

work. In knitting and fancy work they compete successfully with the sighted at the public exhibitions. And in domestic cookery a class has won warm approval. For the male pupils piano-tuning is perhaps the best resource. Besides many working on their own account there is hardly a piano factory in which one or more are not employed. In one large factory every tuner has been a pupil of the

Institution. For other male pupils the willow and cane industry finds a more or less profitable outlet. For securing the health, comfort, and moral oversight, of from 120 to 130 young persons of such a class a large staff is required and no point under these heads is neglected. Most of the officials have held their posts for long periods, one guarantee of their fidelity and, certainly, of their experience.

