A little practice is all that is necessary to enable you to do this rapidly.

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Observe our special offer of sections, in large lots, as given in our advt. columns.

We can supply 250 envelopes and 250 note heads, each with your name and business neatly printed on the corner for one dollar. The paper is of good quality, the envelopes are in boxes of 250 and we pay the postage. At this writing We have executed nearly three hundred orders, and have in many cases been favored with repeat orders for friends. Cash should accompany order and copy be plainly written.

Our plan of sending out notices to those whose subscriptions expire from time to time, a week, in advance, is a splendid thing and we find meets with general favor. Most all of them renew, and in cases, where the subscriber wishes his JOURNAL discontinued, we have only to receive a card to give effect to his wishes. We have said that "most all of them renew" but still there are some who do not, neither do they order a discontinuance. This is all right, but in such cases, wouldn't it be much nicer for us to receive a card something like this: "Please send on the BEE JOURNAL, I know my time is up, but I'll remit pretty soon." How much better it would make us feel, and at what a small cost to your-Selves.

BEE-KEEPERS' CIRCULARS.

During last season we printed quite a large number of catalogues and price lists for beekeepers, and we believe that in every instance the work as well as the price gave satisfaction. We have much better facilities now than we had at that time for turning out work, and we shall be happy to quote prices to any who may be re-quiring circulars. All we want is the privilege of estimating, and we will then leave the matter with the customer. We generally get up a sample circular (in blank form) showing the style and quality of paper which we quote price for, and we always allow the free use of any cuts or illustrations which have ever appeared in either the C.B.J. or our catalogue. Give us an idea of what you want and we will try and send a sample of it with prices.

BEES BY THE POUND.

Just as soon as we can raise them in the spring, we will have for sale bees by the pound at the following prices:—Up to July 1st, \$1.25 per pound; after that date, 90c. per pound. Orders must be accompanied by the cash, and they will be entered and filled in rotation as received. We are booking orders now.

HONEY MARKETS.

PHILADELPHIA HONEY MARKET.

Fancy new white honey in good demand. Inquiry is for 1-lb sections, New white clover, 18 to 20c. Buckwheat, 14 to 15c. PANCOAST & GRIFFITHS.

DETROIT HONEY MARKET.

Market a little dull with slight depreciation in prices. Stocks not large, however. Best white, in one pound sections, 17 to 19 cts. Extracted 9 to 10 cts for light colored; few sales. Beeswax 22 to 23 cts.

M. H. HUNT.

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Our market for honey is opening up earlier than usual, and at higher prices. We quote as follows until further notice:—Fair White, one lb. sec's., 16 to 18c.; Fair White, two lb. sec's., 13 to 14c.; Fair to Good, 1 lb. sec's., 13 to 15c.; Fair to Good, two lb. sec's., 10 to 12.c White Clove extracted in kegs and bbls. 7 to 8c. Beeswax 21

McCaul & Hildreth Bros.

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Beeton, March 7, 1888

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