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**Inventory of the  
Frank Albert Young Papers, 1910 - 1989**

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## Descriptive Summary

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| <b>Title:</b>                | Frank Albert Young Papers, 1910 - 1989  |
| <b>Dates</b>                 | 1910-1989   |
| <b>Bulk</b>                  | 1970-1988   |
| <b>Creator:</b>              | Young, Frank Albert, 1905-1990  |
| <b>Abstract:</b>             | <p>Frank Albert Young (1905-1990), worked as a journalist, historian, lecturer, and activist. Young, frequently referred to as "Mzee" (respected wise elder) and "Mwalimu" (dedicated teacher) was one of the last living members of "The Harlem Round Table." He was the founding member of the Third World Press News Service, Third World-American Education Association and Pan-African Communications Committee and was a member of numerous social justice, and grassroots organizations.</p> <p>The majority of this collection includes correspondence (both business and personal), as well as newsletters, pamphlets, magazine and newspaper clippings from social justice, civil rights, grassroots and political organizations, some which Young founded or co-founded. Several organizations document Young's involvement as a journalist/media representative. The collection also includes documents used in Young's instruction to youth, with research materials on African American, African and South African histories, with periodicals and newsletters on the anti-apartheid movement; and documents pertaining to Young's Native American heritage (the Lenni Lenape tribe). Young also conducted extensive research on a variety of topics, including the Underground Railroad in Pennsylvania and the Ku Klux Klan which is reflected in the periodicals, newspaper and magazine clippings. The remainder of the collection holds brief photographs of Young, his various notes on businesses he contacted and newsletters and periodicals, mostly from African American grassroots organizations.</p> |
| <b>Extent:</b>               | 5.0 Linear feet (8 archival boxes, 1 oversize box and 1 oversize folder)  |
| <b>Repository:</b>           | Avery Research Center   |
| <b>Call Number:</b>          | AMN 1136  |
| <b>Language of Material:</b> | Material is in English  |

## Biographical Note

Frank Albert Young, (1905-1990) was born in Chicago, Illinois to Adaline Harrison Young and Frank "Fay" Albert Young Sr. His father was considered the "Dean of Black sportswriters," and was the managing editor for the *Chicago Defender* newspaper. Nicknamed "Ghost Green Eyes," Young (Jr.) identified himself as "part Amish, part American Indian and part black." His Native American heritage is attributed to the Lenni Lenape tribe (Delaware Indians).

Young would become a printer's devil (otherwise known as apprentice) at the *Defender* and eventually followed in his father's footsteps by becoming a sports editor. He held numerous positions during his life, including being the assistant secretary of the Negro National League, and as a social worker in Los Angeles, California. Young wrote for a number of newspapers and participated in labor organizations internationally. He established the Third World Press News Service, Third World-American Education Association and the Pan-African Communication Committee. A strong advocate and promoter for having African American history taught in high schools and colleges, Young was a frequent lecturer at secondary and academic institutions across the country.

Young was married to Esther Adams.

Work Cited:

Gemperlein, Joyce. "Bringing History to Life." *The Philadelphia Inquirer* 17 June 1987: 1-B, 2-B. Print.

## Collection Overview

The collection is divided into six series:

**Series 1. Biographical Documents** contains photocopied newspaper articles focusing on Frank Albert Young with brief photographs, manuscripts and poems written by Young. A sub-series contains correspondence, mostly letters (business and personal) sent to Young, along with greeting and postcards. Letters from authors include poet, SDiane (Adamz-) Bogus and historian, William Loren Katz.

**Series 2. Organizational Affiliations** holds various correspondence, organizational publications, newsletters, newspaper and magazine clippings and circulars pertaining to the associations Young established, co-founded or was a member. Many of the organizations are of a social justice, civil rights, grassroots and/or political nature. Several organizations such as the Third World Press and Pan-African Press (established in Charleston, South Carolina) document Young's involvement as a journalist/media representative. The series also contains Young's research on the Ku Klux Klan (which is also represented in Series 3) in Pennsylvania and nationally. In addition, the series includes newsletters and releases regarding the Free South Africa Movement and the Anti-Apartheid Act of 1985; the murder of Eula Mae Love (1979) by a Los Angeles police officer, represented by the National Alliance Against Racist and Political Repression; materials regarding the formation of the National Black United Front, a grassroots organization originated in Brooklyn, New York, who also led a campaign for the missing children in Atlanta, Georgia (1981). Young's interest also included environmental protection which include organizations dedicated to the preservation of coastal and barrier resources (Barrier Island Coalition, Folly Beach (South Carolina) Erosion Committee) and documents pertaining to Daufuskie Island and the Coastal Barrier Resources Act. A sub-series includes newsletters, news releases and circulars from grassroots and national organizations pertaining to workers rights and issues and civil rights.

