The Free State Civil Service Compenation Board has allowed 897 claims for compensation and retirement since it was set up under the Civil Service (Transferred Officers) Compensation Act, 1929, In this total, according to information compiled by the Civil Service Federation, 304 claims to retirement have been allowed in consequence of change of Government, 120 owing to worsened conditions, and 470 following discharge. Altogether 1,380 claims have been dealt with.

THE PRESIDENT HOME.

President de Valera arrived home on Saturday from Zurich, where, seven weeks ago, he underwent successfully an operation to his left eye.

The President, who was looking fit, was obviously delighted to be back again, and he smiled as he made his way down the gangway of the ss. Cambria at Dun Laoghaire.

His sight has been noticeably improved. He wore tinted glasses.

NATIVE OF LIMERICK. Death of Solicitor in Loughrea.

The death has occurred of Mr James Mulcair, Loughrea, a well-known lawyer.

A native of Limerick, he was admitted a solicitor in 1882, and practised in Loughrea f r over half a century. He was father of Rev T. Mulcair, recently ordained to the priesthood by Most Rev. Dr. Kinane, Bishop of Waterford.

LIMERICK GOLF CLUB'S OPEN MEETING.

There were over ninety entries for the open meeting of the Limerick Club at Ballyclough on Sunday.

Best gross-M. O'Loughlin, 74; S. Martyn, 76.

Stroke—Class A: J. O'Sullivan and N. Ryan tied with 68 nett; M. Daly, 11; H. Shee, 72. Class B: R. Cussen,

fraternity of the Holy Family mand Retreat Holy Communion. The that approached the rails was which was an increase on last y the evening, at 7 o'clock, the Rebrought to a close with Rosary, by the Rev. Fr. O'Shea, C.SS.R. of the Baptismal Vows, and Berof the Blessed Sacrament.

CORK DOCKERS' FAL PRETENCES.

At Cork, in further prosecution quay labourers for having may representations for the purpose taining unemployment assistant following fines were imposed: Donovan, 66 Dominick stree Patrick Glavin, 2 Roche's Buildit John Hogan, Gurranebraher, Leahy, Seminary Road, £3; Malone, Kerry Hall Av., 40s;

Murphy, Little Market street, 30 Murphy, Chemins Lane, £4; J. M Gurranebraher, £4.

Morey, 10 Collins Lane, 40s;

LIFEBOAT INSTITUTIO

The Mayor (Mr J. M. Ca

President of the Limerick City

will preside at a meeting of the

Commerce on Wednesday next. Lieut. Col. C. R. Satterthwaite, S. of the Institution, will deliver an on. The Work of the Irish Lift This should prove to be of great particularly in view of the recent conferred on the Ballycotton c their conspicuous bravery, where we have admiration of everyone British Isles.

CONDOLENCE.

At a recent meeting of the Branch of the Railway Clerks' tion, a vote of sympathy wa mously accorded to Mr J. W.

District Superintendent, G.S. F. Limerick, and his family, on t