

and no money premium will be awarded except in accordance with this rule; articles of foreign manufacture, however, may be entered for exhibition only, and will be reported upon by the judges, according to their merits, or certificates awarded them, if deserving. Manufacturers are requested to furnish with their articles exhibited, the quantity they can produce, or supply, and the price, for the information of the judges, whose decision will be based on the combination of quality, style, and price, and the adaptation of the article to the purpose or purposes for which it is intended.

15. No person shall be allowed to enter for exhibition more than one specimen in any section of a class, unless the additional article be of a distinct named variety, or pattern, from the first. This rule not to apply to animals, but to apply to all kinds of grain, vegetable products, fruit, manufactured articles, &c., in which each additional specimen would necessarily be precisely similar to the first.

Extra Entries.

16. Every article must be entered under some one of the headings in the regular list when possible, but if any article is of a distinct character from anything specified in the list, it may then be entered in the extra section of that class with which it most nearly corresponds. No article, however, will be allowed to be entered as an extra for want of sufficient quantity or number, or any other similar defect, when of the same kind or variety as anything named in the list; in such a case the article cannot be exhibited.

17. Articles manufactured previous to the last Exhibition shall not be entered in competition for the prizes named in the prize list for this year, but shall be awarded diplomas if in the opinion of the judges such articles are superior to any others exhibited, and are deemed worthy of the same.

18. On the entry of each animal or article, a card will be furnished the exhibitor specifying the class, the section, the number of the entry, and the name and residence of the exhibitor, which card must remain attached to such animal or article during the Exhibition.

Trial of Mowing and Reaping Machines.

19. A public trial of the Mowing and Reaping Machines entered for exhibition will take place in the field during haying and harvest time. For this reason, therefore, it will be necessary that the entries of these machines should be made on or before 1st July. Due notice of the time and place of the trial will be given.

Transport of Articles, placing them on Exhibition, and Charge of them while there.

20. All articles for exhibition must be on the grounds on Monday, September 26th, except live stock, which must be there not later than Tuesday, 27th, at noon. Exhibitors of machinery and other heavy articles, are requested to have them on the grounds as far as possible during the week preceding the show.

21. Exhibitors must provide for the delivery of their articles upon the show ground. The Association cannot, in any case, make provision for their transportation, or be subjected to any expense therefor, either in their delivery at, or return from the grounds; all the expenses connected therewith must be provided for by the exhibitors themselves.

22. Articles not accompanied by their owners may be addressed to the care of the superintendent of the exhibition, who will receive them on their being delivered at the grounds, but in no case will such articles be brought on the grounds and placed on exhibition, except by and at the expense of the owners or their authorised agents.

23. Exhibitors, on arriving with their articles, will apply to the superintendent of the grounds, who will be stationed within the entry gate, and will inform them where the articles are to be placed.

24. Exhibitors will, at all times, give the necessary personal attention to whatever they may have on exhibition, and at the close of the show take entire charge of the same.

25. No articles or stock exhibited will be allowed to be removed from the grounds, till the close of the exhibition, upon the delivery of the President's address, on Friday afternoon, under the penalty of losing the premiums.

26. While the Directors will take every possible precaution, under the circumstances, to ensure the safety of articles sent to the exhibition, yet they wish it to be distinctly understood that the owners themselves must take the risk of exhibiting them; and that should any article be accidentally injured, lost, or stolen, the Directors will give all the assistance in their power towards the recovery of the same, but will not make any payment for the value thereof.

Steamboats, Railroads, Customs.

27. The Association will make arrangements with Steamboat and Railroad proprietors for carrying articles and passengers at reduced rates.

28. Arrangements will be made with the Customs department for the free entry of articles for competition.

Admission to the Grounds.

29. Tickets from the Secretary's Office will be furnished each person becoming a member previous to or on Saturday, September 24th, which will admit himself only, free to every department of the exhibition, during the Show. Life members admitted free throughout the Exhibition.

30. No members tickets will be issued after the above mentioned last Saturday evening, but those issued up to that time will be good till the close of the show.

31. Necessary attendants upon stock and articles belonging to exhibitors, will be furnished with admission tickets with their names written upon them, which ticket will be good at the *Exhibitor's Gate only*, during the show.

32. Tickets of admission, to those who are not members, will be issued on and after Tuesday morning, at 25 cents each—such ticket to be given up at the gates each time of admission, on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Children under fourteen years of age, half price. Carriages to pay one dollar each admission; each occupant, except the driver, to be also provided with the usual admission ticket. Horsemen half-a-dollar.

Judges and their Duties.

33. The judges will be appointed by the council of the Association previous to the Exhibition, and will receive a circular informing them of the fact and inviting them to act.