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Collection Overview

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CALL NUMBER: JWJ MSS 90

TITLE: African American television scripts

DATES: circa 1950-1998

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 40.14 linear feet (91 boxes)

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY: The collection consists of scripts and a small number of photographs documenting television programs featuring African American actors, entertainers, and topics from the 1950s through the 1990s. While some material from an earlier period of television broadcasting is present, including *Amos and Andy* (1952), *Buelah* (1950-1953), and *The Jack Benny Show* (1964), scripts for shows that aired in the 1970s and 1980s predominate. *Sanford and Son* (1974-1976), *The Jeffersons* (1975-1978), *Good Times* (1974-1976), *Diff'rent Strokes* (1978-1986), *Webster* (1983-1989), and *The Cosby Show* (1984-1991), situation comedies depicting African American families in varying social conditions, are particularly well represented. In addition to long-running programs, the collection includes scripts for variety specials, miniseries, and pilots such as *Guess Who's Coming to Dinner* (1975) and *Skin Game* (1974). The collection also includes additional production materials, including call sheets, correspondence, ratings, and research materials, as well as a file documenting the Association of Black Motion Picture and Television Producers, including meeting minutes and copies of outgoing correspondence.

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Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

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July 2015 acquisition: Purchased from Walter Reuben, Inc. on the Edwin J. Beinecke Book Fund, 2015.

June 2017 acquisition [1 of 2]: Purchased from Walter Reuben, Inc. on the the Edwin J. Beinecke Book Fund, 2017.

June 2017 acquisition [2 of 2]: Purchased from Royal Books on the Edwin J. Beinecke Book Fund, 2017.

June 2021 acquisition: Purchased from Royal Books on the James Weldon Johnson Memorial Collection of Arts & Letters Fund, 2021.

Conditions Governing Access

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Preferred Citation

African American Television Scripts. James Weldon Johnson Memorial Collection in the Yale Collection of American Literature, Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library.

Processing Information

This collection received a basic level of processing, including rehousing and in some instances minimal organization.

The finding aid for this collection was compiled from a list supplied by the bookseller at the time of acquisition, with some further editing carried out in 2011. Folder titles appearing in the contents list below are based on that list. Titles have not been verified against the contents of the folders in all cases. The description of the papers is also drawn largely from information supplied by the bookseller.

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Scope and Contents

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Arrangement

Organized into five groupings: October 1999 acquisition; July 2015 acquisition; June 2017 acquisition [1 of 2]; June 2017 acquisition [2 of 2]; June 2021 acquisition.

Collection Contents

October 1999 acquisition, 1950–1994

18.14 linear feet (44 boxes)

Purchased from George Robert Minkoff Inc. on the Adele Gutman Nathan Theatrical Collection Fund, 1999.

Arranged alphabetically by program title.

	227	
b.1	"Pick Six"	1986
b.1	"Slam Dunked"	1986
	All in the Family	
b.1	"George and Archie Make A Deal"	1974
	Amos 'n' Andy	
b.1	"The Income Tax Show"	1952
b.1	Photographs 2 Folders	undated
	The A-Team	
b.1	Untitled original pilot	1982
b.1	"Beneath The Surface"	1986
b.1	"Family Reunion"	1986
b.1	"The Grey Team"	1986
b.1	"Play It Again, Murdock"	1986
b.1	"Point Of No Return"	1986
	Amen	
b.2	"The Courtship Of Bess Harper"	undated
	Association of Black Motion Picture and Television Producers	
b.2	Constitution, network liaisons, correspondence, and minutes of meetings	1983
	B.A.D. Cats	
b.2	Untitled pilot	1979
b.2	Revised first draft	1979
b.2	Revised second draft	1979
b.2	Revised shooting script	1979
b.2	"The Bel Air Bandit"	1980

B.A.D. Cats (continued)

b. 2	"Death Car"	1980
b. 2	"Death Car" (final draft)	1980
b. 2	"Die, Cheerleader, Die"	1980
b. 2	"Die, Cheerleader, Die" (final script)	1980
b. 3	"Let's Put Sam Away"	1979
b. 3	"Let's Put Sam Away" (final script)	1980
b. 3	"The Rolling Bordello"	1979
b. 3	"The Rolling Bordello" (shooting script)	1980
b. 3	"Semi-Paradise" (final shooting script)	1979
b. 3	"Snatched"	1979
Barefoot In The Park		
b. 3	"The Bed"	1968
b. 3	"In Sickness and in Health"	undated
Baretta		
b. 3	"The Inside Man"	1976
b. 3	"And Down Will Come Baby"	1976
b. 3	"The Dippers"	1975
b. 3	"The Mojo Man"	1976
b. 3	"The Good Bye Orphan Annie Blues"	1975
Barney Miller		
b. 4	Untitled pilot	1974
b. 4	"Ambush"	1975
b. 4	"The Guest"	1975
b. 4	"Hair"	1975
b. 4	"The Horse Thief"	1975
b. 4	"The Lay-Off"	1975
b. 4	"Werewolf"	1976
b. 4	"Snow Job"	1975
b. 4	"You Dirty Rat"	1975
Battlestar Galactica		

Battlestar Galactica (continued)

b. 4	"The Young Warriors"	1978
	Beulah	
b. 4	Photographs	1950-1953
	Brian's Song	
b. 4	Final draft	1971
	The Carol Burnett Show	
b. 4	"Sammy Davies Jr."	1975
b. 4	"The Pointer Sisters"	1975
	Checking In	
b. 5	"Florence And The Salesman" See also: Facts of Life	1981
	Cher	
b. 5	"Jimmy Walker"	1975
b. 5	"The Pointer Sisters and Redd Fox"	1975
	Clifton Davis Special	
b. 5	First draft	1976
b. 5	Second draft	1976
	Coast Productions Incorporated	
b. 5	"History of a Minority Owned Production Company"	1976
	The Cop And The Kid	
b. 5	Untitled pilot	1974
b. 5	Untitled pilot, third draft	1975
b. 5	"The Ballad Of Joe"	1976
b. 5	"The Ballad Of Joe" (final draft)	1975
b. 5	"Danger, Men Working"	1976
b. 5	"Daydream"	1975
b. 6	"Happy Birthday, Champ"	1975
b. 6	"The Hero"	1975
b. 6	"The Hero" (final draft)	1975
b. 6	"The Hero" (revised final draft)	1975

The Cop And The Kid (continued)

b. 6	"A Little Understanding Goes A Short Way"	1975
b. 6	"A Little Understanding Goes A Short Way" (final draft)	1975
b. 6	"Notre Dame By 50"	1975
b. 6	"Not With My Teacher"	1975
b. 6	"Previous Engagement"	1975
b. 6	"The Weekend Guest"	1975
b. 6	"You'll Look Great In Basic Black"	1975
The Cosby Show		
b. 6	"Auction"	1985
b. 6	"Bonjour, Sondra"	1984
b. 6	"Bring Me The Lip Gloss Of Deirdre Arpelle"	1991
b. 6	"Clair's Sister"	1985
b. 6	"Clair's Sister" (final draft)	1985
b. 7	"Clair's Toe"	1985
b. 7	"Cliff In Love"	1985
b. 7	"Cliff In Love" (final draft)	1985
b. 7	"Cliff's Birthday"	1985
b. 7	"Cliff's Birthday" (final draft)	1985
b. 7	"Close To Home"	1986
b. 7	"The Day The Spores Landed"	1989
b. 7	"Denise Drives"	1985
b. 7	"Denise Drives" (revised first draft)	1985
b. 7	"Denise Drives" (final draft)	1985
b. 7	"Denise's Decision"	1986
b. 7	"Denise's Decision" (final draft)	1986
b. 7	"Denise's Friend"	1985
b. 7	"Denise's Friend" (revised first draft)	1985
b. 8	"The Dentist"	1986
b. 8	"First Day Of School"	1985
b. 8	"First Day Of School" (final draft)	1985

