

African American miscellany collection, 1848-2017

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Descriptive Summary

Title: African American miscellany collection, 1848-2017
Call Number: Manuscript Collection No. 1032
Extent: 8 linear feet (16 boxes), 1 oversized papers box and 1 oversized papers folder (OP), 22 bound volumes (BV), 17 oversized bound volumes (OBV), and AV Masters: .5 linear feet
Abstract: Artificially created collection containing non-printed items related to African American history and culture.
Language: Materials entirely in English.

Administrative Information

Restrictions on Access

Special restrictions apply: Use copies have not been made for some audiovisual material in this collection. Researchers must contact the Rose Library in advance for access to this material.

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Related Materials in This Repository

Printed material relating to African American history and culture is located in the Black Print Culture collection.

Source

Purchase 2005, with subsequent additions.

Citation

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Processing

Elizabeth Russey, December 6, 2005.

Collection Description

Scope and Content Note

African American miscellany is an artificially created collection that contains single, non-printed items related to African American history and culture. The collection includes scrapbooks, minute books, correspondence, photographs, and sound recordings. Some biographical information concerning the materials in this collection may be found in the collection file maintained by the Stuart A. Rose Manuscript, Archives, and Rare Book Library. Other general materials relating to African Americans may be found in the African American sheet music collection, the African American cinema collection and the African American photographs collection.

Arrangement Note

Arranged by record type.

Container List

Box	Folder	Content
2	8	1964 Presidential Campaign voting hoax, flier created by the Republican National Committee (RNC) regarding a write-in campaign for Martin Luther King, Jr. The flier was a hoax. 1964
3	4	Airy, J. Bruce: postcards, 1906-1907, three postcards featuring African American characters, published by J. Raymond Howe, Cole Book Co. of Atlanta, Georgia, and L.M. Johnson of Chicago, Illinois
12	16	Afro-American Patrolman's League, 1970-1971 Material consists of a letter from Renault A. Robinson to Jerris Leonard, Administrator, Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, 16 June 1971 to investigate the hiring, promotional, and operational policies of the Chicago Police Department as well as an issue of the <i>Grapevine</i> collected by Robbyelee Terry's Guild Book Store.
15	21	<i>Amazing Thoughts</i> by Tauri Saleem Malik Ali Bey, inscribed, 1974
8	35	Ancient Egyptian Arabic Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, various temples (Indiana), records, 1954-1982
8	40	Ancient Egyptian Arabic Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine (Louisville, Kentucky), records, 1974
8	18	Anderson, Marian, correspondence, 1918; 1967
8	6	Anderson, Phebe A., manuscript poem, "The Cold Ground"
7	10	Atherly, Rita Cyrilene, "The Girl Scout Diary, 1946." Consists of daily entries by 11 year old Atherly while living in Brooklyn, New York
15	14	Atlanta University Laboratory School Children's Concert Program, 1933
9	1	Banner, Olive M., notebook from Lincoln Normal School (Marion, Alabama) and letter to Olive Banner from Carter G. Woodson, 1923, 1928
11	11	Baraka, Amiri, "The Black Arts Movement," and "Paul Robeson," typescripts, circa 1998
16	3	Baraka, Amiri, <i>Raise Race Rays Raze</i> , printers' proofs, circa 1970 [1 of 3]
16	4	Baraka, Amiri, <i>Raise Race Rays Raze</i> , printers' proofs, circa 1970 [2 of 3]
16	5	Baraka, Amiri, <i>Raise Race Rays Raze</i> , printers' proofs, circa 1970 [3 of 3]
12	1	Barnes, Thomas H. (Orlean, New York), financial records and newspaper clippings, 1868-1923
5	10	Barows, George, letter, July 29, 1856. Letter from Maine legislator to his wife mentions lecture by Frances Ellen Watkins (later Harper), African American abolitionist
13	4	Beasley, Phoebe, exhibition catalogs, biographies, and a 1993 letter to Richard Long, 1986-1993
9	2	Bennett, Fay, Executive Director, Report to the National Sharecroppers Fund, "The Condition of Farm Workers and Small Farmers in 1969," 1966

- 8 27 Benton, Rufus A.: Handwritten and typed first-person accounts of Benton's arrest and investigation for "intent to commit carnal knowledge" with a female passenger in his taxi, February 1947
- 6 4 Bevel, James: correspondence to the Philadelphia community regarding a meeting about the Philadelphia Christian Leadership Conference and its activities, February 13, 1969
- 13 13 Bibbs, Hart Leroy, Fine Art Photography, letter, April 12, 1992
- 6 9 Bilbo, Theodore, correspondence to and from James L. Lucas, a Father Divine Follower and a copy of the Congressional Record with a speech by Bilbo (a senator from Mississippi) concerning the resettlement of African Americans in Africa, 1939-1940.
- 15 10 Bill of sale for a 12 year old slave, Delilah, Nashville, Tennessee, David Saffarns and Thomas Wells, 1840
- 8 17 Black People's Conference, report on activities during the National Conference for New Politics, Chicago, Illinois, 1967
- 8 1 Black radical documents: a collection of reprinted speeches and interviews from Grace Lee Boggs, James Boggs, James Forman, and Bobby Seale, as well as documents from the National Black Economic Development Conference, 1969
- 15 26 "The Blackrocks" Development Prospectus, 1974
Prospectus for an unproduced Flintstones-style animated series featuring an African American family.
- 11 12 Blakely, T.C. (Richmond, Texas), card notifying Texas sheriffs of escaped African American convicts, no date
- 6 7 Boggs, James, published and unpublished writings and speeches, 1964-1966
- 1 8 "Boycott the Daily News" flier, Social Equality League, New York, undated
- 10 6 Braithwaite, William Stanley, collection, circa 1903-1936 [includes primarily printed material relating to Braithwaite's publishing ventures, as well as two letters from Louis V. Ledoux to Edwin F. Edgett regarding Braithwaite's financial problems]
- 5 3 Braithwaite, William Stanley: correspondence to Temple Scott, March 11, 1910, regarding the publication of his poetry.
- 8 7 Branham, J.H. (Reverend), Chicago, Illinois, letter to Maude Neal in Baltimore, Maryland, 1926
- 7 3 Bright, M.A., correspondence, 1860, 1862, letters to Bright's brother and sister discussing a slave insurrection and a family dispute over land, Collin County, Texas
- 13 7 Brokenburr, Robert Lee, letter to Mr. and Mrs. Lyon, 1906 April 20
Brokenburr was the son of a former slave and attended Hampton University. He received his law degree from Howard University in 1909, then moved to Indianapolis where he opened his law practice. In Indianapolis, he formed a closed relationship with Madam C.J. Walker, serving as legal counsel for her

