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SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

This edition contains the working files of the NAACP Board of Directors between 1940 and 1955. This was a period of dramatic growth for the association in terms of membership, budget, and programs. It was marked by the establishment of a separate Legal Defense and Educational Fund, which took up the vast bulk of the NAACP's ambitious legal redress campaign. These developments are copiously reflected in the files of this edition. The prosecution of the war and the postwar breakdown of European colonialism are increasingly important themes as is the rise of anti-communism in American domestic politics. The NAACP's legislative agenda and its increasing focus on fair employment practices instead of anti-lynching is a recurrent matter of attention as well during the period under focus.

Above all, these files reveal the background politics in the NAACP during the 1940s and 1950s. At times there was contention on matters of administrative style—particularly differences of opinion about the free-handed style of Executive Secretary Walter White. The politics of nominations to the Board of Directors and of assignments to choice committees are also apparent in the files.

The arrangement is alphabetical, mixing both the last names of board members with the names of specific committees. Some of the most prominent among the many board members with extensive files are Nannie Helen Burroughs, Godfrey Cabot, Hubert T. Delany, S. Ralph Harlow, William H. Hastie, Kivie Kaplan, Daisy Lampkin, Alfred Baker Lewis, Carl Murphy, Mary White Ovington, Arthur B. Spingarn, Channing H. Tobias, and Louis T. Wright.

While the committees are arranged alphabetically, some are arranged under "C" for Committee on... while others are arranged according to the first letter of the committee title. Still other are arranged under "N" for National Committee on.... A key committee in the operation of the Board of Directors is the Nominating Committee, which drew up lists of proposed candidates for the board.

Many of the issues discussed in the correspondence and memoranda pertain to the decisions made at Board of Directors meetings. A set of board minutes for the entire period is reproduced on Reels 10 through 12. They are filed under "M" for minutes. Also reproduced are the Reports of the Executive Secretary to the board meetings, which provide another essential point of reference on many of the issues discussed in the correspondence. These reports are filed under "S" for Secretary's Reports, and they are filmed on Reels 19 through 21.

NOTE ON SOURCES

All documents reproduced for this edition are held by the Manuscripts Division of the Library of Congress, Washington, D.C. The original NAACP collection at the Library of Congress is subdivided into four accession groups: Group I, 1909–1939; Group II, 1940–1955; Group III, 1956–1965; and Group IV, 1966–1975. The records making up *Part 16, Series B* of this publication are drawn exclusively from Group II, Series A, General Office File.

EDITORIAL NOTE

This edition was compiled after a thorough survey by Professors August Meier and John H. Bracey, Jr. of the second accession of the NAACP collection of the Library of Congress. Every file selected for inclusion has been microfilmed in its entirety.



REEL INDEX

The following Reel Index is a guide to *Papers of the NAACP, Part 16, Board of Directors, Correspondence and Committee Materials, Series B: 1940–1955*. Substantive issues are highlighted under the heading *Major Topics* as are prominent correspondents under the heading *Principal Correspondents*. The four-digit number to the left is the frame number at which a file folder begins.

Reel 1

File Folder
Frame No.

Group II, Series A, General Office File

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Board of Directors

- 0001 **Agenda, 1940–1955.** 36pp.
Major Topics: Committee reports; youth programs; cooperation among civil rights groups; planning for national conferences; veterans affairs; public relations; financial matters; fund-raising; mass meetings; bequests.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Ruby Hurley; Thurgood Marshall; Roy Wilkins; Henry Lee Moon.
- 0037 **Alexander, Lillian, [1942] 1943–1953.** 27pp.
Major Topics: Committee assignments; state legislation against discrimination in hospitals; friction between staff and board members; commemoration of anniversary of Emancipation Proclamation.
Principal Correspondents: Lillian A. Alexander; Roy Wilkins; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Walter White; Ernest R. Alexander; Nannie H. Burroughs; Royal M. Alderman.
- 0064 **Ballots, 1945–1946.** 87pp.
Major Topics: Branch nominations to board of directors; petitions; election procedures.
Principal Correspondents: Thurgood Marshall; Roy Wilkins; Ella J. Baker; Walter White; S. Joe Brown.
- 0151 **Berry, Joseph A., 1948–1955.** 77pp.
Major Topics: Committee assignments; duties and succession of executive secretary; friction between staff and board members; board policies and procedures; proposed membership restrictions.
Principal Correspondents: Joseph A. Berry; Henry Lee Moon; Roy Wilkins; Walter White; Louis T. Wright; William H. Hastie; Gloster B. Current.
- 0228 **Berry, Theodore, 1945–1947.** 3pp.
Major Topics: n.a.
Principal Correspondents: Theodore M. Berry; Roy Wilkins.
- 0231 **Bethune, Mary McLeod, 1945–1949.** 50pp.
Major Topics: Planning for national conferences; testimonial dinner; cooperation among civil rights groups; National Council of Negro Women; National Public Housing Conference.
Principal Correspondents: Mary McLeod Bethune; Walter White; Eunice A. Carter; Channing H. Tobias; Roy Wilkins; Leslie S. Perry.

- 0281 **Bethune, Mary McLeod, 1950–1955.** 127pp.
Major Topics: Conference on Citizenship Responsibility; mass meetings; personal matters; plans for Mary McLeod Bethune Foundation; Bethune-Cookman College; tributes and memorials; National Council of Negro Women.
Principal Correspondents: Mary McLeod Bethune; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Ralph J. Bunche; Channing H. Tobias; Robert C. Weaver; Vivian C. Mason; Henry Lee Moon; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Mabel K. Staupers; Gloster B. Current; Norman Thomas; Michael Quill.
- 0408 **Black, Algernon D., 1951–1954.** 58pp.
Major Topics: The Society for Ethical Culture in the City of New York; committee assignments; cooperation among civil rights groups; radio broadcasts; policies and procedures; U.S. presidential campaigns.
Principal Correspondents: Algernon D. Black; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Louis T. Wright; Henry Lee Moon; Nathan Straus; Estes Kefauver; Channing H. Tobias.
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Board of Directors cont.
- 0466 **Blount, Louis C., 1940–1944.** 8pp.
Major Topic: National Negro Insurance Association.
Principal Correspondents: Louis C. Blount; Walter White.
- 0474 **Board Action, 1945.** 13pp.
Major Topics: Committee assignments; staff matters; branch activities; youth programs; financial matters; legislative programs; cooperation among civil rights groups; veterans affairs.
Principal Correspondent: Roy Wilkins.
- 0487 **Bolin, Jane M., 1943–1950.** 181pp.
Major Topics: Selection of woman member of board of directors; branch activities; factionalism and internal politics; board nomination procedures; friction between staff and board members; press relations; youth programs; resignations; policies and procedures; role of vice presidents; National Emergency Civil Rights Mobilization; cooperation with Congress of Industrial Organizations.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall; Jane M. Bolin; Daniel E. Byrd; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; J. L. Leach; Daisy E. Lampkin; P. B. Young; Carl Murphy; Hubert T. Delany; William Lloyd Imes; Earl B. Dickerson; James E. Allen; Lindsay H. White; Ruby Hurley; Alfred Baker Lewis; Louis T. Wright; Arthur B. Spingarn; Buell G. Gallagher; William Gibson; William O. Walker.
- 0668 **Bowles, Chester, 1955.** 5pp.
Major Topics: Election as vice president; inability to serve.
Principal Correspondents: Chester Bowles; Roy Wilkins; Arthur B. Spingarn; Channing H. Tobias.
- 0673 **Brown, Homer S., 1940–1941.** 4pp.
Major Topic: Political matters in Pennsylvania.
Principal Correspondents: Homer S. Brown; Walter White; Thurgood Marshall.
- 0677 **Brown, S. Joe and, Wife, Sue M., 1941–1946.** 36pp.
Major Topics: Death of Sue M. Brown; election of Eleanor Roosevelt to board of directors; policies and procedures; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: S. Joe Brown; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Ella J. Baker; Ike Smalls.

- 0713 **Budget Committee—Correspondence, 1940–1945.** 57pp.
Major Topics: Financial matters; policies and procedures; effect of defense employment and war on NAACP; staff matters; minutes of meetings.
Principal Correspondents: Roy Wilkins; Walter White; Douglas P. Falconer; Charles E. Toney; Alfred Baker Lewis; Lillian A. Alexander; William H. Hastie; Arthur B. Spingarn; Mary White Ovington; Hubert T. Delany; Amy E. Spingarn; Louis T. Wright.
- 0770 **Budget Committee—Correspondence, 1946–1947.** 102pp.
Major Topics: Financial matters; policies and procedures; staff matters; veterans affairs; Freedom House; effect of price inflation on salaries; negotiations with union employees.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Alfred Baker Lewis; William H. Hastie; Arthur B. Spingarn; Hubert T. Delany; Amy E. Spingarn; Louis T. Wright; Charles E. Toney; Jesse O. Dedmon, Jr.; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; George Field; Noah W. Griffin; Roy Wilkins; Leslie S. Perry; Catherine T. Freeland; Robert L. Carter.

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- 0001 **Budget Committee—Correspondence, 1950–1952.** 203pp.
Major Topics: Financial matters; policies and procedures; staff matters; cost cutting measures; membership campaigns; fund-raising; friction between staff and board members.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Roy Wilkins; Gloster B. Current; Judah Cahn; Arthur B. Spingarn; Alfred Baker Lewis; Charles E. Toney; Thurgood Marshall; Marshall Field; Louis T. Wright; Allan Knight Chalmers; Earl B. Dickerson; W. Montague Cobb; J. M. Tinsley.
- 0204 **Budget Committee—Correspondence, 1953.** 123pp.
Major Topics: Financial matters; policies and procedures; staff matters; membership campaigns; cost cutting measures.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Thurgood Marshall; Roy Wilkins; Gloster B. Current; Allan Knight Chalmers; Channing H. Tobias; Theodore Spaulding; Robert C. Weaver; Joseph A. Berry; Arthur B. Spingarn; Alfred Baker Lewis; Daisy E. Lampkin; Benjamin E. Mays; Buell G. Gallagher; Kelly M. Alexander.
- 0327 **Budget Committee—Correspondence, 1954–1955.** 84pp.
Major Topics: Financial matters; policies and procedures; staff matters; membership campaigns.
Principal Correspondents: Roy Wilkins; Alfred Baker Lewis; Theodore Spaulding; Clarence Mitchell; Allan Knight Chalmers; Daisy E. Lampkin; Joseph A. Berry; Channing H. Tobias; Arthur B. Spingarn; Robert C. Weaver; Algernon D. Black; Judah Cahn; Kelly M. Alexander.

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- 0411 **Budget Committee—General, 1940.** 190pp.
Major Topics: Financial matters; legal campaigns; cost cutting measures; staff matters; fund-raising; branch activities.
Principal Correspondents: Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall; William Pickens; Arthur B. Spingarn; Walter White; William H. Hastie; Douglas P. Falconer; Lucille Black; Catherine T. Freeland; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; E. Frederic Morrow; Mary White Ovington.

- 0601 **Budget Committee—General, 1941–1942.** 191pp.
Major Topics: Financial matters; legal campaigns; staff matters; fund-raising; branch activities; legislative programs; effects of war mobilization and defense efforts.
Principal Correspondents: Roy Wilkins; Douglas P. Falconer; Lewis S. Gannett; William H. Hastie; Charles E. Toney; Lillian A. Alexander; Arthur B. Spingarn; Mary White Ovington; Walter White; Thurgood Marshall; Alfred Baker Lewis; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Richetta G. Randolph; Amy E. Spingarn; Hubert T. Delany.
- 0792 **Budget Committee—General, 1943–1946.** 196pp.
Major Topics: Financial matters; legal campaigns; cost cutting measures; staff matters; fund-raising; branch activities; effects of war mobilization and defense efforts; public relations; negotiations with union employees.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Thurgood Marshall; Hubert T. Delany; William H. Hastie; Amy E. Spingarn; Alfred Baker Lewis; Mary White Ovington; Charles E. Toney; Richetta G. Randolph; Roy Wilkins; Julia E. Baxter; Leslie S. Perry; Arthur B. Spingarn; Ella J. Baker; Louis T. Wright; Madison S. Jones, Jr.

