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ADVERTISEMENTS FOR NEXT WEEK must therefore reach the Office not LATER than WEDNESDAY MORNING, the 28th inst.

CRYSTAL PALACE.—AURICULA SHOW, April 24; GREAT FLOWER SHOW, May 12; ROSE SHOW, May 23. Schedules for 20 later can be had on application to **GENERAL MANAGER**, Crystal Palace.

READING HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY'S SHOWS WILL BE HELD ON **MAY 24** and **AUGUST 23**, when PRIZES to the value of **TWO HUNDRED AND EIGHTY GUINEAS** will be given away. Schedules to be obtained of **JO. FORBARY**, Reading. **F. PETTY**, Hon. Sec.

BRISTOL, CLIFTON, and WEST OF ENGLAND ROSE and STRAWBERRY SHOW, Zoological Gardens, Clifton, THURSDAY, July 13. Schedules of Prizes, with Rules and Regulations, may be obtained of the Gate-keepers at the Gardens; or by letter addressed to the Zoological Gardens, Clifton. **SECRETARY.**

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Errata.—New American Potato.
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