**Series 3. Instructional and Research Materials** comprises materials collected by Young for his teaching and writings on African American, African and Native American history and heritage. Included are biographical sketches (newspaper clippings and Young's handwritten notes) with both notable and unacknowledged African Americans and people of African descent. Also included are booklets, journal essays, newspaper and magazine clippings, and educational material catalogs pertaining to African-American history. Included are Young's research on the Underground Railroad, focusing on the Pennsylvania to Canada connection. The sub-series on Native Americans includes materials from the Lenni Lenape Historical Society (Allentown, Pennsylvania), along with journal essays and magazine pictorials of various tribes in the United States. African history holds essays, maps and a sub-group with periodicals, journal essays, news releases and circulars pertaining to apartheid and the anti-apartheid movement in South Africa. The series also includes various conference papers and reports from national organizations including the KUUMBA Foundation, (part of the Congress of African Peoples). The sub-series Literary Productions contains poems collected by Young and a partial draft of an untitled screenplay which would become the movie *Daughters of the Dust* by Julie Dash.

**Series 4. Subject Files** incorporates various printed documents, newspaper and magazine clippings, relating to the political, professional and personal interest of Frank Albert Young. Includes an large section on the topic of race relations and racism.

**Series 5. Various Materials** holds various notes, mostly of business and media mailing addresses and labels used by Young. Also, contains various brochures from government and non-profit agencies. Includes a folder of ephemera with a "Passenger's Check" issued by the Charleston (South Carolina) Consolidated Railway and Lighting Company (circa 1910).

**Series 6. Oversize Materials** contains newspapers, mostly from grassroots organizations and oversize posters collected by Young. Of note, is *The Black Panther Intercommunal News Service*, a newspaper edited by Huey P. Newton, and published by the Black Panther Party: Ministry of Information, (Volume XIX No. 9).

## Collection Arrangement

Series 1. Biographical Documents

Series 2. Organizational Affiliations

Series 3. Research and Instructional Materials

Series 4. Subject Files

Series 5: Various Materials

Series 6: Oversize Materials

## Restrictions

### Access Restrictions

No restrictions.

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## Subject Headings

Adamz-Bogus, SDiane, 1946-

Dash, Julie, 1952-

Katz, William Loren, 1940-

African American--Periodicals

African American--Study and teaching--Periodicals

Anti-apartheid movements--South Africa  
Apartheid--South Africa--History  
Apartheid--South Africa--Periodicals  
Associations, institutions, etc.--African American membership  
Black Panther Party--Newspapers  
Congress of African Peoples.  
Daufuskie Island (S.C.)--Social conditions.  
Delaware Indians--Lenni Lenape Indians  
Ku Klux Klan (1915- )--History--20th century.  
National Association of Black Social Workers  
National Black United Front  
United States. Coastal Barrier Resources Act

## **Administrative Information**

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### **Acquisition Note**

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### **Processing Information**

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Encoded by Aaron Spelbring, December 2014

## Detailed Description of the Collection

### Series 1: Biographical Documents, 1970-1989, and undated

This series includes photocopied newspaper articles focusing on Frank Albert Young, with brief photographs, manuscripts and poems by Young, with personal materials. Another sub-series contains correspondence, mostly letters (business and personal) sent to Young, along with greeting and postcards.

