

THE
DUBLIN INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION OF 1865.

DECISIONS
OF THE
INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION COMMITTEE,
ON POINTS RELATIVE TO EXHIBITORS.

1. The Directors have fixed upon Tuesday, the 9th day of May, 1865, for opening the Exhibition.
2. The Exhibition will take place in the Company's Buildings, Earlsfort-terrace, Dublin.
3. The Fine Arts Department will be placed in the main building, erected in brick and stone. The Machinery in a separate court, and the general Exhibition will be held in the other portions of the buildings.
4. No rent will be charged to exhibitors.
5. The productions of all nations will be admitted.
6. The general plan for the division of the Exhibition will be similar, as far as practicable, to that adopted at the suggestion of His Royal Highness Prince Albert, for the Exhibition of 1851, viz.—
RAW MATERIALS; MACHINERY, TEXTILE FABRICS; METALLIC, VITREOUS, AND CERAMIC MANUFACTURES;
MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURES; FINE ARTS.

A—Raw Material.

1. Mining, Quarrying, Metallurgical Operations, and Mineral Products.
2. Chemical and Pharmaceutical Processes and Products generally.
3. Substances used as Food.
4. Vegetable and animal Substances chiefly used in Manufactures as Implements or for Ornament.

B—Machinery.

5. Machines for direct use, including Carriages and Railway and Naval Mechanism.
6. Manufacturing Machines and Tools.
7. Civil Engineering, Architectural, and Building contrivances.
8. Naval Architecture and Military Engineering, Ordnance, Armour, and Accoutrements.
9. Agricultural and Horticultural Machines and Implements.
10. Philosophical Instruments and processes depending upon their use; Photographic Apparatus; Musical, Horological, and Surgical Instruments; Machinery employed in Spinning and Weaving, and in the manufacture of Wood and Metal; Machinery in general.

C—Textile Fabrics.

11. Cotton.
12. Woollen and Worsted.
13. Silk and Velvet.
14. Manufactures from Flax and Hemp.
15. Mixed Fabrics, including Shawls, but exclusive of Worsted Goods (Class 12).
16. Leather, including Saddlery and Harness, Skins, Furs, Feathers, and Hair.
17. Paper and Stationery, Printing and Bookbinding.
18. Woven, Spun, Felted, and Laid Fabrics, when shown as specimens of Printing or Dyeing.
19. Tapestry, including Carpets and Floor-cloths, Lace and Embroidery, Fancy and Industrial Works.
20. Articles of Clothing for immediate Personal or Domestic use.

D—Metallic, Vitreous, and Ceramic Manufactures.

21. Cutlery and Edge Tools.
22. Iron and general Hardware.
23. Working in precious Metals, and in their imitation; Jewellery, and all articles of Vertu and Luxury, not included in the other classes.
24. Glass.
25. Ceramic Manufacture, China, Porcelain, Earthenware, &c.

E—Miscellaneous Manufactures.

26. Decoration, Furniture, and Upholstery, including Paper Hangings, Papier Maché, and Japanned Goods.
27. Manufactures in Mineral Substances used for Building or Decoration, as in Marble, Slate, Porphyries, Cements, Artificial Stones, &c.
28. Manufactures from Animal and Vegetable Substances, not being Woven or Felted, or included in other sections.
29. Miscellaneous Manufactures and Small Wares.

F—Fine Arts.

30. Paintings in Oil and Water Colours, Drawings and Photographs, Architecture, Sculpture, Models and Plastic Art, Die-Sinking and Intaglios, Engravings and Etchings, Enamels and Frescoes.

7. Rough Counters and Wall Space will be provided.
8. All goods and articles for Exhibition must be delivered at the Building free of any charge to the Company, and at the risk of the Exhibitor.
The reception of goods and articles will commence on the 1st of March, and none can be received after the 15th of April.
9. Articles and packages will be unloaded at the Building.
Should Exhibitors or their Agents not be present, the packages will be opened by the Officers of the Company, and the contents distributed with the utmost possible care, but at the risk of the Exhibitor.

