

THE OPENING OF THE CORK EXHIBITION.

THIS Industrial Exhibition opens on the 3rd inst., and we can now only hope that it will be entirely successful. Its scope and the classes of exhibits it will embrace in its various sections have been already indicated in our columns. We might if we wished have furnished some notices of exhibits in advance, but we prefer to await the opening. In due time, without binding ourselves to devote any particular space, we will notice sundry of those exhibits which more particularly come within the purview of this journal, and the manufacture of which is calculated to benefit this country, by affording increased employment to our artizan population. We hope that the working class visitors to the Cork Exhibition will profit by what they will see by the skilled outcome of many trades; and as many of the exhibitors are *bona fide* manufacturers themselves, they must also benefit by learning the ways, methods, and results, of other manufactures. As we said on a former occasion, there exists no reason why Limerick, Waterford, Galway, Kilkenny, and other towns should not follow the good suit, and have in turn their own local exhibitions. Whatever is determined upon in those places should however be considered with care, and with a view to the likelihood of satisfactory results. Let us hope that the Cork Exhibition, following the Dublin one, will date the commencement of a new era in Ireland.

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