#### 1.1: Biographical Documents, 1970-1988, and undated

|                |  |   |
|----------------|--|---|
| Box 1 Folder 1 | <b>Biographical Profiles, 1986-1988, and undated</b> | Holds newspaper articles (photocopied) written about Young. Also includes Young's vita, business cards, and a Resolution issued by the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission, 4 May 1988. |
| Box 1 Folder 2 | <b>Manuscripts by Frank Albert Young, undated</b>    | Scattered historical writings and poems by "Mzee Young."  |
| Box 1 Folder 3 | <b>Photographs of Frank Albert Young, circa 1988</b> | Color professional prints (2 1/2x 3; 5 x7; and 8 x 10 inches).  |
| Box 1 Folder 4 | <b>Photographs, undated</b>                          | Several unidentified color images, with two of Young's brother protesting apartment conditions in Bronx, New York.  |
| Box 1 Folder 5 | <b>Various Personal Materials, 1970-1987</b>         | Contains invoices and personal phone book.  |

#### 1.2: Correspondence, 1975-1989

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|                 |   | Includes letters (business and personal) sent to Young, in addition to greeting and post cards.   |
| Box 1 Folder 6  | <b>Correspondence: Business, 1975-1979</b>  |   |
| Box 1 Folder 7  | <b>Correspondence: Business, 1982-1984</b>  | Includes a letter with newspaper article from "Black Indian" historian, William Loren Katz, thanking Young for his information on "Black Westerners." |
| Box 1 Folder 8  | <b>Correspondence: Business, 1986-1989</b>  |   |
| Box 1 Folder 9  | <b>Correspondence-Business: Jeremiah Gadsden Memorial Scholarship Fund, Charleston, South Carolina, 1985-1987</b> | Letters written by Mario Gadsden, the brother of Jeremiah regarding programing and promotion of this scholarship.                                     |
| Box 1 Folder 10 | <b>Correspondence: Joseph R. Messina, South Orange, New Jersey, 1980-1988</b>                                     | Young's correspondence with a portrait artist.  |

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| Box 1 Folder 11 | Correspondence: Personal, 1976-1979                    |
| Box 1 Folder 12 | Correspondence: Personal, 1980                         |
| Box 1 Folder 13 | Correspondence: Personal, 1981-1982                    |
| Box 1 Folder 14 | Correspondence: Personal, 1984-1987                    |
| Box 1 Folder 15 | Correspondence: Invitations, 1979-1989                 |
|                 | Invitations from academic and civic organizations.     |
| Box 2 Folder 1  | Correspondence: Greeting Cards, 1979-1981              |
| Box 2 Folder 2  | Correspondence: Greeting Cards, 1984-1986, and undated |
| Box 2 Folder 3  | Correspondence: Postcards, 1978-1983, and undated      |

Includes unsend cards addressed to Young's son Duncan and blank cards.

## Series 2: Organizational Affiliations, 1970-1989

Contains documents pertaining to Young's organizations which he either established, co-founded or was an member of.

### 2.1: Organizational Activities, 1978-1989, and undated

This series includes documents associated with Frank Albert Young's affiliation with social justice, civil rights, political and grassroots associations. Many of which were founded or cofounded by Young. Several organizations document Young's involvement as a journalist/media representative.

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|----------------|---|
| Box 2 Folder 4 | African-American Educational Association, Phoenix, Arizona, 1978, 1981-1982 |
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Contains correspondence and invoices from book sellers.

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| Box 2 Folder 5 | Black Employee Association of the County of Los Angeles, 1979, 1980 |
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Contains correspondence and invitations.

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| Box 2 Folder 6 | Third World-American Education Association, Carbondale, Pennsylvania, 1981-1989 |
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Contains correspondence to Young with a letter and booklet from author and poet, SDiane (Adamz-) Bogus.

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| Box 2 Folder 7 | Third World Press (newspaper), Carbondale, Pennsylvania, 1982, 1984, 1988-1987 |
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Contains correspondence to Young regarding South Africa and Grenada, some with newspaper clippings; with blank letter head stationary.

### 2.2: Pan-African Press, Charleston, South Carolina, 1978-1987

An organization founded by Young, also known as the Pan-African Communication Committee. Contains correspondence, brochures, pamphlets, and newspaper clippings used in Young's research on the Ku Klux Klan in Pennsylvania and nationally.

