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## Draft, "The Montgomery Story," Address at the Forty-Seventh Annual Convention of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)

<http://okra.stanford.edu/en/permalink/document560627-000>

Author: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Author Dates: 1929-1968  
Document ID: 560627-000  
Document Date: 6/27/1956  
Type of Writing: Autograph -- author's hand  
Handwritten -- other than author's hand  
Document Type: Document  
Type of Version: Draft  
Status: Cal. 3  
Place Written: [San Francisco, Calif.]  
Genre: Speech  
Document Length: 23 pp.  
Dates: 12/1/1955  
12/5/1955  
5/17/1954  
Names: Parks, Rosa  
Nixon, Edgar Daniel  
Carlyle, Thomas  
Bryant, William Cullen  
Lowell, James Russell  
Gandhi, Mahatma  
Hughes, Langston  
White, Walter Francis  
Scott, Dred  
Aristotle  
Cowper, William  
Organizations: National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)  
United States. Supreme Court  
Holt Street Baptist Church  
Montgomery Improvement Association  
White Citizens Council  
Places: Montgomery, Ala.  
Africa  
Topics: Montgomery Bus Boycott  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking  
Nonviolence  
Slavery  
Protestantism  
Montgomery Improvement Association--meetings  
Church and Race Relations  
City of Montgomery vs. Rosa Parks  
Brown vs. Board of Education, Topeka, Kansas  
Afro-Americans - Social conditions

Atro-Americans--Intimidation of  
Segregation in transportation  
Segregation--law and legislation

Other Topics: Mother to Son  
Exodus 9:18-28  
Ephesians 6:5-9  
The Negro?s Complaint

Code for Location of Original: NAACPP-DLC

Location of Original: National Association for the Advancement of Colored People Papers, 1909-1955, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

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Copy Location (1): MLKJP-GAMK, Martin Luther King, Jr. Papers (Series I-IV), Martin Luther King, Jr., Center for Nonviolent Social Change, Inc., Atlanta, Ga.

Copy Location (2): MLKPP, Martin Luther King, Jr. Papers Project, Stanford University, Stanford, Calif.

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# "The Montgomery Story," Address at the forty-seventh annual convention of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)

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Document Type: Document  
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Place Written: San Francisco, Calif.  
Genre: Speech  
Document Length: 13 pp.  
Dates: 1619  
1857  
12/1/1955  
12/5/1955  
12/4/1955  
5/17/1954  
Names: Parks, Rosa  
Nixon, Edgar Daniel  
Carlyle, Thomas  
Bryant, William Cullen  
Lowell, James Russell  
Gandhi, Mahatma  
Hughes, Langston  
White, Walter Francis  
Scott, Dred  
Aristotle  
Cowper, William  
Sellers, Clyde  
Organizations: National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)  
Dexter Avenue Baptist Church (Montgomery, Ala.)  
United States. Supreme Court  
Holt Street Baptist Church  
White Citizens Council  
Places: Montgomery, Ala.  
Plymouth, Mass.  
India  
Africa  
Topics: Montgomery Bus Boycott  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking  
Nonviolence  
Slavery  
Protestantism  
Montgomery Improvement Association--meetings  
Church and Race Relations  
City of Montgomery vs. Rosa Parks

Brown vs. Board of Education, Topeka, Kansas  
 Afro-Americans - Social conditions  
 Afro-Americans--Intimidation of  
 Segregation in transportation  
 Segregation--law and legislation  
 Mother to Son  
 Exodus 9:18-28  
 Ephesians 6:5-9  
 Matthew 5:44  
 The Negro's Complaint  
 Code for Location of Original: MCMLK-RWWL  
 Location of Original: Morehouse College Martin Luther King, Jr. Collection, Atlanta University Center, Robert W. Woodruff Library Archives and Special Collections, Atlanta, Ga.  
 Location of Original - Detail: 2.3.0.1050  
 Copy Location (1): NAACPP-DLC, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People Collection, Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.  
 Filing Info: Group III-B192  
 Copy Location (2): labc-MiU, Labadie Collection, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich.  
 Copy Location (3): MLKP-MBU, Martin Luther King, Jr., Papers, 1954-1968, Howard Gotlieb Archival Research Center, Boston University, Boston, Mass.  
 Filing Info: Box 89, folder 10  
 Copy Location (4): MLKPP, Martin Luther King, Jr. Papers Project, Stanford University, Stanford, Calif.  
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# "Remarks in Acceptance of the Forty-second Spingarn Medal at the Forty-eighth Annual NAACP Convention"

