spring faster by lifting up two or three frames of brood and filling out with empty and partly empty combs, and putting another hive body on top?

3. Does not the heat from the lower body help to warm the upper one more than it would a larger one?

I don't know but locality may make a difference, but I think here in Worcester County, Mass., I prefer the smaller hive. Then again when the flow starts, remove the upper body, put on the super and up goes the honey. No dummies to handle; your brood chamber full of brood and all white honey in super!

Those removed combs of brood make increase, strengthen weak colonies, etc. But with this plan you must have young queens every year, or the crowding will cause the swarming fever. At least that has been my experience.

I enclose a picture of the Foxdale yard, packed for winter. You will notice several styles of outside cases that have come with the bees I have purchased. The one marked with a cross contains the prize queen that won the $5.00 prize at the Southboro Grange Fair, Sept. 23, 1910.

JOHN L. BYARD.

Marlboro, Mass.

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D. A. JONES DEAD.

Founder of The Canadian Bee Journal Passed Away After Brief Illness.

For Nearly Half a Century He Worked for His Town—Held the Office of Postmaster During Most of His Residence—Was Charitable and Kind and Is Deeply Mourned.

Died, at his residence in Beeton, Sunday, November 20, 1910, David Alanson Jones, in his 75th year.

Although it was known he was very ill, the news of the death of Mr. D. A. Jones on Sunday morning came as a shock to everyone in town. He had always been an active and energetic man, both mentally and physically, and for some months was troubled with a weakness of the heart, and the immediate cause of his death was angina pectoris.

Deceased was born in the Township of Whitechurch, and spent his younger days on his father's farm. In the year 1864 he came to Beeton and in partnership with his brother (Senator L. M. Jones) built a store and commenced a general mercantile business which was continued for a number of years, when his brother withdrew from the business and went to Brantford, and Mr. Jones leased the store, leaving him free to form a company and start the business from which Beeton derived its name and which gained him the title of "The Bee King of Canada." The company was known as the "D. A. Jones, Limited," and a large factory was erected for the purpose of manufacturing all kinds of bee supplies, and also sashes and doors. Employment was given in this factory to a number of men the year round. Also in connection with their factory several apiaries were located in various parts of the township and during certain seasons the bees were moved to "Jones Island," on the east shore of Georgian Bay. While at the head of this firm Mr. Jones travelled extensively, making a trip to Palestine and Cyprus to study the condition of bees and to see if they would be suitable to this country. He was the first one to import the Italian queen bees into America, and also shipped bees to all parts of the world. Students came here from various parts of Canada, the United States and the Old Country to study the management of bees. He was the sole exhibitor of honey at the first Industrial Exhibition at Toronto, and was a past president of the Canadian Bee-keepers' Association. When he was actively engaged in this industry he also published The Beeton World, the Canadian Bee Journal and the Canadian Poultry Journal.

During his early residence here he bought a tract of land which now comprises part of Beeton. This land was surveyed into plots and he laid out the streets of the village and planted the beautiful shade trees which now adorn the streets and will stand as monuments to his energies for some time to come. His whole aim was given to the building up of the town. How much the community owes to him it is impossible to estimate. His many charitable acts and

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