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| Box 2 Folder 8 | Pan-African Press: General Correspondence, 1981-1982 |
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- Box 2 Folder 9 Pan-African Press: Correspondence from the United States Congress and Senate, 1980, 1985-1986  
Includes letters and news releases regarding the Free South Africa Movement and the Anti-Apartheid Act of 1985, spearheaded by Congressman Walter E. Fauntroy.
- Box 2 Folder 10 Pan-African Press: The Ku Klux Klan, 1978-1987  
Contains booklets and print outs from the Anti-Defamation League of B'Nai B'rith. Also view Box 9 (Oversize) for additional materials.
- Box 2 Folder 11 Pan-African Press: National Anti-Klan Network, 1981-1982, and undated  
Contains correspondence, brochures and newsletters.
- Box 2 Folder 12 Pan-African Press: Newspaper clippings regarding the Ku Klux Klan, 1980-1981  
Articles used in Young's research.
- 2.3: Affiliations, 1970-1988, and undated  
Organizations and associations in which Frank Young had membership and involvement in. Contains various correspondence, organizational publications, newsletters, newspaper and magazine clippings, and flyers.
- Box 3 Folder 1 Black Anti-Defamation Coalition, Incorporated, 1979-1980  
This organization is also referred to as the "Coalition Against the Airing of Beulah Land," a television mini-series. Includes position papers, newsletters and photocopied newspaper articles.
- Box 3 Folder 2 Black Coalition to March Against the Democratic Convention, 1980, 1984  
Contains press releases and election report, "Blacks and the 1984 Democratic National Convention: A Guide."
- Box 3 Folder 3 Center for Democratic Renewal, Atlanta, Georgia, 1984-1988  
Formerly the National Anti-Klan Network. Includes reports, photocopied newspaper and magazine articles, regarding Lyndon LaRouche.
- Box 3 Folder 4 International Committee Against Racism, Brooklyn, New York, 1978, 1980 and undated  
Includes newsletters, and booklets.
- Box 3 Folder 5 National Alliance Against Racist and Political Repression, Los Angeles, California, 1979  
Contains pamphlets, newsletters newspaper articles, and flyers regarding the murder of Eula Mae Love by a Los Angeles Police officer.
- Box 3 Folder 6 National Association for African-American Education, Los Angeles, California, 1970  
Includes correspondence (to and from) Young as organization's representative, regarding educational materials from the DuSable Museum of African American History, (Chicago, Illinois).

- Box 3 Folder 7      National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), 1978, 1981-1982, and undated
- Contains newsletters and flyers from the Maricopa County (Arizona) and the Charleston, South Carolina chapters. Also includes a "Black Voter Registration Goal" report from the South Carolina Conference of NAACP Branches (1982).
- Box 3 Folder 8      National Association of Black Social Workers, Los Angeles (California) Chapter, 1977-1979, and undated
- Includes newsletters, memorandums, pamphlets, conference programs, and handwritten notes by Young
- Box 3 Folder 9      National Black Child Development Association, 1985, 1986, and undated
- Includes background information typescript, newspaper article and report on African American morality.
- Box 3 Folder 10      National Black United Front, Brooklyn, New York, 1979-1981, 1983, 1985, and undated
- An African American grassroots organization established by the Reverend Herbert Daughtry. Contains letters to Young, booklet convention programs with "Mobilizing Kit" for the third conference, newsletters, flyers, press releases, and photocopied newspaper articles.
- Box 3 Folder 11      National Black United Front: Campaign for the Missing Children in Atlanta (Georgia), 1981
- Includes press releases, flyers, newspaper articles regarding the organization's effort to establish awareness and mobilize citizens on the Atlanta murders.
- Box 3 Folder 12      National Council of Senior Citizens, 1976-1979, 1983-1984, 1987-1988, and undated
- Contains newsletters, report, press release, and photocopied newspaper articles.
- Box 3 Folder 13      South Carolina Black Arts Coalition, 1981-1982, and undated
- Contains Constitution and By-Laws, conference programs, news releases, and board member guidelines for fundraising activities.
- 2.4: Affiliations: Environmental Protection Associations, 1979-1983, and undated
- Includes documents from organizations pertaining to the preservation of coastal and barrier resources. Organizations include the Barrier Islands Coalition, the Folly Beach Erosion Committee, and materials pertaining to the Coastal Barrier Resources Act.
- Box 3 Folder 14      Barrier Islands Coalition, 1979-1983, and undated
- A national organization for the protection of beach erosion, includes newsletters, correspondence, and brochures.
- Box 3 Folder 15      Folly Beach Erosion Committee, 1979, 1980, 1982, 1985, and undated
- Includes letters, agendas, brochures, etc. sent to Young as a board member.
- Box 3 Folder 16      Coastal Barrier Resources Act, 1982-1984, 1987

Contains information regarding Daufuskie Island, South Carolina sent by the National Wildlife Federation.

