

which the judges should detect and rule out, I'll enter the competition straightforwardly and honestly. The exhibitor who acts thus, who has real moral courage, will go home from the exhibition if not with a full pocket, with the consciousness of having done right, with a stronger will and a higher ideal of life.

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### PROVINCIAL FRUIT, FLOWER AND HONEY SHOW, TORONTO,

#### Awards in the Honey Department.

Best twenty dozen of comb honey in sections, display to be considered—1. H. Sibbald; 2, R. H. Smith; 3, George Laing; 4, D. Anguish.

Best five dozen of comb honey in sections, display to be considered—1, H. G. Sibbald; 2, D. Anguish; 3, Geo. Laing; 4, R. H. Smith.

Best one dozen of comb honey in sections—1, J. F. Davidson; 2, H. G. Sibbald; 3, J. W. Switzer; 4, D. Anguish.

Best 200 pounds of extracted liquid honey, to be displayed 100 pounds in glass, balance in tins; the glass and tins exhibited to be marketable packages—1, D. Anguish; 2, Geo. Laing; 3, J. L. Byer; 4, John Timbers.

Best display 50 pounds extracted liquid honey in glass—1, R. H. Smith; 2, D. Anguish; 3, Geo. Laing.

Best 10 pounds extracted liquid honey in glass—1, D. Anguish; 2, W. J. Brown; 3, R. H. Smith.

Best 25 pounds extracted granulated honey in glass—1, John Timbers; 2, E. Grainger & Co.; 3, W. J. Brown.

Best display 200 pounds comb and extracted honey, suitable for a grocer's window or counter, space to be occupied 6 square feet by 4 feet high—1, E. Grainger & Co.; 2, R. H. Smith; 3, H. G. Sibbald; 4, Geo. Laing.

Best display 25 pounds extracted buckwheat honey in glass—1, E. Grainger

& Co.; 2, Geo. Laing; 3, W. J. Brown.

Best four dozen buckwheat honey in sections—1, Morley Pettit; 2, J. F. Switzer; 3, George Laing.

Best 10 pounds of beeswax—1, Geo. Laing; 2, J. F. Switzer; 3, W. J. Brown.

Best display of articles in which honey may be used for domestic purposes—1, Geo. Laing; 2, D. Anguish; 3, R. H. Smith.

Best and most practical new invention for bee-keepers' use—1, W. Bayless; 2, R. H. Smith; 3, Jacob Alpaugh.

Best display of bees and queen which may be seen by visitors—1, E. Grainger & Co.

Best method of crating and packing comb honey, showing 12 section crates ready for shipment—1, Goold, Shapley & Muir Co.; 2, R. H. Smith; 3, H. G. Sibbald.

Best packages for long distance shipment of extracted honey showing method of packing and crating same—1, R. H. Smith; 2, R. F. Holtermann; 3, E. Grainger & Co.

The Corrispondenza Apistica publishes some reminiscences of a M. Federici, a noted Italian bee-keeper. M. Federici speaking about the possibility of people becoming prosperous from bee-keeping, and after instancing C. Dadant, who went to America a poor man and became very well-to-do, mentioned a friend of his who was a very small proprietor and who was persuaded to start bee-keeping 15 years ago. Last year this friend said: "When I decided to follow your advice my family was in a very critical condition. We had debt amounting to 8,000 francs, and we did not know what to do. Today I have no debts, and I have purchased two pieces of land and have several thousand francs laid by and I lead an honorable life. I have two sons, who, instead of becoming lawyers or doctors, will follow as beekeepers."—British Bee Journal.