

Title:	Sir Peregrine Maitland letter appointing William Duff Miller inspector of beef and pork, 1819		
Creator:	Maitland, Sir Peregrine		
Dates of Material:	1819	Record Group Number:	RG 244
Summary of Contents:	1 handwritten letter		
Physical Description / Condition:	Letter is in good condition, with some minor wearing at crease points.		
Administrative/ Biographical Sketch	<p>The letter dated 9 July 1819 appoints William Duff Miller inspector of beef and pork as outlined in the Act to Regulate the Curing, Packing and Inspection of Beef and Pork of 1805. The letter is signed by Sir Peregrine Maitland.</p> <p>William Duff Miller (1785-1859) an ensign in the 3rd Regiment of the Lincoln Militia, later made Lieutenant Colonel, was married to Ann Vansickle. In 1817 Miller was operating a stationery business on Queen Street in Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont. He was appointed an inspector of beef and pork by Sir Peregrine Maitland in 1819. He also served his community as deputy clerk. William Duff Miller died at Niagara on 18 February 1859. Source: Niagara Historical Society Publication No. 14. And Looking Back: Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ontario, by Clark Bernat and Joy Ormsby.</p>		
Location:	Brock University Archives		

Source Information:			
Subject Headings:	600	Maitland, Peregrine, cSir, d1777-1854.	
	650	Food adulteration and inspection zOntario zNiagara Peninsula.	
	650	Meat industry and trade xLaw and legislation zCanada.	
	650	Meat industry and trade xQuality control zOntario.	
Added Entries:	700	Miller, William Duff, d1785-1859.	
Related material held at other repositories:	Digital image available: http://images.ourontario.ca/Brock/details.asp?ID=74101		
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