## 2.5: Newsletters, News Releases, and Circulars, 1978-1989, and undated

Contains publications and flyers from national and grassroots organizations.

Box 4 Folder 1

Newsletter: "AFRAM Drum", 1981, 1988

Contains several newsletters, flyer and handouts produced by a African-American grassroots organization, (AFRAM Alternative Information/Marketing Service) founded in Harlem, New York.

Box 4 Folder 2

Newsletter: "BEA Perspective", 1980-1981

A publication of the Black Employees Association of Los Angeles County. Also view Box 2 Folder 5 for additional materials on this organization.

Box 4 Folder 3

Newsletter: "Griot", 1980-1981

A publication of the Afro-American Cultural Program, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

Box 4 Folder 4

Newsletter: "Interreligious Foundation for Community Organization" (IFCO), 1981

An organization dealing with church and social materials. Newsletter discusses the "No More Jim Crow" campaign.

Box 4 Folder 5

Newsletter: "Missouri Valley Socialist", 1981-1983

Considered a "underground publication," these newsletters were published by the Northwest Iowa Socialist Party.

Box 4 Folder 6

Newsletter: "The Southern Libertarian Messenger," September-October, 1980

A Libertarian Party publication from Florence, South Carolina by Quality Education, Incorporated and John Hardlee.

Box 4 Folder 7

News Releases: African People's Christian Organization (A.P.C.O), 1985

A Brooklyn, New York grassroots organization. Contains writings regarding apartheid in South Africa.

Box 4 Folder 8

News Releases: A. Philip Randolph Institute, 1980-1985

Civil Rights leader, Bayard Rustin, President of the Randolph Institute authored numerous included news articles.

Box 4 Folder 9

News Releases: Motivational Communications, Incorporated, 1979-1980

A media marketing organization Young utilized in his work with Pan-African Communications and East/West Coast News Service.

Box 4 Folder 10

News Releases: Southern Organizing Committee for Economic & Social Justice, 1983

Regarding a civil rights case in Montgomery, Alabama.

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| Box 4 Folder 11 | Circulars: Charleston, South Carolina, 1981, 1989, and undated<br>Contains booklets, petition and flyers regarding cultural events and programs. |
| Box 4 Folder 12 | Circulars: Los Angeles, California, 1978-1982, and undated<br>Contains flyers of local events and grassroots based activities.                   |
| Box 4 Folder 13 | Circulars: New York, 1978, 1981, 1988, and undated<br>Contains flyers of grassroots based events.  |
| Box 4 Folder 14 | Circulars: Various, undated<br>Flyers from various organizations.  |

### **Series 3: Instructional and Research Materials, 1968-1989, and undated**

Contains materials collected by Young for his teaching and writings on African Americans, African and Native American history and heritage. Also includes conference papers and reports from academic institutions and grassroots organizations.

#### **3.1: African-American History, 1968-1989, and undated**

Contains biographical sketches used in Young's teaching to young students, with booklets, journal essays, newspaper and magazine clippings, and educational material catalogs pertaining to African American history.

##### **3.1.1: Biographical Sketches of African American People, Places and Events, 1980-1988, and undated**

Includes newspaper clippings and Young's handwritten notes with both notable and unacknowledged African Americans and people of African descent. Arranged alphabetically.

