

Peter Huddy 1819-1882

Toronto, Ontario "The Globe", June 29, 1882. "ONE PIONEER LESS - The civic flag is floating a half-mast, out of respect to the memory of Mr. Peter Huddy, of Yorkville, who died Wednesday at his residence on Yonge St. Mr. Huddy was a member of the Society of York Pioneers."

Toronto, Ontario "The Mail", June 29, 1882. "DEATH OF MR. PETER HUTTON - The death is announced of Mr. Peter Huddy at the residence of his son, on the corner of Yonge & Maitland Streets. The deceased was one of the old pioneers of Yorkville, taking up his residence there 30 years ago. He was the first reeve of the village, a position which he held for eleven years. Though a resident of Yorkville, he carried on business in St. Lawrence Market, and enjoyed in the city, as in the village, the highest esteem of all with whom he came in contact. He had reached within a few years of the allotted span when he was called over to the majority. Deceased was a member of the York Pioneer Society." (just for accuracy's sake - he took up residence in Yorkville more than 30 years before his death, and Yorkville's first reeve was James Dobson - Peter was on the first council and was reeve later on.).