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THE EXHIBITION REVIEWED.

At the time of our last issue the in-reviewing event was in active progress, and we then gave our readers some notes of what had transpired from the start until the formal opening by the speaker, His Honor Judge McDonald. This speech will be found elsewhere in this issue, and is well worthy a careful perusal on account of the sound and practical hints contained therein, and the able manner in which a higher standard of education for the farmer is advocated. The speech requires no comment however; but that portion of it in which His Honor expressed surprise that a locality famed for its agricultural resources, should only at this late day be holding its first Exhibition, may to those of our readers who were not present require some explanation. The error arose from a slight misapprehension made by the Judge in reference to a remark made by J. B. Mills, Esq., in his introductory speech, in which he spoke of this as our first Exhibition of the kind, meaning, of course, under the new arrangement of District Exhibitions, comprising two or more counties, so that the implied rebuke for our inertness in such matters will be passed over simply as a mistake...

JUDGE McDONALD'S OPENING SPEECH.

J. B. Mills, Esq., introducing the speaker of the day, said that in response to the request of the committee of management the Hon. James McDonald had kindly consented to inaugurate the proceedings...