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- 0001 **Burroughs, Nannie H., 1946–1953.** 5pp.
Major Topics: Financial matters; contributions.
Principal Correspondents: Nannie H. Burroughs; Lucille Black.
- 0006 **Cabot, Godfrey, 1940–1941.** 80pp.
Major Topics: Legal campaigns; financial matters; contributions; state laws forbidding white teachers teaching Negro children; U. S. Supreme Court decisions; antilynching; U.S. Congress legislation; U.S. presidential campaigns; picketing against employment discrimination by defense manufacturers; recreational facilities; Works Projects Administration; Texas White Primary cases; armed forces personnel.
Principal Correspondents: Thurgood Marshall; Walter White; Godfrey Cabot; Arthur B. Spingarn; Ethel Moors; Mary White Ovington; William H. Hastie; Douglas P. Falconer.
- 0086 **Cabot, Godfrey, 1942–1944.** 150pp.
Major Topics: Legal campaigns; financial matters; contributions; segregation of armed forces personnel; civil rights protests in India; antilynching; violence and intimidation in Southern states; conferences with U.S. Department of Justice; employment discrimination by defense contractors; race riots in Detroit, Michigan; Texas White Primary cases; U.S. Supreme Court cases; U.S. Congress legislation.
Principal Correspondents: Godfrey L. Cabot; Walter White; William H. Hastie; Thurgood Marshall; Ralph Bradley; Charles H. Houston; Milton R. Konvitz; Edward R. Dudley.
- 0236 **Cahn, Judah, 1946–1955.** 107pp.
Major Topics: Branch activities; radio broadcasts; contributions; motion pictures; U.S. presidential campaign of 1952; political matters.
Principal Correspondents: Judah Cahn; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Charles E. Toney; Louis T. Wright; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Henry Lee Moon; Sol Hurok; Lena Horne; Joseph A. Berry; Eleanor Roosevelt; Thurgood Marshall; Clarence Mitchell.

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- 0343 **Capper, Arthur, 1940–1952.** 139pp.
Major Topics: Arrangements for meetings; John Brown Memorial; segregation in armed services and national defense; housing; Anti–Poll Tax Bill; Fair Labor Practice Committee; United Nations statement on minority rights in the United States; civil rights bill.
Principal Correspondents: Arthur Capper; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; William Pickens; Leslie S. Perry.
- 0482 **Carrington, William, 1952–1955.** 8pp.
Major Topics: Nominations; elections.
Principal Correspondents: William Carrington; Walter White; H. Claude Hudson.
- 0490 **Carter, Elmer, 1944–1947.** 17pp.
Major Topics: Nominations; elections; *Survey Graphic*; New York State Commission Against Discrimination; resignations.
Principal Correspondents: Elmer Carter; Walter White; Kathryn Close; Roy Wilkins; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Louis T. Wright.
- 0507 **Chalmers, Allan Knight, 1942–1955.** 161pp. [file folder omitted]
Major Topics: Publications; Council for Social Action; Scottsboro Defense Committee; International Labor Defense; Fair Employment Practice Committee; Interracial Fellowship of Greater New York; factionalism and internal politics; political matters; Committee of 100; legal cases; membership campaigns.
Principal Correspondents: Allan Knight Chalmers; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Vito Marcantonio; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Arthur B. Spingarn; Leon A. Ransom; Marian Wynn Perry; John Haynes Holmes; Alfred Baker Lewis; A. Philip Randolph; Theodore Spaulding; Channing H. Tobias; Louis T. Wright; Thurgood Marshall.
- 0668 **Changing Number of, 1941–1942.** 15pp.
Major Topics: Increase of authorized number of directors from thirty to forty-five; filing of certificate.
Principal Correspondents: Arthur B. Spingarn; Walter White; Thurgood Marshall.
- 0683 **Christopher, Nathan K., 1947.** 2pp.
Major Topics: n.a.
Principal Correspondent: Nathan K. Christopher.
- 0685 **Cincinnati Meeting, 1945.** 75pp.
Major Topics: Policy regarding locations of meetings; attendance; discrimination in hotel reservations; United Nations resolutions regarding colonialism; travel arrangements; factionalism and internal politics; publications; Pan African Congress; veterans affairs; branch activities.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Grace B. Fenderson; Theodore Spaulding; Sidney R. Redmond; James J. McClendon; Theodore M. Berry; Charles E. Toney; W. E. B. Du Bois; Ella J. Baker; J. M. Tinsley.
- 0760 **Cobb, W. Montague, 1950–1953.** 177pp.
Major Topics: Legal cases; committee assignments; federal aid to medical education; United Nations; publications; National Medical Association; Institute for the Study of Human Variation; survey of integration in medical education.
Principal Correspondents: W. Montague Cobb; Roy Wilkins; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Louis T. Wright; Henry Lee Moon; Walter White; Channing H. Tobias.

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- 0001 **Cobb, W. Montague, 1954–1955.** 78pp.
Major Topics: Branch activities; factionalism and internal politics; discrimination in public education in the District of Columbia; press relations; Special Committee to Investigate a Complaint Against W. Montague Cobb and Recommend Action; protest against American Association for the Advancement of Science plans for meeting in Atlanta, Georgia.
Principal Correspondents: W. Montague Cobb; Eugene Davidson; Gloster B. Current; Walter White; Channing H. Tobias; Arthur B. Spingarn; Roy Wilkins; Theodore Spaulding; Carl R. Johnson; Henry Lee Moon.
- 0079 **Cobb, W. Montague—Dispute with District of Columbia Branch, 1955.** 36pp.
Major Topics: Factionalism and internal politics; Special Committee to Investigate a Complaint Against W. Montague Cobb and Recommend Action; policies and procedures.
Principal Correspondents: Eugene Davidson; Roy Wilkins; W. Montague Cobb; Channing H. Tobias; Carl R. Johnson; Theodore Spaulding.
- 0115 **Committees—Appointments, 1950–1953.** 143pp.
Major Topics: Policies and procedures; reconstitution of committees; assignments.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Louis T. Wright; William H. Hastie; Arthur B. Spingarn; Thurgood Marshall; Henry Lee Moon; Channing H. Tobias; Robert C. Weaver.
- 0258 **Committees—General, 1940.** 47pp.
Major Topics: Assignments; *The Crisis*; racial composition of committees.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Arthur B. Spingarn; Roy Wilkins.
- 0305 **Committees—General, 1948–1951.** 116pp.
Major Topics: Assignments; public relations; conference procedures; amendments to constitution; nominations; regional composition of committees; financial matters; legal campaigns; personnel matters; fund-raising; publications; youth programs; membership campaigns.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Henry Lee Moon; Roy Wilkins; Channing H. Tobias; William H. Hastie; Louis T. Wright; Arthur B. Spingarn; Ralph J. Bunche; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Gloster B. Current; Robert L. Carter; Earl B. Dickerson.
- 0421 **Committees—General, [1935, 1943, 1950, and] 1952–1955.** 105pp.
Major Topics: Assignments; utilization of office space; personnel matters; reorganization of departments; financial matters; publications; strategic planning; legal cases; political economics; educational programs.
Principal Correspondents: Louis T. Wright; William H. Hastie; Walter White; Gloster B. Current; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall; Henry Lee Moon; Channing H. Tobias; Arthur B. Spingarn.

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- 0526 **Committee on Administration, 1940–1941.** 136pp.
Major Topics: Assignments; policies and procedures; Anti-Lynching Bill; legal cases; American Civil Liberties Union; youth programs; personnel matters; political matters; branch and regional activities; publications; armed services personnel; national defense employment; voting rights.
Principal Correspondents: Roy Wilkins; Walter White; Thurgood Marshall; Arthur B. Spingarn; William Pickens; E. Frederic Morrow.

- 0662 **Committee on Administration, 1942–1944.** 201pp.
Major Topics: Assignments; policies and procedures; housing; legal cases; youth programs; personnel matters; political matters; branch and regional activities; publications; armed services personnel; national defense employment; voting rights; March on Washington Movement; factionalism and internal politics; Constitutional Amendment to Abolish the Poll Tax; public opinion surveys; press relations.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall; E. Frederic Morrow; Ella J. Baker; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Ruby Hurley; Metz T. P. Lochard.
- 0863 **Committee on Administration, 1945.** 89pp.
Major Topics: Assignments; policies and procedures; housing; legal cases; youth programs; personnel matters; political matters; branch and regional activities; publications; armed services personnel; national defense employment; voting rights; United Nations resolutions regarding colonialism; Fair Employment Practice Committee; adoption of NAACP constitution.
Principal Correspondents: Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall; Ella J. Baker; Ruby Hurley; Walter White.

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- 0001 **Committee on Administration, 1946.** 86pp.
Major Topics: Assignments; policies and procedures; personnel matters; branch activities; factionalism and internal politics; veterans affairs; nationwide strikes; Congress of Industrial Organizations; Fair Employment Practice Committee; legal cases; race riots.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Ella J. Baker; Ruby Hurley; W. E. B. Du Bois; Gloster B. Current.
- 0087 **Committee on Administration, 1947.** 126pp.
Major Topics: Allegations of Communist influence; political matters; Americans for Democratic Action; National Committee to Abolish the Poll Tax; youth programs; policies and procedures; legal cases; negotiations for additional office space; reorganization of committee system; membership campaigns.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall; Gloster B. Current; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Clarence Mitchell; Franklin H. Williams; Marian Wynn Perry.
- 0213 **Committee on Administration, 1948–1949.** 92pp.
Major Topics: Financial matters; fund-raising; public relations; Anti-Lynching Bill; political matters; U.S. presidential campaigns; cooperation among civil rights groups; personnel matters; union negotiations; planning for national conferences; membership campaigns; negotiations for additional office space; United Nations; policies and procedures; factionalism and internal politics; branch activities; international relations.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Gloster B. Current; Edward R. Dudley; Eleanor Roosevelt; Thurgood Marshall; Henry Lee Moon; Arthur B. Spingarn; Roger N. Baldwin; W. E. B. Du Bois.

- 0305 **Committee on Administration, 1950–1955.** 87pp.
Major Topics: Financial matters; fund-raising; NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc.; public relations; political matters; U.S. Congress legislation; allegations of Communist influence; international relations; legal cases; policies and procedures; U.S. presidential campaigns; United Nations; youth programs; branch activities; membership campaigns.
Principal Correspondents: Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall; Gloster B. Current; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Henry Lee Moon; Walter White; Clarence Mitchell; Mabel D. Jackson.
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- 0392 **Committee on Branches, 1940–1941.** 119pp.
Major Topics: Policies and procedures; youth programs; assignments; NAACP constitution; legal cases; nominations; elections; factionalism and internal politics; Nominating Committee.
Principal Correspondents: Hubert T. Delany; William H. Hastie; Thurgood Marshall; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Frank D. Reeves; Arthur B. Spingarn; Charlotta A. Bass; Carl Murphy; George B. Murphy, Jr.
- 0511 **Committee on Branches, 1943–1952.** 28pp.
Major Topics: Policies and procedures; youth programs; assignments; personnel matters; membership campaigns.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Ella J. Baker; Roy Wilkins; Gloster B. Current.
- 0539 **Committee on Churches, 1941–1942.** 33pp.
Major Topics: Policies and procedures; assignments; fund-raising; membership campaigns.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Randall L. Tyus.
- 0572 **Committee on Discrimination in Labor Unions, 1940–1941.** 67pp.
Major Topics: Economics Committee; public opinion research; publications; use of union label; fund-raising; legal cases; American Federation of Labor; Congress of Industrial Organizations; national defense employment; New York *Amsterdam News*.
Principal Correspondents: Frances Harriet Williams; George B. Murphy, Jr.; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; William H. Hastie; Thurgood Marshall; Alfred Baker Lewis; A. Philip Randolph; C. B. Powell; W. Robert Ming, Jr.
- 0639 **Committee on National Officers, 1948–1955.** 33pp.
Major Topics: Nominations; policies and procedures; role of vice presidents.
Principal Correspondents: Earl B. Dickerson; Grace B. Fenderson; Palmer Weber; Walter White; Roy Wilkins.
- 0672 **Committee on Policy, Structure, and Program, 1942–1944.** 134pp.
Major Topics: Armed services personnel; jim crow railroad cars; Office of Defense Transportation; legislative programs; public relations; publications; educational programs; legal cases; voting rights; voter registration; program development and planning; fund-raising; personnel matters; branch activities; youth programs; reorganization; need for additional office space; planning for national conferences.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; William H. Hastie; Frank D. Reeves; George M. Johnson, Jr.; Roy Wilkins; W. Robert Ming, Jr.; Charles H. Houston; Leon A. Ransom; Thurgood Marshall; Madison S. Jones, Jr.

