



Bees for the Horticulturist: Bulletin of the Kansas State Horticultural Society, June, 1922 (Classic Reprint)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Excerpt from Bees for the Horticulturist: Bulletin of the Kansas State Horticultural Society, June, 1922 [Dr. J. H. Merrill, assistant professor of entomology at Kansas State Agricultural College, Manhattan, who is also state apiarist, has prepared the following papers, which are of much interest to those who keep bees.] Races Of Bees In Kansas. There are several races of bees found in Kansas. They are principally the Black or German bees, Caucasians, Carniolans, Italians, Goldens, and last but not least, the hybrids. Each one of these different races has individual characteristics, some good and some bad. With some of the races the bad points overbalance the good, thus making that race unsuitable for honey production in our state. The Black (or German) bee has probably been in this country longer than any of the other races. It is commonly spoken of as the native bee, although this is not true, as honeybees are not natives of this country. They were introduced into New England in 1638, and on account of their long stay here have come to...



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