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Author: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Author Dates: 1929-1968  
Document ID: 570628-001  
Document Date: 6/28/1957  
Type of Writing: Typed  
Document Type: Document  
Status: In Vol. 4  
cal. 6  
Place Written: Detroit, Mich.  
Genre: Speech  
Document Length: 14 pp.  
Names: Abernathy, Ralph  
Wilkins, Roy  
Marshall, Thurgood  
White, Walter Francis  
Plato  
Aristotle  
Sophocles  
Euripides  
Scott, Dred  
Nkrumah, Kwame  
Organizations: National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)  
United States. Supreme Court  
United Nations  
Ku Klux Klan  
Places: Montgomery, Ala.  
Africa  
Asia  
Ghana  
Topics: Martin Luther King, Jr. - Honors - Spingarn Medal  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking  
Civil Rights Act, 1957  
Plessy vs Ferguson, 1896  
Brown vs. Board of Education, Topeka, Kansas  
Montgomery Bus Boycott  
Code for Location of Original: ABSP-DHU-MS  
Location of Original: Arthur B. Spingarn Papers, Howard University, Washington, D.C.  
Copy Location (1): CSKC-INP, Coretta Scott King Collection, In Private Hands  
Copy Location (2): HCBP-NcD, Harry C. Boyte Family Papers, Duke University, David M. Rubenstein Rare Book & Manuscript Library, Durham, N.C.  
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Copy Location (3): NAACP  
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## "Work for Humanity, Dr. King Advises"

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Document ID: 591111-014  
Document Date: 11/11/1959  
Type of Writing: Printed -- published  
Document Type: Document  
Status: Cal. 5  
Place Written: Waterloo, Iowa  
Genre: Article  
Document Length: 1 p.  
Published In: Waterloo Daily Courier  
Dates: 11/10/1959  
Names: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Bunche, Ralph J. (Ralph Johnson)  
Organizations: Waterloo Daily Courier  
United States. Supreme Court  
West High School  
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)  
Places: Africa  
India  
Pakistan  
China  
England  
Montgomery, Ala.  
Topics: World Politics  
Montgomery Bus Boycott  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking  
Africa trip, 1957  
Brown vs. Board of Education, Topeka, Kansas  
Code for Location of Original: IaW  
Location of Original: Waterloo Public Library, Waterloo, Iowa  
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# "An Appeal to the Honorable John F. Kennedy, President of the United States, for National Rededication to the Principles of the Emancipation Proclamation and for an Executive Order Prohibiting Segregation in the United States of America"

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Author: King, Martin Luther, Jr.  
Author Dates: 1929-1968  
Author Affiliation: Southern Christian Leadership Conference  
Document ID: 620517-002  
Document Date: 5/17/1962  
Type of Writing: Typed  
Document Type: Document  
Status: Cal. 7  
Cal. 8  
Place Written: Atlanta, Ga.  
Genre: Report  
Document Length: 60 pp.  
Dates: 9/9/1960  
5/17/1954  
9/23/1957-9/24/1957  
1/16/1962  
12/7/1962  
9/17/1862  
11/19/1863  
9/22/1862  
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12/31/1862  
8/1960  
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1/18/1962  
11/1961  
8/30/1961



12/7/1960

1/19/1960

7/22/1960

1/11/1962

1907

4/20/1871

9/15/1792

1795

4/9/1866

1870

7/2/1959

7/16/1959

7/17/1959

7/18/1959

7/22/1959

Names:

Kennedy, John F. (John Fitzgerald) [United States. White House]

Wilson, Woodrow

Jefferson, Thomas

Lee, Robert E.

Roosevelt, Theodore

Catton, Bruce

Douglass, Frederick

Shuttlesworth, Fred L.

Greenberg, Jack

Lincoln, Abraham

Garrison, William Lloyd

Tougee, Albion W.