- 0806 **Committee on Policy, Structure, and Program, 1950–1952.** 159pp.
Major Topics: Reorganization; educational programs; legal cases; fund-raising; branch activities; youth programs; Committee on Administration; policies and procedures; press relations; membership campaigns; role of vice presidents; personnel matters; public relations; publications; *The Crisis*.
Principal Correspondents: Roy Wilkins; Allen F. Jackson; Walter White; Louis T. Wright; Thurgood Marshall; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Henry Lee Moon; Hubert T. Delany; Gloster B. Current; Constance Baker Motley; Clarence Mitchell.

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- 0001 **Committee on Policy, Structure, and Program, 1953.** 89pp.
Major Topics: Legal cases; legislative programs; reorganization; policies and procedures; branch activities; youth programs; educational programs; publications; public relations; financial matters; *The Crisis*; membership campaigns; planning.
Principal Correspondents: Thurgood Marshall; Clarence Mitchell; Walter White; William H. Hastie; Henry Lee Moon; Gloster B. Current; Franklin H. Williams; Ruby Hurley; Roy Wilkins.
- 0090 **Committee on Political Domination, 1952.** 4pp.
Major Topics: Anti-Communist activities; allegations of Communist influence; national conference resolutions.
Principal Correspondents: Gloster B. Current; Thurgood Marshall.
- 0094 **Committee on Radio, 1946–1948.** 20pp.
Major Topics: Cooperation among civil rights and labor groups; fund-raising; public relations; Council for Democracy.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Hope Spingarn; Oliver W. Harrington; Arnold Perl; Judah Cahn; Henry Lee Moon; Edna B. Kerin.
- 0114 **Committee on Youth Work, 1940.** 76pp.
Major Topics: Personnel matters; fund-raising; hiring procedures; planning for national conferences.
Principal Correspondents: James H. Robinson; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; A. Philip Randolph; William Pickens.
- 0190 **Committee to Consider Change in Constitution, 1941.** 13pp.
Major Topics: Nomination procedures; branch activities.
Principal Correspondents: Alfred Baker Lewis; William H. Hastie; A. Philip Randolph; Douglas P. Falconer; Walter White; Thurgood Marshall.
- 0203 **Committee to Study the New York Branch, 1941.** 14pp.
Major Topic: Membership campaigns.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Arthur B. Spingarn.

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- 0217 **Committee to Work with Publicity Department, 1943–1953.** 110pp.
Major Topics: Publications; planning; policies and procedures; contributions to war effort; public relations; financial matters; National Negro Publishers Association; educational programs; radio broadcasts; *The Crisis*; press relations.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; James H. Robinson; William H. Hastie; Charles E. Toney; Lewis S. Gannett; Alfred Baker Lewis; Donald Jones; Sidney R. Redmond; Thurgood Marshall; Oliver W. Harrington; Gloster B. Current; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Lucille Black; Annette H. Peyser; Henry Lee Moon; Roy Wilkins.

- 0327 **Cousins, Norman, 1952–1955.** 14pp.
Major Topics: Elections; resignations; role of vice presidents.
Principal Correspondents: Norman Cousins; Walter White; Roy Wilkins.
- 0341 **Crump, Walter Gray, 1940–1945.** 56pp.
Major Topics: Publications; Scottsboro Boys; legal cases; Tuskegee Institute; jim crow railroad cars; U.S. Supreme Court decisions; fund-raising; contributions.
Principal Correspondents: Walter Gray Crump; Walter White; Roy Wilkins.
- 0397 **Cuthbert, Marion, 1940–1950.** 40pp.
Major Topics: Union for Democratic Action; Wellesley College; Brooklyn College; nominations; geographic composition of board.
Principal Correspondents: Marion Cuthbert; Walter White; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Ella J. Baker; Roy Wilkins.
- 0437 **Dates of Meetings, 1943–1955.** 75pp.
Major Topic: Policies and procedures.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall.
- 0512 **Davenport, Russell W., 1945.** 3pp.
Major Topics: Elections; *Survey Graphic*.
Principal Correspondents: Russell W. Davenport; Roy Wilkins; Madison S. Jones, Jr.
- 0515 **Davis, Harry E., 1940–1955.** 63pp.
Major Topics: Political activities; press relations; National Negro Congress; allegations of Communist influence; U.S. presidential campaigns; state civil rights laws.
Principal Correspondents: Harry E. Davis; Walter White; Roy Wilkins.
- 0578 **Delany, Hubert T., 1940–1949.** 127pp.
Major Topics: Assignments; policies and procedures; legal cases; publicity; press relations; membership campaigns; financial matters; personnel matters; *The Crisis*; branch activities; United Seamen's Service; friction between staff and board members.
Principal Correspondents: Hubert T. Delany; Walter White; Richetta G. Randolph; William H. Hastie; Roy Wilkins; Daniel E. Byrd; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Thurgood Marshall; Franklin H. Williams; Gloster B. Current; Henry Lee Moon; Edna B. Kerin.
- 0705 **Delany, Hubert T., 1950–1955.** 88pp.
Major Topics: Civil Rights Congress; assignments; policies and procedures; legal cases; Citizens Emergency Defense Conference; publications; publicity; legislative programs; youth programs; press relations; political matters; allegations of Communist influence.
Principal Correspondents: Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Hubert T. Delany; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Channing H. Tobias; Herbert L. Wright; Robert F. Wagner; Daniel James; Arthur B. Spingarn.
- 0793 **Delany, Hubert T.—Speaking Engagements, 1952–1955.** 77pp.
Major Topics: Assignments; policies and procedures; legal cases; publicity; press relations; membership campaigns; financial matters; personnel matters; branch activities; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: Hubert T. Delany; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Henry Lee Moon; Gloster B. Current; Herbert L. Wright.
- 0870 **Dickerson, Earl B., 1941–1952.** 59pp.
Major Topics: Assignments; policies and procedures; legal cases; publicity; press relations; membership campaigns; financial matters; personnel; branch activities; political matters; National Bar Association.
Principal Correspondents: Earl B. Dickerson; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Frank Murphy; Louis T. Wright; Charles E. Toney.

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- 0001 **Dunjee, Roscoe, 1940–1955.** 33pp.
Major Topics: National Colored Democratic Association; voting rights in Oklahoma; political matters; branch activities; Black Dispatch Publishing Co.; armed services personnel; national defense employment; legal cases.
Principal Correspondents: Roscoe Dunjee; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Bobby Branche; Henry Lee Moon.

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- 0034 **Falconer, Douglas, 1942–1946.** 111pp.
Major Topics: Financial matters; planning; policies and procedures; fund-raising; personnel matters; resignations; United Seamen's Service; political matters; NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc.; United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration; conditions in China during Civil War; armed services personnel; *Readers Digest*; press relations.
Principal Correspondents: Douglas P. Falconer; Roy Wilkins; Walter White; Richetta G. Randolph.
- 0145 **Fenderson, Grace, 1941–1954.** 25pp.
Major Topics: Publications; press relations.
Principal Correspondents: Grace B. Fenderson; George B. Murphy, Jr.; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Roy Wilkins; Arthur B. Spingarn; Walter White.
- 0170 **Finance Committee, 1940–1943.** 96pp.
Major Topics: Benefit performances; financial matters; fund-raising; planning; NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc.; contributions; bequests; policies and procedures; special funds; income statements; balance sheets; assignments; personnel.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Douglas P. Falconer; Arthur B. Spingarn; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall.
- 0266 **Gallagher, Buell, and Graham, Frank P., 1943–1946.** 5pp.
Major Topics: Elections; resignations.
Principal Correspondents: Buell G. Gallagher; Walter White; Frank P. Graham.
- 0271 **Gannett, Lewis, 1943–1955.** 35pp.
Major Topics: Press relations; U.S. presidential campaigns; nazism; conditions in Germany after World War II; Writers' War Board; armed services personnel; public relations; nominations.
Principal Correspondents: Lewis S. Gannett; Walter White; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Henry Lee Moon; Joseph C. Kennedy; Roy Wilkins.
- 0306 **Gregg, J. A., 1945–1953.** 17pp.
Major Topics: Branch activities; Freedom House; political matters.
Principal Correspondents: John A. Gregg; Walter White; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Roy Wilkins.
- 0323 **Hall, John B., 1942–1948.** 42pp.
Major Topics: Elections; contributions; life memberships; nominations.
Principal Correspondents: John B. Hall; Walter White; Roy Wilkins.
- 0365 **Hammerstein, Oscar II, 1953.** 4pp.
Major Topics: Political matters; role of vice presidents.
Principal Correspondents: Oscar Hammerstein II; Walter White.

- 0369 **Hammond, John, 1943–1947.** 4pp.
Major Topics: Elections; *Survey Graphic*.
Principal Correspondents: John Hammond; Walter White.
- 0373 **Harlow, S. Ralph, 1940–1944.** 131pp.
Major Topics: Southern Tenant Farmers Union activities in Arkansas and Mississippi; race relations in the South; political matters; lynchings; armed services personnel; voting rights; poll tax; legal cases; U.S. Supreme Court decisions; publicity; public relations; Smith College; discrimination in Young Men's Christian Association; U.S. presidential campaigns; restrictive covenants; discrimination in mortgage financing; branch activities; Fair Employment Practices Committee.
Principal Correspondents: S. Ralph Harlow; Walter White; J. Edgar Hoover; Charlotte B. Crump; Thurgood Marshall; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Eugene Martin.
- 0504 **Harlow, S. Ralph, 1945–1949.** 97pp.
Major Topics: Legal cases; Smith College; Work or Fight laws; Workers' Defense League; branch activities; Anti-Lynching Bill; armed services personnel; Fair Employment Practices Committee; criminal justice system in Alabama, Florida, and Tennessee; Civil Rights Congress; contributions; radio broadcasts; publicity; public relations; United Nations; publications; television programs.
Principal Correspondents: S. Ralph Harlow; Walter White; Edward R. Dudley; Charles R. Clason; Henry L. Stimson; F. O. D. Hunter; Theodore G. Bilbo; Henry Lee Moon; Roy Wilkins.
- 0601 **Harlow, S. Ralph, 1950–1955.** 109pp.
Major Topics: Armed services personnel; political matters; educational programs; Smith College; legal cases; Scottsboro Boys; allegations of Communist influence; public relations; discrimination in restaurants; Fisk University; membership campaigns.
Principal Correspondents: S. Ralph Harlow; Walter White; Ralph J. Bunche; Henry Lee Moon; Kivie Kaplan; Roy Wilkins; Channing H. Tobias.
- 0710 **Harper, C. L., 1953–1955.** 6pp.
Major Topic: Role of NAACP vice presidents.
Principal Correspondents: C. L. Harper; Walter White.
- 0716 **Harrison, Earl G., 1953.** 7pp.
Major Topics: Elections; legal cases.
Principal Correspondents: Earl G. Harrison; Walter White; Thurgood Marshall.
- 0723 **Hastie, William, 1940–1941.** 88pp.
Major Topics: Legislative programs; Howard University; radio broadcasts; National Negro Congress; Anti-Lynching Bill; political matters; national conferences; branch activities; public relations; national defense employment; armed services personnel; cooperation among civil rights groups; legal cases.
Principal Correspondents: William H. Hastie; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Lucille Black; Thurgood Marshall.
- 0811 **Hastie, William, 1943–1945.** 78pp.
Major Topics: Legal cases; need for additional office space; press relations; public relations; national conferences; national defense employment; armed services personnel; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups.
Principal Correspondents: William H. Hastie; Walter White; Richetta G. Randolph.

