

ADVERTISERS

In earlier departure from Limerick, and hour for posting to Post Office, it has to issue the editions an earlier hour than will, therefore, atest hour at which be received at this 3.30 p.m. Published received after that aranted on that

LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

Draft of Scheme

The Draft of the League of Nations shows that only the Allied nations are to be represented at present. Neutrals and enemy nations may be admitted later. When a conflict arises between the States it will be obligatory to submit it to the arbitration of the League of Nations. If one of the two parties should not accept the decision, hostilities would ensue. The coercive measures may be of an economic, financial, or even military character. There will not be an international army, but the League will be able to call upon the troops of the constituent nations, and will then decide upon the relative strength of each army. All members of the League will give mutual guarantees to keep within their frontiers as they are fixed by the Peace Conference.

At a plenary sitting of the Peace Conference Mr Wilson had the honour of introducing the draft. He declared that the significance of the result has that deepest of all meanings—a union of wills in a common purpose—a union of wills which cannot be resisted, and which he said no nation will run the risk of attempting to resist.

THE CHURCH.

P.Y.M.A. BIBLE CLASS.

The P.Y.M.A. Bible Class will be held on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Sunday Services.

ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL.—Septuagesima—Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Matins and Holy Communion, 10.45 o'clock :—Hymn, 247 (omitting Verse 5); Venite, Alcock in A; Psalms, Barnby (C) and Turle (B); Te Deum, Oakeley's Quadruple Chant; Jubilate, Purcell in G; Hymn, 165; Hymn, 379; Preacher, Rev. Canon G. L. Swain, M.A.; Evensong, 3.30 o'clock :—Chants, Goss (E flat) and Coward (A flat); Service, Goss in A; Anthem, "I am Alpha and Omega" (Stainer); Hymns, 222 and 219; Preacher, Rev. Oswald Brasier, B.A. Out-Voluntary—St. Ann's Fugue (Bach).

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH—Septuagesima Sunday—8 a.m., Holy Communion, 11.30 a.m., Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Preacher, Very Rev. the Dean. 6.30 p.m., Evening Prayer; Preacher, Canon Swain, M.A. N.B.—Collections for St. Michael's Schools—Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Litany.

TRINITY CHURCH.—Septuagesima Sunday—Collections on behalf of the Limerick Asylum for Blind Females. Morning Prayer at 11.30; Preacher, the Ven. Archdeacon Haydn, LL.D. Evening Prayer at 6.30; Preacher, Rev. Chancellor Waller, B.D. Children's Service at 3.30.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Septuagesima—Morning Prayer, 11.30; Evening Prayer, 7.0. Preacher at both Services, the Rector.

ST. MUNCHIN'S CHURCH—Septuagesima Sunday—Morning Service, 11.30; Evening Service, 6.30. Preacher, Canon T. B. Robertson. Meeting for Prayer, Wednesday, 8 p.m.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH (Parteen)—Septuagesima Sunday—Morning Prayer, 11.45 o'clock. Preacher, Rev. Oswald Brasier, B.A.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (Lower Mallow-street)—Morning, 11.30; Evening, 6.30. Preacher at both Services, Rev. J. Reid Christie, C.F. Scottish

FUNERAL OF MR B.

BARRINGTON, SOLR.

The interment of the remains of the late Mr Benjamin Barrington, Solicitor, took place to-day at St Munchin's. At twelve o'clock the funeral left the residence of the deceased, 91 George street, and although the weather was inclement, the cortege was large and representative. The various commercial interests in the city were represented, as well, of course, as the members of the legal profession. On reaching the cemetery the remains were taken into the church where the service was conducted by the Rev H Deale, Methodist Church, and the Rev Chancellor Waller. The lesson was read by Chancellor Waller, and the psalm by the Rev Mr Deale. A short address was delivered by Mr Deale, who said he did not intend to make any lengthy allusion to the late Mr Barrington, as he had arranged for a memorial service, at which something would be said worthy of the man they were about to lay to rest. The impression left on his mind of their dear friend was summed up in a few words—he was a Christian gentleman. He had lived all his life in Limerick, and those of them who knew him longer than he did, knew his worth. He (Mr Deale) had the pleasure and privilege of being associated with him in Church work in the city, and he could say of him that he led an ideal life, and died in peace with God.

The hymn "Rock of Ages," was then sung, and the remains were taken out to the strains of the "Dead March in Saul," played by Mr Muspratt on the organ.

The Rev Mr Deale and Chancellor Waller read the committal sentences.

The chief mourners were—William Barrington, C.E. (brother); Captain L. S. Norman Palmer, R.D.F.; L. B. Barrington, and W. G. Barrington (niephews); Colonel H. Browne, St George Hare, A. D. Orr, and F. J. Cleeve.

The clergy present were—Rev H Deale, Rev Chancellor Waller, Very Rev the Dean of Limerick, Very Rev the Dean of Killaloe, Rev Canon Robertson, Rev Canon Swain, and Rev Precenter Atkinson.

Amongst the general public were—Sir Stephen B. Quin, D.L.; A. Cleeve, R. D. O'Brien, G. Gelston, Colonel Quibbins P. J. O'Sullivan, solr; F. Lavertine, the Mayor, W. Holliday, J.P.; Captain Sir Francis Kearney, Dr J. Ryan, Castleconnell; T. Ryan, M. Blackall, solr; E. F. M. Melville, J. F. Power, S. Hastings, solr; G. R. Ryan, E. Leahy, solr; A. J. Sexton, J. A. Place, J. S. Gaffney, C.S.; J. O. Myles, solr; Sir V. Nash, D.L.; C. H. Fitt, J. Dodds, solr; Dr W. A. Fogerty, J. Bromell, M. S. Slater, C. Slade, Dr M. S. McGrath, J. Welphy, W. B. Fitt, R. Nash, solr; J. A. Doyle, solr; G. Belshaw, A. J. Barnett, A. Murray, W. Christy, E. Christy, S. Christy, R. Cussen, solicitor, Newcastle West; R. Welsh, Clonlara; Dr C. Blood, C. Downey, T. Hassett, J. N. Russell, A. B. Hamilton, C. Ebrill, solicitor; P. J. Hamilton, P. Hartigan, T. Ledger, J. Waugh, M. Downey, A. Blood-Smyth, solicitor; J. Egan, P. E. O'Donnell, solicitor; T. Grubb, V. J. Turner, D. O'Callaghan, solicitor; G. Morris, R. Coplen-Langford, J.P.; W. M. Nolan, J.P.; C. C. Mercier, H. V. Morony, C. O'Donnell, solicitor; J. T. C. Day, J. H. Moran, solicitor; J. Ellis, E. Bennic, A. J. Eakins, M. D. McCoy, solicitor; J. J. Dundon, solicitor; J. Thomson, T. O'B. Kelly, solicitor.

Carriages were sent by—Mrs O'Brien, South Hill; Mrs Semple, R. Welsh, Clonlara; Dr Ryan, Castleconnell; Mrs Rose, A. Murray, and Captain