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EDITORIAL.

ALL the newspapers in the Province have already received copies of the Bulletin just issued by the Department of Agriculture, relating to Foul Brood, and we trust they will follow the good example of the *Globe*, giving it a good notice, and copying as much of it as is convenient. At least tell those who keep bees that they may obtain a copy of the Bulletin by applying to the Department of Agriculture at Toronto.

The "latest" in the way of a publication hails from Nebraska, and is called the *Nebraska Beekeeper*. It is a pretty crude affair, and will we fear follow in the footsteps of many of its predecessors, before very long. It is published at York, Neb., by L. D. Stilson, and is a monthly, at fifty cents.

In next issue we will give reports from thirty correspondents as to the yield of honey thus far, the prospects for a fall flow, and the extent of

swarming. From ordinary reports received we are induced to believe that the entire crop is considerably below the average, as in most districts, linden has yielded little or nothing. Don't rush your crop into the market. On this point Prof. Cook says in A. B. J.:

I think it would be well to caution bee-keepers not to sell their honey too quickly. In this vicinity—and I fear we are not peculiar—the honey produce has been almost nothing. It is as bad as it was two years ago. I believe that the price of honey must be very high, unless California fills the breach.

Indeed, so great has been the shortage in the U. S. that the editor of the *American Bee Journal*, in speaking of great rush for goods says:

It is now all over, and very likely it will take all next season to use the goods ordered this year. On this account it will not be strange if next season's demand for supplies should prove to be very limited!

Rev. Dr. Dzierzon was presented on the 29th March with the order of St. Michael, by Prince Luitpold of Bavaria.

British beekeepers are having a hard time of it. Swarms and stocks were dying in July. One good thing about it all is that over there, but few, if any, depend on beekeeping as a means of livelihood. The editor of the *British Bee Journal* is living in hopes that there may yet be a "turn in the tide."