

Title:	James Norris Cash Book		
Creator:	Norris, James		
Dates of Material:	1886-1889	Record Group Number:	RG 122
Summary of Contents:	<p>Item is a cash book belonging to James Norris for the years 1886-1889. James Norris was a merchant, ship and mill owner and political figure. Born in Scotland, he moved to St. Catharines, where he formed a partnership with Sylvester Neelon in shipping, milling, and the timber trade. After the partnership dissolved, Norris continued to be involved in transporting goods to foreign markets. He served on the town council, serving a term as mayor of St. Catharines from 1874-1878. He also represented Lincoln as Member of Parliament, and donated extensively to the local hospital.</p>		
Physical Description / Condition:	<p>Enscribed on the front cover "J. Norris St. Catharines Ontario Canada" and "W. Wilson, Ontario". There is a J. Norris and a W. Wilson listed in the 1893 St. Catharines census, that are both listed as workers from the Axe factory.</p>		
Other Notes:			
Location:	University Archives		
Source Information:			
Described by:	Jen Goul / Sharon Carl	Date:	