

Peel Brg BK
**One of city's
oldest men,
Mar. 16-88 MN
S.W. Toone
dies at 104**

S.W. Toone, one of Mississauga's oldest residents, died on March 6 at Meadowcroft Retirement Home at age 104.

Toone was born in England in 1883 and while in his teens moved to Jersey in the Channel Islands where he worked in the family garden business. There he met his wife, Beatrice, and both emigrated to Canada in 1911 and settled in Port Credit.

He had several job positions including one with the St. Lawrence Starch Company, and he eventually started an insurance business, which he ran until his retirement.

In the 1930s, Toone built his own house on Indian Valley Trail in Port Credit where he and his wife lived until 1977 when they moved to an apartment on High St. Shortly after the move, Mrs. Toone fell ill and was admitted to Mississauga Hospital where she died in 1980.

According to a former neighbor of the couple, Toone will be remembered for his great sense of humor and zest for life, which were apparent in his regular visits to Mississauga Hospital to have a chat with patients. He continued this practice up until a few years ago, when his health prevented him from getting around.

Toone was also an accomplished painter and poet.