INTRODUCTION
The collection contains a letterpress book of the personal and professional correspondence of William Augustus Harnsberger, a prominent attorney in Kansas City, Missouri.

DONOR INFORMATION
The collection was donated to the University of Missouri as part of the collection of the Native Sons of Greater Kansas City on 7/17/1990 (Accession No. KA0590).

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BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH
William Augustus Harnsberger was born in Alhambra, Illinois on September 7, 1851. He was a graduate of the Union College of Law in Chicago, Illinois. Harnsberger was admitted to bar of the State of Missouri in 1878 and practiced law in Kansas City.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE
The collection consists of a letterpress book containing typed and handwritten copies of letters sent and received by William Augustus Harnsberger while a practicing attorney in Kansas City, Missouri. Correspondents include but are not limited to other attorneys, clients, court clerks, and family members. Subjects include but are not limited to bills, cases before the court, debt collection, insurance claims, and mortgage and property litigation. The letters also address family matters.

PREFERRED CITATION
Specific item; box number; folder number; *William Augustus Harnsberger (1851-1944) Papers (K0541)*; The State Historical Society of Missouri Research Center-Kansas City [after first mention may be abbreviated to SHSMO-KC].

FOLDER LIST

f. 1 Letterpress correspondence, 1899-1911

LOCATION NOTE
Materials in this collection are housed onsite.
SUBJECT TERMS

Lawyers – Missouri – Kansas City
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