Collection Summary

Title: Carter Godwin Woodson Papers
Span Dates: 1736-1974
Bulk Dates: (bulk 1915-1950)
ID No.: MSS46342
Creator: Woodson, Carter Godwin, 1875-1950
Extent: 18,000 items
Extent: 54 containers plus 19 oversize
Extent: 21.2 linear feet
Extent: 46 microfilm reels
Language: Collection material in English
Location: Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.
LC Catalog record: [https://lccn.loc.gov/mm76046342](https://lccn.loc.gov/mm76046342)

Summary: Historian, author, and collector. Papers of prominent African Americans, research files, business records, writings, correspondence, and other material relating to Woodson's leadership of the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History and to scholarship and publishing in the field of African and African-American history.

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the LC Catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically.

People
Bond, Horace Mann, 1904-1972--Correspondence.
Brown, Sterling A., 1901-1989--Correspondence.
Bruce, John Edward.
Carver, George Washington, 1864?-1943.
Crum, William Demos, 1859-1912.
Dabney, Wendell Phillips, 1865-1952--Correspondence.
Daly, Victor--Correspondence.
Douglass, Frederick, 1818-1895.
Durkee, J. Stanley (James Stanley), 1866-1951--Correspondence.
Fleetwood, Christian A. (Christian Abrahm), 1840-1914.
Fortune, Timothy Thomas, 1856-1928.
Franklin, John Hope, 1892-1950--Correspondence.
Frazier, E. Franklin, 1894-1962--Correspondence.
Greener, Richard Theodore, 1844-1922.
Grimké, Francis J. (Francis James), 1850-1937.
Henderson, Edwin Bancroft, 1883-1977--Correspondence.
Jackson, Luther Porter, 1892-1950--Correspondence.
Lodge, Henry Cabot, 1850-1924.
Logan, Rayford Whittingham, 1897-1982--Correspondence.
Lynch, John Roy, 1847-1939.
McCormick, Medill, 1877-1925.
McKinlay, Whitefield, 1852-1941. Whitefield McKinlay papers. 1848-1913.
Moore, Lewis B. (Lewis Baxter), 1866--Correspondence.
Revels, Hiram Rhoades, 1827?-1901.
Roosevelt, Theodore, 1858-1919.
Rosemond, Jules, 1874-1928--Correspondence.
Rosenwald, Julius, 1862-1932.
Scott, Emmett J. (Emmett Jay), 1873-1957.
Simkins, Francis Butler, 1897-1966--Correspondence.
Smalls, Robert, 1839-1915.
Starr, Frederick, 1858-1933.
Stone, Melville Elijah, 1848-1929.
Sweet, William Warren, 1881-1959--Correspondence.
Taylor, Alrutheus Ambush--Correspondence.
Washington, Booker T., 1856-1915.
Wesley, Charles H. (Charles Harris), 1891-1987--Correspondence.
Woodson, Carter Godwin, 1875-1950.
Young, Charles, 1864-1922.

Organizations
African Methodist Episcopal Church.
Associated Publishers.
Association for the Study of Negro Life and History, inc.
Fifteenth Street Presbyterian Church (Washington, D.C.)
Phelps-Stokes Fund.
United States. Army. Regiment, 368th.
Urban League of Pittsburgh.

Subjects
African American periodicals.
African Americans--Employment.
African Americans--History.
African Americans--Study and teaching.
African Americans.
Black people--Africa.
Black people--Caribbean Area.
Black people--South America.
Black people.
Black race--Encyclopedias.
Customs administration--Washington (D.C.)
Ports of entry--Washington (D.C.)
Race discrimination.
Race relations.
Railroads--Employees--Labor unions.
Real estate business--Washington (D.C.)
Reconstruction (U.S. history, 1865-1877)
Slavery--United States.
State governments--United States.
World War, 1914-1918.

Places
Africa--History.
Southern States--History--1865-1877.
United States--History--1865-1898.
United States--Officials and employees.
United States--Politics and government--1865-1900.
United States--Politics and government--1901-1953.
United States--Politics and government.

