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BEE JOURNALS IN CANADA.

THE article from Mr. Allen Pringle on page 914 of the CANADIAN BEE JOURNAL of Feb. 9th did not reach us in time to comment thereon. We do not wish to say very much respecting the subject further than that the publishers of the proposed monthly, we presume to prevent future trouble, such as the C.B.J. has passed through, wrote us to say, that they purposed calling their periodical by nearly the same name as our

own, and asking us to suggest a name with the words "Canadian" or "Canada" and "Bee" in it. Our reply we gave as follows: "With reference to the name of your proposed paper we may say, that we do not consider it either wise or prudent to interfere in other people's business and therefore refrain from making suggestions, being perfectly willing to leave the matter with a discerning public." As we stated in this letter, so we say again, we are perfectly willing to leave the matter in the hands of the bee-keeping public and feel we shall not be disappointed with the result. During the absence of our Mr. Jones in England, and owing to the increased amount of work in our other departments, it was impossible to give the BEE JOURNAL the attention which it should have had and which we hope to give it in the future. We only say, in conclusion, that our subscription list is growing continually and we feel satisfied that it will not decrease unless through some fault of our own.

PRESENTATION AND ADDRESS.

MR. D. A. Jones, the editor of this JOURNAL was thoroughly and agreeably surprised Monday evening, Feb. 7th. The employees of the D. A. Jones Co., and of the BEE JOURNAL felt that they could find no more fitting time to express their feelings of respect and the appreciation of the services of Mr. Jones in England, and to