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### EDITORIAL.

R. G. B. JONES has gone South, and writes: "Please send my C. B. J. to City Point, Florida; whither I am now on my way in hope of solving the winter problem. I am taking my bees South for winter to prevent them going into hibernation—consumption of honey, I mean." We hope friend Jones will give an accurate account of all the expenses, going and coming, and while there, and let us have a good report in the spring of his experience in migratory bee-keeping.

A novel advertisement that will be published by a Brooklyn, N. Y., company is being sent to the Bee Journal. They make a honey cough remedy, and have procured 12,000 of these exhibition hives, made of black walnut, and are placing them in drug stores to advertise their remedy.

W. Z. Hutchinson would find that he would not be continually pressed by his advertisers to take goods in exchange for space, if he was a supply dealer as well as an editor. We are never troubled in

this way. We defy any one to point out any way in which we have ever written down other people's hive or fixtures, to boot our own. THE CANADIAN BEE JOURNAL impartially treats all subjects presented in its columns, and is just as willing to permit good things to be said of hives and fixtures sold by competitors as to hear them said of our own.

It is reported that forty members of the Beekeepers' Congress, held at Fulda, Germany, were stricken with typhoid fever, four of them dying. This was on Sept. 21. How many have since died is not known. The doctors allege that the disease is the result of eating canned American lobsters.

It is proposed by some of the American bee-keepers to ask the government for a grant towards defraying the expense of importing foreign races of bees, from Africa, India, Ceylon, Phillipine Islands, etc. Prof Cook seems to think that the expense would not be very heavy. We have "been there" and can say that they will have more to do than they dream of, to successfully obtain in practical quantities, any of the bees from the places mentioned. We sincerely hope that they may take the matter up in earnest.

Our readers will enjoy the articles in the "International," which are begun in this issue.