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- 0889 **Hays, Arthur Garfield, 1946.** 4pp.
Major Topic: Legal cases.
Principal Correspondents: Arthur Garfield Hays; Robert L. Carter.

- 0893 **Hinton, J. M., 1950–1954.** 11pp.
Major Topic: Elections.
Principal Correspondents: J. M. Hinton; Walter White.

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- 0001 **Holmes, John H., 1940–1955.** 150pp.
Major Topics: Membership campaigns; public relations; employment discrimination; armed services personnel; criminal justice system; policies and procedures; friction between staff and board members; factionalism and internal politics; Fair Employment Practices Committee; allegations of Communist influence; publications; cooperation among civil rights groups; Church Committee.
Principal Correspondents: John Haynes Holmes; Walter White; George B. Murphy, Jr.; William H. Hastie; Thurgood Marshall; Henry L. Stimson; Paul Robeson; Catherine T. Freeland; Roy Wilkins; Walter P. Offutt, Jr.
- 0151 **Houston, Charles, 1940–1950.** 127pp.
Major Topics: Public relations; legal cases; National Lawyers Guild; Howard University; fund-raising; branch activities; legislative programs; policies and procedures; political matters; House Un-American Activities Committee; allegations of Communist influence; National Labor Relations Board; Fair Employment Practices Committee; educational programs.
Principal Correspondents: Charles H. Houston; Thurgood Marshall; Roy Wilkins; Walter White; E. Frederic Morrow; Marian Wynn Perry; Clarence Mitchell; William H. Hastie; Donald Gaines Murray.
- 0278 **Hudson, H. Claude, 1952–1955.** 59pp.
Major Topics: Elections; branch activities; national conferences; membership campaigns; financial matters; public relations; criminal justice system in California; press relations.
Principal Correspondents: H. Claude Hudson; Walter White; Roy Wilkins.
- 0337 **Hunton, George K., 1954–1955.** 22pp.
Major Topics: Elections; Catholic Interracial Council; public relations.
Principal Correspondents: George K. Hunton; Walter White; Alfred Baker Lewis; Henry Lee Moon; Roy Wilkins.
- 0359 **Illig, William, 1946–1950.** 19pp.
Major Topics: Fund-raising; NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc.; antilynching; legal committee.
Principal Correspondents: William Illig; Walter White; Marian Wynn Perry; William H. Hastie; Roy Wilkins.
- 0378 **Imes, William Lloyd, 1940–1954.** 144pp.
Major Topics: Legislative programs; Knoxville College; branch activities; armed services personnel; radio broadcasts; role of NAACP vice presidents; public relations.
Principal Correspondents: William Lloyd Imes; Thurgood Marshall; Walter White; Ella J. Baker; Walter P. Offutt, Jr.; Gloster B. Current; Roy Wilkins.
- 0522 **Imes, William, Lloyd—Dinner for, 1942–1943.** 49pp.
Major Topic: Planning for Harlem community testimonial dinner honoring Imes.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; John H. Johnson; Adam Clayton Powell, Jr.; Mary White Ovington; Henry K. Kraft; Arthur Capper; Annie M. Meyer.

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- 0571 **Jackson, Allen F., 1944–1953.** 28pp.
Major Topics: Elections; branch activities; public relations; membership campaigns; Fair Employment Practices Committee; policies and procedures; reorganization of structure of NAACP; fund-raising.
Principal Correspondents: Allen F. Jackson; Roy Wilkins; Walter White; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Louis T. Wright; Alfred Baker Lewis; Daisy E. Lampkin.
- 0599 **Jayne, Ira W., 1940–1953 [1954].** 19pp.
Major Topics: Legal cases; censorship; American Civil Liberties Union; role of NAACP vice presidents; public relations; armed services personnel; policies and procedures.
Principal Correspondents: Ira W. Jayne; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall.
- 0618 **Johnson, Carl R., 1950–1955.** 84pp.
Major Topics: Branch activities; NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc.; policies and procedures; armed forces personnel; political matters; location and frequency of board of directors meetings.
Principal Correspondents: Carl R. Johnson; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Allan Knight Chalmers; Clarence Mitchell.
- 0702 **Johnson, George, 1944–1945.** 35pp.
Major Topics: Employment discrimination; branch activities; national defense employment; Fair Employment Practices Committee; legislative programs; economic discrimination facing minorities in postwar era; War Labor Disputes Act.
Principal Correspondents: George M. Johnson, Jr.; Roy Wilkins; Walter White; Jesse O. Dedmon; Marian Wynn Perry.
- 0737 **Johnston, Eric, 1946–1955.** 93pp.
Major Topics: U.S. Chamber of Commerce; Motion Picture Association of America; stereotypical treatment of Negroes in motion pictures; postwar economic and industrial adjustments; allegations of Communist influence; House Un-American Activities Committee; public relations; policies and procedures.
Principal Correspondents: Eric A. Johnston; Walter White; Oliver W. Harrington; Roy Wilkins.
- 0830 **Jones, Morton V., 1943.** 5pp.
Major Topic: Death of early NAACP board member.
Principal Correspondent: Walter White.
- 0835 **Kaplan, Kivie, 1950–1955.** 72pp.
Major Topics: Financial matters; nominations; public relations; life memberships; race relations; relief efforts; legal cases.
Principal Correspondents: Kivie Kaplan; Robert L. Carter; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Hubert T. Delany; Henry Lee Moon; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Channing H. Tobias.

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- 0907 **LaGuardia, Fiorello, 1945–1948.** 48pp.
Major Topics: Educational programs; branch activities; nominations; political matters; contributions; elections; radio broadcasts.
Principal Correspondents: Fiorello H. LaGuardia; Walter White; Noma Jenson; Ernest Osborne; Ernest Gruening.

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- 0001 **Lampkin, Daisy, 1949–1955.** 57pp.
 Major Topics: Branch activities; financial matters; veterans affairs; membership campaigns; political matters; legislative programs; youth programs; allegations of Communist influence; press relations; friction between staff and board members; cooperation among civil rights groups; fund-raising; personnel matters.
 Principal Correspondents: Daisy E. Lampkin; Walter White; Gloster B. Current; Thurgood Marshall; Roy Wilkins; Alfred Baker Lewis.
- 0058 **Lehman, Herbert, 1942–1955.** 74pp.
 Major Topics: Political matters; elections; United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration; cooperation among civil rights groups; radio broadcasts; legislative programs; Fair Employment Practices Committee; Refugee Relief Act; efforts to amend cloture rules in U.S. Senate; minimum wage; voting rights.
 Principal Correspondents: Herbert H. Lehman; Walter White; A. Philip Randolph; Roy Wilkins; Jack Greenberg; Channing H. Tobias; Clarence Mitchell.
- 0132 **Lewis, Alfred Baker, 1940–1942.** 152pp.
 Major Topics: Contributions; legislative programs; Anti-Lynching Bill; fund-raising; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; educational programs; branch activities; national defense employment; public relations; press relations; armed services personnel; legal cases; Texas White Primary; teachers salary cases; membership campaigns; allegations of Communist influence; House Un-American Activities Committee; Union for Democratic Action; financial matters; March on Washington Movement; Fair Employment Practices Committee; political matters.
 Principal Correspondents: Alfred Baker Lewis; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Louis T. Wright; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Charlotte B. Crump; Lucille Black; Frank D. Reeves; Thurgood Marshall; E. Frederic Morrow; Arthur B. Spingarn.
- 0284 **Lewis, Alfred Baker, 1943.** 111pp.
 Major Topics: Financial matters; effect of war on NAACP activities; branch activities; contributions; March on Washington Movement; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; Fair Employment Practices Committee; U.S. presidential campaigns; publications; life memberships; membership campaigns; national defense employment; armed services personnel; educational programs and federal aid to education; race relations; race riots; wage and price controls; personnel matters; public relations; publicity; policies and procedures; Workers' Defense League.
 Principal Correspondents: Alfred Baker Lewis; Walter White; Lucille Black; Odete Harper; Ella J. Baker; Leslie S. Perry; Thurgood Marshall; Roy Wilkins.
- 0395 **Lewis, Alfred Baker, 1944.** 71pp.
 Major Topics: Policies and procedures; membership campaigns; financial matters; legal cases; branch activities; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; legislative programs; Anti-Poll Tax Bill; public relations; publicity; press relations; race relations; armed services personnel; political matters; educational programs; friction between staff and board members; factionalism and internal politics; personnel matters; radio broadcasts; Fair Employment Practices Committee; unemployment insurance.
 Principal Correspondents: Alfred Baker Lewis; Ella J. Baker; Walter White; Thurgood Marshall; Roy Wilkins; Gloster B. Current; Edward R. Dudley; Louis T. Wright.

- 0466 **Lewis, Alfred Baker, 1945–1949.** 205pp.
Major Topics: Elections; international relations; political activity among immigrants from Jamaica; legal cases; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; legislative programs; Union for Democratic Action; Fair Employment Practices Committee; branch activities; youth programs; personnel matters; National Citizens Political Action Committee; public relations; publications; press relations; Friends of Democracy; nominations; policies and procedures; fund-raising; allegations of Communist influence; racially restrictive covenants; financial matters.
Principal Correspondents: Alfred Baker Lewis; Roy Wilkins; Edward R. Dudley; Walter White; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Thurgood Marshall; Robert L. Carter; Franklin H. Williams; Gloster B. Current; Henry Lee Moon.

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- 0671 **Lewis, Alfred Baker, 1950–1955.** 87pp.
Major Topics: Contributions; financial matters; press relations; branch activities; Fair Employment Practices Committee; personnel; factionalism and internal politics; allegations of Communist influence; resignations; friction between staff and board members; membership campaigns; policies and procedures; planning for national conferences; publicity; publications; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; resolutions.
Principal Correspondents: Alfred Baker Lewis; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall; Gloster B. Current; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Theodore Spaulding; Earl B. Dickerson; Louis T. Wright; Lindsay H. White; Walter White; Lucille Black; Henry Lee Moon; Herbert Hill; Hubert T. Delany.
- 0758 **Lewis, John G., Jr., 1953–1954.** 6pp.
Major Topics: Elections; policies and procedures.
Principal Correspondents: John G. Lewis, Jr.; Walter White; Channing H. Tobias.
- 0764 **Life Membership Committee, 1953–1954.** 158pp.
Major Topics: Fund-raising; contributions; financial matters; policies and procedures; publicity; publications; branch activities; membership campaigns.
Principal Correspondents: Kivie Kaplan; Walter White; Ralph J. Bunche; William H. Hastie; Henry Lee Moon; Benjamin E. Mays; A. Philip Randolph; Eleanor Roosevelt; Mordecai W. Johnson; Harry Emerson Fosdick; Allan Knight Chalmers; Mary McLeod Bethune; Walter P. Reuther; Robert H. Johnson; Herbert H. Lehman; William Y. Bell; Channing H. Tobias; Edward R. Dudley; Ike Smalls; Morton S. Grossman; Roy Wilkins; Daisy E. Lampkin; W. Montague Cobb; Kelly M. Alexander.

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- 0001 **Life Membership Committee, 1955.** 80pp.
Major Topics: Fund-raising; contributions; financial matters; policies and procedures; membership campaigns; branch activities; publicity; publications; NAACP Fighting Fund for Freedom.
Principal Correspondents: Kivie Kaplan; Henry Lee Moon; Channing H. Tobias; Carl R. Johnson; Ike Smalls; Edward R. Dudley; Earl B. Dickerson; Katherine T. Watson Coleman; A. Maceo Smith; Benjamin E. Mays; Gloster B. Current; Alfred Baker Lewis; Roy Wilkins; Lena Horne; S. Ralph Harlow; Marion Stewart.

