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 k every member of the
 stand for that.
 1 said they might be able
 he difficulty by asking the
 to sanction Mr. Walsh's
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 ry said the Council could
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 -He is employed in a
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 ry said that the Council's
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 y repeated that Mr. Walsh's
 uld not be carried out.
 It can if the resolution on
 oscinded.
 You can rescind the resolu-
 vish, but in any case the
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 Oh, no; it will not. We
 e resolution and take other
 ds. I will give notice to
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 ry said the Council were
 rms of the resolution until
 led. He was as anxious as
 p Mr. Coll but he wanted
 position clear to the Coun-
 UNIQUE CASE.
 This is a unique case. We
 al here for almost forty
 rely we can now give his
 job. If he had to live in
 isn't his fault.
 dden said that while he
 f the sympathy expressed
 there were other aspects
 ion that had to be con-
 they acted on the lines
 e was the danger of creat-
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 is case what was to prevent
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 in there and demanding
 nea the same facilities? In
 they would be creating a
 cious circle and over-riding
 he resolution on the books.
 tended to guarantee the
 ard of efficiency by means
 etitive examination.
 The position is there for
 face it by open competi-
 ion. After all the rate-
 county have some claim
 il when a position such as
 here.
 adden—Is the Secretary
 at Mr. Coll is not a trans-
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 Yes, you can take that
 then proposed and Mr.
 led that the question of
 ancy be adjourned to the
 moved as an amendment.
 Madden seconded that the
 led by competitive exami-
 nments by the Secretary.
 ion there voted for Mr.
 endment. Messrs. Bridge-
 Fahy, Frawley, Harnett,
 len, McAuliffe, McNamara,
 Neill, Power, 12.
 ssrs. Gleeson, Hannon,
 and, McCarthy, Roche.
 ment was declared adopted
 accordingly decided to fill
 by competitive examination.
 ry said that in accordance
 ns of the resolution the
 d be confined to the sons
 tepayers. It was agreed to
 y at 110; rising by incre-
 66 per year and the age
 d at 18 to 25 years.
 position of Senator Madden,
 Mr. O'Donnell, Messrs. Pat-
 and David O'Leary were
 the two vacancies on the
 e Pensions Subcommittee.
 NS OF APPOINTMENT.
 ary said it would be ne-
 the Council to appoint a
 on to fill the vacancy on the
 alth and Public Assistance
 the disqualification of Mr.
 t, Co.C., as a result of his
 e at meetings of the Board.
 nction, the Secretary said
 ved a letter from Mr. Har-
 hat his absence from Board

The Secretary (Mr. J. J. King) said
 the Board had given permission for the
 use of the water but they could not
 legally provide a hose for the cleaning
 of the streets. A hose had been supplied
 to Rathkeale for the purpose of dealing
 with possible outbreaks of fire and its
 use could not be allowed for any other
 purpose.
 Senator Madden—I take it then that
 the cleaning of the streets can be resumed
 if the Improvements Committee provide
 the hose.
 Secretary—Yes. That is correct.
 Mr. J. McCormack, Co.C., suggested
 that in view of the difficulties that had
 arisen in connection with the old build-
 ing that steps be taken to acquire a site
 for the proposed new dispensary at
 Caherconlish.
 The Secretary said that the Law
 Adviser was at present dealing with the
 question and he hoped to have a report
 on it in the near future.
 SCHEME SANCTIONED.
 The Secretary said that he had received
 the Department's sanction to the pro-
 posal for a further scheme of 24 town
 houses for Rathkeale. It was now for
 the Board to decide whether there would
 be a sufficient number of applicants for
 the houses.
 Senator Madden proposed that the
 Board proceed for the present with a
 scheme of 12 houses and said he was sure
 that there would be plenty of suitable
 applicants for the number. If necessary
 they could proceed with a further scheme
 later.
 Mr. Hogan seconded this proposition
 which was passed.
 The Secretary said that the site had
 been acquired on Frawley's land and
 the plans had been completed by the
 Engineer.
 meetings was due to illness. It was open
 to the Council, he added, to accept his
 explanation and re-appoint Mr. Harnett
 on the Board.
 On the proposition of Mr. Hurley,
 seconded by Mr. Hannon, it was unanim-
 ously agreed to re-appoint Mr. Harnett.
 On the motion of Mr. O'Donnell, sec-
 onded by Mr. McAuliffe, the Council
 agreed to adopt the recommendations set
 out in the circular received from the
 General Council of County Councils re-
 garding the County Analyst's fees.
