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-they bring together a people on one ground where petty animosities are effaced and an honourable spirit of rivalry is engendered.

It is therefore with extreme gratification that I find myself about to respond to your very gracious address to open the first Exhibition ever attempted in this country. With you I would fain hope that it may become an Institution amongst us.

The respectful tribute which you pay to the memory of the late Prince Consort, whose il lustrious name is so inseparably associated with all Exhibitions, is but one of the many eulogies which are incessantly offered by all classes of Her Most Gracious Majesty's subjects in remembrance of him whose existence was devoted to our beloved Queen and to the advancement of Her people. What pleasing memories does not the name of Prince Albert recall. Is not the recollection of it enshrip. recall! Is not the recollection of it enshrined by all that is noble, virtuous, and good! To whisper it appears to create within us thoughts which no words of mine can express, but that all must feel who contemplate the life of him

"Who reverenced his conscience as his king; Whose glory was redressing human wrong, And who-

"Not making his high place the lawless perch, Of wing'd ambitions, nor a vantage ground For pleasure; but thro' all this tract of years Wearing the white flowers of a blameless life." Without entering into details of the articles to be exhibited, I may invite attention to a map in which the main topographical features of the interior of this Island are delineated. Visitors will now have an opportunity of acquiring a correct knowledge of the natural features of a great portion of New-foundland, which up to the present day, owing to the want of proper surveys, was little known. The coast line of the map has been executed from the surveys of Staff Command-er Kerr and his staff. The topographical fea tures have been added by our esteemed Geologist, Mr. Murray. I may also invite atten tion to many choice and valuable objects which the kindness and liberality of our friends has enabled us to exhibit.

The zeal and activity displayed by the gen-tlemen of the Committee is beyond praise, and the untiring exertions of the projector deserves the warmest commendation. I am sure I only acquiesce in the views of all present when I attribute the accomplishment of this when I attribute the accomplishment of this Exhibition to the labours of the Rev. Mr. Bot wood; and in thanking him for the services which he has bestowed upon what I must call his undertaking, I congratulate him most heart ily upon the success of his project.

And now, while I offer humble thanks to the Great Preserver of Men for the safe return of Mrs. Hill and myself to Newfoundland, I thank.

Mrs. Hill and myself to Newfoundland, I thank you for your kind expressions of welcome and assure you that we both warmly appreciate the cordial feelings which prompt you thus to

(Signed) STEPHEN J. HILL. 11th September, 1872.

The National Anthem was then sung by the assembly, then numbering seven or eight hundred persons, the Band taking up each verse

The Reverend projector then offered up a short prayer asking a blessing on the under-Ross & Co. • Russia Salve taking, when the Governor declared the Ex- Sept. 17. hibition opened; after which, according to the programme. Mr. Murray, F. G. S., delivered a brief lecture upon the Geological department, which we hope he may repeat after the public curiosity shall have been satisfied, as the effect of his admirable exposition was in a great measure lost.

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The greatest good order was preserved, and the result of the first day's proceedings was the sale of one thousand six hundred tickets, besides many valuable purchases made at the

The opening of the Exhibition was decorous aud impressive, and we anticipate for it a complete success as a public effort of a most attractive and imploring character; and we have no doubt that in its mere pecuniary aspects, the secondary object, a fund for the benefit of the Projector's Church will be sufficiently answered to reward him in some degree for the service which he has rendered a community whose tastes and resources in matters of Art and Home Industries require enlargement and stimulation.

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