- business and later as Chairman of the Board. He was also a civil rights activist and politician; he became Indiana's first African American senator in 1940.
- 15 22 Brooks, Gwendolyn, notecard addressed to Mr. Giamboy, signed, 1975 March 3
- 13 22 Brown, Cecil, *The Life and Lovws of Ms. Jiveass Nigger*, screenplay, 1973
January
- 11 8 Brown, J. Henry (Reverend), application and correspondence regarding fundraising for the St. Augustine mission in Savannah, Georgia, 1939. Also contains a newspaper clipping.
- 12 2 Brown, Julia, advertisements for speaking engagements, circa 1966
- 6 16 Brown, W. Douglas, "Manuscript of Interesting Facts about Negroes," typescript, 1945
- 9 5 Burroughs, Nannie H., National Baptist Convention, The Women's Convention, letter, October 1958-May 1958
- 11 17 California Council of Negro Women, 13 photographs, 1947 program [2 copies], and membership card, 1943-1952
- 10 11 Campbell, Joseph, steward's certificate, James Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church, 1955
- 9 6 Campbell, Elmer Simms, letter and sketch, June 1938
- 15 27 Cannon, George, correspondence and "KNOW THE TRUTH!" pamphlet, 1912
- OP2 - Caribbean and Mardi Gras posters depicting carnival celebrations, in addition to posters of Mardi Gras Indian Chiefs. Also contains one drawing of Errol Hill, professor of Drama at University of Ibadan, Nigeria
- 5 1 Carlotta's National Academy of Beauty Culture (New York), notebook, 1936: course book and exams belonging to Anna May Johnson
- 12 3 Carmichael, Stokely, "Power and Racism," 1966
- 12 4 Champaign, Illinois, specimen ballot featuring Irving Jones running for Justice of the Peace, 1937 [note on the ballot reads: "Lost by 184 votes. Not so bad for a nigger."]
- OP1 2 Chandler, Lucille: diploma, 1957 and photograph, 1956, both from Poro School of Beauty Culture, Atlanta, Georgia
- 1 1 Civil rights and black nationalism documents: a collection of position papers and fliers from 1963-1970 relating to the Black Panther Party, SNCC, the NAACP, the Mississippi Freedom Summer project, and civil rights activities occurring at the Atlanta University Center
- 11 20 Civil War, Various officers and others involved with "Colored" troops, 6 carte de visite, circa 1865
- 13 18 Colored American Council, Washington, D.C., typed carbon copy of letter from J.E. Johnson to H.P. Slaughter, April 9, 1919
- 1 2 "Colored Only No Whites Allowed" sign, Lennox Theater, Augusta, Georgia, March 1939
- 12 15 Colvin, W.F. (Reverend), sermons and funeral program, undated
- 13 1 Colvin, W.F. (Reverend), sermons, undated

- 15 15 Commencement Program- Booker T. Washington high School, 1936
- 2 9 Communist Party of Georgia flier, "To Help Stop Lynching and Political Persecution," 1964
- 12 5 Congress of Racial Equality (CORE) documents, 1960-1964
- 1 10 Cooper, Ida Cullen: correspondence and royalty statements concerning Countee Cullen's writings, 1947-1980
- 8 2 Cornelius, M.K., letter to a Mr. Noyes, 1852
- 16 6 Coroner's inquest for free boy of color, undated
- 12 6 Crawford, William H., correspondence, 1962-1965 [regarding African American politics in Philadelphia, socialism, and boxing]
- 8 37 The Crisis, New York, New York, marketing postcard, February 20, 1920
- 9 15 Crite, Allan Rohan, art and writing, 1958, 1962, undated
- 13 19 Crossley, Keith, sketches, 2015
Ink sketches of prominent artists Camille Billops, James Hatch, Amiri Baraka, Benny Andrews, Romare Bearden, Sonia Sanches, Mari Evans, Larry Neal, James Baldwin, and Vivian Brown. The sketches were commissioned by the Rose Library for the 2016-2017 exhibition "Still Raising Hell: The Art, Activism, and Archives of Camille Billops and James V. Hatch."
- 9 10 Cullen, Charles, letter and invitation to Lulu Glasser, circa 1935. The letter sends along two books of poetry written by Countee Cullen and illustrated by Charles Cullen [not included in the Rose Library's collections]. The invitation is to an art showing of Charles Cullen's drawings.
- 8 36 Daughters of Isis (Fort Wayne, Indiana), records, 1947-1971
- 4 20 Davenport, Mildred, dance programs, 1936-1953. Includes programs for "The Bronze Rhapsody" for 1936-1941. Also includes two Appreciation Day programs for the Resthaven League, of which Davenport was a founding member, for 1948-1953. [Related materials in other repositories: Mildred Davenport Dance Programs and Dance School Materials collection at the University of California Irvine.]
- 12 13 Davis, Benjamin J., Communist New York City councilman representing Harlem, photographs and printed material, circa 1942-1967
- 6 11 Davis, William A.: correspondence from family members while Davis was stationed in California with the US Army, 1959-1960
- BV20 - Denson, Richard E., scrapbook, Providence, Rhode Island, circa 1900s-1920s
- 8 3 Derrit, Tiney, letter to A.B. Holland, 1926. Derrit was a former slave, writing from Chicago to a neighbor in Kentucky.
- 13 15 Domingue, Michel, haitian president and general, letter, 1869
- 10 4 Douglas, Aaron, letter to "Mrs. Hollowell," July 16, 1928 [Funding provided by The Buddy Taub Foundation, Dennis A. and Jill Roach, Directors]
- 2 10 Dubois, W.E.B., mass distributed letter to the "Leaders of the American Negro People," 1952
- 9 7 Dunbar, Paul Lawrence, letter, June 21, 1896

- 15 29 Elie, Lolis Edward, eulogy and funeral program, 2017
- 8 28 Ellington, Duke, correspondence and press clippings regarding performances in Europe, 1948, 1957-1958
- 11 21 Ellis, Miriam Delores, affidavit, testifying to the distribution of handbills encouraging African American voters in Florence, South Carolina to vote for Democratic candidates instead of Republican candidates because the Republican party was supported by the Ku Klux Klan. Considered to be an example of voter suppression by misinformation.
- 4 11 Ellison, Ralph, publishing contracts and related correspondence regarding the publication of *The Invisible Man*, 1944-1951
- 15 16 Ellison, Ralph, Letter to James Roark, 1982
- 6 5 Emrick, John O., correspondence to Ina Dodson of Columbus, Ohio concerning his foreign missionary work among the black population of St. Johns, Antigua, March 2, 1927. Also includes two photographs of residents of the island.
- 13 8 Evans, Orrin C., letter from Carroll M. Ellis, 1947 October 28
Evans was the first black journalist to cover general assignments for a mainstream white newspaper in the United States. In the *Philadelphia Record*, he attacked the practice of segregation in the armed services during World War II. Following the war, he published the first and only issue of *All-Negro Comics*, a comic book intended to promote the cause of American American equality and "black pride" to a broader audience than was reached by the paper. A second issue of the comic was never finished because newsprint vendors refused to sell to Evans, who posed a threat to mainstream white comic publishers who were also trying to cultivate the African American market. This letter is from Carroll Ellis, president of National News Company, distributor of the comic, regarding the limited success of the publication and suggesting a more effective marketing strategy.
- 6 14 Executive Department of Virginia, announcement of General Assembly act that recognizes the marriage register from the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1868
- 12 7 Fondren, S.R., auctioneer for the sale of Negroes (Richmond, Virginia), business card, undated
- 2 11 Ford, Nick Aaron, correspondence to Grace D. Chapin concerning his book, March 1, 1937
- 8 34 Fraternal organization, unknown affiliation, notes and financial records, circa 1944-1947
- 8 38 Free and Accepted Masons, Mount Sinai Lodge and Improved Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Chadakoin Lodge (Jamestown, New York), letter, 1927
- 8 20 Freedman's Savings and Trust Company, letter concerning sale of three diamonds, 1883

