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mind. Mrs. Traill died in August 1899, at the great age of 97, retaining all her wonderful faculties to the last.

Having traced, in a rather crude way, the history of Peterborough from its infancy to the present day, it is only necessary to say that for the earlier facts the writer is indebted almost entirely to the "Sketch of the Early Settlement of the Town of Peterborough," by Dr. Thomas Poole, published in 1867. This work, written in a most pleasant and interesting style, has long been looked upon as one of the best historical sketches ever published in Canada and one for which the present and future generations, have much reason to be grateful to Dr. Poole.

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