- 0081 **Looby, Z. Alexander, 1953–1954.** 11pp.
Major Topics: Nominations; elections; policies and procedures; travel arrangements.
Principal Correspondents: Z. Alexander Looby; Walter White; Henry Lee Moon; Roy Wilkins.
- 0092 **Mackel, A. Maurice, 1955.** 35pp.
Major Topics: Branch activities; financial matters; publicity; legal cases in Mississippi and Louisiana; press relations.
Principal Correspondents: A. Maurice Mackel; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall.
- 0127 **McClendon, James, 1945–1946.** 6pp.
Major Topics: Elections; branch activities; travel arrangements
Principal Correspondents: James J. McClendon; Roy Wilkins.
- 0133 **McPherson, N. C., 1942–1943.** 19pp.
Major Topics: Wesleyan College; resignations; U.S. presidential campaigns.
Principal Correspondents: N. C. McPherson, Jr.; Walter White; George Riggan.
- 0152 **Martin, Eugene, 1940–1944.** 137pp.
Major Topics: Educational programs; contributions; membership campaigns; Anti-Lynching Bill; legislative programs; office supplies; policies and procedures; international relations; national defense employment; armed services personnel; branch activities; political matters; voting rights and civil liberties in Southern states; Commission on Interracial Cooperation; Fair Employment Practices Committee; Atlanta University; public relations; press relations; National Negro Insurance Association; anti-poll tax.
Principal Correspondents: Eugene Martin; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; W. E. B. Du Bois; Jessie Daniel Ames.
- 0289 **Martin, Eugene, 1945–1954.** 62pp.
Major Topics: Elections; branch activities; educational programs; political matters; press relations; legal cases; voting rights and civil liberties in Georgia; discrimination in railroad travel; Interstate Commerce Commission; morbidity and mortality among Negroes; regional education plans in the South; nominations; role of NAACP vice presidents.
Principal Correspondents: Eugene Martin; Walter White; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Roy Wilkins; Louis T. Wright; H. Claude Hudson.
- 0351 **Martin, Isadore, 1940–1954.** 21pp.
Major Topics: Nominations; fund-raising; contributions; role of NAACP vice presidents.
Principal Correspondents: Isadore Martin; Walter White.

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- 0372 **Maxwell, O. Clay, 1942–1953.** 30pp.
Major Topics: Morehouse College; committee on churches; policies and procedures; armed services personnel; contributions; public relations; press relations; jim crow railroads.
Principal Correspondents: O. Clay Maxwell; Walter White; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Oliver W. Harrington.
- 0402 **Mays, Benjamin E., 1950–1955.** 81pp.
Major Topics: Morehouse College; interracial marriages; U.S. Supreme Court decisions; policies and procedures; National Association of Women Artists; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; nominations; regional composition of board; publications.
Principal Correspondents: Benjamin E. Mays; Roy Wilkins; Walter White; Naomi Lorne; H. Claude Hudson.

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- 0483 **Membership—Expulsion from, 1951.** 3pp.
Major Topics: Policies and procedures; national conferences.
Principal Correspondent: Jawn A. Sandifer.
- 0486 **Membership—Fees, 1943–1944.** 90pp.
Major Topics: Policies and procedures; financial matters; committee on administration; national conferences; membership campaigns; branch activities.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; William H. Hastie; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Prentice Thomas; Daisy E. Lampkin; Odete Harper; Ella J. Baker; Charles E. Toney; Theodore Spaulding; Isadore Martin; Arthur B. Spingarn; James J. McClendon; Grace B. Fenderson.
- 0576 **Minutes, 1940.** 91pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; committee assignments; elections; personnel; Anti-Lynching Bill; branch activities; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; *The Crisis*; educational programs; financial matters; fund-raising; legal cases; legislative programs; membership campaigns; national conferences; poll tax; voting rights; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.
- 0667 **Minutes, 1941.** 18pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; committee assignments; elections; personnel; Anti-Lynching Bill; branch activities; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; *The Crisis*; educational programs; financial matters; fund-raising; legal cases; legislative programs; membership campaigns; national conferences; poll tax; voting rights; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.
- 0685 **Minutes, 1942.** 161pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; committee assignments; elections; personnel; Anti-Lynching Bill; branch activities; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; *The Crisis*; educational programs; financial matters; fund-raising; legal cases; legislative programs; membership campaigns; national conferences; poll tax; voting rights; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.
- 0846 **Minutes, 1943–1944.** 167pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; committee assignments; elections; personnel; Anti-Lynching Bill; branch activities; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; *The Crisis*; educational programs; financial matters; fund-raising; legal cases; legislative programs; membership campaigns; national conferences; poll tax; voting rights; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.

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- 0001 **Minutes, 1945.** 121pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; committee assignments; elections; personnel; Anti-Lynching Bill; branch activities; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; *The Crisis*; educational programs; financial matters; fund-raising; legal cases; legislative programs; membership campaigns; national conferences; poll tax; voting rights; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.

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- 0122 **Minutes, 1946.** 119pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; committee assignments; elections; personnel; Anti-Lynching Bill; branch activities; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; *The Crisis*; educational programs; financial matters; fund-raising; legal cases; legislative programs; membership campaigns; national conferences; poll tax; voting rights; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.
- 0241 **Minutes, 1947.** 80pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; committee assignments; elections; personnel; Anti-Lynching Bill; branch activities; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; *The Crisis*; educational programs; financial matters; fund-raising; legal cases; legislative programs; membership campaigns; national conferences; poll tax; voting rights; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.
- 0321 **Minutes, 1948.** 109pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; committee assignments; elections; personnel; Anti-Lynching Bill; branch activities; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; *The Crisis*; educational programs; financial matters; fund-raising; legal cases; legislative programs; membership campaigns; national conferences; poll tax; voting rights; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.
- 0430 **Minutes, 1949.** 128pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; committee assignments; elections; personnel; Anti-Lynching Bill; branch activities; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; *The Crisis*; educational programs; financial matters; fund-raising; legal cases; legislative programs; membership campaigns; national conferences; poll tax; voting rights; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.
- 0558 **Minutes, 1950.** 5pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; committee assignments; elections; personnel; Anti-Lynching Bill; branch activities; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; *The Crisis*; educational programs; financial matters; fund-raising; legal cases; legislative programs; membership campaigns; national conferences; poll tax; voting rights; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.
- 0563 **Minutes, 1951.** 220pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; committee assignments; elections; personnel; Anti-Lynching Bill; branch activities; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; *The Crisis*; educational programs; financial matters; fund-raising; legal cases; legislative programs; membership campaigns; national conferences; poll tax; voting rights; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.

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- 0783 **Minutes, 1952.** 141pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; committee assignments; elections; personnel; Anti-Lynching Bill; branch activities; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; *The Crisis*; educational programs; financial matters; fund-raising; legal cases; legislative programs; membership campaigns; national conferences; poll tax; voting rights; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.

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- 0001 **Minutes, 1953.** 123pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; committee assignments; elections; personnel; Anti-Lynching Bill; branch activities; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; *The Crisis*; educational programs; financial matters; fund-raising; legal cases; legislative programs; membership campaigns; national conferences; poll tax; voting rights; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.
- 0124 **Minutes, 1954.** 116pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; committee assignments; elections; personnel; Anti-Lynching Bill; branch activities; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; *The Crisis*; educational programs; financial matters; fund-raising; legal cases; legislative programs; membership campaigns; national conferences; poll tax; voting rights; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.
- 0240 **Minutes, 1955.** 94pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; committee assignments; elections; personnel; Anti-Lynching Bill; branch activities; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; *The Crisis*; educational programs; financial matters; fund-raising; legal cases; legislative programs; membership campaigns; national conferences; poll tax; voting rights; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.
- 0334 **Minutes, Undated.** 3pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; branch activities; financial matters; fund-raising; national conference; personnel; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.
- 0337 **Miscellany, 1940–1941.** 83pp.
Major Topics: Policies and procedures; elections; meeting agendas; Anti-Lynching Bill; legislative programs; political matters; national defense employment; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; personnel; youth programs; national conferences; financial matters; committee assignments; meetings; legal cases; fund-raising; branch activities; Union for Democratic Action; international relations.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; William Pickens; Thurgood Marshall; Reinhold Niebuhr.
- 0420 **Miscellany, 1942–1943.** 98pp.
Major Topics: Policies and procedures; elections; meeting agendas; branch activities; financial matters; fund-raising; membership campaigns; personnel; youth programs; motion pictures; public relations; armed services personnel; national defense employment; national conference; effect of war effort on NAACP programs; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; educational programs; mass meetings; legislative programs; political matters.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Richetta G. Randolph; Roy Wilkins; E. Frederic Morrow; W. J. Walls.

- 0518 **Miscellany, 1944–1947.** 192pp.
Major Topics: Policies and procedures; elections; meeting agendas; branch activities; financial matters; fund-raising; membership campaigns; personnel; youth programs; political matters; effect of war effort on NAACP programs; armed services personnel; national defense employment; discrimination in hospitals; international relations; legal cases; veterans affairs; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; friction between staff and board members; national conferences; press relations.
Principal Correspondents: Richetta G. Randolph; Roy Wilkins; Walter White; Charles E. Toney; Milton R. Konvitz; Ella J. Baker; Gloster B. Current; Thurgood Marshall; Louis T. Wright; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Arthur B. Spingarn; William H. Hastie; Robert C. Weaver.

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- 0710 **Miscellany, 1948–1949.** 84pp.
Major Topics: Policies and procedures; elections; meeting agendas; branch activities; financial matters; fund-raising; membership campaigns; personnel; youth programs; legislative programs; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; national conferences; revision of constitution and by-laws; factionalism and internal politics; press relations; educational programs; public housing.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Gloster B. Current; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall; Marian Wynn Perry; Arthur B. Spingarn; Charles E. Toney; Henry Lee Moon; Richetta G. Randolph; Hubert T. Delany; Constance Baker Motley; Donald Jones; Dorothy Tilly.
- 0794 **Miscellany, 1950–1955.** 95pp.
Major Topics: Policies and procedures; elections; meeting agendas; branch activities; financial matters; fund-raising; membership campaigns; personnel; youth programs; legal cases; political matters; NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc.; national conferences; regional composition of board of directors; educational programs; Fair Employment Practices Committee; U.S. Supreme Court decisions; Society for Ethical Culture in the City of New York; friction between staff and board members; reorganization proposals; school desegregation.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Thurgood Marshall; Arthur B. Spingarn; Roy Wilkins; Constance Baker Motley; Channing H. Tobias; Algernon D. Black.
- 0889 **Mitchell, H. L., 1950.** 4pp.
Major Topics: Elections; role of NAACP vice presidents.
Principal Correspondents: H. L. Mitchell; Roy Wilkins.
- 0893 **Mitchell, L. Pearl, 1950–1954.** 15pp.
Major Topics: Elections; role of NAACP vice presidents; contributions; branch activities; membership campaigns.
Principal Correspondents: L. Pearl Mitchell; Roy Wilkins; Gloster B. Current; Walter White.
- 0908 **Morris, Newbold, 1948–1952.** 30pp.
Major Topics: Elections; nominations; political matters; press relations; allegations of Communist influence.
Principal Correspondents: Newbold Morris; Walter White; Hubert T. Delany; Roy Wilkins; Henry Lee Moon.

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- 0001 **Morse, Wayne, 1948–1954.** 44pp.
Major Topics: Elections; political activities; press relations; armed services personnel; legislative programs.
Principal Correspondents: Wayne Morse; Walter White; Leslie S. Perry; Allan Knight Chalmers; Channing H. Tobias.
- 0045 **Murphy, Carl, 1940–1955.** 150pp.
Major Topics: Cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; policies and procedures; financial matters; resignations; branch activities; criminal justice system in Maryland; legal cases; discrimination in restrooms and transportation; U.S. Supreme Court decisions; press relations; censorship in World War II; Anti-Lynching Bill; NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc.; fund-raising; political matters; U.S. presidential campaigns; factionalism and internal politics; friction between staff and board members; planning; personnel; publications.
Principal Correspondents: Carl Murphy; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; John Hammond; Thurgood Marshall; W. I. Gibson; Charles E. Toney; Louis T. Wright; James H. Murphy; Channing H. Tobias.
- 0195 **Murray, Phillip, 1947–1953.** 43pp.
Major Topics: Cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; Congress of Industrial Organizations; Progressive Citizens of America; Americans for Democratic Action; branch activities; fund-raising; voting rights; U.S. Supreme Court decisions.
Principal Correspondents: Phillip Murray; Walter White; W. Averell Harriman; Herbert Hill; Emil Rieve.
- 0238 **National Church Committee, 1947–1949.** 52pp.
Major Topics: Assignments; planning; personnel; policies and procedures; minutes of meetings; cooperation between civil rights and church groups; planning for national conferences; branch and regional activities.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; William Lloyd Imes; Walter P. Offutt, Jr.; W. J. Walls; J. Oscar Lee; O. Clay Maxwell; John A. Gregg; Roy Wilkins; Nannie H. Burroughs.
- 0290 **National Church Committee, 1951–1954.** 102pp.
Major Topics: Assignments; planning; personnel; policies and procedures; minutes of meetings; cooperation between civil rights and church groups; planning for national conferences; branch and regional activities.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Channing H. Tobias; Walter P. Offutt, Jr.; Roy Wilkins; Ruby Hurley.
- 0392 **National Health Committee, 1953–1954.** 76pp.
Major Topics: National Medical Committee; assignments; planning; personnel; policies and procedures; resolutions; discrimination in hospitals; planning for national conferences; branch and regional activities.
Principal Correspondents: Gloster B. Current; W. Montague Cobb; Walter White; Henry Lee Moon; Roy Wilkins.