The Cosby Show (continued)

b. 8	"First Day Of School" (revised final draft)	1985
b. 8	"For Men Only"	1991
b. 8	"The Getaway"	1991
b. 8	"Halloween"	1985
b. 8	"Halloween" (final draft)	1985
b. 8	"Happy Anniversary"	1985
b. 8	"Happy Anniversary" (revised first draft)	1985
b. 8	"Happy Anniversary" (final draft)	1985
b. 8	"How Ugly Is He?"	1984
b. 8	"How Ugly Is He?" (final draft)	1984
b. 9	"The Juicer"	1985
b. 9	"The Juicer" (revised first draft)	1985
b. 9	"The Juicer" (final draft)	1985
b. 9	"Mrs. Westlake"	1985
b. 9	"Off To the Races"	1986
b. 9	"Physician Of The Year"	1984
b. 9	"Play It Again Russell"	1986
b. 9	"Rudy's Sick"	1984
b. 9	"Rudy Suits Up"	1985
b. 9	"Rudy Suits Up" (final draft)	1985
b. 9	"The Slumber Party"	1985
b. 9	"Theo And Cockroach"	1986
b. 9	"Theo And The Older Woman"	1985
b. 9	"Theo And The Older Woman" (revised first draft)	1985
b. 10	"Theo And The Older Woman" (final draft)	1985
b. 10	"Theo's Future"	1991
b. 10	"Theo's Holiday"	1986
b. 10	"Theo's Holiday" (final draft)	1986
b. 10	"A Touch Of Wonder"	1986
b. 10	"A Touch Of Wonder"	1986

The Cosby Show (continued)

b. 10	"Vanessa's New Class"	1985
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b. 10	"The Younger Woman"	1985
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Daktari

b. 10	"Born To Die"	1966
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b. 10	"Deadline To Kill"	1966
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b. 10	"The Return Of Clarence"	1966
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Daniel Boone

b. 10	"A Bearskin For Jamie Blue"	1969
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The Diahann Carroll Show

b. 10	"Show #1, George Benson"	1976
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b. 10	"Show #4, Sammy Davies Jr."	1976
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Diana!

b. 11	Musical special starring Diana Ross	1970
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Diff'rent Strokes

b. 11	"Getting Involved"	1979
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b. 11	"The Hero"	1979
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b. 11	"The Job"	1979
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b. 11	"The Trip"	1979
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b. 11	"Son Of Crossover"	1979
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Dinah and Her New Best Friends

b. 11	Lola Falana	1976
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Dynasty

b. 11	"The Birthday"	1986
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b. 11	"The Birthday" (final draft)	1986
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Enos

b. 11	First episode, untitled	1980
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b. 11	First episode, final draft	1980
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b. 11	"Blue Flu"	1980
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b. 11	"Grits And Green Strike Again"	1980
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b. 11	"Grits And Green strike Again" (final draft)	1980
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Enos (continued)

b. 12	"Horse Cops"	1980
b. 12	"The Hostage"	1980
b. 12	"The House Cleaners"	1980
b. 12	"The Mandarin Shakedown"	1980
b. 12	"One Daisy Per Summer"	1980
b. 12	"Snowjob"	1980
b. 12	"Snowjob" (revised final draft)	1980
b. 12	"Where's The Corpus"	1980
b. 12	"Where's The Corpus" (second draft)	1980
An Evening With Julie Andrews and Harry Belafonte		
b. 12	Script	1969
The Facts Of Life		
See also: Checking In		
b. 12	"E. G. O. C."	1984
b. 12	"The Last Drive-In"	1985
b. 12	"Teacher, Teacher"	1985
Fame		
b. 13	"Gonna Learn How To Fly"	1983
b. 13	"Pros and Cons"	1986
Flip Wilson...of course		
b. 13	First draft	1974
Flip Wilson Special		
b. 13	Second draft	1974
b. 13	First draft	1975
b. 13	Final draft	1975
b. 13	First draft	1975
The Fresh Prince Of Bel-Air		
b. 13	"All Guts No Glory"	1993
b. 13	"Blood Is Thicker Than Mud"	1993
b. 14	"Father Of The Year"	1993

The Fresh Prince Of Bel-Air (continued)

b. 14	"Fresh Prince After Dark"	1993
b. 14	"Hex And The Single Guy"	1993
b. 14	"Hilary Gets A Life"	1991
b. 14	"Home Is Where the Heart Attack Is "	1993
b. 14	"I Know Why The Caged Bird Screams"	1994
b. 14	"It's Better To Have Loved And Lost It"	1993
b. 14	"The Philadelphia Story"	1994
b. 14	"Take My Cousin Please"	1993
b. 14	"When You Hit Upon A Star"	1994
b. 14	"Who's The Boss"	1993
b. 14	"Will Goes A Courtin"	1993
b. 14	"You've Got To Be A Football Hero"	1993
Get Christie Love		
b. 15	"The Big Rematch"	1975
b. 15	"The Big Rematch"(revised draft)	1975
b. 15	"Bullet From The Grave"	1974
b. 15	"Deadly Betrayal"	1974
b. 15	"Deadly Betrayal" (revised draft)	1974
b. 15	"Deadly Justice"	1974
b. 15	"The Deadly Sport"	1974
b. 15	"Death On Delivery"	1974
b. 15	"Downbeat For A Dead Man"	1974
b. 15	"Emperor On Death Street"	1974
b. 15	"Fatal Image"	1974
b. 15	"A Few Excess People"	1975
b. 15	"For The Family Honor"	1974
b. 15	"From Paris With Love"	1975
b. 16	"A High Fashion Heist"	1975
b. 16	"A Highway To Murder"	1974
b. 16	"I'm Your New Neighbor"	1975

Get Christie Love (continued)

b. 16	"The Longest Fall"	1974
b. 16	"Market For Murder"	1975
b. 16	"Murder On High C."	1975
b. 16	"My Son The Murderer"	1977
b. 16	"Our Lady In London"	1974
b. 16	"Our Lady In London" (revised draft)	1974
b. 16	"Pawn Ticket for Murder"	1974
b. 16	"To Many Games In Town"	1974
Gladys Knight and the Pips		
b. 16	Tape #2	1975
b. 16	Tape #3	1975
Good Times		
b. 17	"The Baby"	1975
b. 17	"The Breakup"	1976
b. 17	"Cleatus"	1975
b. 17	"Crosstown Buses Run All Day, Doodah, Doodah"	1974
b. 17	"The Debutante Ball"	1975
b. 17	"The Encyclopedia Hustle"	1974
b. 17	"The Enlistment"	1975
b. 17	"Family Business"	1974
b. 17	"The Family Gun"	1975
b. 17	"Florida Flips"	1974
b. 17	"Florida Goes To School"	1974
b. 17	"Florida The Matchmaker"	1974
b. 17	"Florida The Woman"	1976
b. 17	"Florida's Big Gig"	1974
b. 17	"Florida's Protest"	1975
b. 17	"Florida's Rich Cousin"	1975
b. 17	"The Gang"	1974
b. 17	"The Gang Part Two"	1974