- 6 3 Garner, A.C., correspondence to Rolfe Cobleigh regarding the Alley Improvement Association and the editorial "The Negro and the Nation," January 12, 1913
- 11 13 Garvin, Vicki, "The Negro and the World Tomorrow," typescript, no date
- 7 12 Gaston, Lulu, teacher's contract, 1895. For Twiggs County, Georgia, for "teaching a Common School for colored children in Tarversvill Sub-District of said County at Shiloh School House"
- 15 11 Goreau, Laurraine, resume
Supporting documentation for the audiovisual materials in the collection
- 3 4 Green, Viola Hill, programs, brochures, and broadsides relating to her musical performances in and around Philadelphia, 1930-1938
- 7 4 Greene, John W. Jr., correspondence, printed material, and a photograph relating to his career as a commercial airline pilot and flight instructor; also includes two aircraft logs, 1937-1979 (includes broadside announcing the first African American airline, Union Airlines)
- 10 7 Griggs, Samuel, copy book, February 1839 [contains transcriptions of two articles relating to the slave trade written by Amaziah Tober and published in a Connecticut newspaper in 1789]
- 8 4 Grimké, Francis J., letters to a Miss Putnam, 1913-1915
- 4 18 Hammurabi, F.H., "Robb," broadsides, correspondence and photographs, 1938-1955. Consists of several broadsides announcing lectures given by Hammarabi, who was known as "Robb," on the race subject in Chicago, Illinois. Photographs include one of Robb outside the Hazel's Beauty Shop book display and the other of Robb in a suite, bowtie and fez. Correspondence regards Robb's assistance to J.A. Rogers in a connection with a 1955 visit to Chicago.
- OPI 1 Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute: diploma, 1898
- 1 7 Handy, W.C.: correspondence to Alice Dickenson, March 17 and May 13, 1974. In these two letters W.C. Handy discusses granting Langston Hughes permission to use part of "St. Louis Blues" in Hughes' First Book of Jazz. The letters enumerate Handy's personal thoughts about the history of jazz. [The signed copy of "Memphis Blues" sent to Dickenson is located in the African American sheet music collection (MSS1028)]
- 8 8 Harris, Carrie, Blythe, Georgia, letter to her cousin, 1924 [?]
- 1 3 Hart, Crawford and Rufus Madden trial documents, Pulaski County, Georgia, 1858. Trial documents relating to the trial of two white men accused of murdering a slave named Wright including depositions from witnesses.
- 8 19 Haskins, Kenneth, position paper on African American education, 1972
- 9 11 Hays, Arthur Garfield, "Report of Subcommittee which Investigated the Disturbance of March 19th," 1935 [Report to New York Mayor Fiorello LaGuardia regarding the subcommittee's investigation of the Harlem riots of March, 1935. Committee also included Countee Cullen, Oswald Villard and Hubert Delaney, among others.]

- 9 12 Hays, Carol W., papers, circa 1922-1945. Included are correspondence, printed material, a transcript of a talk given by Hays on radio program "Wings Over Jordan," and biographical information about Hays. The material primarily documents Hays's career as Probation Officer, Principal, and General Supervisor of Negro Schools in Birmingham, Alabama.
- 6 8 Highlander Folk School (Monteagle, Tennessee), printed material including press releases, brochures, and program summaries regarding the camp's efforts towards promoting integration, circa 1951-1958
- 16 7 Hill, Dr. Roy L. of Laurens, South Carolina, "Mary Brown and Robert Hill's Children: A Genealogy, Greenwood, South Carolina," 1993
- 7 5 Holly, James Theodore, correspondence, 1890, to Dr. Seth Pancoast of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Holly was the first African American Bishop in the Episcopal Church - in this letter he discusses Haiti's involvement in the American Revolution and the War of 1812. Holly had moved to Haiti in 1861.
- 8 25 Holman, Benjamin F., student papers, 1956. Holman was a journalist and professor at the University of Maryland. These papers were written while he was a student at Chicago University.
- 7 8 Holt, Ora E., notebook and correspondence, 1950-1956. Holt was a teacher and principal in the Atlanta Public School system, documents include a small notebook, professional certification from the Fulton County Board of Education, and a program for a Sunday Vesper Service at Clark College in Atlanta.
- 11 7 Howard, Callie J. Hall (Reverend), ordination certificates, 1943-1956
- 6 1 Howard, Sara C., certificates and photographs, circa 1932. Includes nursing certificates (New Jersey) and photographs of Howard with other nurses in uniform.
- 13 20 Howard University (Washington, D.C.) form letter to prospective and former students on university letterhead, August 31, 1940
- 11 18 Hughes, Langston, "Excepts from English Reviews of *Simple Speaks his Mind*," 1951
- 9 8 Hughes, Langston, "La balada Harry Moore," typescript, undated
- 15 23 Hutcheson, Annie B. and Reverend R.N. Martin, marriage certificate, check stubs, and report card, 1927-1938
- 8 29 Hyde, E.W., letter to his wife, August 27, 1860. The letter describes Hyde's trip to Kentucky, during which he visited an African American church, witnessed an African American woman insulted on an omnibus, and met Vice President John C. Breckinridge.
- 8 31 Improved Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Hametic Lodge (Fort Wayne, Indiana), records [including photographs, budgets, correspondence and other documents], circa 1929-1972
- 13 9 Indiana Constitutional Convention, printed letter supporting the Compromise of 1850

- Letter is signed by William H. English, Secretary of the Indiana Constitutional Convention
- 2 6 Jackson County (Georgia) Committee for Human Rights and Equal Employment Opportunities: Memorandum to Jackson County community officials regarding the failed desegregation of Bryan Elementary School and discrimination in employment of teachers, October 10, 1969
- 8 30 Jackson, Hiram, last will and testament, inventory of his estate, and record of the estate's dispersal, 1854-1856. Jackson was a free man of color in Lincoln County, Kentucky.
- 6 15 Jefferson County Negro Teacher's Association (Mississippi), minute book, documenting fight for salary equalization, 1945 (also includes photograph of teachers)
- 6 6 Jones, Laurence C., correspondence to William Pickens concerning his book "Vengeance of the Gods" and the Piney Woods Country Life School of Braxton, Mississippi, March 22, 1923
- 13 5 Jones, Lois, exhibition catalogs, clippings, press release, and letter to Richard A. Long, 1955-1990
- 2 12 Johnson, Charles H.: insurance policy, 1925. Atlanta Title and Trust Company insurance policy for land lot 19 of the 14th district of Fulton County, Georgia, belonging to African American physician Charles H. Johnson, dated January 5, 1925
- 7 7 Johnson, James Weldon, correspondence, 1918. Letter from Johnson, field officer for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People to Dr. Parker of Pine Bluff, Arkansas regarding formation of a local chapter
- 7 1 Johnson, Offie A., notebook on hair-dressing techniques, 1900
- 2 13 Jordan, Robert H.: record book, 1955. Record book documenting a financial transaction between Dr. Jordan and John Wesley Dobbs regarding a property at 512 Angier Ave, NE, Atlanta, Georgia
- 13 10 Kimball, Daniel (Boston, Massachusetts), letter to Charlotte C. Tenney (West Bradford, Massachusetts), 1835 June 23
- 8 9 King, L. Melendez, African American attorney, Washington, D.C., letter to a Miss Page, 1908
- 4 6 Latour, Nick: correspondence to Dan Burley of Johnson Publications, May 13, 1955 regarding his performances in Latin America
- 15 28 Layton, William, photographs and photocopies of correspondence, circa 1996-1998
- 1 14 Lehman, Herbert H., United State Senator from New York, letter to Herman Oberstein, New York, New York, December 27, 1956 regarding his opinion of race relations in Montgomery and the Montgomery Bus Boycott
- 8 14 Leister Game Company, Inc., "comic" book jacket, "Lynching as a Community Project," Toledo, Ohio, 1959
- OP1 5 Lewis, Joan: broadside, The Clark College Players repertory, 1988

