

Report of Industrial Room

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THE INDUSTRIAL ROOM was opened in 1883 and has since been open each year from January to April. The object of the Committee is to give sewing or knitting to those who are in need of assistance.

To obtain work it is only necessary to bring a voucher or note from a member of the Relief Society, or from some one known to a member of the Committee saying that the bearer is known to them or has been visited and is in need of work. No one is refused, no matter how small her knowledge of sewing may be.

Of course the cutting out and preparing the work is of great importance. This is done by members of the Committee who do all the cutting at their own homes, sending the garments to the Rooms to be entered in the books and then given out, each lady, as far as possible, being at the Rooms on Thursday to superintend the giving out of and to inspect the work as it is brought in. The scene on Thursday is a busy one.

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