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CLERICAL VISITATIONS.

PROTESTANT HOSPITAL—The Clergy visit in turn each week.

CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL AND CONVALESCENT HOME—The Clergy in turn.

NORMAL SCHOOL—The Religious Instruction Class every Friday during the session, Rev. Canon Pollard.

GAOL—Ven. Archdeacon Bogert.

HOME FOR FRIENDLESS WOMEN—Very Rev. Dean Lauder.

PROTESTANT ORPHAN'S HOME—Rev. J. M. Snowdon.

HOME FOR THE AGED—Rev. G. Bousfield.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY—Rev. Canon Pollard.

THE Lord Bishop of Ottawa is at present with his family at Cacouna, Que., where he will spend his well earned summer-holiday.

THE Very Reverend Dr. Lauder, Dean of Ottawa, accompanied by his son, Mr. F. H. Lauder, sailed for a three months' trip to England, on July 3rd, by the Allan Line S.S. State of California. On the same steamer also sailed, Rev. J. F. Gorman, Rector of Grace church; Rev. C. F. Lowe, Incumbent of Tennyson, and Rev. J. W. Rhodes, Vicar of St. Chad's, Everton, Liverpool, who conducted the recent services in St. Barnabas' church.

THE UNION PICNIC.

The twelfth annual Union Sunday School Pic-nic was held on St. Peter's Day, June 29th, to the new Queen's Park, Aylmer, Que., and proved an unqualified success in spite of the rain which fell towards evening. The following schools united: Christ Church Cathedral; St. John's; St. Alban's; St. Bartholomew's; St. Luke's; Grace Church; Holy Trinity, Ottawa East, and Trinity Church, Billings' Bridge.

Special Electric Cars conveyed the children from Hull, at 10.30 a.m., reaching the charm-

ing park after a delightfully breezy ride of three-quarters of an hour. After dinner the friends of the schools arrived by every car until 1500 people were present. The Band of the Governor General's Foot Guards played at intervals during the afternoon. The races were as exciting as usual and created much interest amongst the children and their many friends. The winners in the various races were as follows:—

Boys under 7—1st, Grant Powell, Grace church; 2nd, Charlie Kimpton, St. John's.

Girls under 7—1st, Hazel Stanley, St. Luke's; 2nd, Hildred Jackson, Cathedral.

Egg and Spoon Race—1st, Alice Duval, St. John's; 2nd, Ethel Stanley, St. Luke's.

Boys under 10—1st, Peter Capreol, Grace Church; 2nd, Gordon Bennett, St. John's.

Girls under 10—1st, Tilly Plett, Ottawa East; 2nd, Annie Howard, Cathedral.

Three-legged Race—1st, Jack Stevens and Percy Proud, Cathedral; 2nd, Walter Dick and Willie Cameron, Cathedral.

Skiping Race—1st, Clara Leslie, St. John's; 2nd, Gussie Plett, Ottawa East.

Boys' Race—1st, John Johnson, Cathedral; 2nd, Noble Hodges, Cathedral.

Milkmaid's Race—1st, Edith Green, Cathedral; 2nd, Grace Samson, Cathedral.

Sack Race—1st, Allan Lewis, Grace Church; 2nd, Lefroy Mann, St. Alban's.

The members of the Anglesea Square Boys' Brigade were present in uniform and added much to the enjoyment of the day by their music and marching under Capt. Hickman. The picnic financially was a success and it is hoped that in future years more Sunday schools may join the union.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—W. A. Howard, B.A., Trinity College, Toronto, one of the members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew is in charge of the parish of Ashton during the summer months, as the incumbent, Rev. John Fisher, is away on leave of absence in England.

The special services on June 20th, in connection with the celebration of the Queen's