

the Warden to issue his cheque in favor of the Treasurer of the Town of Thorold, for the sum of \$40 for time supported.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Barnhard, seconded by Mr. Henderson, that the sum of five dollars be granted to Mrs. Jackson, for attention to the late Mrs. Robinson during the deceased sickness out of her allowance granted by county.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Turner, seconded by Mr. Williams, that the sum of \$12.00 be granted to the Town of Thorold for the burial of James Roberson, an insane person, and that the Warden do issue his cheque for the same.—Carried.

Report of Poor House com. to be printed.

Moved by Mr. Macklem, seconded by Mr. Turner, that 500 copies of the Report of the Committee *re* Poor House, in addition to the number required for binding with the minutes, be ordered printed forthwith for general distribution throughout the county.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Cruikshank, seconded by Mr. Ramsden, that the following address be adopted :

To Her Gracious Majesty Victoria, D. G., Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, Empress of India, &c.

Address to Her Majesty.

The Municipal Council of the County of Welland, in session assembled, respectfully beg leave to extend their hearty congratulations to Your Majesty upon the completion of the fiftieth year of your beneficent reign, and to assure you of our sincere and continued loyalty to your throne and person.—Carried.

Increase of grant to High Schools.

Moved by Mr. C. D. Emmett, seconded by Mr. Turner, that this council do increase the present grant as defined by statute in aid of the different High Schools throughout the county by an increase of 25 per cent., the same as last year.

The yeas and nays being called, were taken as follows :

YEAS.—Messrs. Barnhard, Burgar, Cruikshank, Diffin, Disher, J. O. Emmett, C. D. Emmett, Gainer, Neff, Ramsden, Richardson, Shrimpton, Turner and Williams.—14.

NAYS.—Messrs. Cronmiller, Hendershot, Henderson, Macklem, Miller, and Wilson, of Wainfleet.—6.

Motion passing in the affirmative, majority 8.

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