Titles
Encyclopedia of the Negro.
Provenance

Part I of the papers of Carter Godwin Woodson, historian, author, and collector, was given to the Library of Congress by Woodson during 1929-1938. Part II was purchased in 2003.

Processing History

Part I of the papers of Carter Godwin Woodson was processed in 1968 and revised in 1968 and 1976. Part II was arranged by University Publications of America, which organized and filmed most of the material prior to its acquisition by the Library and published a finding aid index to its contents. Except for changes resulting from rehousing of the collection by the Library in 2006, this arrangement has been retained.

Transfers

Some maps have been transferred to the Library's Geography and Map Division where they are identified as part of these papers. Included in the transferred material is a map of Virginia by J. H. Waddell and Matthew Fontaine Maury, published by N. V. Randolph in Richmond, Va., 1871.

Copyright Status

The status of copyright in the unpublished writings of Carter Godwin Woodson is governed by the Copyright Law of the United States (Title 17, U.S.C.).

Access and Restrictions

The papers of Carter Godwin Woodson are open to research. Researchers are advised to contact the Manuscript Reading Room prior to visiting. Many collections are stored off-site and advance notice is needed to retrieve these items for research use.

Microfilm

Microfilm editions of part of this collection are available on forty-four reels. The microfilm edition of Part II was produced by University Publications of America. Consult reference staff in the Manuscript Division concerning availability for purchase or interlibrary loan. To promote preservation of the originals, researchers are required to consult the microfilm edition as available.

Preferred Citation

Researchers wishing to cite this collection should include the following information: Container or reel number and roman numeral designating the Part, Carter Godwin Woodson Papers, Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.
**Biographical Note**

**Carter Godwin Woodson**

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<th>Date</th>
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<tr>
<td>1903</td>
<td>Litt. B., Berea College, Berea, Ky.</td>
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<td>1907</td>
<td>A.B., University of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.</td>
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<tr>
<td>1908</td>
<td>A.M., University of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.</td>
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<tr>
<td>1908-1918</td>
<td>High school teacher, Washington, D.C.</td>
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<td>1912</td>
<td>Ph.D., Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.</td>
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<tr>
<td>1916-1950</td>
<td>Executive director, Association for the Study of Negro Life and History</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Published <em>A Century of Negro Migration</em>. Washington, D.C.: Association for the Study of Negro Life and History</td>
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<tr>
<td>1918</td>
<td>Principal, Armstrong Manual Training School, Washington, D.C.</td>
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<tr>
<td>1919-1920</td>
<td>Dean, School of Liberal Arts, Howard University, Washington, D.C.</td>
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<tr>
<td>1920-1922</td>
<td>Dean, West Virginia Collegiate Institute, Institute, W.Va.</td>
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<td>1926</td>
<td>Published <em>The Mind of the Negro as Reflected in Letters Written during the Crisis, 1800-1860</em>. Washington, D.C.: Association for the Study of Negro Life and History</td>
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<td>1936</td>
<td>Published <em>The African Background Outlined; or, Handbook for the Study of the Negro</em>. Washington, D.C.: Association for the Study of Negro Life and History</td>
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<td>1937-1950</td>
<td>Editor, <em>Negro History Bulletin</em></td>
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<td>1950, Apr. 3</td>
<td>Died, Washington, D.C.</td>
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**Whitefield McKinlay**

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<td>1857, Sept. 15</td>
<td>Born, Charleston, S.C.</td>
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<td>1873</td>
<td>Attended Avery Institute, Charleston, S.C.</td>
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<td>1874</td>
<td>Attended United States Military Academy, West Point, N.Y.</td>
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<tr>
<td>1882</td>
<td>Attended Grinnell College, Grinnell, Iowa</td>
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<tr>
<td>1887</td>
<td>Attended University of South Carolina, Columbia, S.C.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Married Kate Wheeler</td>
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<td>1887-1941</td>
<td>Real estate broker</td>
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<tr>
<td>1907</td>
<td>Appointed to Housing Commission, District of Columbia, by President Theodore Roosevelt</td>
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<td>1910</td>
<td>Appointed collector of Port of Washington, D.C., by President William H. Taft</td>
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<td>1941, Dec. 14</td>
<td>Died, Washington, D.C.</td>
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**Benjamin T. Tanner**

