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EDITORIAL.

If you have any honey to sell, now is the time to place an ad. in the C.B.J.

The price of honey is a little firmer, and we think prospects are good for better prices.

Any of our bee friends who have a few leisure moments will greatly oblige us by sending in an article for the C. B. J.

Those of our friends who desire to subscribe for another bee journal, by forwarding their subscription to us, will receive prompt attention. We club the C.B.J. with other publications at special prices.

It is an easy matter to secure a few new subscribers for the CANADIAN BEE JOURNAL. See our special offer on another page, in which we offer to present any person sending us in four new subscribers and four dollars with a copy of "Cook's Manual of the Apiary."

We notice in the last issue of the *American Bee Journal* that the report that friend Quigley had purchased the White Mountain *Apiarist* is incorrect. Friend Ellingwood says: "The 1st of November the *Apiarist* is to appear under the name of *Country Life*, and is

to be 16 pages, with three columns on a page. All subscriptions and advertising matter will be furnished by the new journal.

We have to acknowledge the receipt of a communication from Prof. W. F. Clarke, which was received too late for this issue, but will find a place in our next. In reference to Prof. Clarke's accompanying communication, he will observe that we have already anticipated his request, in the terms precisely as he has stated them to us..

We publish elsewhere in this issue a pretty full report of the Southern California Bee-Keepers' Association, which met at Los Angeles, Cal., on Friday, 21st. We like to keep *en rapport* with remote bee-keepers' associations and interests, as it is not infrequently the case that much that is common with them may account for conditions which are uncommon with us, and may give us a clue as to the best method of dealing with them.

One of Dr. Miller's "Stray Straws," in *Gleanings*, contains the following:—"Drone brood well advanced is recommended as fish bait, particularly for trout, by Herr Terpitz in *Deutschen Bienenfreund*. Cannot we get up a market for our drone brood by selling it to anglers for so much a pound? or shall we sell them all our colonies that have drone laying queens or laying workers?

From *Le Rucher* (published at Amiens, France) we learn that Prof. J. Perez, of Bordeaux, author of several interesting works on apiculture, has been created a chevalier of the *Legion d'Honneur*. Two other apicultural writers, M. Rosapelly and M. Debomey have also been made members *du Merite Agricole*; whilst two bee-keepers, M. M. Ravaux and De Diestach have been awarded 1st and 2nd prizes by the Arondissement Assembly held at Arras on 14th July last.

We should be very happy indeed to afford our amiable cotemporary *Gleanings*, all necessary information in regard to the *personnel* of our staff (including that of the assistant-editor). Owing, however, to the recent very disastrous