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Rules and Regulations.

1. All specimens *placed in competition for premiums must be bona fide* GROWN BY THE COMPETITOR OR EMPLOYER; and, if proved not to be such, the competitor to be disqualified for receiving any premium whatever, at the Exhibition.
2. All plants, flowers, fruits and vegetables must be carefully labeled with their proper names.
3. All articles to be exhibited for premiums must be placed on the stands by twelve o'clock, noon. *This rule will be strictly adhered to.*
4. All articles exhibited shall remain in the Building until the close of the Exhibition, when they will be delivered to the contributors, unless otherwise directed.
5. The Judges shall have the discretionary power of withholding premiums, if, in their opinion, the articles exhibited do not merit them.
6. In awarding premiums on plants in pots, special reference will be had to the beauty of the specimens, profusion of bloom, and evidence of superior cultivation.
7. Dissimilar shall in every instance be held to mean distinct varieties or species of any plant.
8. Gratuities may be awarded by the Judges for any new or rare fruit, flowers, plants, or other objects of particular interest, and for which no special premium has been offered.
9. Parties will not be allowed to compete for more than one prize in the same section, and no article which has already been awarded a prize will be entitled to another.

10. No individual, except the Judges, will be allowed to touch or handle any fruit, flower, or other article exhibited.

11. The decision of the Judges, as regards the premiums, must be considered final.

12. The Judges shall not be competitors in that class for which they are to award premiums.

13. While the Judges are making their awards no person shall be present, except parties not in any way interested who must be appointed by the Directors.

14. Any deviation, more or less, from the exact quantities or numbers specified in the schedule, will disqualify a competitor.

15. In order to allot the space required in each section, all entries must be made in writing and subscriptions paid not later than the Thursday previous to the opening of the Exhibition, after which date no entries will be received.

16. The Society will not be responsible for damage done to plants, during or after Exhibitions, but all ordinary care will be taken of them.

17. Any person residing in the Province of Quebec may become a member of the Society on payment of an annual membership fee of two dollars for which payment he will receive a ticket of admission to the exhibition for his own use, and four single admission tickets. Also a copy of any reports published by the Society, and will be permitted the use of any of the books of reference in the Society's library.

19. The Secretary shall not be *obliged* to receive any entries not made in writing, blank forms for which will be furnished, on application to the Secretary. Parties living at a distance may make their entries by mail.

18. Any person residing outside the Island of Montreal, but in the Province of Quebec, will be permitted to compete for any of the prizes offered by the Society on payment of an entrance fee of one dollar. A ticket of admission to the exhibition, for his own use, will be furnished free.

20. Cards corresponding with the entries will be furnished the exhibitors who alone will be responsible for the placing of them, and

are requested to satisfy themselves that the cards correctly describe the objects exhibited. The Society cannot be responsible for any mistake arising from the non-observance of this or any other rule.

21. Prize lists and all other information may be obtained by applying to the Secretary ; and all persons interested in Horticulture are invited to contribute articles for exhibition.

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MONTREAL.

