

and close to the British and Foreign Bible Society's stall, was pitched the Indian wigwam, and near by stood a table on which were shown articles made by Indians in their wigwams, and manufactures by Indian boys trained in the Shingwauk Home. The tailoring work, boots, and carpentering evoked much admiration from those who knew the trades, and the helpers were able to show photographs of both pagan and Christian

accounts of their visits to the Shingwauk Home, and related other experiences of work amongst the Canadian Indians. The Rev. F. Swainson, C.M.S. missionary to the Blood Indians, also gave several of the ten minutes' "talks" allowed in each court; he also held several receptions in the wigwam, attired in the costume worn by his first convert when taking part in the sun dance. This Indian, on becoming a Christian, gave the

Indian Affairs, says: Before closing my report, I may say a few words regarding this institution. It still keeps up its complement of pupils, and very great improvements have been made in the building. The dormitories have been considerably enlarged, and far better ventilation is the consequence; the new iron bedsteads are also a great improvement, and the hot-water furnaces gave great satisfaction during the past winter.



Dining Room—Shingwauk Home

Indians, and repeat the story heard all over the hall—beginning at the Bible stall—'The Gospel is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth.'

"The C.C.C.S. exhibits were in charge of Miss Woolmer, Deputation Secretary, and the Rev. W. Hamlyn, Association Secretary for the Southwestern District. They had the valuable help of Miss Day and the Rev. R. M. Hawkins, who gave

valuable dress to Mr. Swainson. Besides these workers, several lady and gentlemen stewards were indefatigable in explaining the exhibits to the crowds that thronged the hall at times; 100,000 people altogether visited the Exhibition."

#### REPORT OF THE INDIAN AGENT.

Mr. Wm. Van Abbott, speaking of the Shingwauk Home in his annual report to the Deputy Superintendent General of

Since the advent of Mr. George Ley King the changes made in the building are a great improvement, and it would not be recognized as the building of which he first took charge; and there has been very little sickness among the pupils under him. I regret to say that I have not been able to visit the institution for the last two months, owing to my time being taken up in other matters. The children all appear to be contented and