

SCHOOLS. He added that compulsion was particularly necessary in the period between fourteen and sixteen. The motion was withdrawn yesterday after further discussion. An amendment submitted by the Minister of Education, however, enables him to prescribe 16 years as the leaving age in certain cases. The debates were, on the whole, profitable and illuminating, and showed that all sections of the Dail are keenly interested in education in the schools, while some of the speakers advocated—what is much in the public mind just now—the development of agricultural science, to which Denmark, for instance, is devoting such keen attention.

### SHANNON POWER SCHEME.

The regular dockers were engaged yesterday and to-day in handling the material and machinery lying on the wharves at the north side of the dock basin for the contractors of the Shannon Power Scheme. This is a departure from the situation created more than a week ago, when the dockers refused to touch any of the material unloaded by the National ex-servicemen. The cargoes in which they engaged were discharged from the *Laurestin* and *Araba* by the ex-servicemen.

At a recent meeting of the Limerick Advisory Committee for Juvenile Employment it was decided to communicate with the labour Adviser to Messrs. Siemens-Schuckert with regard to the advisability of providing separate accommodation for boys employed at Ardacrusha.

### DEATH OF LIMERICK MAN IN CHICAGO.

An American exchange, the "Insurance Press Monthly," records the death of Mr. Thos. F. Barry, Chicago, a well-known figure in America's life insurance circles. The deceased, who was born in Limerick in 1856, was at the time of his death President of the *Globe Mutual Life Insurance Company*, which he founded in 1895, after severing his connection with the *Metropolitan Insurance Company*. When twenty years of age the late Mr. Barry left Limerick for London, where he entered the employment of the *Prudential Insurance Company*, and in 1883 he emigrated to the United States, making his home in Albany. The deceased gentleman was a graduate of the *Illinois College of Law*, where he obtained his L.L.B., and was uncle of Captain C. Hanrahan, Harbour Master, and brother-in-law of Mrs. Hanrahan, St. Alphonsus Avenue, Limerick.

The Bishop-elect is and was born in 1873. has held a leading place of Belfast and Northern he was appointed Vice Dean of Belfast in succ Bishop of Down, the Ri. Since its establishment, I chaplain to the Parli Ireland. He married daughter of Mr Joh Cabinteely. He is a bro Collins, Rector of Dalke. At the opening of Thu the Primate, who presid tribute to the Most Rev that more and more he wisdom in the conduct Bishops would miss him House.

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### THE "LARI" Appreciation of Service

The Limerick Ste General Agents for th Lloyd, have received the the Bremen office:— "Captain Wurps upon a German Lloyd steamer 'I haven received many tribu including telegram from Von Hindenburg, and E services rendered in en the s.s. 'Laristan.' The Chairman of Lloyd's, Lo letter and telegram thanks

### THE CHURCH Sunday Ser

ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL.— Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Communion at 11 a.m. Hymn, 355; Venite, Aldric Pye in E flat; Te Deum, Turle; Jubilate, Kelway in me. Lord (Wesley); Kyrie A; Hymn, 544 (1st T.); Evensong, 3.30.—Psalm 2 Service, Eldon in C; Anth (Gounod); Hymns, 662, 31 C. W. Griffin, B.A. Out- "Athalia" (Mendelssohn).

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH.— 8 a.m., Holy Communion. Prayer and Holy Communion Prayer. Preacher, the Rector. Evening Prayer and Litany.

TRINITY CHURCH.— Sexagesimion at 8.40. Morning Prayer