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EDITORIAL NOTES.

We thank the friends who so promptly and kindly supplied us with the copies of the C.B.J. asked for in last issue.

Mr. McEvoy has, by special request, favored us in this number with a valuable article on his treatment of foul brood.

We present our readers with a picture of the Ontario Bee-Keepers and their friends standing in front of the Town Hall, Niagara Falls, after their morning session, Dec. 5th, 1900.

Reports from many quarters tell us that bees have come through the winter in good shape; it is yet early, however, to accept this as general, there is still a lot of snow in Northern Ontario and Quebec.

The Saturday Evening Post, published by the Curtis Publishing Co.,

Philadelphia, is rapidly increasing its circulation to great proportions. The reader of the Easter number will not be surprised at this for it is probably the best number yet issued. It will be difficult to produce a better dollar's worth than is given the readers of the Post in a year.

We understand that the O.B.K.A. Executive have decided not to place an exhibit at the Pan-American at the beginning of the exhibition at least, owing to the very limited supply of honey at their disposal. They are, however, considering the matter of making a display of the new season's crop in July. Mr. Converse, Superintendent of the department, is favorable to this arrangement. The Executive considers that the grant of \$300 would not be nearly sufficient to meet the expense, and that the proposal to place the exhibit in charge of the fruit commissioner would not be satisfactory to Ontario bee-keepers.

Our readers will note in our advertising columns the estate of the late D. W. Cummer, of Florence, who passed away to the great majority some months ago. Mr. Cummer began bee-keeping in 1884 and continued in the business more or less extensively until the time of his death, usually working from 75 to 100 colonies. He was intensely interested in bee-keeping, and often in his last illness remarked "I wonder what will become of my poor little bees." As a honey producer he was very successful, neat and orderly in his