

Title:	To Daniel Near, Humberstone, from Misses Harnisch envelope, 1882.		
Creator:	Misses Harnisch		
Dates of Material:	1882	Record Group Number:	RG 307
Summary of Contents:	1 envelope ; 8 x 13 cm.		
Physical Description / Condition:			
Administrative/ Biographical Sketch	<p>One envelope from Misses Harnisch to Daniel Near, Humberstone, Welland County, Ontario. The envelope was mailed from somewhere in the United States, the stamp was cancelled by placing an "X" across it with the date March 18, 1882 written next to it. A cancellation stamp from Humberstone, Ont. appears on the reverse. According to Page's Illustrated Historical Atlas of the Counties of Lincoln and Welland Ont, 1876, a Mrs. Harnisch resided on Lot 14, Concession 2 of Humberstone Township, a short distance from property belonging to Daniel Near. The envelope may have come from one Mary Harnisch Near's relatives in the United States.</p> <p>Daniel Near (1825-1890), son of John Near and Elisabeth Sterneman lived in Humberstone Township, Welland County, Ontario. He held a number of municipal offices, including reeve (1855-1857), councillor (1858-1859) and clerk (1860-1901). He was elected in 1879 to a seat in the Ontario legislature, representing Welland County and retired his seat in 1883. In 1851 he married Elisabeth Cronmiller (1832-1854) and after her death he married Mary Wilhelmina Harnisch (1839-1911).</p>		
Location:	Brock University Archives		

Source Information:			
Subject Headings:	650	Harnish family.	
	651	Humberstone (Ont. : Township) xGenealogy.	
Added Entries:	700	Near, Daniel d1825-1890.	
Related material held at other repositories:			
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