- 7 18 Lewis, Joan: personal papers including a small notebook, a manuscript, and various printed items, circa 1956-1980
- 7 19 Lewis, Joan: black and white photographs and printed material relating to African American theatre productions, presumed under her direction, circa 1960s-1970s [includes photos of Clark College Players productions]
- 2 3 Lewis, John: civil rights documents signed by Lewis, circa 1963. Includes a photocopy of his speech given during the March on Washington (with MSS corrections), a petition presented to Congress, November 1963, and a memorandum on federal civil rights authority.
- 10 1 Lipton, Lew, papers relating to the creation of the Lincoln Motion Picture Corporation, including Lipton's confidential prospectus, handwritten notes, a letter from The Negro Pageant Movement, a script for "Colored Cavalcade" or "Black America," and clippings, 1938-1939
- 12 17 Magee, Ruchell, flyers from the Ruchell Magee Defense Fund, 1996
Material consists of flyers calling for Ruchell Magee's release collected by Robbyelee Terry's Guild Book Store.
- 9 18 Malcolm X, flyer requesting a moment of silence, circa 1970
- 10 2 Mason, Clifford, typescript, *Gabriel (The Story of a Slave Rebellion)* (play), circa 1969
- 11 9 Mason, James E., correspondence regarding the Livingstone College and Industrial School (Salisbury, North Carolina), May 22, 1931
- 9 16 Maxwell, William Hunter, typescripts and notes, 1920, no date
- 3 3 McAfee family: papers, 1938-1945. Includes a World War II military tablet belonging to Wesley W. McAfee; in addition to a diary kept by his mother, Lucile McAfee, also during World War II. Also includes a receipt from the Hanley Company Undertakers for the burial of Lucile's husband and Wesley's father, Earnest McAfee in 1938.
- 9 9 McCorquodale, W. E., "The Negro and I," typescript, 1963
- 10 9 McQueen, Butterfly, handwritten notes and annotated clippings regarding *Gone With the Wind*.
- 12 8 Middleton, Pauline, death records, 1976
- 4 7 Minneapolis Urban League minutes, June 17, 1931
- 1 12 Moore Street Baptist Church (Richmond, Virginia), records, 1922-1977
- 13 6 Motley, Jr., Archibald John, *Archibald John Motley, Jr.: A Catalogue Raisonne*
A grant proposal to create a publication of the paintings and drawings of the American artist
- 13 17 Muhammad, Elijah, typed letter, signed, to J.A. Rogers, on Nation of Islam letterhead, March 22, 1960
- 11 14 Muntaqim, Jalil A., "On the Three Phase Theory for National Independence," no date

- 4 9 National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), Robeson County Branch, North Carolina, records, 1944-1945. Includes correspondence, a financial report, and meeting minutes
- 4 14 National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) Legal Defense and Educational Fund, "Committee of 100," correspondence, 1956. Letter from Allan Knight Chalmers to a Miss Scheiber, discussing the Montgomery Bus boycott, and Grand Jury indictment of 115 men and women, and soliciting contributions to the organization.
- 13 16 National Epicures, Inc., social group from Richmond, Virginia, photographs, programs and clippings collected by Thelma Fields, 1958-1994
- 6 12 National Equal Rights League and Race Congress of America: press release about the upcoming convention about "completing emancipation," January 1929
- 7 17 National Negro Business League: Address of President Horace Sudduth, 50th anniversary convention, Tuskegee Institute, Alabama, August 30, 1950. Sudduth discusses the history of the League from its founding by Booker T. Washington, and the beginning a new economic self-help program.
- 12 11 Negro Heritage Library form letter, undated
- 16 8 New Bethel A.M.E. Church, Birmingham, Alabama, ledger, 1938-1939
- 7 9 New York State Supreme Court, documents relating to "The African Methodist Episcopal Bethel Church against John C. Gambier," 1873-1874. Gambier was accused of embezzlement, but the case was later dismissed.
- 15 24 Opportunity, request to library to subscribe, 1923
- 8 32 Order of the Eastern Star, Prince Hall Affiliated, records of various lodges (Indiana), 1966-1971
- 8 41 Order of the Eastern Star, Zion Chapter No. 59 (Mississippi), financial records, no date
- 8 39 Order of the Eastern Star, Zorah Chapter No. 8 (Philadelphia, Pennsylvania), financial records, 1957-1962
- 8 26 Outlaw, Lucille, oral history, 1985. Outlaw was a janitor at Mississippi State and the interview, conducted by Mandy Dershem, recounts racial attitudes in the South in 1964.
- 15 30 Patrick, Thomas W., letters and printed material, 1975
Patrick was a Haitian American doctor.
- 4 10 Patterson, Audrey, press release of visit to Gilbert Academy prior to the London Olympics, circa 1948
- 8 10 Payment voucher, estate of Henry Lubert, Berkeley County, South Carolina, 1845. Includes annotation referring to a slave.
- 9 3 Peebles, Mary E. (ALS), letter to Augustus G. Dill, May 3, 1915
- 15 32 Pennington, Maurice, *Reality, Racism, and Reason: The Truth Unraveled*, manuscript, circa 1963
- 16 1 Pennington, Maurice, unidentified manuscript, circa 1963

