

EXTRACTS FROM BY-LAWS.

41. "The Judges shall, in the execution of their duties, be careful to act with the most rigid impartiality; shall make their entries in a clear and conspicuous manner, in all cases of doubt or difficulty referring freely to the Secretary, or to the Committee of the Council in charge of the department; and when they have completed their reports shall sign and deliver their books to the Secretary of the department to which they belong.

42. "Upon the discovery of any fraud, deception, or dishonest practice, either in the preparation, ownership, or of any representation concerning any article exhibited, which may have affected, or may have been intended to affect the decision of the Judges, the Council shall have power to withhold the payment of any prize awarded, and may prohibit any such party from exhibiting in any class for one or more years, and may also publish the names of such persons or not as may be deemed most expedient."

DELEGATES, THE ANNUAL MEETING, ETC.

43. Delegates will be admitted on Tuesday and Wednesday of first week, and will be furnished with admission tickets. Members of the press will receive badges on reporting themselves at the Secretary's office.

44. The Annual Meeting of the Council of the Association will take place on Wednesday, the 20th of September, at 7.30 o'clock, P.M., at the City Hall.

45. Delegates from County Societies desiring to obtain a portion of the Canada Company prize wheat for their Counties will please apply to the member of the Council for the District in which their respective Societies are situated.

THE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT.

46. The General Superintendent will have the entire supervision of the grounds and the arrangement of the Exhibition. He will have an office upon one ground, where all persons having inquiries to make in relation to the arrangements will apply, and will also be the person to apply to for orders for attendants' tickets for Live Stock, Machinery, &c.

PAYING THE PREMIUMS.

47. The Treasurer will be prepared to commence paying the premiums on Saturday, 23rd of September, at 9 A.M., and parties who shall have prizes awarded to them are particularly requested to apply for them before leaving Kingston, or leave a written order with some person to receive them, stating the articles for which prizes are claimed.

48. Persons entitled to cash premiums must apply for them at the Secretary's

office, who will give orders on the Treasurer for the amount.

49. These orders must be endorsed, as they will be paid to order, not to bearer, and on presentation to the Treasurer, properly endorsed, will be paid either in cash or by cheque on the bank.

50. Orders for premiums not applied for on Saturday, as above, will be given by the Secretary, and the amount forwarded by the Treasurer, on receipt of proper instructions.

EXTRACTS FROM AGRICULTURAL STATUTE.

51. "All persons to whom a prize is awarded shall apply to the Secretary of the Association for payment thereof before or on the 30th day of November of the year in which such prize is awarded, or shall forfeit such prize.

52. "The Council or Board of Directors of any Association or Society organized under this Act, on being made aware of any fraud having been committed by any member or exhibitor, in the entry of any stock or goods in competition for prizes at any Exhibition, shall have the power of withholding the payment of any prizes that may have been awarded by the Judges to such members or exhibitors, on such fraudulent or any other entries made at any such Exhibition.

53. "If any person wilfully injures or destroys any property within the Exhibition Grounds of the Agricultural and Arts Association, or of any Agricultural or Horticultural Society, or hinders or obstructs the officers or servants of said Association or of such Society, or any policeman or constable duly appointed as aforesaid, in the execution of his duty, or gains admission to the said grounds contrary to the rules of such Association or Society, he shall be liable to a fine of not less than one nor more than twenty dollars; said fine to be enforced and collected as fines are usually collected, and to be paid over to such Association or Society for its use and benefit; and, in default of payment, the said offender shall be imprisoned in the common gaol for a period of not more than thirty days. 31 Vic., chap. 29, sec. 57.

54. "The officers of any such Association or Society may by their rules and regulations prohibit and prevent all kinds of gambling, theatrical, circus or mountebank performances, exhibitions, or shows, and also regulate or prevent the huckstering or trafficking in fruits, goods, wares, or merchandise on the Exhibition Grounds, or within three hundred yards thereof; and any person who, after due notice of such rules and regulations, violates the same, shall be liable to be removed by the officers, policemen or constables of said Association or Society, and be subject to the penalty prescribed by the next preceding section. 31 Vic., chap. 29, sec. 58.

55. "It shall not be lawful to carry on any horse-racing during the days appointed for holding any Exhibition by the Agricultural and Arts Association, or by any Electoral District Society, within five miles of the place of holding the same. 35 Vic., chap. 32, sec. 10.

(2) "Any person who shall be guilty of a violation of this section shall be liable, upon summary conviction before a Justice of the Peace, to a fine not exceeding fifty dollars, or imprisonment in the common gaol of the County for a period not exceeding thirty days. 35 Vic., chap. 32, sec. 11."

MISCELLANEOUS.

56. Provender will be provided by the Association for live stock at cost price. For information, exhibitors will apply to the superintendent of the grain and fodder department, at his office.

57. In case the directors shall require any particular information in reference to animals or articles taking first prizes, the owners will be expected to transmit it when requested to do so.

58. All protests against decisions of the Judges must be made before 12 o'clock noon on Friday, and must be delivered to the Secretary in writing, stating the cause of protest. Any difficulty, or protest, in respect to the awarding of prizes in any of the departments, shall be referred to the proper Committee of the Council over that department, who shall have full power to adjudicate upon the same, and report their decision to the Council for approval, and such approved decision shall be final, and the protest and report upon it shall be entered in a book kept for that purpose. This rule shall not apply to alleged errors on points of merit.

Prize Lists and Entry Papers for the Dominion Exhibition at Kingston may be obtained on application by post card or otherwise, to:

HENRY WADE, ESQ.,
Sec'y Agricultural & Arts Association,
Toronto.
Or to PROFESSOR LAWSON,
Halifax.

The Exhibition is to be held at Kingston.

REPORT ON THE CROPS AND LIVE STOCK OF ONTARIO.

The following information is reprinted from the Agricultural Returns to the Ontario Bureau of Industries for May, 1882, kindly furnished to us by Chas. Carpmael, F. R. S. C., the Superintendent of the Meteorological Observatory of the Dominion:

The Bureau of Industries was established by an Act of the Ontario Legis-