Good Times (continued)

b. 18	"The I.Q. Test"	1974
b. 18	"The Investigation"	1976
b. 18	"J.J. Becomes A Man" (part one)	1974
b. 18	"J.J. Becomes A Man" (part two)	1974
b. 18	"J.J. In Trouble"	1976
b. 18	"J.J.'s Fiancee" (part one)	1975
b. 18	"J.J.'s Fiancee" (part two)	1975
b. 18	"A Loss of Confidence"	1975
b. 18	"Love In The Ghetto"	1975
b. 18	"The Lunch Money Ripoff"	1975
b. 18	"The Man I Most Admire"	1974
b. 18	"Michael's Big Fall"	1975
b. 18	"The Mural"	1975
b. 18	"My Girl Henrietta"	1975
b. 18	"The Nude"	1974
b. 18	"Operation Florida"	1975
b. 18	"A Place To Die"	1975
b. 19	"The Politicians"	1975
b. 19	"The Politicians" (final draft)	1975
b. 19	"Sometimes There Is No Bottom in the Bottle"	1974
b. 19	"Sweet Daddy Williams"	1976
b. 19	"Thelma's Scholarship"	1975
b. 19	"Thelma's Young Man"	1974
b. 19	"The Weekend"	1975
b. 19	"Willona's Dilemma"	1975
b. 19	"The Windfall"	1974
Grady		
b. 19	"Be it Ever So Humble"	1975
b. 19	"Bureaucracy"	1976
b. 19	"The Driving Force"	1975

Grady (continued)

b. 19	"Grady Takes A Wife"	1976
b. 19	"Grady's Night In"	1975
b. 19	"Merry Birthday, Happy Christmas"	1975
b. 19	"The Meterman"	1975
b. 19	"The Strike"	1976
b. 19	"The Weekend"	1975
Guess Who's Coming To Dinner		
b. 20	"The Folks" (first draft)	1975
b. 20	"The Folks" (second draft)	1975
b. 20	"The Folks" (third draft)	1975
b. 20	"The Folks" (final draft)	1975
Gus Brown and Midnight Brewster		
b. 20	Revised shooting script	1984
H. Andrew Williams Kaleidoscope		
b. 20	Final draft	1968
Head Of The Class		
b. 20	"Crimes of the Heart"	1987
b. 20	"Love at First Byte"	1986
b. 20	"The Outsider"	1986
b. 20	"Rebel Without A Class"	1986
b. 20	"The Russians Are Coming, The Russians Are Coming"	1987
b. 21	"Valentines Day"	1987
b. 21	"Video Activity"	1987
b. 21	"Volleyball Anyone?"	1986
b. 21	"The Way We Weren't"	1986
b. 21	"You've Got A Friend"	1986
b. 21	"You've Got A Friend" (final draft)	1986
Hill Street Blues		
b. 21	"Little Boil Blue"	1982
Home Is The Hunter		

Home Is The Hunter (continued)

b. 21	Screenplay	1976
Hot L Baltimore		
b. 21	"The Date"	1975
b. 21	"The Deportation Of Suzy"	1975
b. 21	"Millie's Beau"	1974
b. 21	"Mrs. Bellotti's Boyfriend"	1975
b. 21	"Suzy's Problems"	1975
I Spy		
b. 21	"The Seventh Captain"	1967
b. 21	"Red Sash Of Courage"	1967
In The Heat Of The Night		
b. 22	"Trundel's Will Be Done"	1991
The Insiders		
b. 22	"Fashion Flame"	1985
Ironsides		
b. 22	"The 17 Million Dollar Heist"	1974
b. 22	"All Week Is Sunday"	1973
b. 22	"Backfire"	1970
b. 22	"Murder By The Book"	1973
b. 22	"Ordeal"	1974
b. 22	"Ordeal By Terror"	1974
b. 22	"Stunts Unlimited"	1974
b. 22	"This Could Blow Your Mind"	1970
b. 22	"Too Many Victims"	1970
b. 23	"Two Sides To Every Coin"	1973
b. 23	"The Walls a Tumbling Down"	1974
b. 23	"The Walls a Tumbling Down" (revised final)	1974
The Jack Benny Television Program		
b. 23	The Cat Burgler	1964
The Jackson Family		

The Jackson Family (continued)

b. 23	Shows 1-4	1976
The Jeffersons		
b. 23	"The Break Up" (part one)	1975
b. 23	"The Break Up" (part two)	1975
b. 23	"A Dinner For Harry"	1975
b. 23	"Florence's Problem"	1975
b. 23	"Former Neighbors"	1975
b. 23	"George and the Manager"	1975
b. 23	"George Meets Whittendale"	1976
b. 23	"George's Alibi"	1975
b. 23	"George's Best Friend"	1975
b. 24	"George's Family Tree"	1975
b. 24	"George's First Vacation"	1975
b. 24	"George Won't Talk"	1975
b. 24	"Harry and Daphne"	1975
b. 24	"Jefferson Vs. Jefferson"	1975
b. 24	"Jenny's Grandparents"	1975
b. 24	"Jenny's Low"	1975
b. 24	"Lionel Cries Uncle"	1975
b. 24	"Lionel The Playboy"	1975
b. 24	"Louise Feels Useless"	1974
b. 24	"Louise's Award"	1978
b. 24	"Louise's Cookbook"	1976
b. 24	"Louise's Daughter"	1975
b. 24	"Lunch With Mama"	1975
b. 24	"Meet The Press"	1975
b. 24	"Mr. Piano Man"	1975
b. 24	"Mother Jefferson's Birthday"	1976
b. 25	"Mother Jefferson's Fall"	1975
b. 25	"Movin' On Down"	1975

The Jeffersons (continued)

b. 25	"Rich Man's Disease"	1975
b. 25	"Tennis, Anyone?"	1976
b. 25	"Uncle Bertram"	1975
b. 25	"The Wedding"	1976
Julia		
b. 25	"The Eve Of Adam"	1969
b. 25	"You Can't Beat Drums"	1969
King		
b. 25	Script <i>2 Folders</i>	undated
Kings of the Hill (aired as Palmerstown)		
b. 25	"The Black Travelers"	1980
b. 25	"The Black Travelers II"	1980
b. 26	"Kidnapped"	1979
L. A. Law		
b. 26	"Canon Of Ethics"	1987
b. 26	"Hand Roll Express"	1987
b. 26	"Fetus Completus"	1988
Law and Order		
b. 26	"Blood Is Thicker.."	1991
b. 26	"His Hour Upon The Stage"	1991
b. 26	"Severance"	1991
b. 26	"Severance" (revised draft)	1991
b. 26	"Star Struck"	1991
b. 26	"Star Struck" (revised draft)	1991
b. 26	"Trust"	1991
b. 26	"Trust" (revised draft)	1991
b. 27	"Trust" (revised draft)	1991
b. 27	"Vengeance"	1991
b. 27	"Vengeance" (revised draft)	1991

Lena

Lena (continued)

b. 27	Screenplay Accompanied by letter from Jacques Wilson to George E. Crosby.	1979
Lola Folana Redd Foxx as guest star.		
b. 27	Final draft	1976
The Love Boat Scripts are identified by production code numbers.		
b. 27	K-87 (13)	1980
b. 27	K-98 (24)	1981
b. 27	K-99 (25)	1981
b. 27	K-100 (26)	1980
b. 28	T-10 (11)	1981
b. 28	T-15 (16)	1981
The Mac Davis Show Redd Foxx as guest star.		
b. 28	Final draft	1976
Mannix		
b. 28	"The Blind Mirror"	1969
b. 28	"Color Her Missing"	1969
b. 28	"Eight to Five, It's A Miracle"	1967
b. 28	"A Penny For The Peepshow"	1969
b. 28	"The Playground"	1969
b. 28	"The Solid Gold Web"	1969
b. 28	"The Thirty-Two Friends of Gina Lardelli"	1968
M_A_S_H		
b. 28	"Kim" (revised portion only)	1973
Miami Vice		
b. 29	Untitled pilot	1984
b. 29	"Calderone's Demise"	1984
b. 29	"Cool Runnin'"	1984
b. 29	"Heart Of Darkness"	1984