10. Tickets will be issued to every Exhibitor, his Agent or Servant, to enable him to pass into the Building until the 8th of May, between certain hours, to arrange the articles for exhibition; These Tickets must be produced on entrance, and given up when required.
11. The most effectual means will be taken, through the agency of the Police and otherwise, to guard against fire and protect the property in the Exhibition, but the Directors cannot be responsible for losses by fire, robbery, accident, or damage of any kind.
12. The Directors reserve to themselves the right to exclude any article they may think unsuitable to the Exhibition.
13. The following articles will not be admitted:—
Vegetable and Animal Substances liable to spoil by keeping.
Living Animals.
Detonating or dangerous substances, Copper Caps or other articles of a similar nature, may be exhibited, provided the detonating powder be not inserted; also Lucifer Matches with imitation tops.
14. Spirits or Alcohol, Oils, Acids, Corrosive Salts, and substances of a highly inflammable nature will only be admitted by special written permission, and in well secured glass vessels.
Phosphorus, Detonating Powder, and all substances liable to inflame or explode spontaneously, are excluded.
All Acids or other substances of a corrosive nature, and also Alcohol, Ether, Chloroform, and other inflammable liquids are to be enclosed in strong glass bottles, three quarters full, and carefully luted, containing not more than half an imperial pint each, and are to be placed in trays of lead or gutta percha large enough to contain the contents of the bottles should a breakage occur.
Substances liable to give off an offensive smell must be properly enclosed in air-tight cases; also all substances likely to melt.
15. Any Exhibitor whose goods can properly be placed together, will be at liberty to arrange such goods in his own way, provided his arrangement is compatible with the general scheme of the Exhibition, and the convenience of other Exhibitors.
16. Prices of articles exhibited may be affixed in all the Sections with the exception of Fine Arts.
17. Exhibitors cannot remove their goods, or substitute others for them, during the period the Exhibition shall remain open, without the permission of the Committee.
18. Exhibitors may employ (under the Regulations of the Committee) assistants, to preserve and keep in order the articles they exhibit, or to explain them to visitors.
19. Free admission, within certain limits, will be given to Exhibitors or their agents.
20. Steam and Water-power required for the purpose of the Exhibition will be supplied gratuitously.
21. Besides making arrangements for showing Machinery in Motion, and illustrating it by processes, the Committee will reserve space (if early application is made) for the exhibition of processes of Manufactures in certain handicrafts, which can be carried on without danger in the building.
22. The Committee, considering that it will be interesting and instructive to the general public to have the opportunity of seeing the following and similar processes, will reserve sufficient space for showing illustrations of each of them:—
Steel-pen Making; Pin Making; Needle Making; Button Making; Medal Striking; Gold-chain Making; Engine-turning for Watches; Brick and Drain-Tile Making; Glove Making; Stocking Weaving; the Manufacture of Linens; the Manufacture of Woollen Fabrics; Ribbon Weaving; Glass Blowing on a small scale; Type Casting; Type Printing, by hand; Lithographic Printing; Copper-plate Printing; Earthenware Printing; Porcelain Printing; a Potter's Wheel; Turning in Metal, Wood, and Ivory; Lace Making of all kinds; Book-binding; Tabinet and Poplin Weaving; Straw-Plait Making; Pipe and Cigar Making.
24. All intending Exhibitors must state whether they are the Designer, Inventor, Manufacturer, Importer, or Producer of the Articles they propose to exhibit.
25. Packing-cases must be removed and stored at the expense of Exhibitors, or their Agents, as soon as the goods are unpacked and examined. If not removed within three days after due notice has been given, the packing-cases will be removed by the Company's servant, and the Exhibitors will be charged for cartage and storage.
26. The foregoing Rule will not apply to the Fine Art Department.
27. Exhibitors must be at the charge of Insuring their own Goods, should they desire this security.
28. Exhibitors will be permitted, subject only to the necessary general regulations, to erect, according to their own taste, all the counters, stands, glass frames, brackets, awnings, hangings, or similar contrivances, which they may consider best calculated for the display of their goods.
29. The following is the Form of Address which should be adopted:—

To THE COMMITTEE for the
International Exhibition of 1865.
Exhibition Palace.

From [state Country and Exhibitor's Name] Dublin.

30. Intending Exhibitors are requested to apply, without delay, to the Secretary for a Form of Demand for Space, stating in which of the Classes they wish to exhibit.
31. Medals and Certificates of Merit will be awarded in all Sections, except in that of F.
32. It is not the intention of the Committee to take any steps in reference to the protection of Inventions or Designs by patent or registration, the law on those points having been materially simplified since 1861.
33. Arrangements are now being made with the principal Railway and Steam Packet Companies having direct communication with Dublin; with a view of obtaining the same facilities for the conveyance of goods to and from the Exhibition as were afforded at the London Exhibition of 1862. Intending Exhibitors will be furnished with further particulars on this point.
34. On application by Exhibitors Empty Packages will be Warehoused up to end of 1865, at the following Scale of Charges, including cartage from and to the Exhibition:—

5s. Od. per Package, not exceeding 3 feet in its greatest dimensions.	
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NOTE.—To prevent loss, miscarriage, or mislaying articles, or packing-cases containing them, which occupy less bulk than two cubic feet, should not be sent separately; but packages under such size, containing, as far as possible, the same classes of articles, should be transmitted in combination.

