

good condition and material in them manufactured. This is proved by the teeming in the soil—animals, and bacteria and the "Life in the Soil" will be published next week.

K'S WORK ABLE GARDEN

heavy cold rains have made so wet that little can be done in it even before the flowers. Potatoes, carrots and turnips must be covered, but to do this when the ground is wet would be a double. In fine spells, the soil is too wet to work, and a heap might be turned and clipped.

The work will have to be done and the disbudding of plants is one job that must be done. Potted plants must be fed with weak manure. Cinerarias, primulas, and a melacordes and also have to be put in a house, although they can be kept back from flowering by keeping them in deep shade covering the lights with paper to keep frost out.

It appears fumigate the plants twice with tobacco water to kill the caterpillars which are eating the petals of chrysanthemums kept in check by spraying at night with the aid of a spray.

In the primary schools the teachers are busy with the seed and garden reports for next year, and it is a matter to get a move on in the classes in the City School will commence on the 27th October, at 10 o'clock.

O'CARROLL, R.Sc.O.

T. McNAMARA

meeting of the City Mayor (Ald. James) presiding, Mr. P. J. O'Connell read the death of T. McNamara. Clonmel said that he was a man who had identified himself with every progressive movement in the city for the last 20 years or more. There was no more popular figure than he and his death had caused the sympathy of a citizen of the city.

He proposed a resolution in support of the pathy of the Council to the bereaved family. Mr. O'Connell associated himself with the resolution and it was declared carried unanimously.

KILMALLOCK COURT

There was a light list to dispose of at Kilmallock Court on the 12th inst. and the proceedings only occupied half an hour.

James Cotter, Jamestown, was the defendant in an application for an instalment order brought by Patrick McCarthy, Mortelstown, on two decrees for £1 16s. and £2 7s. 6d. respectively.

In reply to Mr. W. A. Lee, solr., acting for Mr. R. Geary, solr., the defendant stated that he had last year brought proceedings against Patrick McCarthy for the price of turf that he had saved on the mountain and sold to him. The action had failed. He had changed his occupation this year and was at home working with his father, who never employed any one. His father's land was not arable. He got small sums of money from his father and did not drink or smoke. He never worked for the local farmers and kept no record of what turf he sold last year and he had no pocket money. He took proceedings against McCarthy because he wanted money at the time.

The Justice made an order for payment of 10/- per month with 5/- expenses in each case.

DEATH AT FINE AGE

The death occurred on Sunday last of Patrick Dalton, of Knocknagornagh, who had reached the grand old age of 96 years (writes our Athea correspondent). Up to a fortnight ago, when he got a paralytic stroke, he was in his usual good health and in full possession of his faculties. Deceased, who was unmarried, lived all alone in his cottage for many years until he was well past the 90 mark. Up to the time of his illness, he regularly walked the two miles journey to and from Athea—rarely and reluctantly would he accept a seat in a passing car. An honest and pleasant old man, he was long held in affectionate esteem in the district. His funeral to Templeathea on Monday last comprised a large number of relatives and friends.

SWEDISH MOVE.

The Swedish Foreign Office announced yesterday that Sweden had stopped all ball-bearing exports to Germany. This decision follows the compromise agreement on ball-bearings reached between Sweden and the Allies in June, following pressure on Sweden to cut off the supply to Germany entirely.

rington, Anne and Nora Ryan, Moira Gallagher, Maire and Nora Ni Laoi (grand-daughters); Masters Gilbert M. Barrington, Sean, Criostoir, Liam, Miceal and Francis Gallagher, Thomas M. C. Ryan (grandsons); Mrs. Mannix, Mrs. Kennedy, Sister Delphine, Sister Norbert (nieces); John and Thomas Hyland (nephews); Mrs. A. Riordan, Mr. N. Burke, Mrs. O'Donnell, Miss M. Riordan, Louis and Brendan Riordan, A. Riordan, M. J. Riordan, J. Mannix, J. Kennedy, J. J. Costello, Mrs. McKeown (relatives); J. O'Brien, Miss A. Cummins.

Among those present at the funeral were:—Rev. Bro. Kilian, Superior, Patrician Brothers, Fethard; Rev. Bro. Mahony, Superior, C.B.S., Tipperary; Rev. Bro. Kerley, Superior, C.B.S., Doon; Rev. Brothers Placid and Carthage, De la Salle Brothers, Hospital, G. C. Bennett, T.D.; Gearoid O'Auilleabhain, Cigire Sgol, Cashel; Dr. M. O'Sullivan, Assistant Co. M.O.H., Clonmel; P. J. O'Sullivan, Co. Registrar, do.; Dr. J. Russell, M.O.H., Bansha; J. O'Donnell, V.S., Kildorrery; J. Schofield, V.S., Fethard; P. J. Henahan, M.C.C., do.; R. J. O'Brien, do.; J. Mulcahy, do.; J. Scully, do.; T. C. Hayes, do.; J. Delaney, do.; Mrs. Byrnes, do.; T. Cooke, T. Byrnes, Knocklong; Miss Crowe, do., etc., etc.

Among the many who sent messages of sympathy were the following:—His Grace the Archbishop; Very Rev. Dr. James, O.M.Cap., Provincial; Very Rev. Dr. Murphy, C.S.Sp., Provincial; Very Rev. Dr. Hedderman, P.S.M., Provincial; President and Staff of Rockwell College; Very Rev. Prior and Community, O.S.B., Glenstal; Very Rev. Father Devane, President, Thurles College; Canon Hourigan, Canon Fitzgerald, Convents, Brothers and Teachers of the Archdiocese; Mr. T. Frisby, President, I.N.T.O.; Mr. S. Gardiner, President, G.A.A.; Eamonn Mansfield, I.L.C.; An Fear Mor; General Mulcahy, T.D.; Dr. F. Humphries, T.D.; Mr. T. A. Hayes, Assistant Co. Manager; Dr. J. Dowling, Tipperary; Dr. P. Stokes; Captain E. O'Brien, Lime- rick; Inspector Carty; Mitchells- town Branch, I.N.T.O.; Browne and Nolan, Ltd., Dublin; Sean O Suilleabhain, Cigire Sgol, Clonmel; O'Shea family, Adrigole; Sean and Maire O Glaisin, Clogheen; Dr. Eileen Cooke, Croom; Dr. J. Casey, C.C., Castlemahon, etc., etc.

DRAINAGE BILL

Of 17 Ministerial amendments set down for the Committee Stage of the Arterial Drainage Bill one is concerned with the question of Limerick County Council's liability in connection with the Mulkear and Cappamore drainage schemes.