

work of Ralfe Clench, the body buried first in Butler's graveyard, was removed here. It is recorded in the very rare copy of the proceedings of the Loyal and Patriotic Society formed during the War of 1812, that the house of Mr. Clench was the only one saved in the town from the conflagration, but it was accidentally burnt shortly after.

Not far from the church are the graves of two worthies yet unmarked, but who well deserve to be remembered. Dominic Henry, an old soldier of the army of Cornwallis, who afterwards took charge of the lighthouse which stood where Fort Mississagua now stands, from 1803 to 1814. His wife who, on the 27th May, served out refreshments to our forces, had her services acknowledged by the Loyal and Patriotic Society, who presented her with £25, calling her "a heroine not to be frightened."

Another stone has the inscription :

"Hermanus de Graff, of Schenectady, who departed this life in 1802, aged 28.

Stop traveller and weep,
For here beneath death's shade,
Snatched from his friends,
A lovely youth is laid.
But sleep in hope,
For soon he'll burst this sod,
And rise in air
To meet his Saviour God.

"In memory of Col. Wm. Kingsmill, son of the late Major Kingsmill, of 1st Royals, died in Toronto, 6th May, 1876, aged 82. Col. Kingsmill served in H. M. 66th Regiment, in the Peninsular War, and afterwards at St. Helena, during Napoleon's captivity. Subsequently in command of 3rd Inf. Corps, Batt. of U. Canadian Militia, and was Sheriff of the Niagara District. He was a gallant soldier."

The Kingsmill's must have been a military family, as in the church are two tablets to the sons of Col. Kingsmill, dying in places far distant, and a grandson is now in the Royal Navy.

"In memoriam Capt. W. D. Kingsmill of R. C. Regt., born at St. Helena, 1818. Lieut. C. E. Kingsmill, of Ceylon Rifle Regt., died at Hong Kong."