Miami Vice (continued)

b. 29	"Hit List"	1984
b. 29	"Not Necessarily The Swamp Thing"	1984
b. 29	"One Eyed Jack"	1984
b. 29	"The Three Eyed Turtle"	1984
Miss Black America Pageant		
b. 29	Final draft	1977
Mission Impossible		
b. 30	"Blues"	1971
b. 30	"Decoy"	1970
b. 30	"Nicole"	1969
b. 30	"The Pendulum"	1972
b. 30	"Run For The Money"	1971
b. 30	"Ultimatum"	1972
The Mod Squad		
b. 30	"The Activist"	1970
b. 30	"My Name Is Manolete"	1969
b. 30	"A Place To Run, A Heart To Hide In"	1969
b. 30	"See The Eagles Dying"	1970
b. 30	"The Sunday Drivers"	1968
The New Odd Couple		
b. 30	"The Cordon Bleus"	1982
b. 30	"The Cordon Bleus" (revised final draft)	1982
b. 30	"The Cordon Bleus" (shooting script)	1982
b. 31	"The Cordon Bleus" (revised shooting script)	1982
b. 31	"Felix Sings The Cordon Bleus"	1982
b. 31	"Frances Moves In"	1982
b. 31	"A Grave For Felix"	1982
b. 31	"Opening Night"	undated
b. 31	"Opening Night" (revised final)	1982
b. 31	"Opening Night" (final draft)	1982

The New Odd Couple (continued)

b. 31	"Opening Night" (shooting script)	1982
b. 31	"Opening Night" (revised shooting draft)	1982
b. 31	"Oscar Dates Felix's Frances"	1983

The Outcasts

b. 31	"The Alligator King"	1968
b. 31	"The Long Ride"	1967
b. 31	"They Shall Rise Up"	1968
b. 31	"The Butcher of Bennington"	1968

Paris

b. 32	"Pay The Two Bucks"	1979
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The Powers Of Matthew Star

b. 32	"The Racers Edge"	1982
b. 32	"The Racers Edge" (revised final draft)	1982

The Quest

b. 32	"The Seminole Negro Indian Scouts"	1976
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Roll Out!

b. 32	"Blues For B.J."	1973
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The Rookies

b. 32	"The Code Five Affair"	1975
b. 32	"Dead Heat"	1975
b. 32	"Dead, Like A Lost Dream"	1972
b. 32	"Invitation To A Rumble"	1975
b. 32	"Journey To Oblivion"	1975
b. 32	"Journey To Oblivion" (final draft)	1975
b. 32	"Lamb To The Slaughter"	1975
b. 32	"Reluctant Hero"	1975
b. 33	"Shadow Of A Man"	1975

Room 222

b. 33	"Can Nun Be Too Many"	1973
b. 33	"I Didn't Raise My Girl To Be A Soldier"	1973

Room 222 (continued)

b. 33	"I Didn't Raise My Girl To Be A Soldier" (revised final)	1973
b. 33	"I've Got The Hammer, If You've Got the Thumb"	1973
b. 33	"Jason And The Big Mo"	1973
b. 33	"Love Is A Many Splintered Thing"	1973
b. 33	"M P G"	1973
b. 33	"No Island Is An Island"	1973
b. 33	"No Island Is An Island" (revised final)	1973
b. 33	"No Island Is An Island" (second final)	1973
b. 33	"Of Smoke Filled Rooms"	1973
b. 33	"Pete's Protege"	1973
b. 33	"Twenty Five Words Or Less"	1973
Roots: The Next Generation		
b. 33	Show #1	1978
b. 34	Show #1, final draft	1978
b. 34	Show #2	1978
b. 34	Show #2, shooting script	1978
b. 34	Show #4	1978
b. 34	Show #4, another copy	1978
b. 34	Show #7	1978
Sanford and Son		
b. 34	"Bank On This"	1975
b. 34	"Brother Can You Spare An Act"	1975
b. 34	"Camping Trip"	1975
b. 35	"Can You Chop This?"	1975
b. 35	"The Director"	1976
b. 35	"Divorce Sanford Style"	1975
b. 35	"Donna Pops The Question"	1975
b. 35	"Earthquake II"	1975
b. 35	"Ebenezer Sanford"	1975
b. 35	"The Engagement Man Always Rings Twice"	1975

Sanford and Son (continued)

b. 35	"The Escorts"	1975
b. 35	"The Family Man"	1975
b. 35	"Fred Sanford Has A Baby"	1975
b. 35	"Fred's Extra Job"	1976
b. 35	"Fred's Treasure Garden"	1974
b. 35	"Going Out of Business"	1974
b. 36	"Golden Boy"	1974
b. 36	"The Greatest Show In Watts"	1975
b. 36	"The Headache"	1974
b. 36	"Home Sweet Home"	1974
b. 36	"I Dream Of Choo Choo Rabinowitz"	1976
b. 36	"Julio And Sister and Nephew"	1974
b. 36	"Lamont In Love"	1975
b. 36	"A Little Extra Security"	1974
b. 36	"The Merger"	1974
b. 36	"My Brother-In-Law's Keeper"	1974
b. 36	"Ol' Brown Eyes Is Back"	1974
b. 36	"The Older Woman"	1975
b. 36	"The Older Woman" (final draft)	1975
b. 36	"The Olympics"	1975
b. 37	"Once A Thief"	1974
b. 37	"The Over-The-Hill Gag"	1975
b. 37	"A Pain In The Neck"	1976
b. 37	"Sanford And Niece"	1974
b. 37	"Sanford And Rising Son"	1975
b. 37	"Sergeant Gork"	1976
b. 37	"The Stand-Ins"	1974
b. 37	"Steinberg And Son"	1975
b. 37	"Strange Bedfellows"	1974
b. 37	"The Stung"	1975

Sanford and Son (continued)

b. 37	"The Surprise Party"	1974
b. 37	"There'll Be Some Changes Made"	1974
b. 37	"Tower Power"	1974
b. 37	"The TV Addict"	1975
	Skin Game	
b. 38	"Maclendon's People"	1974
	Soap	
b. 38	Episode 34	1978
	The Sonny And Cher Show	
b. 38	Sherman Hemsley	1976
	Strike Force	
b. 38	"The Avenger"	1982
b. 38	"Kiddie Bait"	1981
b. 38	"Kidnap"	1981
b. 38	"Magic Man"	1981
b. 38	"The Predator"	1981
	Swiss Family Robinson	
b. 38	"The Slave Ship"	1975
	That's My Mama	
b. 38	"The Ambulance Chaser"	1974
b. 38	"The Ambulance Chaser" (second draft)	1974
b. 38	"The Ambulance Chaser" (final draft)	1975
b. 39	"The Birthday Party"	1975
b. 39	"The Birthday Party" (final draft)	1975
b. 39	"Business Is Business"	1975
b. 39	"Clifton And Politics"	1974
b. 39	"Clifton And The Kid"	1975
b. 39	"Clifton Et La Femme"	1975
b. 39	"Clifton Et La Femme" (second draft)	1975
b. 39	"Clifton Et La Femme" (final draft)	1975