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<td>1835, Dec. 23</td>
<td>Born, Pittsburgh, Pa.</td>
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<tr>
<td>1857-1860</td>
<td>Attended Western Theological Seminary, Allegheny, Pa.</td>
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<tr>
<td>1858</td>
<td>Married Sarah Elizabeth Miller</td>
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<td>1860</td>
<td>Ordained, deacon and elder, African Methodist Episcopal Church</td>
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<td>1868</td>
<td>Chief secretary, African Methodist Episcopal Church</td>
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<td>1868-1884</td>
<td>Editor, <em>Christian Recorder</em></td>
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<td>1884</td>
<td>Editor and cofounder, <em>A.M.E. Church Review</em></td>
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<td>1888</td>
<td>Bishop, African Methodist Episcopal Church</td>
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John T. Clark

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<td>1883, July 21</td>
<td>Born, Louisville, Ky.</td>
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<tr>
<td>1906</td>
<td>A.B., Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio</td>
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<tr>
<td>1907-1913</td>
<td>Instructor, Central High School, Louisville, Ky.</td>
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<tr>
<td>1913-1916</td>
<td>Secretary, Housing Bureau of the National League on Urban Conditions Among Negroes, New York, N.Y.</td>
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<td>1916-1917</td>
<td>Field secretary, National Urban League</td>
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<td>1917</td>
<td>Married Patricia Ferguson</td>
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<tr>
<td>1926-1949</td>
<td>Executive secretary, Urban League of St. Louis, Mo.</td>
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<tr>
<td>1949</td>
<td>Died, St. Louis, Mo.</td>
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Scope and Content Note

The papers of Carter Godwin Woodson (1875-1950) span the years 1736-1974, with the bulk of the material concentrated between 1915 and 1950. The papers are organized in two parts. Part I consists of material that Woodson donated to the Library between 1929 and 1938. Part II consists of material the Library purchased from the Association for the Study of African American Life and History in 2003. All of Part I and most of Part II have been microfilmed, and the film is available in the Manuscript Division Reading Room.

Part I

Part I, formerly titled the Carter G. Woodson Collection of Negro Papers and Related Documents, was assembled by Woodson as an outgrowth of his interest in collecting and preserving primary sources on African-American history during his tenure as executive director of the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History (ASNLH) and as editor of the Association's principal organ, the Journal of Negro History. Part I includes papers of Whitefield McKinlay, Washington, D.C., realtor and collector of the Port of Washington; Benjamin T. Tanner, bishop of the African Methodist Episcopal Church; and John T. Clark, officer of the Pittsburgh Urban League; as well as some early papers of Woodson. It is dated 1803-1936, but the bulk of the material falls in the period 1830-1927. The papers consist principally of correspondence on African-American history, the Journal of Negro History, appointment of blacks to federal office, race relations, racial discrimination, employment opportunities, state and national politics, and business matters. Addresses, diaries, clippings, the records of community organizations and other associations, and primary documents related to the slavery era such as bills of sale, certificates of freedom and “free colored” ledgers complete the collection.

In the Whitefield McKinlay and Carter Godwin Woodson papers of Part I, correspondents who generated a large number of letters are represented by separate folders. Persons represented by correspondence or other papers include John E. Bruce, George Washington Carver, William Demos Crum, Frederick Douglass, Christian A. Fleetwood, Timothy Thomas Fortune, Richard Theodore Greener, Henry Cabot Lodge, John Roy Lynch, Medill McCormick, Hiram Rhoades Revels, Theodore Roosevelt, Julius Rosenwald, Emmett J. Scott, Robert Smalls, Frederick Starr, Melville Elijah Stone, Booker T. Washington, and Charles Young.

