

The Association is to be congratulated in the possession of a Secretary of the type of Mr. Hodgetts. Patient, courteous, and indefatigable in all his efforts, with a talent for detail, he cannot fail to be a success.

This issue of the CANADIAN BEE JOURNAL is essentially a Convention number. Many of the papers read at the Convention will be found elsewhere. In subsequent issues we will deal with some of the problems discussed.



MR. JOHN BAILEY, of Bracebridge, very kindly sent us the accompanying photo of his yard. The convenient appliances observed are worthy of consideration. It appears that he has grappled with the labor-saving problem in earnest. His hive lifter must be a great aid in the bee yard, particularly for those whose physical strength is at all impaired by age or otherwise. Our lady friends should find it a great help. Mr. Bailey says he uses his four-wheel cart as a wheelbarrow, and can carry one to six hives or supers on it, as desired. By running the shafts under the cleats on either side of the hive, it can be picked up and placed in its new location during swarming season. This, with his hive lifter, will greatly facilitate his work.

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