- 8 17 Pennsylvania Democratic Party, sample ballot, 1966
- 16 2 Petition and response regarding discrimination against African American tuberculosis patients at the National Military Home in Dayton, Ohio, 1926
The petition, signed by ten patients, is addressed to Congressman Roy G. Fitzgerald and details the loss of the convalescent ward for African American tuberculosis patients and subsequent mistreatment and discrimination in the new facilities. Fitzgerald's response forwards the petition to Frank T. Hines, Director of the United States Veterans Bureau.
- OP1 4 Pilgrim Baptist Mission Stations map, Asaba Division, Benin Province, Nigeria, undated
- 13 14 The Piney Woods country Life School, signed fund raising letter on stationery and offset printing from positive Mississippi newspaper article, 1950
- 12 12 Pippin, Horace, bibliography, undated
- 5 7-9 Poor People's Campaign, records, 1968. These records, compiled by Jean W. Young, include minutes, reports, and other material relating to the Northern Virginia Committee for the Poor People's Campaign, a program administered by Southern Christian Leadership Conference.
- 15 12 Poro College Supply Station, Dothan, Alabama- Correspondence, 1931
- 8 21 Powell, Cililan B., New York State medical licenses, 1968-1970
- 9 14 Prairie View State College (Prairie View, Texas), autograph book, Ethel Hill, 1939-1940
- 10 5 Prince, Private Joseph D, love letters to Yvonne Dejean from Manilla, Philippines, December 1945-March 1946
- 1 4 Prophet, Nancy Elizabeth: correspondence to Gretchen Warren, August 20, 1941.
In this letter African American artist Nancy Prophet describes her studio, her teaching, and racial conditions in Atlanta during the 1940s.
- 7 16 Quarles, Bernice, correspondence, 1943-1945. Includes six letter from male friends all serving in the military during World War II.
- 7 13 Randolph, Lemuel H., poems, 1935-1939. Randolph was a soldier in World War II, one poem is entitled "The Funeral," and the other, "Splash!"
- 13 21 Raymond, Robert, letter, 1943 July 30.
1st Lt. Robert Raymond was a white soldier in World War II, and in this letter to his father, he complains about an African American officer.
- 8 5 Read, Edward Parker, collection of Dr. Read's Cure-Alls broadsheets, circa 1920s. Also includes lyrics and sheet music composed by Parker.
- 2 4 Reed, Ishmael: correspondence, to editors Margaret Grace Smith and Paul M. Wright, 1980, 1981
- 7 15 Roberston, Berry and Sylvester Murphy, work contract, March 21, 1978.
Contract is between Judge W.H. Murray and two illiterate farmers in McDuffie County, Georgia.

- 2 14 Robinson, George: papers, 1950s. The papers include Robinson's 1959 honorable discharge certificate from the United States Army, in addition to photographs of Robinson and other soldiers in uniform, on base, and in Korea.
- 7 6 Robinson, Lorine, poetry booklet, "Nature and the Seasons," 1941 [includes original poetry, photographs, and poetry by others]
- 13 11 Rowan County, North Carolina, Court of Pleas, indictment of John Moody, Jr. for selling liquor to a slave, 1855
- 10 12 *Second City Newspaper* (Chicago, Illinois), Black Panther West Side Hot Breakfast Program photographs, circa 1969
- 10 13 *Second City Newspaper* (Chicago, Illinois), Gus Hall and Jarvis Tyner Communist Party U.S.A. campaign material, 1972
- 11 1 *Second City Newspaper* (Chicago, Illinois), Henry Winston, *Strategy for a Black Agenda* promotional material, 1973
- 11 2 *Second City Newspaper* (Chicago, Illinois), photograph of Bert and Regina Phillips, circa 1969
- 11 3 *Second City Newspaper* (Chicago, Illinois), Southern Christian Leadership Conference photographs and printed material, primarily relating to Operation Breadbasket and United Front, Cairo, 1969
- 11 4 *Second City Newspaper* (Chicago, Illinois), United Front, Cairo, printed material, 1969
- 11 10 Segregation signs, circa 1929-1939
- 10 8 Simmons, Roscoe Conkling, "Address to the Country," circa 1950 [declaration of principles and membership list of the Colored Republican delegation]
- 15 25 Sims, George H. (1871-1955), Cumberland County, Virginia, typescript, "The Fortieth Mile," with photograph, circa 1938
- 11 5 Sisters Aid Society, Bethlehem Primitive Baptist Church (Lawrence County, Alabama) incorporation document, 1899
- 4 21 Slave sale receipts, 1859, 1860. Receipt dated June 29, 1960 in Richmond, Virginia is for the amount of \$1500 dollars and for a negro slave named William, sold to John Fraser from James Naner [?] Second receipt is dated January 1, 1859 in Pickensville, Alabama, and is for a 14 year old boy named Reuben and a 12 year old girl named Kate, sold to Mrs. Helen M. Stom [?] by Nancy Lu Walker [?]
- 15 17-19 Slave bills, circa 1814-1865
These folders contain material that was originally part of Miscellaneous Collection C, Documents. In 2017, the Documents collection was discontinued and the contents dispersed amongst other collections by subject or provenance to improve accessibility.
- 6 13 Smith for President Colored League, letter to a local chapter in New Jersey thanking them for their support of Alfred E. Smith, October 26, 1928
- 4 5 Smith, James: papers, 1894-1924. Includes receipts, an insurance policy, two account books documenting Smith's daily labor and income, a list of donations

- to the local AME congregation, and two photographs taken in Greencastle, Pennsylvania.
- 11 19 Smith, Paul A., three photographs, one headshot and two of performances; a broadside for Smith's performance of *Otello* (1946), and a letter dated April 21, 1947.
- 2 5 Snider Family slave records: 11 documents relating to the administration of slaves belonging to the Snider family of Yalobusha County, Mississippi, 1854-1863. Records include receipts and bills of sale for the hiring out and selling of Snider family slaves, who are named and described in detail. There is also a certified Deed and Bill of Sale in which Celia Snider (1897-1873), wife of Dr. Jacob Adrian Snider (1794-1851), sold seven family slaves to her son, Jacob Adrian Snider, Jr. (1826-1908) in 1854.
- OP1 6 Southern United Order of Tents, insurance policy for Isadore Robinson (Washington D.C.), 1928
- 4 15 Spence, Adam Knight, correspondence, February 18, 1895, from Nancy Jones, a missionary living in Mt. Selinda, Gazaland, East Africa. The letter describes in detail Jones' impressions of her surroundings and her frustrations in converting the villagers to Christianity.
- 4 16 Spence, Mary Elizabeth, correspondence and survey, May 2, 1932. Letter from Charles S. Johnson of Fisk University to fellow Fisk professor Spence discussing a survey of "Negro College Graduates;" includes blank copy of survey.
- 7 2 Spivey, J.W., correspondence from African American clients, George Branford and Columbus Fendrick, to attorney J.W. Spivey, of Marlin, Texas, discussing details of their cases, 1898-1900
- 15 31 Stevenson, William Preston, correspondence, 1940-1945
- 8 23 Stoelting-Hollingsworth, Winifred L.: bound collection of programs from the Conference on African and African-American Studies, Atlanta University, 1969-1977. Volume also includes a reprint of Stoelting-Hollingsworth's article "Human Dignity and Pride in the Novels of Ernest Gaines," *CLA Journal* XIV, No. 5, 1971
- 4 13 Sumner, David E., bibliography on "The Nashville Student Movement," undated
- 8 16 The Survey (New York, New York), correspondence concerning publication of two articles: "Southern Experience and Northern Cities," by William Alexander, and "Passing for Colored," by Rachel Davis DuBois, 1925-1927. Typescripts of both articles are included.
- 3 2 Tanner, A.J.: "The Kaiser Call to Satan," April 18, 2009, manuscript written out by Tanner of Kennesaw, Georgia
- 11 23 Terry, Wallace, correspondence and printed material regarding *Bloods: An Oral History of the Vietnam War by Black Veterans*
- 10 10 Third Baptist Church (San Francisco, California) photographs and printed material including church bulletins, instructional documents, programs and fliers, circa 1950-1969