ARTICLES TO BE EXHIBITED.	1st Prize.	2nd Prize.	3rd Prize.
PLANTS.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
1. Greenhouse Plants, collection of 20 varieties, } at least one-half in bloom.....	10 00	8 00	6 00
2. Greenhouse Plants, best 12, distinct varieties, } at least one-half in bloom.....	7 00	5 00	3 00
3. Greenhouse Plants, best 6, dis. vari., in bloom..	5 00	3 00	1 00
4. " " " 3, " " "	2 00	1 00	0 50
5. Stove Plants, best 6 in bloom, distinct varieties	6 00	4 00	2 00
6. " " " 6 foliage, " "	4 00	2 00	1 00
7. Begonias, best 2 in bloom, distinct varieties.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
8. " " 2 foliage, " "	3 00	2 00	1 00
9. " Bulbous.....best 2 in bloom	3 00	2 00	1 00
10. Geraniums Zonale, best 12, dis. varieties "	6 00	4 00	2 00
11. " " " 6, " " "	3 00	2 00	1 00
12. " Double " 6, " " "	3 00	2 00	1 00
13. " Bronze " 3, " " "	2 00	1 00	0 50
14. " Tricolor " 3, " " "	2 00	1 00	0 50
15. Fuschias, best 6, distinct varieties, "	4 00	3 00	2 00
16. " " 3, " " "	3 00	2 00	1 00
17. Foreign Ferns, best 20, distinct varieties.....	10 00	7 00	4 00
18. " " " 12, " "	6 00	4 00	3 00
19. " " " 6, " "	3 00	2 00	1 00
20. Tree Fern, best specimen	3 00	2 00	1 00
21. Native Ferns, best collection in pots.....	5 00	3 00	2 00
22. Lycopodium, best 4 pots.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
23. Palm, best.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
24. Abutilons, best 3, distinct varieties, in bloom	2 00	1 00	0 50
25. Roses.....best 6, in pots " "	5 00	3 00	2 00
26. Bouvardias, best 6, at least 3 varieties, " "	4 00	2 00	1 00
27. " " 3, distinct varieties, " "	2 00	1 00	0 50
28. Coleus, best 6, distinct varieties.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
29. " " 2, " "	2 00	1 00	0 50
30. Balsams, best 4, must be grown in pots, in bloom	2 00	1 00	0 50
31. " " 2, " " " "	1 00	0 50	.....

ARTICLES TO BE EXHIBITED.	1st Prize.	2nd Prize.	3rd Prize.
Plants—Continued.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
32. Cockscorns, best 4, must be grown in pots.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
33. " " 2, " " "	1 00	0 50	.....
34. Carnations, best 6 pots, dis. varieties, in bloom	3 00	2 00	1 00
35. " " 3 " " " " "	1 00	0 50	.....
36. Hanging Basket, best.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
37. Vase of Plants, best.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
38. Lilliums, best 2 in pots, in bloom.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
39. " best 12 Spikes of.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
40. Gladioli, best 12 spikes.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
41. " " 6 "	2 00	1 00	0 50
42. Hollyhock, best 12 blooms.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
43. Dahlias, best 24.....	5 00	3 00	2 00
44. " " 12.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
45. " " 6.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
46. " Pompon, best 12	2 00	1 00	0 50
47. Stocks, best 12 spikes of.	2 00	1 00	0 50
48. " 6 " "	1 00	0 50	.....
49. Asters, best 24 blooms "	2 00	1 00	0 50
50. " " 12 " "	1 00	0 75	.....
51. " " 6 in pots, in bloom.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
52. Zinnias, best 24 blooms of.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
53. Dianthus, best collection of.	2 00	1 00	0 50
54. Phlox Dummondi, best 24 vari., 3 trusses of each	3 00	2 00	1 00
55. " " " 12 " " "	2 00	1 00	0 50
56. Verbenas, best 24 blooms.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
57. " " 12 "	2 00	1 00	0 50
58. " " 6 "	1 00	0 50	.....
59. Pansies " 12 "	2 00	1 00	0 50
60. " " 6 "	1 00	0 50	.....
61. Petunias, best collection.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
62. Salpiglossis, best collection.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
63. Annals, best collection.....	3 00	2 00	1 00

