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Rays of Light comes in nicer shape each month. May it continue to improve.

Those binders do seem to be well liked, judging from the number of them which are being sent out. We are ordering another lot already.

We are preparing a general index for the past year, so that all who have all the numbers, will be able at once to turn to any portion of the volume and find just what they want.

Our leaflet, "Honey" has had a large run the past season; for next fall's use we will get it up in nicer shape, on better paper, and more attractive, and we feel sure that it will be more extensively used and distributed than ever.

We hope to be able to fill all orders for hives, sections, etc., promptly throughout the season, but as orders are coming in pretty thickly now, we will, unless we can keep a good deal ahead of the orders, have to withdraw the discount of 5 per cent. about April 1st, so that all who wish to reap the advantage of this discount will need to "hurry along."

We are pretty nearly a year old—another week will complete Vol. I of the CANADIAN BEE JOURNAL, and we may make some changes—but of this more anon. We have endeavored to conduct the JOURNAL throughout so that our subscribers could say of us that our motto has not been simply a "dead letter," but that throughout we have endeavored to work for the greatest possible good to the greatest possible number.

HOW ADVERTISING IN C. B. J. PAYS.

With copy for advertisement, as in this issue, friend Thomas Horn, of Sherburne, N. Y., says: "And let me say right here that my last season's advertisement has proved one of the best paying ones I have ever used." Nearly all our last years' advertisers are using our columns again, which is fairly conclusive evidence that it pays. What troubles us most is that owing to the large number of advertisements we have our reading matter falls short; but we are devising ways and means to overcome this difficulty.

CONVENTION NOTICES.

The next meeting of the Patsulgie Bee-Keepers' Association will be held at Arcadia, March 20th, 1886. M. J. Rushton. Sec., Raif Brand, Ala.

THE BEEKEEPERS' LIBRARY.

We keep in stock constantly and can send by mail postpaid the following:—

BEEKEEPERS' GUIDE OR MANUAL OF THE APIARY, by Prof. A. J. Cook. Price, in cloth, \$1.25 paper, 1.00.

A. B. C. in BEE CULTURE by A. I. Root. Price, cloth, \$1.25 paper, \$1.00.

QUINBY'S NEW BEEKEEPING, by L. C. Root. Price in cloth, \$1.50.

THE HIVE AND HONEY BEE, by Rev. L. L. Langstroth. Price, in cloth, \$2.00.

HONEY, some reasons why it should be eaten, by Allen Pringle. This is in the shape of a leaflet (4 pages) for free distribution amongst prospective customers. Price, with name and address, per 1000, 3.25; per 500, \$2.00; per 250, \$1.25; per 100, 80c. With place for name and address left blank, per 1000, \$2.75; per 500, \$1.70; per 250, \$1.00; per 100, 50c.

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A. B. C. in CARP CULTURE, by A. I. Root, in paper 50c.

SUCCESS IN BEE CULTURE as practised and advised by James Heddon—price in paper cover, 50 cents.

HONEY MARKET.

BOSTON.

Honey is selling very well but prices are very low, and we are often obliged to shade our prices in order to make rates. We quote 1 lb. comb, 14 to 16 cents. 2 lb. comb, 12 to 14 cents. Extracted, 6 to 8 cents.

BLAKE & RIPLEY.

CINCINNATI, O.

Demand is extremely slow for extracted honey. Manufacturers seem to have taken a rest. There is only a fair demand for honey in glass jars and for comb honey. Prices are unchanged and nominal with occasional arrivals and a large stock on the market. We quote extracted honey at 4c. to 8c. on arrival and choice comb honey at 12c to 14c. in a jobbing way. There is a good home demand for bees wax. We pay 25c. a lb. for choice yellow.

CHAS. F. MUTH & SON.

Cincinnati,

CHICAGO.

Without any material change. White comb honey in one pound frames brings 16 cents; very fancy 17 cents. Dark is slow sale. Extracted honey 6 to 8 cents per pound. Beeswax 25 to 26 for yellow, market steady.

R. A. BURNETT.

Chicago,

DETROIT.

Continues dull, very few sales reported, best white in one pound sections can be bought at 13 ets. per lb. Beeswax in good demand at better figures, 25 to 28c. per pound.

M. H. HUNT.

Bell Branch, March 1st, 1886.