 Mr. O'Donnell said the General Council
 had discussed the matter very fully and
 had submitted the recommendations now
 before the Council.
 Messrs. M. J. Curtin, Co.C.; T. D.
 Warren, D. P. Lyons and James Collins
 were appointed to the vacancies on the
 Abbeyfeale Old Age Pensions Sub-Com-
 mittee.
 Dromcollogher Parish Council submit-
 ted a resolution asking the Council to
 proceed immediately with works sched-
 uled for the area so as to relieve unem-
 ployment in the district.
 Mr. McAuliffe said he was sure the
 Council would provide as much work as
 possible in the area.
 Consideration of the resolution was ad-
 journed to the next meeting for the
 attendance of Mr. Quaid, Co.C.
 A letter was read from Mr. M. J. Keat-
 ing protesting against the drainage rate
 assessed on him in connection with the
 Deel drainage scheme.
 DEEL DRAINAGE.
 Mr. O'Donnell said that a number of
 riparian owners in the Deel drainage
 district had asked for particulars regard-
 ing the charging order made.
 The Secretary said he would supply full
 particulars at the next meeting.
 Mr. Walsh said they should find out
 the extent of the improvements effected
 on Mr. Keating's lands, and this course
 was agreed to.
 A letter was read from the Department
 of Local Government intimating that
 new fire-fighting equipment and a light
 trailer pump was being provided for
 Newcastle West under the scheme re-
 cently adopted by the Department.
 Mr. Hurley said the equipment was
 very necessary even apart from the pre-
 sent emergency.
 The Secretary said that Newcastle
 West was the only centre in the county
 that was being supplied with the appa-
 ratus.
 Mr. McAuliffe—It is the only important
 town in the county. (laughter).
 A letter was read from the Archbishop
 of Cashel promising the support of him-
 self and the clergy in the organising of
 Parish Councils in that part of his dio-
 cese under the control of the Limerick
 Co. Council.
 On the proposition of Mr. Walsh, a
 resolution of sympathy was passed with
 the relatives of the victims of the Cam-
 pile bombing tragedy.

missed.
FUNERAL OBSEQUIES
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LATE CANON DEVANEY
 The funeral obsequies of the late Very
 Rev. Patrick Canon Devaney, P.P.,
 Castleconnell, took place on Friday (30th
 ult.) amidst striking manifestations of
 public regret at the passing of a noble-
 hearted and beloved pastor. The friend
 of all, the ties which he had made during
 his long association with the district were
 evidenced by the immense attendance of
 people of all classes and creeds who
 assembled to pay their last sad tribute.
 The place which he held in the hearts
 of his parishioners was given proof of
 in unmistakable manner by the assem-
 blage in the church grounds, where the
 interment was made.
 Solemn Requiem Mass was offered for
 the repose of his soul on Friday morning.
 His Lordship, Most Rev. Dr. Fogarty,
 Bishop of Killaloe, presiding.
 The officiating clergy at the Solemn
 Requiem High Mass were: Rev. R.
 Bourke, P.P., Ogonnelloe, celebrant; Rev.
 M. Flannery, C.C., Ennis, deacon; Rev. P.
 Barry, C.C., Kilkea, sub-deacon; Rev. T.
 Maxwell, D.D., St. Flannan's College,
 Ennis, master of ceremonies.
 In the choir were: Very Rev. Canon
 Barrett, P.P., Clonlara; Very Rev. A.
 Canon Clancy, P.P., Killaloe; Very Rev.
 W. J. Canon Condon, P.P., Newport; Very
 Rev. Canon Scanlan, P.P., Tulla; Rev.
 A. J. McNamara, P.P., Doonbeg; Rev.
 P. T. Vaughan, P.P., Quin; Rev. L.
 O'Brien, P.P., Bournay; Rev. M. Galvin,
 P.P., Killimer; Rev. M. Hamilton, Adm.,
 Ennis; Rev. Father Clune, P.P., Borriskane;
 Rev. M. Madden, P.P., Clarecastle;
 Rev. J. H. Moloney, P.P., Lomha; Rev.
 B. McMahon, Adm., Kilmurry-McMahon;
 Rev. M. Grace, P.P., Youghalarra; Rev.
