

ration so charming as the wreathing and bordering of the pulpit and altar of a chapel decorated almost exclusively with the pendant racemes of this species intermingled with green leaves. When well grown it will attain to the height of three feet, with nearly as great a breadth.

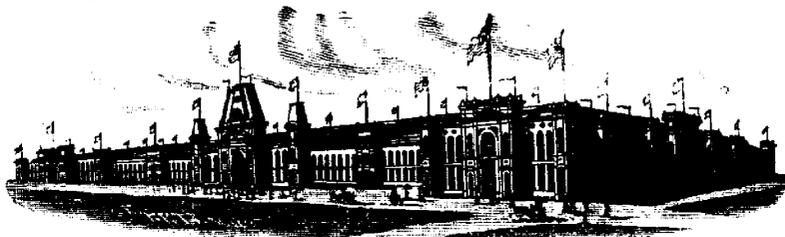
These are the species most commonly grown, and they are well worthy of a place in any selection of choice flowering shrubs. There is a white double flowering variety of *Deutzia crenata*, known as *D. crenata flore alba pleno*, which has not any pink or rose color upon the outside of the petals. This variety is also very handsome, making a pleasing contrast when planted near its rose-tinted relative. Johnson's gardener's dictionary mentions a red flowered species under the name of *Deutzia sanguinea*, but we have never

seen it, nor do we ever remember seeing the plant offered for sale in any nursery catalogue.

These *Deutzias* have a good reputation for hardiness, but we can not yet say how far to the north in Canada they can be successfully grown. Quite a number of the *D. crenata* were disseminated by the Fruit Growers' Association to its members last spring, and we hope that before long they will report through the *Canadian Horticulturist* whether they endure our climate in the sections that are colder than the county of Lincoln.

NEW ORLEANS EXHIBITION.

This promises to be one of the greatest Expositions that has yet been held. We give a description of the main building, with a cut showing the front and one side.



MAIN BUILDING.

The main building is the largest ever erected. It is 1,378 feet long by 905 feet wide, without courts, and has a continuous roof composed largely of glass so arranged as to afford an abundance of light without subjecting the interior to the direct rays of the sun. Within, the view is unobstructed. From one side or corner of the building to its opposite, the interior showing all the phases of industrial activity is seen. There are no partitions, and the lofty pillars, wide apart, supporting the roof structure, present no impediment to one's vision, but only serve to assist the eye in measuring the vast expanse. The interior is surrounded by wide

and spacious galleries, twenty-three feet high, which are reached by twenty elevators having the most approved safety appliances, and by convenient stairways.

The machinery department occupies a space of 1,378 feet long by 300 feet wide, within the main building, and has an extension added in iron 350 feet long and 150 feet wide for heavy machinery, described under the heading of Factories and Mills. From the galleries overlooking more than two miles of shafting can be seen driving every known character of machinery.

Music Hall, with a seating capacity, in commodious chairs, for 11,000 people, a plat-