That's My Mama (continued)

b. 39	"Clifton's Big Move"	1974
b. 39	"Clifton's Big Move" (final draft)	1974
b. 39	"Clifton's Casual Fling"	1975
b. 39	"Clifton's Con"	1974
b. 39	"Clifton's Dubious Romance"	1974
b. 39	"Clifton's Gun"	1974
b. 39	"Clifton's Gun" (final draft)	1974
b. 40	"Clifton's Persuasion"	1974
b. 40	"Clifton's Sugar Mama"	1974
b. 40	"Clifton's Sugar Mama" (final draft)	1974
b. 40	"Cousin Albert"	1974
b. 40	"Cousin Albert" (final draft)	1974
b. 40	"A Date With Judy"	1975
b. 40	"Earl's Dad And Mama's Glad"	1975
b. 40	"Earl's Dad And Mama's Glad" (second draft)	1975
b. 40	"Get Your Kicks On Routes 22 And 76"	1975
b. 40	"The Hero"	1975
b. 40	"Honesty Day"	1974
b. 40	"The Image Maker"	1975
b. 40	"The Last Haircut"	1974
b. 40	"The Loan"	1974
b. 40	"Mama Gets Fractured"	1974
b. 40	"Mama Gets Fractured" (final draft)	1974
b. 41	"Mama's Big Move"	1975
b. 41	"Mama's Big Move" (second draft)	1975
b. 41	"Mama's Big Move" (third draft)	1975
b. 41	"Mama's Big Move" (fourth draft)	1975
b. 41	"Mama's Big Move" (final draft)	1975
b. 41	"Mama's Solution"	1975
b. 41	"Mama's Solution" (second draft)	1975

That's My Mama (continued)

b. 41	"Mama's Solution" (final draft)	1975
b. 41	"Mama Steps Out"	1974
b. 41	"A Man From The Past"	1975
b. 41	"Oscar's Affair"	1974
b. 41	"Queen Of The Ribs"	1975
b. 41	"Queen Of The Ribs" (final draft)	1975
b. 41	"The Shakedown"	1974
b. 41	"The Shakedown" (final draft)	1974
b. 41	"Song And Dance Man"	1974
b. 41	"Stephanie's Boyfriend"	1974
b. 42	"That's Earl, Brother!"	1975
b. 42	"That's Earl, Brother!" (second draft)	1975
b. 42	"That's Earl, Brother!" (final draft)	1975
b. 42	"Tracy's Trouble"	1974
b. 42	"Trial And Error"	1975
b. 42	"Weekend Daddy"	1975
b. 42	"Weekend Daddy" (second draft)	1975
b. 42	"Weekend Daddy" (final draft)	1975
b. 42	"Whose Child Is This?"	1974
b. 42	"The Witness"	1974
	Tony Orlando And Dawn Esther Rolle as guest star.	
b. 42	Show #4	1974
b. 42	Show #4 final draft	
	Waverly Wonders	
b. 42	Pilot script	1978
b. 42	"Joe Checks Out The Librarian"	1978
b. 42	"Joe Checks Out The Librarian" (final draft)	1978
b. 43	"Joe Goes To Press"	1978
b. 43	"Joe Goes To Press" (final draft)	1978

Waverly Wonders (continued)

b. 43	"The Kiss"	1978
b. 43	"The Pied Piper"	1978
b. 43	"The Revolution"	1978
Webster		
b. 44	"Rich Man, Poor Man"	1988
Welcome Back, Kotter		
b. 44	Untitled pilot script	1975
b. 44	"Arrivederci, Arnold"	1975
b. 44	"Classroom Marriage"	1975
b. 44	"Classroom Marriage" (final draft)	1975
b. 44	"The Election"	1975
b. 44	"Father Vinnie"	1976
b. 44	"The Great Debate"	1975
b. 44	"Mr Kotter, Teacher"	1975
b. 44	"No More Mr. Nice Guy"	1975
b. 44	"One Flu Over The Cuckoo's Nest"	1976
b. 44	"One Of Our Sweathogs Is Missing"	1975
b. 44	"The Reunion"	1975
b. 44	"Whodunit?"	1975
What's Happening Now		
b. 44	"Rags To Riches"	1985
The Young Lawyers		
b. 44	"Six To Ten On Sunday After The Game"	1971
b. 44	"The Sorrow At Sargent's Wharf"	1970

July 2015 acquisition, 1972-1978*2.92 linear feet (7 boxes)*

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	All in the Family	1973-1974
b. 47	"Archie is cursed"	1973 November 6
b. 47	"Archie is cursed"	1973 November 9
b. 47	"Lionel's engagement"	1974 January 17
b. 47	"Lionel's engagement"	1974 January 22
	The Flip Wilson Show	1973
b. 47	First draft	1973 August 31
b. 47	First draft	1973 October 5
b. 47	First draft	1973 October 9
b. 47	First draft	1973 October 18
b. 47	First draft	1973 November 19
b. 47	First draft	1973 December 5
b. 47	First draft	1973 December 11
b. 47	Final draft	1973 December 19
	The Jeffersons	
b. 48	"Mr. Piano Man"	1975 January 20
b. 48	"George's skeleton"	1975 January 27
b. 48	"Mother Jefferson's boyfriend"	1975 February 17
b. 48	"Former neighbors"	1975 March 17
b. 48	"Like father, like son?"	1975 March 24
b. 48	"Jenny's low"	1975 March 31
b. 48	"Louise's daughter"	1975 August 4
b. 48	"Harry and Daphne"	1975 August 11
b. 48	"Jefferson vs. Jefferson"	1975 August 25

The Jeffersons (continued)

b. 48	"Mother Jefferson's fall"	1975 September 1
b. 48	"Uncle Bertram"	1975 September 24
b. 48	"George won't talk"	1975 October 3
b. 48	"George's best friend"	1975 October 13
b. 49	"Jenny's grandparents"	1975 October 20
b. 49	"George's alibi"	1975 November 3
b. 49	"George and the manager"	1975 November 10
b. 49	"Lunch with Mama"	1975 November 17
b. 49	"George vs. Wall Street"	1975 November 24
b. 49	"Break up-part one"	1975 December 8
b. 49	"Florence's problem"	1975 December 19
b. 49	"Mother Jefferson's birthday"	1976 January 12
b. 49	"Louise's cookbook"	1976 January 19
b. 49	"George meets Wittendale"	1976 January 26
b. 49	"Jenny's thesis"	1976 February 8
b. 49	"Lionel's problem"	1976 February 9
b. 49	"Tennis, anyone?"	1976 February 16
b. 49	"George and the President"	1976 August 7
b. 49	"Retirement party"	1976 August 30
b. 49	"Lionel's pad"	1976 September 13
b. 50	"George's diploma"	1976 September 20
b. 50	"Agreement"	1976 October 9
b. 50	"Tom the hero"	1976 October 18
b. 50	"Jenny's discovery"	1976 October 22

The Jeffersons (continued)

b. 50	"Florence in love"	1976 November 6
b. 50	"Louise forgets"	1976 November 15
b. 50	"Christmas wedding"	1976 November 20
b. 50	"George's guilt"	1976 December 4
b. 50	"Bentley's problem"	1976 December 13
b. 50	"Jefferson airplane"	1976 December 17
b. 50	"Case of black and white"	1977 January 2
b. 50	"Louise vs. Jenny"	1977 January 8
b. 50	"Louise's friend"	1977 January 15
b. 50	"Marriage counselors"	1977 January 19
b. 50	"Marriage counselors"	1977 January 23
b. 51	"Old flame"	1977 February 5
b. 51	"Old flame"	1977 February 7
b. 51	"Jenny's opportunity"	1977 February 8
b. 51	"Jenny's opportunity"	1977 February 12
b. 51	"George the philanthropist"	1977 February 19
b. 51	"Louise's physical"	1977 February 26
b. 51	"Grand opening Part I"	1977 July 11
b. 51	"Grand opening Part II"	1977 July 18
b. 51	"Once a friend"	1977 July 25
b. 51	"Good news, bad news"	1977 August 15
b. 51	"George's legacy"	1977 August 22
b. 51	"Louise's new interest"	1977 August 29
b. 51	"Visitors"	1977 September 10
b. 51	"Camp-out"	1977 September 17

