

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

1. The Exhibition Grounds and Buildings will be opened on Monday, October 7th, 1878, at 9 o'clock, a. m., and continue open during the day and evening for the reception and arrangement of Exhibition articles and animals. Exhibitors on arrival will immediately report themselves at the office of the Secretary, who, with the assistance of the Committee of management, will allot appropriate pens or space for their exhibits. This day none but members of the General Committee, officials, exhibition and nursery attendants will be admitted.

2. Live animals, cut flowers, and perishable articles, will be received on Tuesday morning from sunrise up to 9 o'clock a. m. Unavoidable delays to be dealt with at the discretion of the Committee.

3. The Exhibition will be open to the public on Tuesday the 8th., at 2 o'clock, p. m., when an opening address will be given. The grounds and buildings will be open each succeeding day from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Admission 25 cents. Children 10 cents, Music may be expected.

4. The Judges will meet at the Secretary's office, on Tuesday the 8th inst., at 9 a. m., obtain Entry Books, and proceed to award premiums. On completing their work (which, if practicable, should be finished by 5 p. m. of the same day,) they will hand over their books and reports to the Secretary, who will furnish the requisite prize tickets, which it will be their duty to place carefully, and as soon as possible, upon the various articles.

5. Exhibits may be removed from the grounds on Friday the 11th Oct. at any

time after sunrise. Stock may be removed Wednesday the 9th at 5 p. m., if desired. The Treasurer will commence to pay premiums on the ground, at 9 a. m., on Friday. Prizes not claimed within three months from the close of the Exhibition will be forfeited.

6. Every intending competitor must transmit to the Secretary, not later than the date mentioned below, an entry paper containing a correct list of the animals or articles which he intends to exhibit, together with certificate of pedigree, in the case of thorough-bred stock, or else a reference to registry number of the Nova Scotia Stock Register. Any competitor failing to transmit his entry certificate at the proper time will be excluded from competition. A fee of 50 cents for entry of horses, all other animals and articles free.

7. Horses, cattle, sheep, swine, and poultry, must be entered on or before Saturday, September 1st., 1878, and the age of each animal should be stated in years and months at the date of exhibition; the precise date of birth to be given when necessary.

8. Plants, fruits, flowers, grains, roots, vegetables and other field and garden products, agricultural implements, and manufactures of all kinds, and articles not elsewhere enumerated, may be entered up to Saturday, September 28th., proceeding the show.

9. Exhibitors of bulky articles, requiring extensive or unusual accommodation, shall communicate with the Secretary on or before the 9th of September, in order that there may be time for the Committee to make the requisite arrangements.