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teachers' salaries.

The other business transacted at the meeting was purely of a routine nature.

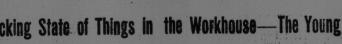
Chairman R. B. Emerson occupied the chair and there were present at the meeting: Trustees Coll, Russell, Nase, Lockhart, Day, Mrs. Skinner, Mrs. Dever, Superintendent Bridges and Secretary Manning.

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ANDOVER, March 8.—There was little change today in the condition of Tony Arosha and Leon Seppepil, condemned murderers of Ed Green.

It was stated here today that the total content of the families. Italians had written to their families in Italy and informed them that they were seriously ill in a hospital and



ENGLISH POOR LAW EVILS.

Shocking State of Things in the Workhouse—The Young and Old, the Deserving and the Criminals, All Herded Together Mismanagement Everywhere.

LONDON, Mar. 7.—Most Englishmen were probably prepared to find that the British poor law was the worst.in Europe, but few, can have more than suspected its utter and complete bedness. Now it is all known. Every detail of the system has been laid bare in the report of the Royal Commission on the Poor Laws issued last Wednesday. This volume of 1,383 pages is practically allowed by the commissioners. The fault is that of the system which places the management of institutions containing hundreds or even thousands of immeast in the hands of a promoted in the British laies. It is the work of lighteen people, men and women, each an authority of the first rank on some special branch of the problem, who have depted more than three years incessant toll to their investigations.

To consider even the most important points, and that briefly, in this huge volume would be imagestable in an article of mederate length. The present intention is to deal with the minority reports which frame for consider even the most important of the present and and be presented to the treasury board.

On motion of Trustee Coll the committee which frame for an airties of functions—the impossibility of attailang technical excellence, or indeed, of achieving any recognizable uncess, in any of them has, we beave repeatedly noticed, a subtle deteriorating effect upon the persons appointed.

Trustee Russell then moved that the assessment stand and be presented to the treasury board.

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"The whole nursery," says one wo-man guardian, "has often been found under the charge of a person actually certified as of unsound mind, the bot-

one worhouse children of from 1 months to 2 years were seen dining of "large platefuls of potatoes and min ced beef," in another, little children who were weaned but unable to feed themselves were placed in a row and baby's afternoon sleep.

The babies of 1 to 2 years were seat

year, outside the average is 132. There are several workhouses—having each not fewer than 20 births—where 40 per cent. of the babies regularly die with-

when one reads of the care received in workhouse nurseries by 14,000 children under 5 years of age. Hardly a nursery in the kingdom was found that could possibly be regarded as a satisfactory place for the rearing of children. "I have frequently seen," declared one competent witness, "a classed imbecile in charge of a baby."

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