The Jeffersons (continued)

b. 51	"Costume party"	1977 September 26
b. 51	"Last leaf"	1977 October 8
b. 52	"Florence gets lucky"	1977 October 17
b. 52	"George needs help"	1977 October 24
b. 52	"Lionel gets the business"	1977 December 3
b. 52	"George and Whitty"	1977 November 19
b. 52	"984 W. 124th St., Apt. 5C"	1977 November 12
b. 52	"Jefferson curve"	1977 November 5
b. 52	"Florence's union"	1977 December 10
b. 52	"Blackout"	1977 December 16
b. 52	"Scripts fragments"	1977, undated
b. 52	"George and Jimmy"	1978 January 7
b. 52	"Thomas H. Willis & Co."	1978 January 21
b. 52	"Uncle George and Aunt Louise"	1978 February 4
	Sanford and Son	1972-1977
b. 53	"Big party"	1972 November 28
b. 53	"Lamont, is that you?"	1973 July 5
b. 53	"Lamont as Othello"	1973 July 20
b. 53	"Surprise party"	1974 August 18
b. 53	"Sanford and rising son"	1975 October 16
b. 53	"Sergeant Gork"	1976 February 5
b. 53	"I dream of Choo Choo Rabinowitz"	1976 March 26
b. 53	"Winning ticket"	1976 March 16
b. 53	"Winning ticket"	1976 March 31
b. 53	"Stakeout"	1976 September 7

Sanford and Son (continued)

b. 53	"Will"	1977 January 24-1977 January 25
b. 53	"Will"	1977 January 18

June 2017 acquisition [1 of 2], 1986–1987*1.08 linear feet (1 box)*

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Amen		
b. 45	"After the Fall"	1986
b. 45	"Betting on the Boy"	1987
b. 45	"Casting the First Stone"	1986
b. 45	"The Courtship of Bess Hawkins"	1986
b. 45	"The Deacon Delivers"	1986 September 22
b. 45	"The Deacon Delivers"	1986 September 22 to 1986 September 24
b. 45	"The Divorce Lawyer"	1987
b. 45	"Frye for the Defense"	1986
b. 45	"Into the Night"	1987
b. 45	"The Magician"	1986
b. 45	"Maitre D'eacon"	1986
b. 45	"The Morning After"	1986
b. 45	"Not Only the Good Die Young"	1986
b. 45	"Retreat, Heck!"	1986
b. 45	"Reuben's Romance" (3 folders)	1986
b. 45	"The Rival"	1987
b. 45	"Rolly Falls In Love"	1986
b. 45	"Sermon From A Cell"	1986
b. 45	"Thelma's Choice"	1986
b. 45	"What's Up, Deacon?"	1986
b. 45	"Yes, Sir, That's Our Baby"	1987
b. 45	"Your Christmas Show of Shows"	1986

June 2017 acquisition [2 of 2], 1979–1998*0.42 linear feet (1 box)*

Purchased from Royal Books on the Edwin J. Beinecke Book Fund, 2017.

b. 46	"2nd Annual Soul Train Music Awards" script	1988
b. 46	"The Temptations" television mini-series (4 folders)	1998
b. 46	"White Mama" teleplay manuscript	1979

June 2021 acquisition, 1978–1989*17.58 linear feet (38 boxes)*

This acquisition consists of television scripts, production materials, and other papers relating to Diff'rent Strokes and Webster.

Purchased from Royal Books on the James Weldon Johnson Memorial Collection of Arts & Letters Fund, 2021.

From the collection of A. Dudley Johnson, Jr.

	Diff'rent Strokes <i>11.33 linear feet (28 boxes)</i> Includes scripts for Diff'rent Strokes and related papers including correspondence, ratings, and production materials.	1978–1986
b. 54	Forty five minutes from Harlem	1978
b. 54	Movin' in	1978 October 9
b. 54	Mother's last visit <i>2 Folders</i>	1978 October 28, 1978 October 30
b. 54	Spanking <i>4 Folders</i>	1978 November 3-1978 November 8
b. 54	Prep school <i>2 Folders</i>	1978 November 14, 1978 November 18
b. 54	Goodbye Dolly <i>3 Folders</i>	1978 November 15, 1978 November 17
b. 55	Trial <i>3 Folders</i>	1978 November 30-1978 December 7
b. 55	Fight	1978 December 14
b. 55	Club meeting	1978 December 14
b. 55	One hour special	1978 December 16
b. 55	Club meeting <i>3 Folders</i>	1978 December 19-1978 December 22
b. 55	Woman <i>4 Folders</i>	1979 January 2-1979 January 4
b. 56	No time for Arnold <i>3 Folders</i>	1979 January 6-1979 January 10

Diff'rent Strokes (continued)

b. 56	Superbowl party	1979 January 9
b. 56	Relative <i>3 Folders</i>	1979 January 15-1979 January 18
b. 56	Tutor <i>5 Folders</i>	1979 January 22- 1979 January 27
b. 56	New landlord <i>4 Folders</i>	1979 January 29-1979 February 2
b. 57	Willis' privacy <i>3 Folders</i>	1979 February 3-1979 February 9
b. 57	Mrs. Garrett's crisis <i>3 Folders ()</i>	1979 February 16-1979 February 22
b. 57	Job <i>2 Folders</i>	1979 February 23, 1979 March 1
b. 57	Getting involved <i>4 Folders</i>	1979 March 3-1979 March 8
b. 58	Trip <i>4 Folders</i>	1979 March 9-1979 March 15
b. 58	Hello Larry	1979 March 19
b. 58	Cross-over	1979 March 22
b. 58	Willis' birthday <i>3 Folders</i>	1979 March 29-1979 April 6
b. 58	Girl's school <i>5 Folders</i>	1979 April 15-1979 April 18
b. 59	Father and son day	1979 July 13
b. 59	Mrs. Garrett's romance	1979 July 25
b. 59	Hero <i>3 Folders</i>	1979 July 31-1979 August 2
b. 59	Colorblind	1979 August 9
b. 59	Arnold's girlfriend	1979 August 13
b. 59	Son of crossover	1979 August 20
b. 59	Feudin' and fussin' <i>3 Folders</i>	1979 September 4-6
b. 60	Feudin' and fussin' <i>2 Folders</i>	1979 September 6-1979 September 7

Diff'rent Strokes (continued)

b. 60	Mrs. Garrett's romance <i>2 Folders</i>	1979 September 17, 1979 September 20
b. 60	Adoption (part one)	1979 September 26
b. 60	Birds and bees <i>4 Folders</i>	1979 October 1-1979 October 4
b. 60	Rivals <i>2 Folders</i>	1979 October 8, 1979 October 11
b. 60	Adoption (part one) <i>2 Folders</i>	1979 October 12, 1979 October 15
b. 61	Adoption (part one)	1979 October 26
b. 61	Adoption (Part two)	1979 November 2
b. 61	Father and son day <i>2 Folders</i>	1979 November 6-1979 November 7
b. 61	Hello, Larry	1979 November 7
b. 61	Father and son day	1979 November 8
b. 61	Thanksgiving crossover (part one) <i>4 Folders</i>	1979 November 7-1979 November 16
b. 61	Hot watch <i>4 Folders</i>	1979 November 16-1979 November 29
b. 62	Dog story <i>2 Folders</i>	1979 December 3, 1979 December 7
b. 62	Election	1979 November 7
b. 62	Dog story	1979 December 12
b. 62	Election <i>2 Folders</i>	1979 December 12-1979 December 13
b. 63	Friendly-mate <i>3 Folders</i>	1979 December 14-1979 December 20