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| Box 5 Folder 1 | "A", 1983, and undated<br>Includes brief biographical sketch on: Aben Ali, Richard Allen, Arkansas State Educational System, Louis Armstrong, Emmett Littleton Ashford, and Crispus Attucks.  |
| Box 5 Folder 2 | "B", undated<br>Includes: Dehord Bailey, Benjamin Banneker, "First Black Baseball Player in Major Leagues," "First Black Profession Baseball Team," Basin Street Red Light District, Andrew Bishop and Cleo Desmond, Bithiah, "Black Popes," "Black Whalers," Bill Bottoms, John Wesley Bowen, Richard Henry Boyd, Clara Brown, E.C. Brown, Grafton Taylor Brown, William Wells Brown, Buffalo Soldiers, "Butterbeans and Susie." |
| Box 5 Folder 3 | "C", undated<br>Godfrey Cambridge, George Washington Carver, Colorado Gold Fields: (Clara Brown, Barney Ford, John Frazier, Ed Sanderlin), O.J.T. Conner, John F. Cook, and William and Ellen Craft.  |

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| Box 5 Folder 4  | "D", undated                 | Rodney M. Davis, William Deas, Francisco Vasquez DeCoronado, Warren Dodds, Isaiah Dorman, Frederick Douglass, W.E.B. DuBois, Ada Beatrice Louise Smith DuConge aka "Bricktop," Alexandre Dumas, Andrew Durnford, and Jean Baptiste Pointe DuSable. |
| Box 5 Folder 5  | "E", 1980, and undated       | The East Organization, Marian Wright Edelman, and Major General Robert B. Elliott.   |
| Box 5 Folder 6  | "F", 1987, 1988 and undated  | John Fleming, "Forten the Sail Maker," James and Charlotte Forten, T. Thomas Fortune, Samuel (Black Sam) Fraunces.   |
| Box 5 Folder 7  | "G", undated                 | Marcus Garvey, Eslanda Cardozo Goode, and Elizabeth Taylor Greenfield.   |
| Box 5 Folder 8  | "H", 1985, 1988, and undated | W.C. Handy, Jupiter Harmon, Arminius Hayne, Lemual Haynes, James Augustine Healy, Matthew Alexander Henson, and his descendants, Richard Huey, Alberta Hunter, and Zora Neale Hurston.   |
| Box 5 Folder 9  | "J", 1987, and undated       | Caterina Jarboro, Frances Johnson, Henry Johnson, James Weldon Johnson, Rear Admiral Wendell N. Johnson, Absalom Jones, Sissiretta Jones, Percy Julian, and Ernest Everett Just.   |
| Box 5 Folder 10 | "K", 1988, and undated       | Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Coretta Scott King.   |
| Box 5 Folder 11 | "L", undated                 | John Mercer Langston, Louis Howard Latimer, Canada Lee, Dr. Rebecca Lee, Edmonia Lewis, Nat Love, Dr. Miles Vandahurst Lynk and Beebe Steven Lynk.   |
| Box 5 Folder 12 | "M", 1987, and undated       | Thurgood Marshall, Florence Mills, Myrtila Miner, Arthur Mitchell, Mildred Mitchell-Bateman, Tom Molineaux, Fred R. Moore, Elias C. Morris, and Isaac Murphy.  |
| Box 5 Folder 13 | "O", undated                 | Burr Osborn, Oregon Trail and farmers, and Edward Ory.   |
| Box 5 Folder 14 | "P", 1986, 1987, and undated |  |

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|                 |                        | Harry H. Pace (Black Swan Photograph Company), "Pedro," Herman E. Perry, Bill Pickett, Pinckney Benton Stewart Pinchback, Fritz Pollard, Adam Clayton Powell, Sr., Nelson Primus, and Alexander Pushkin.                                    |
| Box 5 Folder 15 | "R", 1987, and undated | James T. Rapier, Louis Rawlins, Dr. Robert Reyburn, Willy T. Ribbs, Dr. Kay George Roberts, and Wilma Rudolph.  |
| Box 5 Folder 16 | "S", 1987, and undated | Dred Scott, Noble Sissle and Eubie Black, William J. Simmons, Drink Small, Southern Societies, and Richard B. Spikes.   |
| Box 5 Folder 17 | "T", 1987, and undated | Henry O. Tanner, Pierre Toussaint, Pierre Gustave Toutant-Beauregard, Beatrice Johnson Trammell, Dr. C. Travares, Williams Monroe Trotter, Sojourner Truth, James Milton Turner, and Nat Turner.  |
| Box 5 Folder 18 | "W", 1983, and undated | Madame C.J. Walker, Moses Fleetwood Walker, Ike Ward, Barbara Watson, Ida B. Wells, Joseph Wells, Whipper, Elliot, and Allen, Malvin Greston Whitfield, Bert Williams, Dr. Daniel Hale Williams, Peter Williams, and Carter Godwin Woodson. |

