

# Death of Mr A. J. Bakins

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It is with feelings of very sincere regret that we record the death of Mr Andrew J Bakins, which took place at his residence, 113 O'Connell street last evening after an illness of some duration. Deceased, who had reached an advanced age, had since early manhood taken an active part in the commercial, cultural, social and sporting life of his native city. He was a member of the Limerick Chamber of Commerce, Secretary of the Limerick Master Printers' Association, and held numerous other honorary positions in the gift of his fellow-citizens throughout a long and active life. For over a quarter of a century he was Manager of Messrs George McKern and Sons, Ltd, and a man with a wider knowledge of the stationery trade it would be difficult to find. Socially, deceased was a fund of good humour, and as an after-dinner speaker had few compeers. Taking him all in all, he was a gentle, kind and Christian gentleman whose memory will be respected for many years to come. To his widow and family we tender our very sincere sympathy in their great sorrow.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Christmas Day) from his late residence to St. Munchin's Cemetery at 1.30 p.m.

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