Ribicoff, Abraham [United States. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare]

Lewis, Anthony [New York Times]

Johnston, Olin D. (Olin Dewitt) [United States. Congress. Senate]

Patterson, John Malcolm [Alabama. Office of the Governor]

Barnett, Ross R. [Mississippi. Office of the Governor]

Blaine, James G. [United States. Congress. House of Representatives]

Roosevelt, Theodore [United States. White House]

Washington, George [United States. White House]

Knowland, William F. (William Fife)

Humphrey, Hubert H. (Hubert Horatio)

Brownell, Herbert [United States. Dept. of Justice]

Ervin, Sam J. (Sam James) [United States. Congress. Senate]

Russell, Richard B. (Richard Brevard) [United States. Congress. Senate]

Douglas, Paul H. (Paul Howard) [United States. Congress. Senate]

Clark, Joseph S. [United States. Congress. Senate]

Javits, Jacob K. (Jacob Koppel) [United States. Congress. Senate]

Long, Edward V. [United States. Congress. Senate]

Lausche, Frank [United States. Congress. Senate]

Carroll, John A. [United States. Congress. Senate]

Cooper, John Sherman [United States. Congress. Senate]

Saltonstall, Leverett A. [United States. Congress. Senate]

Anderson, Clinton Presba [United States. Congress. Senate]

Aiken, George D. [United States. Congress. Senate]

Frankfurter, Felix [United States. Supreme Court]

Cardozo, Benjamin N.  
Small, Norman J. [Library of Congress]  
Eisenhower, Dwight D. (Dwight David) [United States. White House]  
Pollitt, Daniel H.

Organizations:

United States. White House  
Southern Regional Council  
Democratic National Committee (U.S.)  
Republican National Committee (U.S.)  
United States. Commission on Civil Rights  
United States. Supreme Court  
Delaware. Supreme Court  
Girard College (Philadelphia, Pa.)  
Birmingham (Ala.). Board of Education  
United States. Court of Appeals (8th Circuit)  
United States. Interstate Commerce Commission  
United States. Congress. Senate  
Mississippi. Office of the Governor  
United States. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare  
United States. Court of Appeals (6th Circuit)  
Memphis (Tenn.). Board of Education  
Newport News (Va.). School Board  
United States. Court of Appeals (4th Circuit)  
United States. Dept. of Justice  
Baltimore (Md.). Office of the Mayor  
Baltimore (Md.). City Council  
California. Appellate Court  
San Francisco (Calif.). Housing Authority  
Detroit (Mich.). Housing Commission  
Toledo Metropolitan Housing (Toledo, Ohio)  
Benton Harbor (Mich.). Housing Commission  
St. Louis (Mo.). Housing Authority  
Columbus Metropolitan Housing Authority (Columbus, Ohio)  
Evansville (Ind.). Housing Authority  
United States. Federal Housing Administration.  
United States. Veterans Administration  
Southern School News  
New York Times  
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)  
United States. Federal Aviation Agency  
Montgomery Regional Airport (Montgomery, Ala.)  
New Orleans International Airport (Kenner, La.)  
Columbus Metropolitan Airport (Columbus, Ga.)  
Atlanta Municipal Airport (Atlanta, Ga.)  
Raleigh-Durham Airport (Morrisville, N.C.)  
Alabama. Office of the Governor  
United States. Congress. House of Representatives  
Columbia University (New York, N.Y.)  
Pennsylvania. Office of the Governor  
Newsweek Magazine  
Ku Klux Klan

Library of Congress  
Central High School (Little Rock, Ark.)

Places:

New York, N.Y.  
Little Rock, Ark.  
Montgomery, Ala.  
Memphis, Tenn.  
New Orleans, La.  
Prince Edward County, Va.  
Jackson, Miss.  
Antietam, Md.  
Gettysburg, Pa.  
Philadelphia, Pa.  
Florida  
Texas  
Delaware  
Missouri  
North Carolina  
Oklahoma  
South Carolina  
West Virginia  
Baltimore, Md.  
Atlanta, Ga.  
Louisville, Ky.  
St. Petersburg, Fla.  
San Francisco, Calif.  
Evansville, Ind.  
Benton Harbor, Mich.  
St. Louis, Mo.  
Columbus, Ohio  
Toledo, Ohio  
Detroit, Mich.  
Camden County, N.J.  
Alexandria, La.  
Baton Rouge, La.  
Monroe, La.  
Rustin, La.  
Greenwood, Miss.  
McComb, Miss.  
Los Angeles, Calif.  
Africa  
Asia  
Newport, R.I.