### 3.1.2: Teaching Materials, 1968-1989, and undated

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|                 |  | Contains booklets, journal essays, newspaper and magazine clippings, and educational material catalogs pertaining to African American history.                         |
| Box 5 Folder 19 | African American History Materials, 1968, 1988, and undated        | Contains various journal articles, booklets, information sheets and Young's handwritten notes of notable African Americans, many created for Black History Month.      |
| Box 5 Folder 21 | African American Composers, 1978-1980                              | Contains various photocopied newspaper articles regarding African American musicians compiled by AFRAM Associates.   |
| Box 5 Folder 20 | African American Journalism, 1970                                  | Contains an essay, "A Historical Perspective of the Black Press," by Jesse Carrington, Herald Dispatch.  |
| Box 5 Folder 21 | Civil War, Slavery, and the Underground Railroad, 1975, 1979, 1987 | Includes photocopied materials from the Pictorial Library of the Missouri Historical Society (1979), in addition to Young's newspaper clippings and handwritten notes. |
| Box 5 Folder 22 | Educational Materials Catalogs, 1980-1983, 1989, and undated       |  |

Includes brochures and flyers for books, prints, posters, etc. regarding African American history and culture.

### 3.2: Native American History, 1973-1986, and undated

Box 6 Folder 1 Native Americans: Lenni Lenape Historical Society, Allentown, Pennsylvania, 1984-1986, and undated

Contains newspaper article highlighting Young's Lenni Lenape's heritage, in addition to brochures, and out reach publications from the museum.

Box 6 Folder 2 Native Americans: Journal Essays and Articles, 1973-1979

Box 6 Folder 3 Native Americans: Magazine Images, undated

Holds images of Native Americans from various tribes from the 19th century. Original source of images is unknown.

### 3.3: African History, 1973-1989, and undated

Contains instructional materials, essays, maps and a sub-group regarding apartheid in South Africa.

#### 3.3.1: African History Teaching Materials, undated

Box 6 Folder 4 African History: Instructional Materials, undated

Contains instructional handouts for primary and secondary education.

Box 6 Folder 5 African History: Maps, undated

Contains various maps from reproduced from books, several with slave routes.

Box 6 Folder 6 African History: Various Journal Essays, undated

#### 3.3.2: South Africa, 1973-1989, and undated

Box 6 Folder 7 Newsletters: Southern Africa Support Committee, 1977-1980

Box 6 Folder 8 Newsletters: Corporate Information Center (CIC) Brief, 1973-1974, 1976

Box 6 Folder 9 Position Paper: "Student Anti-Apartheid Movement Newsletter," June, 1981

Issued by the American Committee on Africa (ACOA).

Box 6 Folder 10 United Nations Publications, 1981, 1986

Includes the Centre Against Apartheid, "Register of Entertainers, Actors and Others Who Have Performed in Apartheid South Africa."

Box 6 Folder 11 Various Materials regarding South Africa, 1976, 1978, 1985-1989

Contains scattered newsletters, magazine and newspaper articles, and flyers.

### 3.4: Conference Papers and Reports, 1971-1988, and undated

Box 7 Folder 1 Conference Papers: KUUMBA Foundation, San Diego, California, 1971

- An organization that was part of the Congress of African Peoples. Contains transcript from entire conference sessions.
- Box 7 Folder 2      **Conference Materials: 1988 Black History Conference, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, 1987-1988**
- Includes correspondence, program agendas, brochures regarding the conference. Young was recognized at this conference for his work as an historian.
- Box 7 Folder 3      **Conference Papers: 2nd International Performing Arts Conference, Montreal, Canada, 1986**
- Includes session transcripts from the Quebec Board of Black Educators, Incorporated presenters.
- Box 7 Folder 4      **Report: Sixth Pan-African Congress, 1974**
- Report of the Southern California Delegation.
- Box 7 Folder 5      **Various Reports, 1980, 1986, 1988, and undated**
- Includes "Breaking Down Barriers: New Evidence on the Impact of Metropolitan School Desegregation on Housing Patterns," (1980); "Summaries of Major Papers in "The State of Black America-1986," "Teacher-Pupil Relationships as Related to Intergroup and Interracial Problems," and "The Impact of Social/Economic Change on Households: A Profile of Six River Communities," (Pennsylvania-1988).
- 3.5: Literary Productions, 1970-1989, and undated**
- Includes poems collected by Young. Also contains of note is a partial draft an untitled screenplay which eventually became the movie, *Daughters of the Dust* by Julie Dash.
- Box 7 Folder 6      **Poems, 1970, 1979, 1980, and undated**
- Contains poetry written by various poets (published and unpublished), with several transcribed by Young.
- Box 7 Folder 7      **Screenplay: Partial draft of "shooting script" for *Daughters of the Dust*, 1989**
- Authored by Julie Dash; missing title page.