ARTICLES TO BE EXHIBITED.		1st Prize.	2nd Prize.	3rd Prize.
Plants—Continued.		\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
64. Bi-Ennials, best collection.....		2 00	1 00	0 50
65. Immortelles, " "		2 00	1 00	0 50
BOUQUETS, WREATHS, &c.				
66. Bouquet, best table.....		3 00	2 00	1 00
67. " " hand.....		2 00	1 00	0 50
68. Wreath, not less than 12 nor more than 15 inches diameter.....		3 00	2 00	1 00
69. Best device in Winter flowers.....		2 00	1 00	0 50
70. Bouquet, best Winter.....		2 00	1 00	0 50
SPECIAL PRIZES—OPEN TO ALL.				
71. Bouquet, best hand, home grown or imported flowers.....		4 00	2 00	.....
72. Bouquet, best table, home grown or imported flowers.....		5 00	4 00	3 00
73. Wreath, best, home grown or imported flowers..		4 00	2 00	.....
SPECIAL PRIZE OFFERED BY THE PRESIDENT, J. D. GIBB, Esq.				
73½. For the largest and best collection of Sub- Tropical or Greenhouse Plants, not less than 30 in number.....		15 00	10 00	.....
AMATEUR CLASS.				
74. Plants, best 6 in bloom.....		3 00	2 00	1 00
75. " " 4 "		3 00	2 00	1 00
76. " " 2 "		2 00	1 00	0 50
77. Plant, best.....		2 00	1 00	0 50
78. Begonias, best 2 in bloom.....		2 00	1 00	0 75
79. Coleus, best 2.....		2 00	1 00	0 75
80. " "		1 00	0 75	0 50
81. Fuschias, best 3 in bloom.....		3 00	2 00	1 00
82. Fuschia, best in bloom.....		1 00	0 75	.....
83. Geraniums, best 4 in bloom.....		3 00	2 00	1 00
84. " " 2 " "		2 00	1 00	0 50
85. Roses, best 3 in bloom.....		3 00	2 00	0 50

ARTICLES TO BE EXHIBITED.	1st Prize.	2nd Prize.	3rd Prize.
Amateur Class—Continued.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
86. Hydrangea, best, in bloom.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
87. Oleander, " " "	2 00	1 00	0 50
88. Abutilon, " " "	2 00	1 00	0 50
89. Heliotrope, " " "	1 00	0 75	.....
90. Plants, best vase of.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
91. Hanging Basket, best.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
92. Carnations, best 4 in pots, in bloom.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
93. " " 2 " " "	1 00	0 50	.....
94. Bouvardia, best, in bloom.....	1 00	0 75	0 50
95. Petunias, best 2 in pots, in bloom.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
96. Mignonette, best 2 pots, " "	1 00	0 75	0 50
97. Asters, best 2 pots, in bloom.....	1 00	0 75	0 50
98. Cut Flowers, best collection of.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
99. Dahlias, best 6.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
100. Gladioli, best 6.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
101. Lilliums, best 6.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
102. Balsams, best 2 in pots, in bloom.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
103. Cockscombs, best 2 in pots.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
104. Pansies, best 12 blooms.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
105. Verbenas, best 12 blooms.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
106. " " 6 "	1 00	0 50	.....
107. Fern Case, best (filled).....	3 00	2 00	1 00
108. Bouquet, best hand.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
109. " " table.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
110. Wreath, best.....	2 00	1 00	0 75
110½. Best and most tastefully arranged Basket of cut Flowers, not more than 12 inches in diameter.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
FRUITS.			
111. Apples, best and largest collection, open to the Province of Quebec, must be exhibited by the grower or growers of the County, 5 specimens of each variety.....	20 00	15 00	10 00