 P. Spain, P.P., Kilcoleman; Very Rev. M.
 Canon Breen, P.P., Kilkee; Rev. E. Vaugh-
 an, P.P., Ruan; Rev. W. M. Moloney, P.P.,
 Portroe; Rev. Thomas Molloy, P.P.,
 Templebarry; Rev. Patrick O'Halloran,
 P.P., Mullough; Rev. M. Crowe, P.P.,
 Corofin; Rev. D. A. O'Dea, P.P., Flag-
 mount; Rev. J. F. Enright, P.P., Silver-
 mines; Rev. J. Roche, P.P., Kilmale;
 Rev. M. Dinan, P.P., Bodyke; Rev. T. D.
 Tuohy, P.P., Toomevarra; Rev. John
 Power, P.P., Saltley, Birmingham; Rev.
 E. Punch, P.P., Mungret; Rev. E. Smyth,
 P.P., Doora; Rev. J. Moloney, P.P., Cap-
 pamore; Rev. P. J. O'Dea, P.P., Kilmihill;
 Rev. P. Grace, P.P., Kildysart; Rev.
 M. O'Connor, P.P., Cloughprior; Rev.
 D. O'Donoghue, P.P., Terryglass; Rev.
 T. J. Sammon, P.P., Scariff; Rev. T.
 Meagher, P.P., O'Callaghan's Mills; Rev.
 W. Scanlan, P.P., Tulla; Rev. J. Greff,
 P.P., Ballymacally; Rev. T. F. Moloney,
 P.P., Templederry; Rev. J. O'Donoghue,
 P.P., Kinnitty; Rev. J. Fogarty, Adm.,
 Roscrea.
 Rev. W. O'Kennedy, C.C., Clough-
 jordan; Rev. Michael Kennedy, C.C.,
 Murroe; Rev. M. Baker, C.C., Roscrea;
 Rev. H. Kenny, C.C., Toomevarra; Rev.
 W. Harty, C.C., Killaloe; Rev. J. Gordon,
 Carlow College; Rev. M. Byrne,
 C.C., Scariff; Rev. M. O'Brien, C.C.,
 Killaloe; Rev. D. Courtney, C.C., O'Gon-
 nelloe; Rev. P. Malone, do.; Rev. V.
 Reidy, C.C., Kilmaley; Rev. P. McLough-
 rey, C.C., Borriskane; Rev. P. Ryan,
 C.C., Birr; Rev. M. Sexton, P.P.,
 Cranny; Rev. M. O'Farrell, All Hallows
 College; Rev. J. Hayes, C.C., New-
 market-on-Fergus; Rev. P. J. Hewitt,
 C.C., Killrush; Rev. T. Brady, C.C., Car-
 rigaholt; Rev. D. Rohan, C.C., Portroe;
 Rev. M. Ryan, C.C., Mullagh; Rev. M.
 Lynch, C.C., Sixmilebridge; Rev. M.
 Gunning, C.C., Cooraclare; Rev. P.
 Hayes, C.C., Doonbeg; Rev. M. Queally,
 St. Flannan's College; Rev. T. Daly,
 C.C., Shrinrone; Rev. P. Loughnane,
 C.C., Quin; Rev. M. O'Rahilly, C.C.,
 Nenagh; Rev. J. O'Neill, C.C., Broad-
 ford; Rev. J. Rodgers, St. Flannan's
 College; Rev. E. Murphy, do.; Rev. T.
 Hehir, C.C., Clonlara; Rev. D. O'Brien,
 C.C., Newport; Rev. L. Hassett, C.C.,
 Kildysart; Rev. D. Woods, C.C., Feakle;
 Rev. T. Hogan, C.C., do.; Rev. E.
 Moloney, C.C., Whitegate; Rev. J. De-
 laney, Carrick-on-Suir; Rev. M. McNamara,
 C.C., Cloughprior; Rev. T. Stuart,
 C.C., Toomevarra; Rev. P. P. O'Shea,
 C.C., Ballina; Rev. J. Kilmartin, C.C.,
 Caherconlish; Rev. M. Gilmartin, C.C.,
 Arklow; Rev. J. Hannon, C.C., Sixmile-
 bridge; Rev. J. Mullaly, C.C., Kil-
 kishen; Rev. T. O'Reilly, C.C., Kilmihill;
 Rev. T. Daffy, C.C., Castleconnell;
 Rev. P. Donoghue, C.C., Kinnitty; Rev.
