

"John Clement, Esq., died Feb. 11th, 1845, aged 87."

The name of Col. John Butler in certain histories is held up to obloquy, but as time rolls on the partizan spirit is dying out, and poet and historian will yet do late justice to the leader of the irregular force called Butler's Rangers. On a tablet in the church may be read these words :

"Fear God and honour the King. In memory of Col. John Butler, His Majesty's Commissioner for Indian affairs, born in New London, Connecticut, 1728. His life was spent honorably in the service of the Crown. In the war with France, for the conquest of Canada, he was distinguished at the battle of Lake George, Sept., 1755 ; at the siege of Fort Niagara and its capitulation, 25th July, 1759. In the war of 1776 he took up arms in defence of the unity of the Empire and raised and commanded the Royal American Regiment of Butler's Rangers. A sincere Christian as well as a brave soldier, he was one of the founders and the first patron of this parish. He died at Niagara, May, 1796, and is interred in the family burying ground near this town. Erected 1880."

Some years ago an attempt was made to remove the remains to St. Mark's, but the grave could not be located.

Outside the eastern wall a brave young sailor who gave his life for his country is commemorated. Another tablet inside also records his name, the one erected by his nephew at the request of brothers and sisters, the other by Capt. Dawes, R.N., at the request of his mother.

"Sacred to the memory of Capt. Copeland Radcliffe, of His Britannic Majesty's Navy, who fell whilst gallantly leading on his men to board one of the enemy's schooners at anchor off Fort Erie on the night of the 17th Aug., 1814."

Near the north corner of the cemetery is a monument to :

Col. Ralfe Clench, died Jan. 19th, 1828, aged 66 years, also Elizabeth, his wife, who died Aug. 15th, 1850, aged 78."

Reference has already been made to the honorable