

FROM L. D. RAYMOND, ESQ., *RE* CARETAKER.

WELLAND, 26th January, 1882.

*J. H. Burgar, Esq., Chairman Gaol Committee :*

DEAR SIR,—

May I request you will be so good as to call the attention of the County Council to my frequent applications under the Revised Statutes, Ontario, Chap. 174, Sec. 442, page 1713, relating to the proper care of the offices in the Court House.

And oblige,

Yours truly,

L. D. RAYMOND,

Clerk of the Peace.

FROM JAMES A. GILCHRIESE, *RE* SALARY.

WELLAND, January 27th, 1882.

*To the Warden and Councillors of the County of Welland, in Council Assembled :*

GENTLEMEN,—

I ask your honorable body to grant me a raise of salary as turnkey in your county gaol, for the following reasons :—Since I was appointed, some eight years ago, my duties have nearly doubled, without any corresponding increase of pay. The cost of living is now very much higher than it was then. If you will take