Part II

Part II of the Woodson Papers spans the years 1856-1974 and relates chiefly to the operations of the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History and its publishing arm, Associated Publishers, particularly the Journal of Negro History and the Negro History Bulletin. Part II was arranged by University Publications of America, which processed and filmed most of the material prior to its acquisition by the Library and which published a finding aid and index to its contents, A Guide to the Microfilm Edition of Papers of Carter G. Woodson and the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History, 1915-1950, Bethesda, Md., 1999. This arrangement is retained, and except for a few changes resulting from the rehousing of the collection by the Library and the addition of a Miscellany series and other items not present in the microfilm edition, the order of the collection is the same as described in the published guide.
One of the larger series of Part II relates to the “Encyclopedia Africana,” a project Woodson started in 1931 as a comprehensive guide to African peoples, leaders, and luminaries in Africa, the United States, South America, the Caribbean, and worldwide. Shortly after Woodson commenced work on the encyclopedia, W. E. B. Du Bois began work on a similar project, the “Encyclopedia of the Negro,” funded by the Phelps-Stokes Fund. Issues and controversies arising from the rival projects are aired in correspondence between Woodson, Sterling Allen Brown, Du Bois, Rayford Whittingham Logan, Charles H. Wesley, and others. The bulk of the series consists of articles written and compiled by Woodson, Logan, and their associates for the “Encyclopedia Africana,” which was never published.

Primary documents relating African-American life and history during the slavery, Reconstruction and “New South” eras can be found in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Century Publications, and the Subject File series.

Woodson served as an executor of the estate of his close friend, Francis J. Grimké, longtime pastor of the Fifteenth Street Presbyterian Church in Washington, D.C., and civil rights activist. The Francis J. Grimké Estate series documents Grimké’s personal finances and ministry and contains a register of communicants in his congregation.


The Miscellany series, which was not filmed, includes documents pertaining to the service of the 368th Regiment during World War I and legal and administrative files concerning the effort of “red caps,” railroad service workers, mainly baggage handlers, to organize and resolve pay issues. Because the Miscellany was not filmed, it is not included in the finding aid published by University Publications of America.

**Organization of the Papers**

The collection is arranged in two parts composed of twenty-three series:

**Part I:**
- Whitefield McKinlay Papers, 1848-1913
- Carter Godwin Woodson Papers, 1916-1927
- Benjamin T. Tanner Papers, 1827-1972
- John T. Clark Papers, 1921-1923
- Additional Manuscripts, 1807-1935
- Miscellany, 1803-1936
- Oversize, 1803-1931

**Part II:**
- Personal Papers, 1911-1950
- Correspondence, 1912-1950
- Clippings, 1925-1934
- Association for the Study of Negro Life and History, 1915-1955
- Manuscripts on African and African American History, 1866-1957
- Encyclopedia Africana, 1931-1949
- Research Notes and Data, undated
- Printed Matter, 1869-1969
- Eighteenth and Nineteenth Century Publications, 1736-1928
- Subject File, 1855-1953
- Francis J. Grimké Estate, 1878-1951
- Business Documents, 1916-1951
- Formerly Oversize, 1887-1948
- Miscellany, 1868-1957
- Oversize Miscellany, 1911-1918
- Oversize Ledgers and Account Books, 1915-1974
Description of Series

