

The splendid Abbey Church at Selby, Yorks, was almost entirely destroyed by fire on Oct. 20th. The history of the Abbey goes back to the years immediately succeeding that of the Norman conquest. It has been determined to rebuild the Abbey at a cost of £30,000, more than half of which has been already promised.

One of the largest and best appointed pavilions for private patients possessed by any hospital in New York was formally opened on St. Luke's Day by the Bishop Coadjutor of the diocese. The Right Rev. F. W. Keator, Bishop of Olympia, read the service of benediction, Bishop Greer delivering the address. Amongst the clergy who were present at the ceremony was Bishop Courtney, late Bishop of Nova Scotia.

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The students of the Bishop's Hostel, Bishop Auckland, came into residence last month. The head is Rev. P. F. D. de Labilliere, late of the Liverpool diocese. All students become ipso facto members of the Auckland Brotherhood, an association formed in the early days of Bishop Lightfoot's episcopate. It has now a membership of nearly 200, of whom a large number are doing missionary work abroad.

Mrs. Keating, of San Diego, who died recently, bequeathed in her will the sum of \$10,000 to the Episcopal Endowment Fund of the Diocese of Los Angeles, and a further sum of \$30,000 to the Church Extension Society of Southern California, to be expended within the county of San Diego, which is to include the establishment and the maintenance of missions within said district. St. Paul's Church, San Diego, is also bequeathed three valuable lots in a choice part of that city.

At the Consistory Court, which was held at Carlisle on October 10, a design for a new tympanum for the west door of the famous old parish church of St. Bees was submitted for the approval of the Chancellor of the diocese. The design has been prepared at the request of a lady resident, who has also undertaken to restore the missing pillars in the stonework of the beautiful Norman doorway, and to repaint the arch. The west front of the church dates from the eleventh century.

The Bishop of Hereford, who spent the month of September at the Grand Hotel, St. Andrews, is keenly devoted to the game of golf. He has been daily seen on the links playing sometimes one, and more often two rounds of the famous course, in the company of his son, the Rev. Launcelot Percival, Vicar of St. James, Fulham, and others. The Bishop prefers a foursome to a single, and in spite of his advancing years plays a remarkably accurate and steady game.

Bishop Nicholson, of the Diocese of Milwaukee, died in that city on the 29th ult., after a lingering illness.

The meeting which was held at Barrow during the Church Congress with reference to the extensions of the episcopate in the north-western counties passed a resolution "urgently desiring the early foundation of a See of Lancaster, to relieve Carlisle of the Furness District of Lancashire and of the Southern Division of Westmoreland, and Manchester of its northern territory as far as the River Wyre." Sees at Burnley, Preston, Rochdale and Wigan were also declared to be required.

**Children's Department.**

**"PASS IT ON."**

A helpful little story is told of a business man who, when a schoolboy, started for his home, having just enough money to pay for his steamer ticket. All went well for a time, but finally came the rough sea, and the miserable longing for something or nothing. The lad took a berth, and, in his wretched illness, the steward came with a bill.

"But I have no money," said the boy.

"Then I must keep your luggage," answered the steward. "Please tell me your name and address."

Upon being told, he held out his hand and said, "I should like to shake hands with you. Some years ago your father showed a kindness to my widowed mother which I have never forgotten. I feared I should not have

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an opportunity to repay his kindness, but now that opportunity has come, and I am very glad to help you."

As soon as he reached shore the lad told his father.

"Ah," said the father, "see how a bit of kindness lives! Now he has passed it on to you. Remember, if you meet any one needing a friendly hand you must pass it on."

Many years passed by. The lad had grown to manhood, and was purchasing a railroad ticket, when he saw a little fellow cried as he pleaded with the booking clerk.

"What's the matter?" he asked.

"I haven't money enough to pay my fare. I tell the clerk if he will trust me I will be sure to pay him."

Instantly there came back to mind the old steward and the words of the father to "pass it on." The money was given to the boy and the story told to him, with the request that if he ever found any one in need he should pass on the kindness.

"I will, sir; I will, sir!" cried the

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lad. And the last the gentleman saw was the waving of a little handkerchief, which seemed to say: "It is all right, sir; I will pass it on."

**A LITTLE CHRISTOPHER.**

"Do the work that's nearest, Though it's dull at whites; Helping when we see him, Lame dogs over stiles."

The twins had coal-black hair, and eyes like holes through a blanket. In everything their mother made them share and share alike; except, indeed, as to name, where a difference being necessary, it became no greater than could be helped. They were christened Jan and John.

"Good boys to go to school!" Martha Graddidge thought, as she stood,

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