Topics:

Emancipation Proclamation  
Segregation--law and legislation  
Brown vs. Board of Education, Topeka, Kansas  
Plessy vs Ferguson, 1896  
United States - Constitutional law  
Discrimination in housing  
Little Rock School Crisis, 1957  
Civil Rights Act, 1957

School integration  
 Discrimination in public accommodations  
 Race relations  
 Freedom rides  
 Martin Luther King, Jr. - Publications  
 Martin Luther King, Jr. - Political and Social views  
 Sit-ins  
 Other Topics: Life and Times of Frederick Douglass  
 Race Relations and American Law  
 The President Office and Powers  
 The American Presidency  
 Theodore Roosevelt: An Autobiography  
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 Filing Info: Reel 3  
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 Filing Info: Reel #5, 00459  
 Copy Location (3): SHLMP-WHi, Scott H. L. McNeil Papers, State Historical Society of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.  
 Copy Location (4): WTWC-NN-Sc, Wyatt Tee Walker Collection, Manuscripts, Archives and Rare Books Division, Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture, The New York Public Library, New York, N.Y.  
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# "Facing the Challenge of a New Age," Address delivered to the Rocky Mount Voters and Improvement League

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Dates: 1619  
9/22/1862  
1896  
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5/17/1954  
1871  
Names: Armstrong, Wiley T.  
Dudley, George W.  
John, the Apostle, Saint  
Lincoln, Abraham  
Hope, Bob  
King, Coretta Scott  
Donne, John  
Emerson, Ralph Waldo  
Raphael  
Michelangelo Buonarroti  
Beethoven, Ludwig van  
Shakespeare, William  
Maddox, Lester  
Allen, Ivan  
Graham, Frank Porter  
Lenin, Vladimir Ilyich  
Carlyle, Thomas  
Bryant, William Cullen  
Lowell, James Russell  
Amos (Biblical prophet)  
King, Yolanda  
King, Martin Luther, III  
King, Dexter  
Organizations: Rocky Mount Voters and Improvement League (Rocky Mount, N.C.)  
United States. Supreme Court  
United States. Congress. Senate  
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)  
Mount Olive Baptist Church (Sasser, Ga.)  
Mount Mary Baptist Church (Sasser, Ga.)  
Places: Atlanta, Ga.

	Africa
	Egypt
	Los Angeles, Calif.
	New York, N.Y.
	Tokyo, Japan
	Seattle, Wash.
	India
	Montgomery, Ala.
	Washington, D.C.
	Mississippi
	Sasser, Ga.
	Terrell County, Ga.
	New Hampshire
	Pennsylvania
	Colorado
	California
	Stone Mountain, Ga.
Topics:	Lookout Mountain, Tenn.
	Facing the Challenge of a New Age
	Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking
	Imperialism
	Emancipation Proclamation
	Plessy vs Ferguson, 1896
	Brown vs. Board of Education, Topeka, Kansas
	India trip
	Voter registration
	Segregation--law and legislation
	Nonviolence
	Student movements
	Discrimination in public accommodations
	School integration
	I Have a Dream
Other Topics:	Revelation 21:1-5
	Acts 17:26
	Amos 5:24
	Isaiah 40:4-5
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Dudley, George W.  
John, the Apostle, Saint  
Lincoln, Abraham  
Hope, Bob  
King, Coretta Scott  
Donne, John  
Emerson, Ralph Waldo  
Raphael  
Michelangelo Buonarroti  
Beethoven, Ludwig van  
Shakespeare, William  
Maddox, Lester  
Allen, Ivan  
Graham, Frank Porter  
Lenin, Vladimir Ilyich  
Carlyle, Thomas  
Bryant, William Cullen  
Lowell, James Russell  
Amos (Biblical prophet)  
King, Yolanda  
King, Martin Luther, III  
King, Dexter  
Organizations: Rocky Mount Voters and Improvement League (Rocky Mount, N.C.)  
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)  
United States. Supreme Court  
United States. Congress. Senate  
Mount Olive Baptist Church (Sasser, Ga.)  
Mount Mary Baptist Church (Sasser, Ga.)

