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Creator: Prussing, Eugene E. (Eugene Ernst), 1855-1936
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Abstract: Eugene Ernst Prussing (1855-1936) practiced law in Chicago (1878-1918) before relocating to California in 1921. His publications include George Washington in love and otherwise (1925) and The estate of George Washington, deceased (1927). The collection consists of correspondence, manuscripts, typescript drafts, photocopies, and printed matter.

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Biography
Prussing was born on July 12, 1855 in Chicago, Illinois; attended Bryant and Stratton's Business College; LLB, University of Michigan, 1878; admitted to Illinois and Michigan bars in 1878; practiced law in Chicago until 1918; settled in Hollywood, California, 1921; director of Citizens' Association of Chicago, serving as president, 1903-04; publications include George Washington in love and otherwise (1925) and The estate of George Washington, deceased (1927); he died in 1936.

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Indexing Terms
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.
Prussing, Eugene E. (Eugene Ernst), 1855-1936--Archives.
Washington, George, 1732-1799.
Lawyers--California--Archival resources.
Authors, American--California--Archival resources.
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Physical Description: (ca. 5000 items in 10 boxes)
Scope and Content Note
Correspondence, manuscripts, typescript drafts, photocopies, and printed matter concerning the life of George Washington's legal and financial affairs in particular. There are some materials concerning the history of Chicago and Los Angeles, and references to Prussing's legal practice in Los Angeles.