

right of sending two delegates. The President's address will be delivered at 2 o'clock, on the same day, after which the Premiums will be declared.

Here will end the Exhibition as far as live stock are concerned; but it has been determined by the Directors to re-open it on the following Monday, and keep it open through the entire week, which will afford the public an excellent opportunity of inspecting articles at their leisure. It is expected that the musical societies before mentioned, will each give a performance during two of the evenings of the second week. Exhibitors of such articles as are not perishable are urgently requested to leave their contributions for the second week.

In order to afford people of all classes and employments an opportunity to see the Exhibition, the Directors have determined on lighting the Crystal Palace with gas, by means of upwards of six hundred burners, commencing on the Wednesday evening of the first week.

The Railways and Steamboats, have entered into arrangements for carrying visitors, stock and articles to and from the Exhibition, at half rates.

EXAMINATION PAPER IN AGRICULTURE, UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, TORONTO, SESSION 1857-8.

Thinking it probable that a large number of our readers have no very definite notion of the nature and extent of the examination of students in Agriculture in our Provincial Collegiate Institution, it may not be devoid of use and interest to publish entire an examination paper belonging to this department. The one subjoined was written by Mr. J. E. Farewell, of Oshawa, in the County of Ontario, and obtained the first prize. The second prize was won by Mr. John Brown, of the County of Wentworth. Two other students had papers of nearly equal merit, and answered several of the questions quite as correctly, though not so fully, as their more successful competitors. These young men had been more or less engaged in practical farming, and availed themselves of several other courses of lectures in the College, besides Agriculture, during the winter season. Young men can enter the College as occasional students, without being subjected to any preliminary examination and may attend such courses of lectures only as meet their more immediate wants. Agricultural students usually take in addition to the history, science, and practice of Agriculture, Chemistry, Geology and Mineralogy, Natural History, including Botany and Meteorology, History, and English Language and Literature. Youths intended for the business of farming can annually go through such, or, if need be, a more extended course of study, and not be absent from their farms during the busiest and most important seasons of the year. All this can be done for a comparatively small expense; but little exceeding that for board and lodging. It is proper to state that the terminal examinations in the College are conducted on the principle of written answer.