

# Death of Limerick P.P.

## Passing of Abbeyfeale Pastor

The death took place unexpectedly at the Parochial House, Abbeyfeale, on Sunday evening of the Very Rev Thomas Canon Hogan, P.P., V.V., Abbeyfeale. The occurrence came as a deep shock to the parishioners as Canon Hogan had celebrated Mass on Sunday morning and appeared to be in his usual good health. A native of Kesh, he was a former President of St Munchin's College, Limerick, and was one of the best known priests in the diocese. He served as Parish Priest at Kildimo and Ballingarry and Parteen before going to Abbeyfeale about eight years ago.

## Vote of Sympathy

At Monday's meeting of the Limerick Harbour Board, the Mayor (Mr J McQuane) presiding, Ald James Reidy, T.D., proposed that the sympathy of the board be tendered to the Bishop, Most Rev Dr Keane, on the death of Very Rev Canon Hogan, who was he said, an ornament of the Church and a truly great and patriotic Irishman.

The vote was seconded unanimously and passed in silence.