Diff'rent Strokes (continued)

b. 63	Poor Drummond <i>2 Folders</i>	1980 January 3, 1980 January 7
b. 63	Guess who?	1980 January 7
b. 63	Poor Drummond	1980 January 9
b. 63	Big business	1980 January 11
b. 63	Guess who?	1980 February 14
b. 63	Big business	1980 January 17
b. 63	Return of the Gooch <i>3 Folders</i>	1980 January 18-1980 January 25
b. 63	Valentine's Day retrospective	1980 January 28
b. 64	Squealer <i>3 Folders</i>	1980 February 7, 1980 February 12
b. 64	Guess who?	1980 February 13
b. 64	Teacher's pet <i>5 Folders</i>	1980 February 18-1980 February 21
b. 64	Slumber party <i>4 Folders</i>	1980 February 25-1980 February 28
b. 65	Will <i>3 Folders</i>	1980 February 29-1980 March 6
b. 65	Squealer	1980 March 13
b. 65	Football father <i>2 Folders</i>	1980 October 8, 1980 October 20
b. 65	Bank job <i>2 Folders</i>	1980 October 18, 1980 October 20
b. 65	Small claims court <i>2 Folders</i>	1980 October 20
b. 65	Substitute mother <i>3 Folders</i>	1980 November 4-1980 November 10
b. 66	Accident <i>4 Folders</i>	1980 November 11-1980 November 20
b. 66	Little mother <i>2 Folders</i>	1980 December 1, 1980 December 3

Diff'rent Strokes (continued)

b. 66	Count your blessings <i>2 Folders</i>	1980 December 5, 1980 December 10
b. 66	First love <i>3 Folders</i>	1980 December 12- 1980 December 18
b. 66	Loan	1980 December 31
b. 67	Older man	1981 January
b. 67	Roots <i>2 Folders</i>	1981 January 4-1981 January 5
b. 67	Loan <i>2 Folders</i>	1981 January 7-1981 January 8
b. 67	Room for one more	1981 January 9
b. 67	Roots	1981 January 14
b. 67	Bus	1981 January 23
b. 67	Food junkie	1981 January 23
b. 67	Bus	1981 January 29
b. 67	Growing up	1981 January 30
b. 67	Magician <i>2 Folders</i>	1981 January 29, 1981 February 4
b. 68	Where there's hope	1981 February 10
b. 68	Model	1981 February 14
b. 68	Drummond's fair lady	1981 February 14
b. 68	Athlete	1981 February 15
b. 68	Older man <i>2 Folders</i>	1981 February 17-1981 February 18
b. 68	Where there's hope <i>2 Folders</i>	1981 February 25-1981 February 26
b. 68	Almost American	1981 February 27
b. 68	Ancestor	1981 February 28
b. 68	Almost American <i>3 Folders</i>	1981 March 2-1981 March 5
b. 69	Drummond's fair lady <i>2 Folders</i>	1981 March 11-1981 March 12

Different Strokes (continued)

b. 69	Almost American	1981 March 12
b. 69	Ancestor <i>2 Folders</i>	1981 March 18-1981 March 19
b. 69	Room for one more <i>2 Folders</i>	1981 March 25-1981 March 26
b. 69	Growing up <i>2 Folders</i>	1981 April 1-1981 April 2
b. 69	Model <i>3 Folders</i>	1981 April 6-1981 April 8
b. 69	Athlete	1981 April 15
b. 69	B. M. O. C.	1981 October 1
b. 70	Substitute teacher <i>2 Folders</i>	1982 July 26, 1982 August 9
b. 70	In the swim	1982 August 26
b. 70	Big brother	1982 September 9
b. 70	Cyrano de Jackson	1982 September 16
b. 70	Substitute teacher	1982 September 23
b. 70	Peacemaker	1982 October 14
b. 70	Older woman	1982 October 21
b. 70	Memories	1982 October 28
b. 70	Case of overexposure	1982 November 4
b. 70	Push comes to shove	1982 November 18
b. 70	Executives	1982 December 2
b. 70	Santa's helper	1982 December 9
b. 70	Growing problem	1982 December 16
b. 71	Parents have rights, too	1983 January 6
b. 71	Independent woman	1983 January 13

Diff'rent Strokes (continued)

b. 71	Bicycle man (Part I)	1983 January 20
b. 71	Bicycle man (Part II)	1983 January 27
b. 71	Family on ice	1983 February 9
b. 71	Honeymoon's over	1983 February 13
b. 71	Hall monitor	1983 February 17
b. 71	Cricket	1983 February 24
b. 71	Roomates	1983 March 3
b. 71	Romeo and Juliet	1983 March 7
b. 71	Reporter	1983 March 9
b. 71	Romeo and Juliet <i>2 Folders</i>	1983 March 21
b. 72	My fair Larry	1983 March 30
b. 72	Goat	1983 June 30
b. 72	Roshomon II	1983 July 27
b. 72	Where there's smoke	1983 August 3
b. 72	Goat	1983 August 5
b. 72	Mr. T and Mr. t	1983 September 9
b. 72	Goat	1983 August 11
b. 72	Assert yourself	1983 September 16
b. 72	Drafted	1983 September 30
b. 72	Van Drummond	1983 October 5
b. 72	Mrs. Z	1983 October 13
b. 72	Moonlighter	1983 October 19
b. 72	Houseguest	1983 December 10
b. 73	Boyfriend	1983 December 1
b. 73	Homecoming queen	1983 November 11
b. 73	Drummond's lady	1983 December 16

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b. 73	Hitchhikers (Part I)	1984 January 5
b. 73	Hitchhikers (Part II)	1984 January 12
b. 73	Hooray for Hollywood	1984 January 26
b. 73	Kathy's Olympics	1984 January 30
b. 73	Wedding Part I	1984 February 9
b. 73	Wedding Part II	1984 February 16
b. 73	Honeymoon's over	1984 February 23
b. 73	Kathy's Olympics <i>2 Folders</i>	1984 February 29-1984 March 16
b. 73	Bar mitzvah boy	1984 March 8
b. 74	Old McDrummond had a farm	1984 February 16
b. 74	Common touch <i>2 Folders</i>	1984 June 15
b. 74	Blue collar Drummond	1984 June 22
b. 74	Bed-wetting	1984 June 25
b. 74	Blue collar Drummond <i>2 Folders</i>	1984 July 2
b. 74	Undercover lover	1984 July 9
b. 74	Arnold's strike	1984 July 16
b. 74	Arnold and Lisa's mother	1984 August 2, 1984 August 8
b. 74	Tonsils <i>2 Folders</i>	1984 August 20
b. 75	Arnold and Lisa's mother	1984 August 27
b. 75	Honorable Arnold J. Jackson	1984 September 4
b. 75	Haunting we will go	1984 September 10
b. 75	Arnold saves the squirrel	1984 September 24
b. 75	Sam's father	1984 October 1
b. 75	Carmella meets the Gooch	1984 October 8
b. 75	Arnold the entrepreneur	1984 October 10

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b. 75	Arnold's songbird	1984 October 15
b. 75	Arnold the entrepreneur	1984 October 22
b. 75	Beauty's in the eye of Arnold	1984 November 7
b. 75	Sam adopts a grandparent	1984 December 4
b. 75	Baseball blues <i>3 Folders</i>	1984 November 29, 1984 December 10
b. 76	Happy Birthday Drummond <i>2 Folders</i>	1984 December 19, 1985 January 14
b. 76	Russian embassy	1985 January 21
b. 76	Cheers to Arnold	1985 January 28
b. 76	Beauty is in the eye of Arnold <i>4 Folders</i>	1985 February 4
b. 76	A camping we will go	1985 February 11
b. 76	Beauty is in the eye of Arnold	1985 February 19
b. 76	Street smarts	1985 February 25
b. 76	Bully for Arnold	1985 February 28
b. 76	Special friend	1985 March 4
b. 77	Bully for Arnold <i>4 Folders</i>	1985 June 20-1985 July 1
b. 77	Love on the run	1985 July 22
b. 77	Bully for Arnold	1985 July 29
b. 77	Arnold's job	1985 August 5
b. 77	Sam's missing <i>2 Folders</i>	1985 August 19, 1989 August 27
b. 77	It's my party and I'll cry if I want to	1985 September 9
b. 77	Willis goes to college	1985 September 17
b. 77	Arnold's initiation	1985 September 23
b. 77	Tale of two teachers	1985 September 23