Places:	Atlanta, Ga. Africa Egypt Los Angeles, Calif. New York, N.Y. Tokyo, Japan Seattle, Wash. India Montgomery, Ala. Washington, D.C. Mississippi Sasser County, Ga. Terrell County, Ga. New Hampshire Pennsylvania Colorado California Stone Mountain, Ga.
Topics:	Lookout Mountain, Tenn. India trip Emancipation Proclamation Imperialism Brown vs. Board of Education, Topeka, Kansas Plessy vs Ferguson, 1896 Nonviolence Student movements Segregation--law and legislation Facing the Challenge of a New Age Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking School integration Voter registration Discrimination in public accommodations I Have a Dream
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## Letter from a Birmingham Jail

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Genre: Letter  
Document Length: 23 pp.  
Dates: 9/1962  
4/14/1963  
3/1963  
5/17/1954  
4/12/1963  
Names: Higginbotham, Joe C.  
Carpenter, C. C. Jones  
Durick, Joseph A.  
Grafman, Milton L.  
Harmon, Nolan  
Murray, George M.  
Ramage, Edward V.  
Stallings, Earl  
Shuttlesworth, Fred L. [Alabama Christian Movement for Human Rights (ACMHR)]  
Connor, Eugene  
Socrates  
Boutwell, Albert Burton  
Niebuhr, Reinhold  
King, Yolanda  
King, Martin Luther, III  
Augustine, Saint, Bishop of Hippo  
Aquinas, Thomas, Saint  
Buber, Martin  
Tillich, Paul  
Shadrach (Biblical figure)  
Meshach (Biblical figure)  
Abednego (Biblical figure)  
Nebuchadnezzar II, King of Babylonia  
Hitler, Adolf  
Jesus Christ  
Elijah Muhammad  
Amos (Biblical prophet)  
Paul, the Apostle, Saint  
Luther, Martin  
Bunyan, John  
Lincoln, Abraham

Jefferson, Thomas  
McGill, Ralph  
Smith, Lillian Eugenia  
Golden, Harry  
Dabbs, James McBride  
Barnett, Ross R. [Mississippi. Office of the Governor]  
Wallace, George C. (George Corley) [Alabama. Office of the Governor]  
Pritchett, Laurie [Albany (Ga.). Police Dept.]  
Meredith, James

Organizations:

Eliot, T. S. (Thomas Stearns)  
Birmingham City Jail (Birmingham, Ala.)  
Alabama Christian Movement for Human Rights (ACMHR)  
Birmingham (Ala.). Office of the Mayor  
Funtown (Atlanta, Ga.)  
United States. Supreme Court  
Ku Klux Klan  
White Citizens Council  
Spring Hill College (Mobile, Ala.)  
Alabama. Office of the Governor  
Mississippi. Office of the Governor  
Birmingham (Ala.). Police Dept.  
Albany (Ga.). Police Dept.

Places:

Atlanta, Ga.  
Tarsus, Turkey  
Macedonia  
Montgomery, Ala.  
Asia  
Africa  
New Orleans, La.  
Texas  
Germany  
Hungary  
South America  
Caribbean  
Mississippi  
Albany, Ga.  
Plymouth, Mass.

Topics:

Letter from a Birmingham Jail  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Arrests  
Birmingham, 1963  
Direct action  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Critics  
Civil Disobedience  
Church and Race Relations  
Afro-Americans--Intimidation of  
Brown vs. Board of Education, Topeka, Kansas  
Natural law  
Southern Christian Leadership Conference--relations with other organizations  
Discrimination in public accommodations  
World Politics

Sit-ins  
Freedom rides  
Other Topics: Nonviolence  
Matthew 5:24  
Amos 5:24  
Galatians 6:17  
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Filing Info: Box 12, folder 43  
Copy Location (2): LMHHP-AIBiCRI, Lola Hendricks Collection, Birmingham Civil Rights Institute  
Filing Info: Box 8, folder 5  
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## Letter from a Birmingham Jail

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Grafman, Milton L.  
Hardin, Paul  
Harmon, Nolan  
Murray, George M.  
Ramage, Edward V.  
Stallings, Earl  
Shuttlesworth, Fred L. [Alabama Christian Movement for Human Rights (ACMHR)]  
Connor, Eugene  
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