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Pass fresh ballots and let each member name one of the two for each district. The ballots could be collected, counted and the names of defeated candidates erased from the blackboard.

This plan would reduce the time spent on election to about that of electing two directors in the ordinary way, would almost entirely eliminate the personal element as both the nominating and the voting would be secret, and would make the directorate nearly representative as it is possible to have it.

Manitoba Honey.

Mr. Duncan, of Manitoba, seems to be quite stirred up over my article in the November issue. In the close of this article he tells brother beekeepers not to get jealous of one another. That is right, Brother Duncan. I wonder who is "jealous." We do not for a moment think that Ontario clover honey is any better than clover honey in Manitoba, but we are safe in saying that no honey can be produced in Manitoba, other than clover, is as good. As I said then, "There is a good deal of what we have been educated to as the best what one considers best." As I understand it there will be more of the best honey produced in Manitoba

than in Ontario, and as a consequence it will not be so saleable with those who have been educated to something milder. Travelling over a large part of that country for the sixth time I may have possibly seen more of the honey produced there than Mr. Duncan himself. What he says about the honey possibilities of the country will be a surprise to many, and may be an inducement for some to go there. As I said before one's success is assured by continuing mixed farming and bee-keeping. We would like to hear from others who have been as successful as Mr. Duncan.

G. A. DEADMAN,
Brussels, Ont.

April 27th.

Bee-keeping is making rapid progress in Manitoba and the North-West Territories. The C.B.J. expects in the near future to open a Manitoba department.

The stingless bees of South America make little honey, the absence of the sting causing suppression of the secretion of formic acid which alone preserves the honey.—*Gazette Apicole de France.*

Brant County Association.

A meeting of the above Association is called for

SATURDAY, MAY 23RD, AT 2 P. M.

ALEX. TAYLOR, Pres.
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