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b. 78	Speak no evil	1985 October 7
b. 78	Arnold's initiation <i>2 Folders</i>	1985 October 10
b. 78	So you want to be a rock and roll star	1985 October 14
b. 78	Bulimia	1985 October 21
b. 78	Arnold's bad rep	1985 November 4
b. 78	Arnold's initiation	1985 November 11
b. 78	Sam's big brother	1985 November 16
b. 78	Photo club <i>3 Folders</i>	1985 December 3-1986 January 2, 1986 January 2
b. 78	Big bribe <i>2 Folders</i>	1986 January 15
b. 78	Arnold's tangled web	1986 January 20
b. 79	Lifestyles of the poor and unknown	1986 January 27
b. 79	Big bribe	1986 February 3
b. 79	Photo club	1986 February 10
b. 79	Loose script pages	1980, undated
	Other papers	1978-1985
b. 80	Arbitron and Nielsen ratings <i>4 Folders</i>	1979-1980
b. 80	Gary Coleman manuscript This file contains an untitled manuscript by Gary Coleman.	circa 1980-1981
b. 80	Correspondence	1979-1984
b. 80	Expense reports	1984
b. 81	Notes <i>3 Folders</i>	1983-1985, undated
b. 81	Pick up sheets <i>5 Folders</i>	1978-1979, undated
b. 81	Research material	1985, undated
b. 81	Script binder	undated
b. 81	Script status reports	1985

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b. 81	Staff and crew list <i>2 Folders</i>	1978-1981
b. 81	Story outlines	1983, 1985, undated
b. 81	Tandem/Tat directories	1979-1981
b. 81	Tentative script credits	1982-1985
	Webster <i>6.67 linear feet (11 boxes)</i> Includes scripts for Webster and related papers including production materials, a photograph, posters, and other papers.	1983-1989
b. 82	Another ball game	1983 March 26
b. 82	It's a dog eats dog world <i>2 Folders</i>	1986 June 18, 1986 July 3
b. 82	Seeing it through <i>3 Folders</i>	1986 July 14
b. 82	Test of character	1986 July 15
b. 82	McGruff	1986 July 24
b. 82	Landlords	1986 July 31
b. 82	Derby	1986 August 7
b. 82	Secrets	1986 August 20
b. 82	Big sleepover	1986 August 21
b. 82	Read it and weep	1986 August 28
b. 82	Secrets	1986 August 28
b. 82	Seeing it through	1986 September 4
b. 83	Run for the money	1998 September 17
b. 83	Secrets	1986 September 22
b. 83	Witchbusters	1986 September 25
b. 83	Kiss me Kate	1986 October 2
b. 83	Playball	1986 October 15
b. 83	Tribute	1986 October 23
b. 83	Test of characters	1986 October 30

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b. 83	Katherine the brave <i>2 Folders</i>	1986 November 11
b. 83	Man in the red flannel suit	1986 November 13
b. 83	Secrets	1986 November 20
b. 83	Katherine the brave	1986 November 24
b. 84	Katherine the brave	1986 November 24
b. 84	K. O. Kid	1986 December 4
b. 84	A++ parents	1986 December 10
b. 84	Honor thy grandfather	1986 December 11
b. 84	Leave it to Diva	1986 December 10
b. 84	Freedom of the press	1987 January 8
b. 84	Games people play	1987 January 15
b. 84	Katherine the brave	1987 January 22
b. 84	Our song	1987 February 5
b. 84	A++ parents	1987 February 12
b. 84	What price friendship	1987 February 19
b. 84	San Francisco parts I' II and III	1987 July 28
b. 85	San Francisco, parts I' II and III	1987 August 11
b. 85	Grab	1987 August 12
b. 85	Strike	1987 August 17
b. 85	Hello, Nicky	1987 August 20
b. 85	Grab bag	1987 August 27
b. 85	Strike <i>2 Folders</i>	1987 September 8, 1987 September 10
b. 85	Hell of weekend	1987 September 10

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b. 85	Basket blues <i>2 Folders</i>	1987 September 14
b. 85	George's brush with life	1987 September 17
b. 85	Importance being worthy	1987 September 24
b. 85	Breaking away	1987 October 6
b. 86	Couch potato must die	1987 October 7
b. 86	Hell of a weekend	1987 October 15
b. 86	Homecoming	1987 October 22
b. 86	Katherine the Greek	1987 October 22
b. 86	Love letters	1987 October 28
b. 86	Simple gifts	1987 November 2
b. 86	Four Tops-the sequel	1987 November 5
b. 86	Cruise	1987 November 11
b. 75	Taming of the stew	1987 November 18
b. 86	Nerds are people too	1987 November 19
b. 86	Couch potato must die	1987 December 10
b. 86	Simple gifts	1987 November 12
b. 86	Taming of the stew	1987 December 3-1987 December 4
b. 86	Cruise	1987 December 11
b. 87	Dial K for Katherine	1988 January 7
b. 87	Homecoming	1988 January 14
b. 87	Basketball blues	1988 January 21
b. 87	Love letters	1988 February 4
b. 87	Talk show	1988 February 11

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b. 87	Parental guidance suggested	1988 February 18
b. 87	Papa's big romance	1988 February 22
b. 87	Heaven <i>2 linear feet</i>	1988 February 29
b. 87	Rub-a-dub-dub	1988 March 3
b. 87	See George run	1988 March 10
b. 87	Papa's big romance	1988 March 17
b. 87	Election	1988 February 19
b. 88	Election <i>3 Folders</i>	1988 March 2
b. 88	Quiz show	1988 March 24
b. 88	Sale away	1988 April 14
b. 88	Crush	1988 April 21
b. 88	Yippee, Yay, I'm going to HEAVEN	1988 April 28
b. 88	Wild, wild Webst	1988 May 2
b. 88	Election	1988 May 20
b. 88	Rich man, poor man	1988 May 26
b. 88	Webtrek	1988 September 8
b. 88	Take my cousin, please	1988 September 14
b. 88	Doing time at the community center	1988 September 22
b. 89	Web-touchables	1988 September 29
b. 89	Chelsea cat	1988 September 29
b. 89	Bowled over	1988 October 27
b. 89	Here comes the Jets	1988 November 17
b. 89	Camping we will go	1988 December 1
b. 89	Ticket to ride	1988 December 8

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b. 89	Science project	1988 December 15
b. 89	They shoot horses, do they?	1989 January 5
b. 89	Gospel truth	1989 January 12
b. 89	Visitor	1989 January 18
b. 89	Untitled script	undated
	Other papers	1985-1987
b. 90	Call sheets/production reports	1986-1987
b. 90	Notepad-blank	1986-1987
b. 90	Notes and script pages	undated
b. 90	Photograph-unidentified	undated
b. 91 (Oversize)	Posters <i>2 Folders</i> This file contains Dudley for President, Vote 4 Dudley posters.	undated
b. 90	Racist satirical job application form	undated
b. 90	Script progress reports and schedules	1986-1987
b. 90	Story synopsis <i>3 Folders</i> Includes synopsis for Katherine the brave and parental guidance suggested episodes and general season story synopsis.	1985-1987

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