ARTICLES TO BE EXHIBITED.	1st Prize.	2nd Prize.	3rd Prize.
Fruits—Continued.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
112. Apples, best 12 varieties, 5 of each.....	5 00	4 00	3 00
113. " " 6 "	4 00	3 00	2 00
114. " " 3 "	3 00	2 00	1 00
115. " 5 heaviest.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
116. Crab Apples, best collection, 10 of each.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
117. Crab Apples, best plate, 10 specimens.....	2 00	1 00	.....
SPECIAL COUNTY PRIZE.			
118. For the best County collection of Apples, } open to all, except Hochelaga, 5 specimens } of each variety.....	40 00	25 00	15 00
119. Pears, best collection, 5 of each.....	5 00	3 00	2 00
120. " " 3 varieties, 5 of each.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
121. " " plate, 5 specimens.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
122. Plums, best collection, not less than 6 } specimens of each variety	3 00	2 00	1 00
123. Plums, best 2 varieties.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
124. Peaches, best collection, under glass.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
125. " " " of not less than 3.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
126. Nectarines, best collection	3 00	2 00	1 00
127. Grapes, best collection, out-door, named, 2 } bunches of each.....	5 00	4 00	3 00
128. Grapes, best 3 varieties, out-door, 2 bunches } of each.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
129. Grapes, heaviest single bunch, out-door.....	2 00	1 00	.....
130. *Grapes, best 5 varieties, grown in cold } vinery.....	5 00	3 00	2 00
131. *Grapes, best 4 bunches, 2 white and 2 black, } grown in cold vinery.....	4 00	3 00	2 00
132. Grapes, best 8 varieties, 1 bunch of each, } grown in hot vinery.....	5 00	3 00	2 00
133. Grapes, best 4 bunches, 2 white and 2 black, } grown under glass.....	4 00	3 00	2 00
133½. Grapes, heaviest single bunch grown under } glass.....	5 00	3 00	2 00

* The prizes in Sec. 130 and 131 will not be awarded if artificial heat of any kind is used.

ARTICLES TO BE EXHIBITED.		1st. Prize.	2nd Prize.	3rd Prize.
Fruits—Continued.		\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
SPECIAL PRIZE OFFERED BY A MEMBER OF THE SOCIETY.				
134.	†For the best and heaviest bunch of Grapes, grown under glass, \$25.00, or a piece of plate, suitably engraved, of that value; the bunch winning the prize to become the property of the donor. The Society also offers a second and third prize, of \$5.00 and \$3.00, for the second and third best bunches.			
135.	Melon, best Water.....	2 00	1 00	0 75
136.	" " Citron.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
137.	" " Musk Green fleshed.....	1 00	0 75	0 50
138.	" " " Red "	2 00	1 00	0 50
139.	Plums, best quart of wild.....	1 00	0 75	0 50
140.	Grapes, best 3 clusters of wild.....	1 00	0 75	0 50
141.	Peach Tree, best, bearing fruit, in pot.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
142.	Fig " " " " "	3 00	2 00	1 00
143.	Grape Vine, " " " " "	3 00	2 00	1 00
†The prizes in Sec. 134 will not be awarded unless there are two or more competitors.				
VEGETABLES.				
144.	Cauliflowers, best 4.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
145.	Cucumbers, best 2.....	1 00	0 75	0 50
146.	Cabbage, Summer, best 3 for table.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
147.	" Winter, " "	2 00	1 00	0 50
148.	" Red, " "	2 00	1 00	0 50
149.	" Savoy, " "	2 00	1 00	0 50
150.	Brussels Sprouts, best 2 stalks.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
151.	Scotch Kale, best 2 stalks.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
152.	Celery, white, best 6.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
153.	" red, best 6.	3 00	2 00	1 00
154.	Beets, Turnip, best 6 for table.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
155.	" long, " "	2 00	1 00	0 50
156.	Turnips, white, best 6 for table.....	2 00	1 00	0 50