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| BOX 1:1-4 REEL 1-2 | **Part I: Whitefield McKinlay Papers, 1848-1913**  
Letters received, with related materials, and a few copies of letters sent, principally 1893-1911.  
Arranged alphabetically by name of correspondent. |
| BOX 1:5-6 REEL 3-4 | **Part I: Carter Godwin Woodson Papers, 1916-1927**  
Letters received.  
Arranged alphabetically by name of correspondent. |
| BOX 1:7 REEL 4 | **Part I: Benjamin T. Tanner Papers, 1827-1972**  
Diaries, deeds, and a record book.  
Arranged alphabetically by type of material and thereunder chronologically. |
| BOX 1:8-9 REEL 4-6 | **Part I: John T. Clark Papers, 1921-1923**  
Letters received by Clark as an official of the Pittsburgh Urban League from African Americans seeking information on employment in the North.  
Arranged chronologically. |
| BOX 1:9-12 REEL 6-9 | **Part I: Additional Manuscripts, 1807-1935**  
Letters, addresses, notes and other papers by, to, or about a specific individual or subject.  
Arranged alphabetically by name or subject. |
| BOX 1:13 REEL 9-10 | **Part I: Miscellany, 1803-1936**  
Certificates, deeds, petitions, broadsides, bills of sale, and other legal documents relating to slavery or African Americans; reference lists; and newspaper clippings.  
Arranged alphabetically by type of material and thereunder chronologically. |
| BOX 1:OV 1-OV 4 REEL 9-10 | **Part I: Oversize, 1803-1931**  
"Free Colored Book," Charleston, S.C.; certificates of freedom; insurance policy on cargo of slaves; and scrapbook of newspaper clippings related to a survey of Washington, D.C., press. Some material filmed as part of the original folder and container from which it was removed and not as part of the oversize.  
Arranged and described according to the folder and container from which the material was removed. |
| BOX II:1-2 REEL 1 | **Part II: Personal Papers, 1911-1950**  
Family correspondence, financial records, wills, speeches and writings, and ephemera.  
Arranged according to the order in which the material was filmed.  
| BOX II:2-4 REEL 1-2 | **Part II: Correspondence, 1912-1950**  
General correspondence and correspondence with employees and and principals of the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History.  
Arranged according to the order in which the material was filmed. |
Part II: Clippings, 1925-1934
Clippings of reviews of books written by Woodson or published by Associated Publishers, the publishing arm of the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History. Arranged according to the order in which the material was filmed.

Part II: Association for the Study of Negro Life and History, 1915-1955
Founding and incorporating documents, bylaws, meeting minutes, reports, and correspondence. Arranged according to the order in which the material was filmed.

Part II: Manuscripts on African and African American History, 1866-1957
Writings and printed matter. Arranged according to the order in which the material was filmed.

Part II: Encyclopedia Africana, 1931-1949
Articles, correspondence, indexes, and related material related to Woodson's editing of the "Encyclopedia Africana." Arranged alphabetically by subject of article and according to the order in which the material was filmed.

Part II: Research Notes and Data, undated
Research files, notes, and questionnaires. Arranged according to the order in which the material was filmed.

Part II: Printed Matter, 1869-1969
Serials from the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History, pamphlets, clippings, sermons, speeches, and miscellaneous material. Arranged according to the order in which the material was filmed.

Part II: Eighteenth and Nineteenth Century Publications, 1736-1928
An account of a slave insurrection in Charleston, S.C., reproductions of Spanish documents regarding slavery, and miscellaneous publications. Arranged according to the order in which the material was filmed.

Part II: Subject File, 1855-1953
Topical files, writings, and miscellaneous material. Arranged according to the order in which the material was filmed.

Part II: Francis J. Grimké Estate, 1878-1951
Bank statements, cancelled checks, legal documents, church registers, daybooks, and miscellaneous business records. Arranged according to the order in which the material was filmed.

Part II: Business Documents, 1916-1951
Contracts, correspondence, royalty statements, bank statements, bank and cash books, cancelled checks, income tax returns, and miscellaneous documents.
Arranged according to the order in which the material was filmed.

BOX II:37-38 REEL 25  **Part II: Formerly Oversize, 1887-1948**
Topical files, correspondence, writings, and miscellaneous material. Organized and described as an oversize series prior to filming.
Arranged according to the order in which the material was filmed.

BOX II:39-41 not filmed  **Part II: Miscellany, 1868-1957**
Legal and administrative case files related to “red cap” litigation; reports, maps, manuals, printed matter and miscellaneous material regarding the 368th Regiment during World War I; writings, topical files, maps, and other printed matter.
Arranged alphabetically by name of person or topic.

