The Warden read to the Council and laid on the Table a Petition from J. B. McGann, praying for aid to the Hamilton Institution for the Deaf and Dumb; also,

A Communication from Robert Lamont, representing that he had been furnished by the County Clerk with copies of the By-Laws passed by the Council on the 6th June, 1867, which he found to be illegal. He therefore objected to pay \$1.10, the amount charged by the Clerk for the copies as he alleges, and intimated that if he had to pay the charge, he should in future either refuse to make a Conviction under a County By-Law, or retain the charge from County funds, which communication was laid on the Ta-

A Communication from H. H. Horsey, Esq., Government Architect, relating to the rebuilding of the North Wing of the Gaol of the County of Welland, together with his Account for preparing Plans and Specifications for the same.

Moved by Dr. Haney, seconded by Mr. Seburn.

That the Clerk of this Council, D. D'Everardo, Esquire, having presented, at great pains and expense, the members of this Council severally, with a large and handsomely bound volume of the Proceedings of the Municipal Council of the County of Welland, from the year 1863 to 1867, inclusive, that they feeling highly pleased with such a substantial token of kindly regard, do hereby tender him their most cordial thanks.

Moved by Mr. Hooker, seconded by Mr. Lattimore, pursuant to Notice,

That leave be given to introduce a Bill for the appointment of a Trustee of the Welland County Grammar School in place of Dr. Reilly, removed.

Moved by Mr. Hooker, seconded by Mr. Lattimore,

That the Bill be read a first time.

Moved by Mr. Hooker, seconded by Mr. Lattimore,

That the bill be now read a second time.

Moved by Mr. Kirkpatrick, seconded by Mr. Taylor, That the Bill appointing a Grammar School Trustee in

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ble: also.

Thanks to County Clerk.

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Read 1st time.

Read 2nd time.