

Rapids above the Horse Shoe Fall.

They extend on the Canada side, in their wildest fury, about two miles and a half; but on the American side, only three-fourths of a mile. Any human being thrown into the rapids, if near the centre of the river, is hurried on to destruction.

Accidents to Strangers.

There are not as many accidents, in proportion to the number who visit the Falls, as among our citizens; strangers are generally more careful and timid, cautious how they approach places of apparent or real danger, until satisfied of their perfect safety. Some, however, have a more fool-hardy adventure in their constitutions, venturing out upon places of danger, where human beings never ought to go.

DROWNED, June 8, 1870.—A young man named Whittaker, a Student at Deveau College, was drowned on Saturday afternoon, while bathing in the river, below the Whirlpool. He was from Pittsford, N. Y. His body has not been found.