

comb honey, when you consider that bees in such a hive are more readily sold. Again supplies are more readily secured for this hive. If you have only two hives and intend to engage in bee-keeping to any extent, I would suggest that you discard the hives you now have. If you have a large number on hand, the hive you have, especially the larger, will give good results. After all when it comes to results, with a hive not shallower than the Langstroth or deeper than the Quinby, management rather than the hive gives results.

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