## **Series 4: Subject Files, 1972-1988, and undated**

This series contains various printed material, newspaper and magazine clippings, relating to the political, professional and personal interest of Frank Albert Young.

- Box 7 Folder 8      **Black Veterans for Social Justice, circa 1972**
- Contains brochures.
- Box 7 Folder 9      **British Information Services, 1980**
- Contains "List of Independent Countries and Dependencies within the Commonwealth."
- Box 7 Folder 10      **Education, 1988, and undated**
- Contains articles on the need to teach writing and the "school-student connection."



- Box 7 Folder 11 Guyana, South America, 1986  
 Contains booklet on Demerara Sugar Company.
- Box 7 Folder 12 Race Relations and Racism, 1980-1981, and undated  
 Contains journal essays and newspaper clippings.
- Box 7 Folder 13 Socialist Labor Party, 1984, and undated  
 Contains a letter to Young, brochures and circulars.

### Series 5: Various Materials, 1910-1981, and undated

- Hold's various notes, mostly of business and media mailing addresses and labels used by Young. Also contains various brochures from government and non-profit agencies, and a folder with brief ephemera.
- Box 8 Folder 1 Various Notes, 1981, and undated  
 Contains Young's handwritten notes, mostly of business and media mailing addresses.
- Box 8 Folder 2 Mailing Labels, undated  
 Labels from businesses cut and saved by Young.
- Box 8 Folder 3 Various Brochures, 1980, and undated  
 Pamphlets from government and non-profit agencies.
- Box 8 Folder 4 Audio-Visual Material: "We, The People" VHS video tape, undated
- Box 8 Folder 5 Ephemera, circa 1910 and 1976  
 Contains a "Passenger's Check" for three (3) cents fare, issued by the Charleston Consolidated Railway and Lighting Company (circa 1910) and a Michigan bicentennial automobile licence tag.

### Series 6: Oversize Materials, 1915-1988

- Contains newspapers, posters and an oversize photograph collected by Frank Young.
- Oversize 9 Periodicals: Newspapers, 1979-1988  
 Contains: *IFCO News* Spring/Summer 1979-January-February 1982 (also see Box 4 Folder 4 for newsletters published by the Interreligious Foundation for Community Organization). *The Black Panther Intercommunal News Service*, Huey P. Newton, editor, published by the Black Panther Party: Ministry of Information, Oakland, California, 5 August 1979. *The Front Page*, published by the National Black United Front-January 1981, Spring 1985, Fall 1986, Summer 1987 (Also see Box 3 Folder 11 for addition materials). *Innerview*, published by the Los Angeles Cultural Center, March 1981. *In/Form*, published by The Group for Integrated Studies, Charleston Heights, South Carolina, October 1980. *The Southern Courier*, Charleston, South Carolina, 12 August 1981, 16 September 1981. *Suburbia*, Charleston, South Carolina, 5 and 25 July 1979. *The Chronicle*, Charleston, South Carolina, 21 March 1981. *Unity*, Oakland, California, 30 November 1988. *World Magazine*, New York, New York, 7 February 1981. Excerpt from *The Tennessean*

newspaper, "My Life With the Klan," by Jerry Thompson, 7 December 1980. Report from *The Tennessean* newspaper, "The "New" Klan: White Racism in the 1980s."

Drawer 10

**Posters and Photograph, 1915, 1980-1988**

Contains event posters from National Black United Front, and other African-American associations. Also includes a group photograph of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers, St. Louis, Missouri 14 May 1915.