- 9 17 Thomas, Alma, artist, programs, press releases, and catalogs of exhibits, 1959-1974
- 1 9 Tinsley, Lillie B. Dixon: autobiographical account of an African American domestic from Georgia, ca. 1900-1970
- 1 15 Tinsley, Tomi Carolyn, writer, manuscript diary while Tinsley served as Zora Neale Hurston's secretary aboard houseboat Suntan, Daytona and Eatonville, Florida, May 14-September 13, 1946; also includes manuscript drafts of Tinsley poems
- 6 10 Tuskegee Airmen: materials related to the Atlanta Chapter of the Tuskegee Airmen collected by James Reed, including photographs, meeting minutes, reports, member directories, and printed material, circa 1980-1990.
- 7 11 Tyler, Jesse, Winston, and George, report cards, 1936-1943. Includes report cards and commencement program (1935) from the Central Colored High School in Louisville, Kentucky
- 8 33 Union Baptist Church, Fort Wayne, Indiana, certificate of appreciation, October, 1971
- OPI 3 Unknown artist, [circa 1990s], painting of Jesse Jackson, President of P.U.S.H. People United to Save Humanity
- 6 19 Unknown compiler, "I, too, am America," booklet consisting of poems by W.E.B. DuBois, Langston Hughes, Countee Cullen, and James Weldon Johnson, undated
- 8 24 Unknown writer, "Memo. for Mr. Hikida," March 1936. The memo requests capital from Japanese investors to open a department store that would employ African Americans and serve the African American community in the south. The third page of the memo is entitled "Jew Hatred among Negroes" and describes examples of Jewish mistreatment of African Americans.
- 8 24 Unknown writer, "White Trash," undated
- 4 8 Walker, Joe, editor of Muhammad Speaks, correspondence, September 2, 1969
- 13 12 Washington, Booker T., letter from Joseph O. Thompson, 1904
- 15 20 Washington, Booker T., letter to Ellen L. Wethereill (Lynn, Massachusetts), 1899 December 16
This folder contains a letter that was originally part of Miscellaneous Collection A, Autograph letters. In 2017, the Autograph letters collection was discontinued and the contents dispersed amongst other collections by subject or provenance to improve accessibility.
- 2 15 Watkins, Jewell M., papers, 1935-1965. The papers contain photographs of family members, programs from Boggs Academy (Keysville, Georgia) events and an essay entitled "Class Prophecy, 1945" written by Watkins
- 1 11 Wednesdays in Mississippi volunteer packet: itineraries, fact sheets, and background material produced by the National Council of Negro Women for its Mississippi outreach program, 1965

- 2 7 Wheeler, Lawrence: diary, 1925-1933; Wheeler, an African American policeman in Los Angeles, California, records elaborate religious and apocalyptic themed visions.
- 8 11 Wheeler, Sarah Gates, letter to John H. Burrell asking how to conduct the "Order of the White Square," St. Louis, Missouri, 1892
- 12 10 White Circle League of America, "Dam-U-Gram" sent to Lyndon B. Johnson opposing desegregation, 1964
- 4 17 White, Gladys Powell, correspondence, 1945. Includes 2 letters from Eleanor Roosevelt to Mrs. White, wife of author and NAACP Executive Secretary Walter White, regarding an incident recounted in *A Rising Wind*. Also includes two other letters discussing the book and a royalty statement.
- 8 12 Wiley, Oscar and George D. White, letter to John H. Camper regarding the diagnosis of small pox in African American patient Gus Smith, Salem, Virginia, 1899
- 16 9 Williams, Allen, diary, 1924-1937
- 2 1-2 Wilson, Daniel A., papers, 1920s. The scrapbook, compiled while Wilson was a student at Lincoln University and Wilberforce University, contains newspaper clippings, programs, correspondence, invitations, and printed material related to his fraternity and activities on campus.
- 11 15 Wilson, Daniel A. (Reverend), family papers, circa 1918-1932; includes correspondence, photographs, printed material from Lincoln University, and a bridal memory book
- 8 13 Wine, R.E., letter to his father, written from a United States Air Force base in Japan
- 5 6 Woodruff, Hale, correspondence and printed material, 1969-1975. Correspondence from Woodruff, an African American artist, is addressed to Princeton University professor John Ralph Willis and discusses Woodruff's interest in the Alain Locke Society, a Black Arts group; Also contains some exhibit announcements.
- 15 13 Women in White Uniforms-Photograph, undated
- 11 16 Woods, Enoch Arden, diploma, Haven Teacher's College (Meridian, Mississippi), 1928
- 13 2 Woodward, Karl E., letter to Junie B. Moore, May 27, 1943
Letter describes the May 24, 1943 race riot at Alabama Dry Dock and Shipbuilding Company from the perspective of a white National Guardsman involved in restoring order. Prior to May 1943, the company maintained completely segregated facilities. The riot occurred after twelve African American employees were promoted to welders and added to previously all white welding teams.
- 7 14 Xenia Theater, (Xenia, Ohio), photographs and handbill, circa 1942. Material documents demonstration by African American community to attend theater.

Record books

- 4 19 Albion Literary Society, Albion, New York, minute book, 1867-1968. The volume includes detailed minutes of the society, including program notes, bylaws, and amendments. Debate topics include race and women's suffrage.
- 1 5 Acme Club, Waycross, Georgia, 1938. The volume records minutes, dues, and social activities.
- 8 22 Baptismal record book, unidentified African Methodist Episcopal Church, New Orleans, Louisiana, 1944
- 6 17 Flipper Temple African Methodist Episcopal Church (Atlanta, Georgia), usher record book and photograph, 1934-1936
- 9 19 Gate City Day Nursery Association (Atlanta, Georgia), minute book, 1945-1948. The volume records minutes of Board of Directors meetings, as well as other meetings of the organization, originally founded by Gertrude Ware as a free kindergarten for African American children.
- OBV10 Grand Union Lodge, Georgia record book, 1888-1905. The volume records minutes, financial records, officers, and activities of local chapter lodges.
- 5 4-5 Institution for the Education of Colored Youth in the District of Columbia, minute book and deeds, 1863-1887. The volume records board meetings of this school originally founded for the education of African American girls by Myrtila Miner. The deeds record the transfer of property to the school.
- BV17 Mississippi Annual Conference of unidentified religious denomination, 1927-1947
- BV5 Mt. Zion Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons of Boston record book, 1925-1944. The volume records minutes and officers.
- 12 9 National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), Hillburn, New York chapter membership ledger, circa 1928
- BV14 - New Orleans Gas Works (New Orleans, Louisiana): Slave passes, 1861
- BV4 Women's Missionary Union Christian Union, Birmingham, Alabama, 1949-1952. The volume records member names and dues paid into a burial insurance program. A related pamphlet is located in the Black -Print Culture collection.