 M. Quinn, C.C., Ennis; Rev. W. Dela-
 hunt, C.C., Scariff; Rev. J. H. Mahon,
 C.C., Cloughjordan; Very Rev. J. B.
 O'Donoghue, O.S.A., Provincial, Lime-

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hope to suspend a man who was doing his work with satisfaction so far as we are concerned.
 Mr. Hogan said that in his opinion the Section of the Act as quoted by the Department did not apply to the case at all.
 Mr. M. O'Donnell, Co.C., suggested that a resolution be adopted asking the responsible Department that Mr. Madden be restored to his duties, or alternatively that sanction be given to the appointment of a temporary man during his absence.
 County Librarian The Department says you cannot appoint a temporary man as the position now stands.
 Mr. McCormack—If the Department are waiting until this Committee suspends him they will have a long time to wait.
 Senator D. J. Madden, Co.C., said that when the resolution was being conveyed to the Department attention should be called to the fact that owing to the disorganisation caused the work of the library service in the county was falling into colossal arrears.
 County Librarian—I explained to the official of the Department that the Library Service in the county was in a very precarious position, and he said the responsibility rested with the Committee. I take it that the opinion of the Committee is that Mr. Madden was not guilty of any 'nattention' to his duty.
 Chairman—Yes. That is the opinion of the Committee.
RESOLUTION ADOPTED.
 On the proposition of Mr. O'Donnell, seconded by Mr. Walsh, a resolution on the lines indicated on the discussion was adopted unanimously and the librarian was instructed to send a copy of the resolution to the Department.
 The Librarian added that a similar position had arisen in connection with the position of Mr. T. Mulcahy, temporary librarian in the Newcastle West Library, who had also been interned. However, he had just been informed that Mr. Mulcahy had been released on the previous day, so that the question did not now arise.
 Chairman—It does not arise in that case then. We are all very glad to learn that he will be back at work again.
 The Librarian said he would arrange to have the Newcastle West Library reopened during the coming week.
FATAL FALL FROM LORRY
 A man named John Fitzgerald, of Rathluane, Millstreet, lost his life under very tragic circumstances on Tuesday. It appears that he fell from a lorry near Rathmore, and the rear wheel of the vehicle passed over his body, killing him instantly. The deceased was aged about 34 and was married. He had four children.
 rick; Rev. S. Frewen, P.S.M.; Rev. R. Dillon-Kelly, S.J., Limerick; Rev. J. Gubbins, S.J., do.; Rev. T. Corcoran, S.J., Dublin; Rev. Father Finbarr, O.F.M., Ennis; Rev. Father Joachim, O.F.M.; Rev. Father Aloysius, Limerick; Rev. Dom Winoc Mertens, O.S.B., Glenstal Priory; Rev. T. Madigan, C.S.S.R., Limerick; Rev. M. J. Brosnan, C.S.S.R., do.
 The chief mourners were: Very Rev. Richard Bourke, P.P., O'Gonnelloe, Co. Clare; Patk. Devaney, M.A., Kilkenny; Wm. Devaney, Toomevara; Edward Bourke, Killeen, Nenagh; Joseph Bourke, L.P.S.I. (nephews), Mrs. Kathleen Hayes, Killaloe; Miss Mary Darcy, Nenagh; Mrs. E. McInerney, B.A., Eden-derry; Mother Geraldine Devaney, Laurel Hill Convent, Limerick; Misses Grace and Josie Devaney, Toomevara; James Coghlan, John, Edward, Richard Coghlan, Mrs. Edward Bourke, Joseph Bourke, James Hayes, Killaloe; Mrs. S. Flanagan, Templederry and Mrs. S. Gleeson, Knockback (relatives).
 Mass cards were received from Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, Josephine Moran, N.T., O'Gonnelloe; W. F. and J. Lee, the Gaelic League and Clann na h-Eireann branches, Kate, Bob and Mrs. Hall; the Castleconnell Camogie Club, George and Mai Lee, teachers and pupils, Ahane National School; Mary Ryan, Rody, Katie and family; P. and Margaret Cantwell, John and Mrs. Fitzpatrick, Misses Mary and Josephine Devaney, Mrs. Marianne Devaney, Mr. and Mrs. Eric McInerney, Patrick Devaney, Miss Grace Devaney and Miss Stasia Devaney, William Devaney, Joe and Mary, Con and Katie Coughlan, Kathleen and family, S. McCormack, Delia Keane, the teachers of the parish, Mr. and Mrs. P. Conway, James Coughlan.