- 0468 **National Labor Committee, 1946–1952.** 108pp.
Major Topics: Assignments; planning; personnel; policies and procedures; minutes of meetings; Fair Employment Practices Committee; legislative programs; cooperation between civil rights and labor groups; planning for national conferences; branch and regional activities; legal cases; American Federation of Labor; Congress of Industrial Organizations; friction between staff and board members; employment discrimination; economic conditions; allegations of Communist influence; membership campaigns.
Principal Correspondents: Clarence Mitchell; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Alfred Baker Lewis; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Boris Shishkin; Willard S. Townsend; Walter P. Reuther; Charles E. Toney; Charles H. Houston; Oliver W. Harrington; Robert L. Carter; Marian Wynn Perry; Franklin H. Williams; Francis J. Gilligan; A. Philip Randolph; Catherine T. Freeland.
- 0576 **National Legal Committee, 1940–1942.** 66pp.
Major Topics: Assignments; planning; financial matters; personnel; policies and procedures; minutes of meetings; Fair Employment Practices Committee; legislative programs; cooperation between civil rights and labor groups; planning for national conferences; branch and regional activities; legal cases; teachers salary cases; university admission cases; U.S. Supreme Court decisions; Texas White Primary cases; armed services personnel; jury exclusion cases; criminal defense cases; lawyers conferences; legal fees charged by local lawyers.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Francis Biddle; Thurgood Marshall; C. Herbert Marshall, Jr.; William H. Hastie; W. Robert Ming, Jr.; Frank D. Reeves; Daisy E. Lampkin; William Pickens; Ella J. Baker; E. Frederic Morrow; James M. Nabrit, Jr.; Charles H. Houston.
- 0642 **National Legal Committee, 1944–1945.** 186pp.
Major Topics: Assignments; planning; personnel; policies and procedures; minutes of meetings; Fair Employment Practices Committee; legislative programs; cooperation between civil rights and labor groups; planning for national conferences; branch and regional activities; legal cases; friction between staff and board members; NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc.; need for additional office space; reorganization proposals; armed services personnel; voting rights; criminal defense cases.
Principal Correspondents: William H. Hastie; Milton R. Konvitz; Roy Wilkins; Edward R. Dudley; Thurgood Marshall; A. Maceo Smith; Walter White; W. Robert Ming, Jr.; T. G. Nutter; James Marshall; Robert L. Carter; Osmond K. Fraenkel; Hope R. Stevens; W. J. Durham; Charles W. Anderson, Jr.; Shad Polier; Alfred Baker Lewis.
- 0828 **National Legal Committee, 1946–1949.** 66pp.
Major Topics: Assignments; planning; personnel; policies and procedures; minutes of meetings; Fair Employment Practices Committee; legislative programs; cooperation between civil rights and labor groups; planning for national conferences; branch and regional activities; legal cases; minutes of meetings; lawyers conferences; discrimination in bus transportation; U.S. Supreme Court decisions; reorganization proposals; National Lawyers Guild; NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc.; Field Foundation; fund-raising.

Principal Correspondents: Thurgood Marshall; Robert L. Carter; Constance Baker; George E. C. Hayes; H. Jenkins; George M. Johnson, Jr.; Martin A. Martin; W. Robert Ming, Jr.; Marian Wynn Perry; Annette H. Peyser; Louis R. Redding; Frank D. Reeves; Spottswood W. Robinson III; Joseph Waddy; Franklin H. Williams; Andrew D. Weinberger; Gloster B. Current; Leslie S. Perry; Arthur B. Spingarn; Charles E. Toney; Oliver W. Harrington; Louis T. Wright; Roy Wilkins; Walter White; W. E. B. Du Bois; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Arthur J. Mandell; A. Maceo Smith; Lulu B. White; Charles H. Houston; Oliver W. Hill; Edward R. Dudley; Louis S. Weiss.

0894 **National Legal Committee, 1950–1954 [1955].** 57pp.

Major Topics: Assignments; planning; personnel; policies and procedures; minutes of meetings; Fair Employment Practices Committee; legislative programs; cooperation between civil rights and labor groups; planning for national conferences; branch and regional activities; legal cases; Field Foundation; NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc.; tax status of NAACP and Inc. Fund; teachers salary cases; segregated school cases; U.S. Supreme Court decisions; American Civil Liberties Union; criminal defense cases.

Principal Correspondents: Thurgood Marshall; Roy Wilkins; Walter White; Louis S. Weiss; William H. Hastie; Arthur Garfield Hays.

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0001 **National Medical Committee—Cobb, W. Montague, 1944–1954.** 179pp.

Major Topics: Assignments; planning; personnel; policies and procedures; resolutions; discrimination in hospitals; planning for national conferences; branch and regional activities; Howard University; War Manpower Commission; Association of American Medical Colleges; American Medical Association; publications; press relations.

Principal Correspondents: W. Montague Cobb; Louis T. Wright; Walter White; William H. Hastie; Mordecai W. Johnson; Roy Wilkins; Leslie S. Perry; Madison S. Jones, Jr.

0180 **National Medical Committee—General, 1944–1949.** 209pp.

Major Topics: Assignments; planning; personnel; policies and procedures; resolutions; discrimination in hospitals; planning for national conferences; branch and regional activities; publications; press relations; allegations of Communist influence; legislative programs; medical education; National Medical Association; American Medical Association; health care reform proposals; legal cases.

Principal Correspondents: Louis T. Wright; Walter White; W. Montague Cobb; James J. McClendon; Roy Wilkins; J. A. C. Lattimore; Thurgood Marshall; A. Maceo Smith.

0389 **National Medical Committee, 1950–1953.** 121pp.

Major Topics: Assignments; planning; personnel; policies and procedures; resolutions; discrimination in hospitals; planning for national conferences; branch and regional activities; publications; press relations; allegations of Communist influence; legislative programs; medical education; National Medical Association; American Medical Association; health insurance reform proposals; legal cases; reorganization proposals.

Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Louis T. Wright; C. Herbert Marshall, Jr.; John T. Givens; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; James J. McClendon; A. C. Terrence; Bobby Branche; Arthur Chapin; Roy Wilkins; Gloster B. Current.

- 0510 **Neilson, William A., 1940–1947.** 72pp.
Major Topics: Smith College; planning; legislative programs; legal cases; contributions; armed services personnel; public relations; American Philosophical Society; fund-raising; NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc.
Principal Correspondents: William A. Neilson; Walter White; William H. Hastie; Arthur B. Spingarn; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall.
- 0582 **Nominating Committee—Ballots, 1944–1947.** 184pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Gloster B. Current; Louis T. Wright; Franklin H. Williams.

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- 0766 **Nominating Committee—Ballots, 1951–1955.** 119pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities.
Principal Correspondent: Roy Wilkins.

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- 0001 **Nominating Committee—General, 1940.** 139pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments; role of NAACP vice presidents; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; E. Frederic Morrow; James H. Robinson; F. Yolanda Barnett; William Pickens.
- 0140 **Nominating Committee—General, 1941.** 226pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments; Field Foundation; press relations.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Carl Murphy.
- 0366 **Nominating Committee—General, 1942.** 145pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments; racial composition of board of directors.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Carl Murphy.
- 0511 **Nominating Committee—General, 1943.** 180pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins.

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- 0691 **Nominating Committee—General, 1944.** 100pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins.
- 0791 **Nominating Committee—General, 1945.** 145pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments; youth programs; policies and procedures.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall; Ella J. Baker.

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- 0001 **Nominating Committee—General, 1946.** 206pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch and regional activities; assignments; policies and procedures; minutes of meetings.
Principal Correspondents: Franklin H. Williams; Ella J. Baker; Thurgood Marshall; Walter White; A. Maceo Smith.
- 0207 **Nominating Committee—General, January–September 1947.** 115pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments; policies and procedures; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Gloster B. Current; Thurgood Marshall; Roy Wilkins; Ella J. Baker; Madison S. Jones, Jr.
- 0322 **Nominating Committee—General, October–December 1947.** 99pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments; policies and procedures.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Daisy E. Lampkin; Franklin H. Williams; Mabel D. Jackson; Madison S. Jones, Jr.
- 0421 **Nominating Committee—General, 1948.** 162pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments; press relations; allegations of Communist influence; policies and procedures; fund-raising.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Thurgood Marshall; Gloster B. Current; Henry Lee Moon; Roy Wilkins; Madison S. Jones, Jr.

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- 0583 **Nominating Committee—General, 1949–1950.** 175pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments; policies and procedures; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall; Mabel D. Jackson; Franklin H. Williams.
- 0758 **Nominating Committee—General, January–September 1951.** 97pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments; policies and procedures; legal cases.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Thurgood Marshall; Louis T. Wright; Roy Wilkins.
- 0855 **Nominating Committee—General, October–December 1951.** 79pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments; policies and procedures.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Thurgood Marshall; Gloster B. Current; Roy Wilkins; Mabel D. Jackson.

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- 0001 **Nominating Committee—General, 1952.** 206pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments; role of NAACP vice presidents.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Daisy E. Lampkin.

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- 0207 **Nominating Committee—General, 1953.** 149pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments; factionalism and internal politics.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Henry Lee Moon; Gloster B. Current.
- 0356 **Nominating Committee, January–September 1954.** 128pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments; policies and procedures.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall; Arthur B. Spingarn; Channing H. Tobias.
- 0484 **Nominating Committee—General, October–December 1954.** 113pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments; factionalism and internal politics; policies and procedures.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Daisy E. Lampkin.
- 0597 **Nominating Committee—General, 1955.** 168pp.
Major Topics: Elections; regional composition of NAACP board of directors; branch activities; assignments; policies and procedures; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: Roy Wilkins; Gloster B. Current; Lucille Black.
- 0765 **Nominating Committee—National Advisory Committee, Idea For, 1953–1954.** 65pp.
Major Topics: Role of NAACP vice presidents; reorganization proposals; assignments; policies and procedures; public relations; fund-raising.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Alfred Baker Lewis; Kivie Kaplan; Arthur B. Spingarn; Thurgood Marshall; Gloster B. Current; Henry Lee Moon; Roy Wilkins; Walter P. Reuther.
- 0830 **Nominating Committee—Tally Sheets, 1946–1955.** 37pp.
Major Topic: Elections.
Principal Correspondents: n.a.
- 0867 **Non-Voting Status of Vice-Presidents, 1950–1951.** 28pp.
Major Topics: Elections; policies and procedures; fund-raising; factionalism and internal politics.
Principal Correspondents: Douglas P. Falconer; William Lloyd Imes; Ira W. Jayne; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall.
- 0895 **Nutter, T. G., 1944–1947.** 5pp.
Major Topics: Travel arrangements; Freedom House.
Principal Correspondents: T. G. Nutter; Roy Wilkins.