BOX II:OV 1 not filmed  **Part II: Oversize Miscellany, 1911-1918**
Maps relating to the service of the 368th Regiment in World War I.
Arranged and described according to the series, containers, and folder from which the items were removed.

BOX II:OV 2-16 REEL 26-34  **Part II: Oversize Ledgers and Account Books, 1915-1974**
Ledgers and account books related to the operations of the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History and its publishing arm, Associated Publishers.
Arranged according to the order in which the material was microfilmed. Container 16 was not filmed.
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<td>&quot;F&quot; miscellaneous Correspondents include Christian A. Fleetwood, Bettie G. Francis, John R. Francis, and Perri W. Frisby Fortune, Timothy Thomas Furbush, Edgar Furniss, H. W. &quot;G&quot; miscellaneous Correspondents include Abraham Grant and James M. Gregory Grant, T. L. Greener, Richard T.</td>
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"J" miscellaneous Correspondents include Charles C. Jacobs, D. E. Johnson, E. A. Johnson, and James Weldon Johnson

"K" miscellaneous Correspondents include A. C. Kaufman and John C. Keelan

Kealing, H. T.
Lodge, Henry Cabot, 1904

"L" miscellaneous Correspondents include Charles C. Leslie, James A. Lunn, John Roy Lynch, and Judson W. Lyons Lodge

"M" miscellaneous Correspondents include Douglass B. McCary, A. C. McClenan, Ricley W. McClenan, Isaiah J. McCottie, Frederick L. McGhee, F. R. McKinlay, Isadore Martin, James H. Meriwether, Kelly Miller, Thomas E. Miller, and J. Minges

McKinlay, A. Reid
McKinlay, George
McKinlay, Mary E. (mother)
McKinlay, Sarah
Merritt, John A.
Minton, T. J.
Murray, George W.
Myers, W. F.
Napier, J. C.

"P" miscellaneous Correspondents include Jeanie Maury Patten, Friend Pitts, Jr., John D. Posten, W. P. Powell, J. C. Prioleau, and Isaac L. Purcell

Pinchback, P. B. S.
Purvis, Charles B.
(2 folders)
Rainey, Susan E.
Reynolds, James B.
Richardson, R. H.
Roosevelt, Theodore, 1903-1906 See Container 1, Crum, William Demos

"S" miscellaneous Correspondents include I. B. Scott, Oscar J. Scott, John A. Simkins, Lula F. Singleton, Lillie Smith (Mrs. T. Marshall), and McCants Stewart

Scott, Emmett J.
Smalls, Robert
Smith, J. W.
Smith, S. E.
Smith, William Alden
Stewart, William M.

"T" miscellaneous Correspondents include C. H. J. Taylor, H. L. Thomas, and J. W. Thompson

Taylor, John E.
Terrell, Robert H.
Thompson, John E. W.
Thorne, Weston
Toomer, Nathan

### Box 1: Carter Godwin Woodson Papers, 1916-1927

Letters received.
Arranged alphabetically by name of correspondent.

#### Anderson, Matthew, 1924-1925, undated

"A" miscellaneous *Correspondents include* Dada Adeshigbin, Majola Agbebi, J. E. K. Aggrey, J. E. K. Aggrey, V. Herman Ames, and Nettie J. Asberry


Baker, Henry E.
Bassett, John Spencer
Bentley, Charles E.
Booker, Joseph A.
Boyce, Stansbury
Bruce, John Edward


Cable, George W.
Carver, George Washington
Channing, Edward
Cromwell, John W.