Scrapbooks / Autograph books

- OBV17 A.E.S. Johnson Art and Literary Club (Los Angeles, California), scrapbook, circa 1945-1971
- The scrapbook documents the women's literary society through photographs, correspondence, financial records, and printed material. The volume is heavily annotated. Loose materials relating to the scrapbook also include some personal items of president Velma Hathaway Soders. Printed material includes funeral programs; event programs from such organizations as the Los Angeles County General Hospital School of Nursing, Pepperdine College, toastmistress clubs, and various churches; as well as fliers and publications from the U.S. Postal Service.

- 14 1 A.E.S. Johnson Art and Literary Club (Los Angeles, California), scrapbook loose materials, correspondence, financial records, and notes, circa 1945-1971 [1 of 3]
- 14 2 A.E.S. Johnson Art and Literary Club (Los Angeles, California), scrapbook loose materials, correspondence, financial records, and notes, circa 1945-1971 [2 of 3]
- 14 3 A.E.S. Johnson Art and Literary Club (Los Angeles, California), scrapbook loose materials, correspondence, financial records, and notes, circa 1945-1971 [3 of 3]
- 14 4 A.E.S. Johnson Art and Literary Club (Los Angeles, California), scrapbook loose materials, printed material and photographs, circa 1945-1971
- BV9 African American clippings: scrapbook, circa 1939. The scrapbook contains clippings from mostly unidentified magazines and periodicals concerning African American life in the south, African tribal culture, race relations, and African American athletes and entertainers.
- 5 2 African American entertainers: scrapbook pages with clippings, fliers, and photographs of African American entertainers, circa 1930s or 1940s.
- BV10-12 African American Labor Center: scrapbooks, 1969-1971. The scrapbooks document a two year mission by the AFL-CIO's African American Labor Center to train workers and union leaders in Ethiopia. The program was jointly funded by the State Department, the AFL-CIO and the Confederation of Ethiopian Trade Unions; however the AALC operated mostly as a front for the CIA to prevent the rise of communism on the African continent. The scrapbooks include images of seminar participants, diplomatic receptions, and field-work among Ethiopian union members. Also included are several photographs of Emperor Hailie Selassie I at ceremonies in Addis Abbaba.
- OBV4 African American newspaper clippings: scrapbook, Boston and New York, circa 1920-1935. The scrapbook contains newspaper clippings from mostly Boston and New York newspapers concerning African American issues including lynching, segregation, music, the performing arts, sports, religion, and education.
- OBV16 Armstrong family (Westfield, Indiana) scrapbook, circa 1866-1996. The scrapbook contains correspondence, photographs, printed material, military records, and a Croix de Guerre documenting multiple generations of the Armstrong family.
- 11 22 Armstrong family (Westfield, Indiana) scrapbook, circa 1866-1996, loose material
- OBV12 Atlanta, Georgia: scrapbook, 1940s. It was probably compiled by an African American college student from Atlanta, Georgia. The scrapbook contains newspaper clippings from World War II and clippings from the 1940s relating to African American marriages, funerals, and other events in Atlanta. There is also a funeral program for D. D. Crawford.

- 8 15 Bright, Vewell, autograph book, Apex College (Philadelphia, Pennsylvania), class of 1937
- OBV9 Brown, Walter: scrapbook, 1943. Walter Brown was a lead waiter at Anthony's restaurant in Atlanta, Georgia, and a self-taught artist; scrapbook includes his pencil drawings.
- BV21 - Cook, Lillie Mae, scrapbook, 1938
Scrapbook documenting the high school experience of Lillie Mae Cook, a 1938 graduate of Wendell Phillips High School in Chicago, Illinois.
- BV18 - Davenport Carter, Mildred, scrapbook, 1943. The scrapbook includes newspaper clippings related to the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps (WAAC), of which Davenport was one of the first African American members. After completing her training in Iowa, she was sent to New England to recruit other African American WAACs. [See other Davenport entry for more material about her other career as a dance instructor.]
- BV3 Glaze and Rider families: scrapbook, Albany, Georgia, circa 1940-1970. The scrapbook contains photographs of family members and newspaper clippings. Many of the photographs depict African American troops stationed in Germany during World War II.
- BV6 Hannon, Virginia Rose: autograph book, 1934-1935. Contains inscriptions and autographs of classmates and professors at Spelman College, including W.E.B. Du Bois, and artists Hale Woodruff and Wilmer Jennings. Hannon graduated from Spelman College in 1934.
- BV7 Hannon, Virginia Rose: memory book, 1933-1934. Memory book records Hannon's final years attending Spelman College and includes lists of classmates and sorority sisters. Hannon was a member of the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority.
- BV8 Hannon, Virginia Rose: photograph album, circa 1910-1979. Much of the photograph album contains images of unidentified family members.
- OBV7 Holt, Lettie Anne: scrapbook, Jacksonville, Florida, circa 1936-1949. The scrapbook contains clippings, programs, and writings collected by Holt concerning her membership in Zeta Phi Beta at Florida A M College. The scrapbook also includes an autograph book from 1936.
- OBV11 Howard, Mary Dalton: scrapbook, 1963; The scrapbook documents Martin Luther King, Jr. and the March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom in August 1963.
- OBV3 Hucherson, Walter: scrapbook, 1935-1939. The scrapbook contains material collected by Hucherson during his tenure as a student at the Tuskegee Institute, including photographs of students, faculty, and campus buildings, programs, awards, correspondence, tuition bills, invitations, student identification cards, and material related to his participation on the football and basketball team.
- OBV13 Hudspeth, Autry Mae, scrapbook, circa 1942-2013. The scrapbook contains photographs of the Hudspeth family, letters and greeting cards addressed to

- Hudspeth, and printed material relating to the Third Baptist Church of San Francisco.
- 11 6 Hudspeth, Autry Mae, scrapbook, loose material, circa 1942-2013
- BV2 Love, Cleopatra: scrapbook, circa 1914-1916. The scrapbook contains photographs of students and faculty, inscriptions, printed poems, programs, invitations, and other material collected by Love during her tenure as a student at Atlanta University. Includes some loose correspondence and programs.
- OBV1 Lowry, H. Corinne: scrapbook, 1946-1960. The scrapbook contains newspaper clippings, photographs, conference proceedings, and programs related to the National Association of Colored Women's Clubs, the National Council of Negro Women, the Iota Phi Lambda sorority, Mary McLeod Bethune, and Mary Church Terrell.
- 10 3 Lowry, H. Corinne: loose material removed from scrapbook, 1946-19608
- 9 13 Monagen, Austin Manuel, autograph book signed by classmates at Tuskegee Institute, Tuskegee, Alabama, 1908
- OBV15 Nash-Washington Neighborhood Service Center (Atlanta, Georgia), scrapbook, circa 1965
- OBV2 National Association of Colored Girls, National Association of Colored Women's Clubs First Annual NACG Citizenship Institute for Future Leaders, Washington, D.C., March 1960. The scrapbook, compiled by Minnie M. Nelson, contains photographs, newspaper clippings, and programs relating to the Institute at Howard University.
- OBV2 National Association of Colored Girls, National Association of Colored Women's Clubs First Annual NACG Citizenship Institute for Future Leaders, Washington, D.C., March 1960. The scrapbook, compiled by Minnie M. Nelson, contains photographs, newspaper clippings, and programs relating to the Institute at Howard University.
- 12 14 National Negro Insurance Associations: wooden scrapbook of the 33rd annual convention (Miami, Florida) compiled by Sallye Wilson Jones, agent for the Domestic Life and Accident Insurance Company, 1953
- 1 6 Randolph, Frances Carolyn: autograph book, Booker T. Washington High School, Atlanta, Georgia, 1937
- OBV14 San Francisco, California scrapbook, circa early 1900s
- BV22 - Smith, Will, "My Negro History Book," 1941
Scrapbook of newspaper clippings about prominent African Americans, most captioned by Smith, compiled for a class project.
- 3 1 Sorrels, Savannah: autograph book, 1892-1894, Atlanta University, Atlanta, Georgia. Includes autographs and messages from classmates, including James Weldon Johnson.
- OBV5-6 Staelting-Hollingsworth, Winifred L.: scrapbooks, 1924-1999. The scrapbooks contain newspaper clippings, photographs, programs, and other material collected by Winifred Staelting-Hollingsworth, a professor of African