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- 0001 **O'Day, Caroline, 1943.** 8pp.
Major Topics: Public relations; death of board members.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Odete Harper.
- 0009 **Ovington, Mary White, 1940–1944.** 218pp.
Major Topics: Factionalism and internal politics; financial matters; fund-raising; contributions; publications; assignments; publicity; public relations; membership drives; committee on administration; resignations; cooperation among civil rights and labor groups; NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc.; bequests; policies and procedures; work of churches in promoting NAACP; branch activities; personnel; friction between staff and board members; mass meetings.
Principal Correspondents: Mary White Ovington; Roy Wilkins; William Pickens; Walter White; George B. Murphy, Jr.; Thurgood Marshall; Daisy E. Lampkin; Arthur B. Spingarn; Richetta G. Randolph.
- 0227 **Ovington, Mary White, 1945–1946.** 146pp.
Major Topics: Publications; war effort; Scottsboro Boys; armed services personnel; membership campaigns; personnel; policies and procedures; radio broadcasts; factionalism and internal politics; friction between staff and board members; need for additional office space; financial matters; Fair Employment Practices Committee; legal cases; discrimination in transportation; Anti-Lynching Bill.
Principal Correspondents: Mary White Ovington; Richetta G. Randolph; Roy Wilkins; Walter White; Julia E. Baxter; Catherine T. Freeland; Ella J. Baker; Robert L. Carter; Arthur B. Spingarn; John Haynes Holmes.
- 0373 **Ovington, Mary White, 1947–1951.** 174pp.
Major Topics: Publications; personnel; policies and procedures; financial matters; legal cases; U.S. Supreme Court decisions; press relations.
Principal Correspondents: Mary White Ovington; Roy Wilkins; Walter White; Louis T. Wright; Richetta G. Randolph; Marian Wynn Perry; John D. Newsom; Annette H. Peyser; Julia E. Baxter; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Arthur B. Spingarn; Henry Lee Moon.
- 0547 **Pickens, William—Concerning, 1941.** 41pp.
Major Topics: Branch activities; friction between staff and board members; policies and procedures; factionalism and internal politics; personnel; support for war effort; economic programs.
Principal Correspondents: William Pickens; Walter White; Daisy E. Lampkin; E. Frederic Morrow; Alfred Baker Lewis; Lucille Black; Richetta G. Randolph; Arthur B. Spingarn.
- 0588 **Poletti, Charles, 1940–1944.** 42pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; political matters; branch activities; cooperation among civil rights groups.
Principal Correspondents: Charles Poletti; Walter White; Catherine T. Freeland; Daisy E. Lampkin; Edward L. Bernays.
- 0630 **Political Action, 1944 and 1950–1953.** 22pp.
Major Topics: Policies and procedures; publicity; public relations; branch activities; youth programs; voter registration.
Principal Correspondents: Charles E. Toney; Charles H. Houston; Walter White; Herbert L. Wright; Clarence Mitchell; Ruby Hurley.

- 0652 **Powell, Adam Clayton, Sr., 1944–1947.** 7pp.
Major Topics: Publications; public relations.
Principal Correspondents: Adam Clayton Powell, Sr.; Walter White; Richetta G. Randolph.
- 0659 **Randolph, A. Philip, 1940–1951.** 17pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; National Negro Congress; branch activities; cooperation among civil rights and labor groups.
Principal Correspondents: A. Philip Randolph; Walter White; Daisy E. Lampkin; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Roy Wilkins.
- 0676 **Ransom, Willard, 1948.** 4pp.
Major Topics: Press relations; nominations.
Principal Correspondents: Roy Wilkins; Henry Lee Moon.
- 0680 **Ransome, W. L., 1940.** 8pp.
Major Topics: Publications; meetings; assignments; fund-raising.
Principal Correspondents: W. L. Ransome; Walter White.
- 0688 **Redmond, S. R., 1940.** 3pp.
Major Topic: Meetings.
Principal Correspondent: S. R. Redmond.
- 0691 **Reorganization of the Committee System, 1947.** 123pp.
Major Topics: Reorganization proposals; assignments; personnel; legislative programs; Fair Employment Practices Committee.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Gloster B. Current; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Marian Wynn Perry; Roy Wilkins; Arthur B. Spingarn.
- 0814 **Report Concerning Executive Secretary, 1950.** 4pp.
Major Topics: Reorganization proposals; friction between staff and board members; personnel.
Principal Correspondents: Judah Cahn; Nathan K. Christopher; Hubert T. Delany; Earl B. Dickerson; Lillie M. Jackson; Daisy E. Lampkin; Arthur B. Spingarn; Louis T. Wright; William H. Hastie.
- 0818 **Reports of Youth Secretary, 1946.** 32pp.
Major Topics: Youth programs; national conferences; armed services personnel; legislative programs; economic programs; membership campaigns; personnel; universities and colleges.
Principal Correspondents: Roy Wilkins; Ruby Hurley.
- 0850 **Report on 1944 Resolution, 1945.** 6pp.
Major Topics: National conferences; reorganization proposals; revision of NAACP constitution.
Principal Correspondents: Charles H. Houston; Roy Wilkins; Julian D. Steele.
- 0856 **Revised Constitution, 1945–1946.** 77pp.
Major Topics: Constitution and by-laws of NAACP; reorganization proposals; minutes of meetings; branch activities; press relations.
Principal Correspondents: Thurgood Marshall; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Charles E. Toney; Ella J. Baker; Madison S. Jones, Jr.

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- 0001 **Robinson, James, 1940–1948.** 80pp.
Major Topics: Youth programs; Morningside Community Center; branch activities; cooperation among church and civil rights groups; financial matters; educational programs; race relations; policies and procedures; support for war effort; Vassar College; press relations; tax-exempt status; armed services personnel; discrimination in hospitals; friction between staff and board members; need for additional office space; nominations.
Principal Correspondents: James H. Robinson; E. Frederic Morrow; Walter White; Stephen D. Wise; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Roy Wilkins; Edward R. Dudley.
- 0081 **Robinson, James, 1951–1953.** 49pp.
Major Topics: Publications; press relations; race relations; international relations; policies and procedures; allegations of Communist influence; U.S. State Department passport restrictions; American Youth Congress; International Negro Congress; Jefferson School of Social Science; American Youth for Democracy; Council on African Affairs; African Academy of Arts and Research.
Principal Correspondents: James H. Robinson; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Eleanor Roosevelt; Henry Lee Moon; Justine Wise Polier.
- 0130 **Roosevelt, Eleanor, 1946–1955.** 182pp.
Major Topics: Resignations; nominations; friction between staff and board members; factionalism and internal politics; public relations; Howard University; United Nations; international relations; political matters; publications; radio broadcasts; discrimination in housing.
Principal Correspondents: Eleanor Roosevelt; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Robert C. Weaver; Henry Lee Moon; Channing H. Tobias.
- 0312 **Russell, Charles Edward, 1940–1941.** 72pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; national defense; armed services personnel; Inter-Racial Committee; policies and procedures; *The Crisis*; Southern Electoral Reform League; bequests; publications; radio broadcasts; branch activities; allegations of Communist influence.
Principal Correspondents: Charles Edward Russell; Walter White; Sara W. Brown; George S. Schuyler; Roy Wilkins; Gertrude B. Stone; C. Herbert Marshall, Jr.
- 0384 **Secretary's Reports, 1940.** 49pp.
Major Topics: Meetings; Anti-Lynching Bill; political matters; fund-raising; membership campaigns; employment discrimination; civil service; House Un-American Activities Committee; U.S. Department of Justice; national health reform proposals; youth programs; public relations; educational programs; university admission cases; teachers' salary cases; press relations; national defense employment; criminal defense cases; U.S. Supreme Court decisions; NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc.; benefit concerts; national conferences; U.S. presidential campaigns; race riots; violence and intimidation; armed services personnel.
Principal Correspondent: Walter White.
- 0433 **Secretary's Reports, 1942.** 84pp.
Major Topics: National defense employment; segregated blood banks; armed services personnel; press relations; public relations; support for war effort; Anti-Poll Tax Bill; lynchings; branch activities; policies and procedures; university admission cases; teachers salary cases; Texas White Primary; motion pictures; public housing; membership campaigns; legislative programs; bequests.
Principal Correspondent: Walter White.

- 0517 **Secretary's Reports, 1943–1944.** 135pp.
Major Topics: National defense employment; segregated blood banks; armed services personnel; press relations; public relations; support for war effort; Anti-Lynching bill; Anti-Poll Tax Bill; lynchings; branch activities; policies and procedures; university admission cases; teachers salary cases; Texas White Primary; motion pictures; public housing; membership campaigns; legislative programs; U.S. presidential campaigns; Fair Employment Practices Committee; race riots; violence and intimidation; wage and price controls; national conferences; railroad transportation cases.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins.
- 0652 **Secretary's Reports, 1945.** 136pp.
Major Topics: National defense employment; armed services personnel; press relations; public relations; support for war effort; Anti-Poll Tax Bill; lynchings; branch activities; policies and procedures; university admission cases; teachers salary cases; Texas White Primary; motion pictures; public housing; membership campaigns; legislative programs; benefit concerts; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; veterans affairs; Fair Employment Practices Committee.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; W. E. B. Du Bois; Thurgood Marshall.
- 0788 **Secretary's Reports, January–June 1946.** 100pp.
Major Topics: National defense employment; segregated blood banks; armed services personnel; press relations; public relations; Anti-Poll Tax Bill; lynchings; branch activities; policies and procedures; university admission cases; teachers salary cases; motion pictures; public housing; membership campaigns; legislative programs; Fair Employment Practices Committee; race riots; violence and intimidation; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; bus transportation cases; criminal defense cases; veterans affairs; national health reform proposals; youth programs.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Thurgood Marshall.

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- 0001 **Secretary's Reports, August–November 1946.** 127pp.
Major Topics: Lynchings; violence and intimidation; press relations; public relations; voting rights; Anti-Lynching Bill; veterans affairs; radio broadcasts; branch activities; policies and procedures; bequests; legislative programs; Anti-Poll Tax Bill; armed services personnel; international relations; Pan African Congress; race riots; national conferences.
Principal Correspondent: Walter White.

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- 0128 **Secretary's Reports, 1947.** 144pp.
Major Topics: Branch activities; policies and procedures; press relations; public relations; bequests; legislative programs; Anti-Poll Tax Bill; armed services personnel; international relations; national conferences; public housing; rent control; discrimination in motion pictures; legal cases; personnel; veterans affairs; youth programs; President's Committee on Civil Rights; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Gloster B. Current; Mabel D. Jackson.
- 0272 **Secretary's Reports, 1948.** 109pp.
Major Topics: Branch activities; policies and procedures; press relations; public relations; bequests; membership campaigns; fund-raising; legislative programs; armed services personnel; international relations; national conferences; public housing; rent control; discrimination in motion pictures; legal cases; personnel; veterans affairs; youth programs; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; educational programs.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Roy Wilkins.
- 0381 **Secretary's Reports, 1949.** 127pp.
Major Topics: Branch activities; policies and procedures; press relations; public relations; bequests; membership campaigns; fund-raising; legislative programs; armed services personnel; international relations; national conferences; public housing; rent control; discrimination in motion pictures; legal cases; personnel; veterans affairs; youth programs; cooperation among church, labor, and civil rights groups; educational programs.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Walter P. Offutt, Jr.; Gloster B. Current; Henry Lee Moon; Roy Wilkins.
- 0508 **Secretary's Reports, 1950-1952.** 262pp.
Major Topics: Branch activities; policies and procedures; press relations; public relations; bequests; membership campaigns; fund-raising; legislative programs; armed services personnel; international relations; national conferences; public housing; rent control; discrimination in motion pictures; legal cases; personnel; veterans affairs; youth programs; cooperation among church, labor, and civil rights groups; educational programs; U.S. presidential campaigns.
Principal Correspondents: Roy Wilkins; Walter White; Thurgood Marshall; Henry Lee Moon.
- 0770 **Secretary's Reports, 1953.** 127pp.
Major Topics: Branch activities; policies and procedures; press relations; public relations; bequests; membership campaigns; fund-raising; legislative programs; armed services personnel; international relations; national conferences; public housing; rent control; discrimination in motion pictures; legal cases; personnel; veterans affairs; youth programs; cooperation among church, labor, and civil rights groups; educational programs.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Mabel D. Jackson.

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Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Herbert Hill; Edward R. Dudley; Roy Wilkins.