ARTICLES TO BE EXHIBITED.	1st Prize.	2nd Prize.	3rd Prize.
Vegetables—Continued.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
157. Turnips, yellow, best 6 for table.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
158. Carrots, early, " 12 " "	2 00	1 00	0 50
159. " late, " " " "	2 00	1 00	0 50
160. Parsnips, best 12 for table.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
161. Onions, white, best 6 for table.....	1 50	0 75	0 50
162. " red, " "	1 50	0 75	0 50
163. " yellow, " "	1 50	0 75	0 50
164. Onions, best assorted collection.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
165. Tomatoes, red, best 12.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
166. " yellow, best 12.....	1 00	0 75	0 50
167. " best assorted collection.	3 00	2 00	1 00
168. Egg Plants, best 6, purple.....	1 00	0 50	.....
169. " " 6, white	1 00	0 50	.....
170. " " assorted collection.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
171. Peppers, best collection.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
172. Vegetable Marrow, best 2.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
173. Table Squashes, best 3 varieties, 2 of each.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
174. Gourds, best collection of, 3 of each not before enumerated in list.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
175. Sweet Corn, best collection.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
176. " " 12 ears.....	1 50	1 00	0 75
177. Mushrooms, best dish of, raised artificially.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
178. Beans, best dish of.....	1 00	0 75	0 50
179. Pot and Sweet Herbs, best collection of.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
180. Potatoes, best collection for table, not less than 6 of each variety, (named).....	3 00	2 00	1 00
181. Potatoes, best basket of, 1 peck.....	1 00	0 75	0 50
182. " best 4 varieties, (named).....	2 00	1 00	0 50
183. Vegetables, best and greatest varieties of, distinct from other entries, each variety named.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
184. Vegetables, best basket of, assorted.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
185. Honey, in comb, not less than 6 lbs.....	4 00	2 00	1 00

ARTICLES TO BE EXHIBITED.	1st Prize.	2nd Prize.	3rd Prize.
Amateur Class- Continued.			
	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
186. Honey, best jar of clear	4 00	2 00	1 00
187. Bee-hive, best design of.....	4 00	3 00	2 00
AMATEUR CLASS.			
188. Apples, best 3 varieties of, 5 of each.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
189. " " plate of.....	2 00	1 00	0 75
190. Pears, best plate of.....	2 00	1 00	0 75
191. Plums, best plate of.....	2 00	1 00	0 75
192. Grapes, best 3 varieties, out-door, 2 bunches } of each.....	4 00	3 00	2 00
193. Grapes, best 2 bunches of any kind.....	2 00	1 00	0 75
194. Melon, best Water.....	1 00	0 75	0 50
195. " best Green or Red.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
196. Cauliflowers, best 2.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
197. Cabbages, best 2.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
198. Vegetables, best 6 varieties 3 of each named....	3 00	2 00	1 00
199. Potatoes, best plate of.....	2 00	1 00	0 50
200. Beans, best plate of.....	1 00	0 75	0 50
<p>A piece of plate of the value of \$20.00 is offered to the exhibitor taking the greatest number of first prizes.</p> <p>A piece of similar value is offered also in the Amateur Class.</p>			

Special Notice to Intending Exhibitors.

All entries to be made in writing, and all subscriptions paid not later than Thursday, 12th September, 1878, after which date the Entry Book will be closed.

Parties living at a distance will please send their entries to the Secretary, accompanied by their subscription (\$2.00) by mail, on or before the above date.

Competitors in the classes for Collections of Plants or Fruits, will please state, as nearly as possible, the amount of space they will require in each section, on a table 3½ feet wide.

Exhibitors will have the privilege of selling any articles exhibited, at auction, or by private sale, at the close of the Exhibition, paying the Society a commission of 10 per cent., which will include the Auctioneer's fee on all articles sold.

Annual subscription to the Society \$2.00, entitling the subscriber to admission to the Exhibition free, and also four extra tickets for the use of his family or friends.

All communications addressed to the Secretary, at the Office of Wm. Evans, Seedsman, Montreal, will receive prompt attention.

HENRY S. EVANS,
Sec'y-Treas.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the Board of Directors of the City of New York, to receive and take possession of the property of the City of New York, and to sell the same, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, in that behalf relating.

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NOTICE.

The Society beg to announce that they will issue in
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Designed for the guidance and information of those
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this neighbourhood, also

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&c.

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Full information is given as to the varieties most
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N. B.—All Subscribers to the Society will receive one Copy Gratis, by
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