- American history. The materials concern events in her life, especially while she was a graduate student under Richard A. Long.
- 4 12 Stoelting-Hollingsworth, Winifred L.: course syllabi and lecture notes for "Seminar in the African Novel," a class she taught at North Carolina Central University in 1984.
- BV13 Turner, Ollie James, Sr. scrapbook, West Point, Mississippi, 1916-1966. The scrapbook, compiled by an unknown individual, documents the life of O.J. Turner, a Baptist pastor. The scrapbook contains family and congregational photographs, bulletins from Mississippi Baptist churches in which Turner served, his ordination certificate, and his funeral bulletin.
- 6 18 Tuskegee Institute, scrapbook consisting primarily of postcard scenes of Tuskegee Institute, early 1900s
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- 15 1 Viet Nam scrapbook, Louis Spencil Davis, Jr., circa 1960-1970s [1 of 9]
The scrapbook, compiled by Louis Spencil Davis, Jr., documents the African American Boatswainmate's twenty-one years of service in the U. S. Navy including official photographs, snapshots, patches, certificates and awards, and clippings. Materials were removed from the scrapbook for preservation reasons. Folders contain materials in order they were placed in the scrapbook.
- 15 2 Viet Nam scrapbook, Louis Spencil Davis, Jr., circa 1960-1970s [2 of 9]
- 15 3 Viet Nam scrapbook, Louis Spencil Davis, Jr., circa 1960-1970s [3 of 9]
- 15 4 Viet Nam scrapbook, Louis Spencil Davis, Jr., circa 1960-1970s [4 of 9]
- 15 5 Viet Nam scrapbook, Louis Spencil Davis, Jr., circa 1960-1970s [5 of 9]
- 15 6 Viet Nam scrapbook, Louis Spencil Davis, Jr., circa 1960-1970s [6 of 9]
- 15 7 Viet Nam scrapbook, Louis Spencil Davis, Jr., circa 1960-1970s [7 of 9]
- 15 8 Viet Nam scrapbook, Louis Spencil Davis, Jr., circa 1960-1970s [8 of 9]
- 15 9 Viet Nam scrapbook, Louis Spencil Davis, Jr., circa 1960-1970s [9 of 9]
- BV1 Wallace, Helen Louise: scrapbook, [1930s]. The scrapbook contains newspaper clippings, postcards, a graduation program from Mayo High School in Atlanta in 1932, and photographs of Morehouse College and Spelman College.
- 6 2 Wilson, Lillian C.: autograph book, 1928. The autograph book contains short notes and clippings from students of the Junior Normal Class of 1928, South Hill, Virginia.
- BV 16 Wright, Jacqueline Deloris, scrapbook, 1961-1963. The scrapbook includes photographs, programs, cards, and other memorabilia primarily relating to Morton High School, Brooksville, Florida
- BV19 - World War II, scrapbook, undated
- OBV8 Zeta Phi Beta: scrapbook, 1950s-1960s. The scrapbook contains programs, newsletters, and other related material from the Epsilon Zeta Chapter of the Zeta Phi Beta sorority at Morris Brown College in Atlanta, Georgia

Memorabilia, Ribbons and Medals

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| 3 | 5 | Louisiana State Baptist Sunday School Convention, ribbons, 1933-1938 |
| 3 | 6 | Masonic stole, unknown origin and date |
| 3 | 7 | National Baptist Convention, ribbons, 1919 |
| 3 | 8 | National Baptist Convention, ribbons, 1920-1929 |
| 3 | 9 | National Baptist Convention, ribbons, 1930-1939 |
| 3 | 10 | National Baptist Convention, ribbons, 1942-1946 |
| 4 | 1 | National Baptist Convention, ribbons, 1950-1959 |
| 4 | 2 | National Baptist Convention, ribbons, 1966 |
| 4 | 3 | National Theological Seminary (proposed), Memphis, Tennessee, ribbon, undated |
| 4 | 4 | Supreme Grand Lodge, K and L of L and A, ribbons, 1928-1938 |
| 15 | 31 | Walker, Maggie L., medallion on cord
Medallion from the I. O. of St. Luke, R.W.G. Council (Richmond, Virginia) |

Audiovisual materials

- AV1 - Clark College Players, "Symphonic Poetry," Atlanta, Georgia, March 25, 1974
[original: open reel tape]
[Digital/digitized copy available in the Reading Room: id bszwd]
- AV1 - Emanuel, James A., The Treehouse and Other Poems, copy number 49, 1968
[original: magnetic tape]
- AV1 - Goreau, Lorraine, Clark Voices, Excerpts, Act I, The Ballad of Catpoot Grimes
[original: magnetic tape]
- AV1 - Goreau, Lorraine, Clark Voices, Excerpts, Act V, The Ballad of Catpoot Grimes
[original: magnetic tape]
- AV1 - Goreau, Lorraine, Mahalia Jackson, from Dr. Daddy-O Wyld [original: magnetic tape]
- AV1 - Goreau, Lorraine, Reel Two, Other Compositions, [original: magnetic tape]
- AV1 - King, Martin Luther Jr.: speech, undated. "Church on the Final Frontier of Racial Tension," Montreat, North Carolina [original: open reel tape]
[Digital/digitized copy available in the Reading Room: id b9xrs]
- AV1 - Lewis, Joan, "Purlie," 1974 [original: open reel tape]
[Digital/digitized copy available in the Reading Room: id ghxz5][Digital/digitized copy available in the Reading Room: id ghzbs]
- AV1 - O'Neal, John, Symposium on Theatre Management, undated [original: open reel tape]
[Digital/digitized copy available in the Reading Room: id bsxrr]
- AV1 - Wilmore, Gayraud S.: speech, undated. "Emerging Patterns of the Church's Witness Today" [original: open reel tape]
[Digital/digitized copy available in the Reading Room: id bc0nq]

AV1 - Mo-So Literary Circle, Atlanta, Georgia: 8th Anniversary Tribute Video,
Diamonds and Pearls, 2002 [original: VHS]
[Digital/digitized copy available in the Reading Room: id rp9j8]
