

THE HORTICULTURAL EXHIBITION
THE BOTANICAL GARDENS.
THE TULIP SHOW.

The inclement weather of Saturday deterred a large number of people from visiting the national botanical exhibition now in progress at the Royal Botanic Gardens, Old Trafford, in this city, but notwithstanding the frequent and heavy showers of rain falling there was a very fair attendance. The National Tulip Society held their annual exhibition in one of the tents in the gardens on Saturday, when the display was rather smaller than in former years, but as a rule the flowers were good. The named tulips were of a superior quality, but the unnamed ones were much inferior than we have been in the habit of seeing on this occasion. The named tulips were 20 in number, and the following were the winners of the awards:—Twelve dissimilar tulips, one of each class: 1, Mr. S. Barlow, Stakehill, near Middleton (a very fine lot); 2, Mr. D. Woolley, Stockport; 3, Mr. H. Travis, Royton; 4, Mr. J. H. Wood, Martlew. Eight stands of six dissimilar tulips, one of each class: 1, Mr. T. Anson, Parkfield, Derby; 2, Mr. S. Barlow; 3, Mr. H. Travis, Stockport; 4, Mr. R. Sharpley; 5, Mr. J. Thurstan, Walsingham; 6, Mr. D. Woolley; 7, Mr. J. H. Wood, Royton. Four stands of six dissimilar tulips for 10s. 6d. subscribers only, one of each class: 1, Mr. H. Housley, Stockport (a very fine lot); 2nd, Mr. E. H. Schofield. Six stands of three feathered tulips, one of each class: 1, Mr. H. Housley; 2, Mr. T. Parkinson; 3, Mr. E. H. Schofield; 4, Mr. H. Travis; 5, Mr. D. Woolley; 6, Mr. S. Barlow. Six stands of three named tulips, one of each class: 1, Mr. D. Woolley; 2, Mr. J. Thurstan; 3, Mr. H. Housley; 4, Mr. J. Martlew; 5, Mr. S. Barlow; 6, Mr. E. H. Schofield. Maiden growers: 1, Mr. J. Martlew; 2, Mr. T. Baker, Leigh. Six stands of two tulips, one feathered and one named: 1, Mr. H. Housley; 2, Mr. T. Parkinson; 3, Mr. J. Martlew; 4, Mr. H. Travis; 5, Mr. T. Baker; 6, Mr. E. H. Schofield. Single bloom, feathered bizarre: 1, Mr. T. Parkinson; 2, Mr. R. Sharpley; 3, Mr. T. Anson; 4, Mr. J. Morris, Bedford Leigh; 5, Mr. Simonite, Sheffield; 6, Mr. J. Morris; 7 and 8, Mr. J. Morris; 9, Mr. Parkinson; 10, Mr. J. Morris. Single bloom, rose: 1, Mr. T. Parkinson; 2, Mr. B. Simonite; 3, Mr. H. Travis; 4, Mr. D. Woolley; 5, Mr. E. H. Schofield; 6, Mr. J. Thurstan; 7, Mr. D. Woolley; no eighth. Single bloom, feathered by bloemen: 1, Mr. T. Parkinson; 2, Mr. H. Housley; 3, Mr. J. Morris; 4, Mr. Housley; 5, Mr. T. Baker; 6, Mr. H. Housley; 7, Mr. Parkinson; 8, Mr. H. Housley; 9, Mr. J. H. Wood; 10, Mr. E. H. Schofield. Single bloom, rose: 1, Mr. H. Housley; 2, Mr. T. Parkinson; 3, Mr. J. Martlew; 4, Mr. S. Barlow; 5, Mr. E. H. Schofield; 6, Mr. D. Woolley; 7, Mr. E. H. Schofield; 8, Mr. S. Barlow; 9th, Mr. H. Travis; 10, Mr. S. Barlow. Single bloom, feathered rose: 1, Mr. J. Thurstan; 2, Mr. S. Barlow; 3 and 4, Mr. D. Woolley; 5, Mr. J. H. Wood; 6 and 7, Mr. S. Barlow; 8, Mr. T. Anson; 9 and 10, Mr. J. H. Wood. Single bloom, by bloemen: 1 and 2, Mr. D. Woolley; 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, Mr. S. Barlow; 9, Mr. D. Woolley; 10, Mr. Thomas Hague, Stockport. Breeder tulips, six stands of six dissimilar tulips, one of each class: 1, Mr. S. Barlow; 2, Mr. J. H. Wood; 3, Mr. B. Simonite; 4, Mr. R. Sharpley; 5, Mr. J. Thurstan; 6, Mr. J. Morris. Eight stands of six dissimilar tulips, one of each class: 1, Mr. B. Simonite; 2, Mr. H. Housley; 3, Mr. S. Barlow; 4, Mr. J. H. Wood; 5, Mr. D. Woolley; 6, Mr. R. Sharpley; 7, Mr. E. H. Schofield; 8, Mr. J. Thurstan. Single bloom, rose: 1, Mr. J. H. Wood; 2 and 3, Mr. R. Sharpley; 4, Mr. D. Woolley; 5 and 6, Mr. H. Travis; 7, Mr. S. Barlow; 8, Mr. R. Sharpley. Single bloom, feathered: 1, Mr. H. Housley; 2, Mr. J. H. Wood; 3, Mr. S. Barlow; 4, Mr. J. Martlew; 5, Mr. E. H. Schofield; 6, Mr. J. Thurstan; 7 and 8, Mr. E. H. Schofield. Single bloom, by bloemen: 1, Mr. H. Housley; 2, Mr. S. Barlow; 3 and 4, Mr. E. H. Schofield; 5, Mr. S. Barlow; 6, Mr. E. H. Schofield; 7, Mr. S. Barlow; 8, Mr. E. H. Schofield; 9, Mr. S. Barlow; 10, Mr. E. H. Schofield. Best breeder tulip of any class in the whole exhibition: Mr. J. H. Wood. Best feathered tulip in the exhibition: Mr. H. Housley. Best named tulip in the exhibition: Mr. Thomas Parkinson.