DECISIONS SPECIALLY APPLICABLE TO FINE ARTS.

CLASS F.

1. No Copies, Drawings, or Photographs of any of the Works of Art will be allowed to be taken, without the previous written consent of their respective owners.
2. All Packing-cases must be legibly marked, on the inside, with the owner's name and address.
3. Distinctive Labels will be attached to such Works of Art as are intended for Sale, the Price of which shall be entered in a book, to be kept by an officer of the Committee, through whom all Sales must be made. A commission of 5 per cent. will be charge by the Committee.
4. A Purchaser must, in all cases, pay a deposit of 15 per cent. on the purchase of any work of Art to the officer in charge, and shall pay the remainder of the purchase-money, and, at his own expense, remove the work purchased by him, within ten days from the final close of the Exhibition. A work will not be considered sold, nor marked sold, until the deposit has been paid.
5. In case any purchaser shall not pay the remainder of the purchase-money within the period prescribed, the deposit shall be forfeited, and may, at the option of the Committee, be given to the Exhibitor of the Work of Art in question.
6. At the close of the Exhibition permanent Galleries for Pictures, &c., will be formed, and Artists and others may leave their works on view, subject to the foregoing Rules.

DECISIONS SPECIALLY APPLICABLE TO MACHINERY IN MOTION.

CLASS B.

1. The Machinery will be grouped together, as much as possible, to keep the noisy and dusty processes isolated.
2. The Machinery must be kept at work, or in motion, during such hours as the Exhibition shall be open; the officers of the Committee will put such Machinery to work as may be standing without good cause, at the Exhibitor's risk. Engineers' tools, &c., may be driven at a slow rate off the naked shafts.
3. Motive power will be provided as follows:—
 - A.—Lines of polished lying shafts, revolving 160 times per minute, 2½ inches diameter (Whitworth's standard gauge). Diameter of largest pulley admissible, 36 inches; all pulleys and wheels of any kind to be put on in halves, either to clamp on shaft, or to key on with hollow keys. Counter or cross shafts must be provided by Exhibitors; belt guards or hooks must be provided as required by the Factory Acts, wherever, in the judgment of the Committee, the public safety requires it.
 - B.—Steam at 50 lb. pressure, per square inch, in boiler, will be provided; and a range of steam and exhaust pipes laid through the building. Exhibitors must make their own connexions with these in a manner approved by the Committee; no escape of Steam into the building will be permitted.
 - C.—A limited supply of water, under a pressure of 70 feet, a larger supply under 22 feet, will be provided when the fountains are not in full play. An unlimited supply of water, about 10 feet below the floor, will be available, provided it is returned to the reservoir again.
4. Exhibitors must fence their Machinery neatly and securely in accordance with the regulations of the Factory Acts, as the Committee cannot be responsible for accidents arising from the neglect of these precautions.
5. Exhibitors must clean and lubricate their own Machinery and counter shafts, and provide their own bands. Shaft-ladders and belt-crutches will be found by the Committee.
6. Articles of great size or weight, the placing of which will require considerable labour, must be sent before the 1st of March, 1865; and Manufacturers wishing to exhibit Machinery, or other objects that will require foundations, must make a declaration to that effect on their demands for space.

By order,

HENRY PARKINSON,
Secretary.

No. 150.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified that, under the terms of Section III. of Ordinance No. 11 of 1844, and Section I. of Ordinance No. 7 of 1858, Thursday, the 27th day of October next, is fixed for a Special Sessions of the Justices of the Peace, to be held at the Police Magistrate's Office, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of considering Applications for the Licenses for the Sale of Spirituous and Fermented Liquors, during the Year commencing on 1st December next.

Applications for such Licenses must be lodged at the Police Magistrate's Office at least Ten days before the Sessions, in the Form prescribed by the above quoted Section of the first mentioned Ordinance, and no Application will, after that period, be received for submission to the Sessions.

Printed Forms of Applications may be obtained by intending Applicants at the Police Magistrate's Office between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

By Order,

W. H. RENNIE,
for the Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 24th September, 1864.