"D" miscellaneous *Correspondents include* M. C. Dadd, Leo W. Daniels, Harry E. Davis, Mary Wright Davis, Cleveland H. Dodge, Charles F. Dole, D. S. Domer, James B. Dudley, Benjamin L. Dulaney, Otis D. Duncan, and Clyde Augustus Duniway

"E" miscellaneous *Correspondents include* George W. Ellis, J. M. Ellis, and Ephraim Emerton

"F" miscellaneous *Correspondents include* Ellen L. Fisher, Timothy Thomas Fortune, Joseph J. France, and Mansfield J. French

"G" miscellaneous *Correspondents include* Cornelia E. Gardner, Harry A. Garfield, Charles H. Gibson, A. A. Goldenweiser, A. Goldsmith, George Goode, Amanda V. Gray, R. Greener, Sutton E. Griggs, Archibald H. Grimké, and George N. Grisham

"H" miscellaneous *Correspondents include* O. L. Hailey, Casely Hayford, George W. Hays, James Headlie, Mary F. Higgins, J. H. Hill, Frederick L. Hoffman, J. Alfred Holly, Lester Holman, Fred W. Hooke, Ernest M. Hopkins, Laura Deitz Howard, Caroline L. Hunt, and Zora Neale Hurston

Hammond, L. H. (Mrs. John D.)
Hartzell, Joseph C.
Ingham, Harvey
"J" miscellaneous Correspondents include Luther Porter Jackson, Annie Straith Jamieson, M. S. Jamison, M. J. Jaramillo, Albert E. Jenkins, Theodore D. Jervey, John Albert Johnson, M. Viola Johnson, and Harry H. Johnston

BOX 1:6 REEL 3-4

Kitchin, S. M.
Knowlton, Annie Rogers
"L" miscellaneous Correspondents include Rosetta Lawson, Victor F. Lawson, and Robert B. Lindsay
Lynch, John Roy
Miller, Thomas E.
"N" miscellaneous Correspondents include Henry C. Niles, Kodwo Nsaaku, and T. G. Nutter Post, Louis F., 1927, undated
"R" miscellaneous Correspondents include John E. Rastall, J. Edwin Reeves, S. G. Rich, Fannie M. Richards, Abigail L. Richardson, Florida Ruffin Ridley, W. A. Robinson, Isabel Rogers, Jules Rosemond, and Julius Rosenwald
Riley, Benjamin F.
Smith Anna Bustill
Starr, Frederick
Talbert, Mary B.
Verde, A. P.
Wallace, Henry A.
Washington, Booker T.
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Diaries, deeds, and a record book.
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Arranged alphabetically by name or subject.

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Bustill-White family, 1862-1870
Corprew, A. A., family letters, 1884-1903
Cromwell, John W., speech, 1891
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Douglass, Frederick, family letters, 1862-1895, undated
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Education, notes and education association proceedings, undated
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Flipper, Henry Ossian, correspondence, 1922-1923
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  Report
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Tappan, Lewis, reference list of 1839-1858 letters, undated
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Brown, Charles S., “Bitter Sweets,” 1932 |
| BOX II: 6 REEL 3 | Brown, George William, “History of the Negro in Cleveland, 1800-1900,” 1934
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Cave, R. I., “Five Modern French Novels,” undated
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Love, Cleopatra, “A Reexamination of the Attitude of Certain English Statesmen during the American Civil War,” 1935
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- Bentlet, W. Holman, “Encyclopedia Africana” article, undated
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- “Red caps,” legal cases
  - Interstate Commerce Commission
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  - Petitions and notices, 1937-1938, undated
  - Pleadings and decisions, 1937-1941, undated
  - Ten-cent charge, railroad orders, 1940
  - Townsend v. New York Central Railroad, 1939, undated
  - United Transport Employees of America, 1942-1947, undated
  - Williams v. Jacksonville Terminal Co., 1941-1942, undated
  - Labor Department, Wages and Hours Division, circa 1939

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- Maps relating to the service of the 368th Regiment in World War I.
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**Part II: Oversize Ledgers and Account Books, 1915-1974**

- Ledgers and account books related to the operations of the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History and its publishing arm, Associated Publishers.
  Arranged according to the order in which the material was microfilmed. Container 16 was not filmed.

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- Ledgers and account books, 1915-1974
  - Vol. 1, general ledger, 1915-1921
  - Vol. 2, receipts and disbursements, 1921-1923
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