

the death of the amiable Princess Charlotte of Wales." "Married, at the house of Thos. Racey, on 17th inst., by Rev. Dr. Addison, Lieut. C. C. Alexander, R. E., to the amiable Miss Jane Racey." The following notice of a marriage is very different from the monotony of the present records: "Married, at Youngstown, by E. Duty, Esq., Mr. Thos. McQuarls to Miss Ann Snure, both of Niagara, U. C.

" Not all the dangers of the deep,
Nor evening blasts that blow,
Can make the lover's passions sleep
Or proffered vows forgo;
But they with joy before the altar kneel,
Secure each bliss and every promise seal."

"Melancholy accident. Ferry boat from Fort Niagara, crossing, became entangled in the ice; two men drowned in spite of Royal Engineers and guard of 70th Regt. on the beach. A heavy fall of snow, bank of ice, surf, &c." "2nd April, 1818—Opening of navigation. Mary Anne sailed for Grimsby with load of flour for Prescott. Saw mill of Mr. Servos, Four Mile Creek, destroyed by fire, 30th March. Schooner Mayflower to sail for Kingston 1st May. The master and owner has invented a machine to propel the vessel at the rate of three miles per hour. Arrived, schooner Hector with lumber. Steam vessel Frontenac, May 14th. Death of Peter Secord in Talbot road, in his 103rd year—longevity ascribed to remarkable temperance—one of first settlers. He killed four wolves last year and walked twenty miles to make affidavit to obtain wolf bounty. Advertisement of Jas. Crooks, Postmaster, for carrying mail from York to Niagara once or twice a week. New gaol and court house, but set in that swamp." This is now the Western Home of Miss Rye, who has done so much philanthropic work in providing homes for destitute children. A letter complaining of parents listening to the complaints of their children against teacher. Another from Scotchman, complaining of insulting remarks to his countrymen. St. Andrew's day celebrated at Queenston, Robt. Hamilton in the chair; President in Highland garb; dinner at Mr. Pointer's tavern; some toasts were: "Weel turned daffin," "Memory of Gen. Brock,"