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Major Topics: Branch activities; policies and procedures; press relations; public relations; bequests; membership campaigns; fund-raising; legislative programs; armed services personnel; international relations; national conferences; public housing; rent control; discrimination in motion pictures; legal cases; personnel; veterans affairs; youth programs; cooperation among church, labor, and civil rights groups; educational programs; school integration cases; voting rights.

Principal Correspondent: Roy Wilkins.

0254 **Singleton, John A., 1945–1947.** 10pp.

Major Topics: Elections; press relations; nominations.

Principal Correspondents: John A. Singleton; Roy Wilkins; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Walter White.

0264 **Smalls, Ike, 1946–1955.** 71pp.

Major Topics: Elections; branch and regional activities; nominations; role of NAACP vice presidents; press relations; friction between staff and board members.

Principal Correspondents: Ike Smalls; Walter White; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Thurgood Marshall; Lucille Black; Roy Wilkins.

0335 **Smith, A. Maceo, 1948–1951.** 8pp.

Major Topics: Nominations; press relations; financial matters; fund-raising; friction between staff and board members; factionalism and internal politics.

Principal Correspondents: A. Maceo Smith; Henry Lee Moon; Walter White.

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Principal Correspondents: Theodore Spaulding; Roy Wilkins; Walter White; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Lucille Black; Louis T. Wright; Henry Lee Moon; Gloster B. Current.

- 0398 **Statement to Democratic and Republican Conventions, 1944.** 183pp.
Major Topics: U.S. presidential campaigns; political matters; policies and procedures; legislative programs; educational programs; Fair Employment Practices Committee; minutes of meetings; factionalism and internal politics; cooperation among civil rights groups; armed services personnel; voting rights; Anti-Lynching Bill; Socialist Party of America; public relations.
Principal Correspondents: William H. Hastie; Walter White; Arthur B. Spingarn; Louis T. Wright; Charles E. Toney; Hubert T. Delany; Channing H. Tobias; J. M. Tinsley; Eugene Martin; Roscoe Dunjee; Alfred Baker Lewis; Thurgood Marshall; Roy Wilkins; Leslie S. Perry; O. Clay Maxwell; Marshall Field; W. J. Walls; William Lloyd Imes; Harry E. Davis; S. Joe Brown; Carl Murphy; Robert E. Treman; L. Pearl Mitchell; Buell G. Gallagher; Marion Cuthbert; John B. Hall; S. Ralph Harlow; Walter Gray Crump; Daisy E. Lampkin; Godfrey L. Cabot; Isadore Martin; Allen F. Jackson; E. W. Taggart; Arthur Capper; Julian D. Steele; Earl B. Dickerson; John Haynes Holmes; Allan Knight Chalmers; Oswald Garrison Villard; T. G. Nutter; A. Philip Randolph; Douglas P. Falconer; Lillian A. Alexander; Sidney R. Redmond; Amy E. Spingarn; William A. Neilson.
- 0581 **Speaking Engagements, 1945–1953.** 107pp.
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Principal Correspondents: Hubert T. Delany; Roy Wilkins; Daniel E. Byrd; Alfred Baker Lewis; Kelly M. Alexander; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Edward R. Dudley; Thurgood Marshall; Marian Wynn Perry; Gloster B. Current; Walter White; Eleanor Roosevelt; Franklin H. Williams.
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Principal Correspondents: Amy E. Spingarn; Walter White.
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Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Marian Wynn Perry; Lewis S. Gannett; Arthur B. Spingarn; O. Clay Maxwell; Harry E. Davis; William Lloyd Imes; Charles E. Toney; Channing H. Tobias; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Roy Wilkins; Marion Cuthbert; Alfred Baker Lewis; Theodore Spaulding; Charles H. Houston; Ira W. Jayne; Nannie H. Burroughs; John Haynes Holmes; Carl Murphy; Adam Clayton Powell, Sr.; A. Philip Randolph; Amy E. Spingarn; Oswald Garrison Villard; Mary McLeod Bethune; Arthur Capper; John A. Gregg; LeRoy E. Carter; Earl B. Dickerson; Norman O. Houston; Herbert H. Lehman; James L. Hicks; Louis T. Wright; Annette H. Peyser; Gloster B. Current; Henry Lee Moon.

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Principal Correspondents: Julian D. Steele; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; George S. Schuyler; Alfred Baker Lewis; Franklin H. Williams; E. W. Taggart; Louis T. Wright; J. M. Tinsley; John Hammond; Arthur B. Spingarn; Channing H. Tobias.
- 0182 **Subsidy for Executive Secretary, 1945–1947.** 39pp.
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Principal Correspondents: Walter White; William Lloyd Imes; Charles E. Toney; L. D. Reddick; Milton R. Konvitz; Roy Wilkins; Hubert T. Delany; Benjamin J. Davis, Jr.; Noma Jenson.
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Principal Correspondents: R. J. Thomas; Walter White.
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Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Thurgood Marshall; J. M. Tinsley; Lucille Black.

- 0295 **Tobias, Channing H.—General, 1943–1949.** 134pp.
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Principal Correspondents: Channing H. Tobias; Walter White; Thurgood Marshall; Roy Wilkins; William H. Hastie; Marian Wynn Perry; Benjamin E. Mays; Oscar Ewing; Madison S. Jones, Jr.
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Principal Correspondents: Channing H. Tobias; Thurgood Marshall; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Roy Wilkins; Walter White; Henry Lee Moon; Arthur B. Spingarn; Anson Phelps Stokes.
- 0579 **Tobias, Channing H.—General, 1954.** 142pp.
Major Topics: Elections; assignments; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; policies and procedures; youth programs; international relations; Phelps-Stokes Fund; Young Men's Christian Association; U.S. Supreme Court nominations; public relations.
Principal Correspondents: Channing H. Tobias; Ralph J. Bunche; William H. Hastie; Alfred Baker Lewis; Thurgood Marshall; Henry Lee Moon; Theodore Spaulding; Arthur B. Spingarn; Robert C. Weaver; Roy Wilkins; Walter White; Algernon D. Black; Jawaharlal Nehru; Morris Ernst; Eugene E. Barnett.
- 0721 **Tobias, Channing H.—General, January–June 1955.** 227pp.
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Principal Correspondents: Channing H. Tobias; Kivie Kaplan; Philip R. Mather; Reinhold Niebuhr; Arthur J. Moore; Roland B. Gittelsohn; Roy Wilkins; Anna Arnold Hedgeman; Abe Stark; Nathan Straus; Anson Phelps Stokes.

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Major Topics: Elections; assignments; Young Men's Christian Association; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; television broadcasts; public relations; international relations; fund-raising; publications; educational programs.
Principal Correspondents: Channing H. Tobias; W. C. Handy; Charles Dunbar Sherman; Olivia Pearl Stokes; Thurgood Marshall; Anson Phelps Stokes; J. Raymond Henderson.

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Major Topics: Radio broadcasts; United Nations; international relations; race relations; public relations; branch activities.
Principal Correspondents: Channing H. Tobias; Henry Lee Moon; Walter White.
- 0337 **Townsend, Willard S., 1950–1954.** 6pp.
Major Topics: Elections; role of NAACP vice presidents; cooperation among labor and civil rights groups; United Transport Service Employees, Congress of Industrial Organizations.
Principal Correspondents: Willard S. Townsend; Roy Wilkins; Walter White.
- 0343 **Toney, Charles, 1942–1949 [1951].** 160pp.
Major Topics: Chairman of the board of directors; assignments; policies and procedures; personnel; financial matters; planning for national conferences; nominations; public relations; branch activities; youth programs; press relations; support for war effort; race riots; violence and intimidation; Fair Employment Practices Committee; reorganization proposals; friction between staff and board members; legal cases; racially restrictive covenants on housing; resignations.
Principal Correspondents: Charles E. Toney; Walter White; Richetta G. Randolph; James H. Robinson; Palmer Weber; Roy Wilkins; Allan Knight Chalmers; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Gloster B. Current; Thurgood Marshall.
- 0503 **Treman, Robert, 1941–1944.** 126pp.
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- 0629 **Vann, Jessie, 1948–1954.** 17pp.
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Principal Correspondents: Jessie Vann; Walter White; Bobbye Branche; Gloster B. Current.
- 0646 **Veterans Affairs Office—Inauguration of, 1944.** 29pp.
Major Topics: Personnel matters; veterans affairs; legislative programs; public relations; armed services personnel; discrimination in American Legion branches; branch activities; American Council on Race Relations; Fair Employment Practices Committee; fund-raising.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Leslie S. Perry; DeHaven Hinkson; William H. Hastie; Thurgood Marshall; Roy Wilkins; Samuel Zemurray.
- 0675 **Wald, Lillian D., 1940.** 16pp.
Major Topics: Memorials; Henry Street Settlement.
Principal Correspondents: Walter White; Rita Wallach Morgenthau.
- 0691 **Walls, W. J., 1942–1953.** 90pp.
Major Topics: African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church; fund-raising; elections; press relations; legislative programs; support for war effort; Fair Employment Practices Committee; Judaism; national conferences; nominations; international relations; postwar conditions and occupation forces in Europe; youth programs; role of NAACP vice presidents; relations between churches and NAACP; protests against Smith Act prosecutions; U.S. State Department personnel.
Principal Correspondents: W. J. Walls; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Madison S. Jones, Jr.

- 0781 **Weaver, Robert C., 1951–1955.** 32pp.
Major Topics: Race relations; publications; elections; assignments; branch activities; planning for national conferences.
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- 0813 **Weber, Palmer, 1945–1953.** 63pp.
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Principal Correspondents: Palmer Weber; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Henry Lee Moon; Leslie S. Perry; Frances R. Grant; Helen S. Mangold; Thurgood Marshall; Theodore Spaulding; Louis T. Wright; Earl B. Dickerson.

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Major Topics: Motion pictures; race relations; support for musicians; assignments; legal cases; racially restrictive housing covenants; elections; nominations; regional composition of board of directors; role of NAACP vice presidents.
Principal Correspondents: Andrew D. Weinberger; Walter White; Milton R. Konvitz; Roy Wilkins; William H. Hastie; Thurgood Marshall; Robert L. Carter.
- 0068 **Wiggins, Ulysses S., 1948–1954.** 14pp.
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Principal Correspondents: Ulysses S. Wiggins; Henry Lee Moon; Walter White; Roy Wilkins.
- 0082 **Williams, Frances Harriet, 1940–1951.** 33pp.
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Principal Correspondents: Frances Harriet Williams; Elizabeth Eastman; Walter White; Roy Wilkins; Ruth M. Bronson.

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- 0212 **Wright, Louis T.—General, 1945–1947.** 110pp.
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Principal Correspondents: Louis T. Wright; Roy Wilkins; Walter White; Thurgood Marshall; Lucille Black; Daisy E. Lampkin; Bobbye Branche; Gloster B. Current; W. J. Walls; C. L. Dellums; Grant Reynolds; A. Philip Randolph; Madison S. Jones, Jr.
- 0322 **Wright, Louis T.—General, 1948–1949.** 99pp.
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Principal Correspondents: Louis T. Wright; Walter White; W. Montague Cobb; Julia E. Baxter; Eugene Martin; J. A. C. Lattimore; Madison S. Jones, Jr.; Roy Wilkins; Daisy E. Lampkin; Thurgood Marshall; Frieda B. Hennock; Henry Lee Moon.
- 0421 **Wright, Louis T.—General, 1950–May 1952.** 154pp.
Major Topics: Physicians Forum; legislative programs; Taft-Hartley Act; national health reform proposals; press relations; NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc.; immigrants from the West Indies; public relations; financial matters; international relations; testimonial dinners; radio broadcasts.
Principal Correspondents: Louis T. Wright; Roy Wilkins; Charles T. Lunsford; Essie Goode Robeson; Walter White; Thurgood Marshall; Ralph J. Bunche; William H. Hastie; Henry Lee Moon; Clarence Mitchell; Eleanor Roosevelt.
- 0575 **Wright, Louis T.—General, June 1952–1953.** 133pp.
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Principal Correspondents: Louis T. Wright; Walter White; Henry Lee Moon; William H. Hastie; W. Montague Cobb.
- 0708 **Wright, Louis T.—Death of, 1952.** 113pp.
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