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Protecting America's Treasures Black History in the Vault

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Records from the National Archives at College Park, MD (Archives II) vault that have not yet been made available in the [National Archives Catalog](#) may be digitized through researcher requests.

Additional Information on the Records in the presentation:

Inspection Roll of Negroes (The Book of Negroes), 1783 – NAID 5890797; series: Miscellaneous Papers of the Continental Congress, 1774–1789, RG 360. Microfilm Publication M332, viewable on Fold3

- Blog: [Record of the Week – Book of Negroes](#)
- [“From Slaves to British Loyalists; The ‘Book of Negroes’ Revealed”](#) – Feature on NBC News

Letter from George Washington to Charles Thomson, April 5, 1785 – series: Domestic Letters, 1784–1906 (NAID 568025), RG 59. Microfilm Publication M40, viewable on Fold3. Transcribed on [Founders Online](#)

Dred Scott Case – NAID 561075; series: Appellate Jurisdiction Case Files, 1792–2010, RG 267. Microfilm Publication M2013

- Online exhibit: [American Originals](#)

Scrapbook of Confederate Currency, 1861–1864 – NAID 6728419; series: Scrapbook Containing Confederate Currency, RG 39

Letter from President Abraham Lincoln to Secretary of the Treasury Salmon Chase, November 29, 1861 – NAID 5751999; series: Personnel Files of Notable Treasury Employees, 1822–1940, RG 56.

Personnel File of Solomon Johnson – NAID 6705920; series: Personnel Files of Notable Treasury Employees, 1822–1940.

Letter from William Syphax to the President of the United States, May 11, 1865 – NAID 6782945; series: Segregated Documents from Letters Received, 1838–1943, RG 60

- Blog: [Protecting America's Treasures: Black History in the Vault](#)

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The 13th Amendment – this record has various iterations due to the different stages in the record making process, selected NAIDs include: 1408764 (Joint Resolution Proposing the Amendment); 5916601 (Ratified Amendment and enclosures); 4866370 (1861 Proposed Amendment), all are from RG 11

- Exhibits: [Treasures of Congress](#); [Documented Rights](#)

Letter from the Committee of Citizens of Monrovia to the Consul General of the United States, February 3, 1865 – from Ceremonial Letters from Liberia (NAID 5950235), series: Communications from Foreign Heads of State, 1789–1909

Civil Rights Act of 1964 – NAID 299891; series: Enrolled Acts and Resolutions of Congress, 1789–2011, RG 11

- [Teaching with Documents](#): The Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
- Our Documents – [Civil Rights Act \(1964\)](#)

Voting Rights Act of 1965 – NAID 299909; series: Enrolled Acts and Resolutions of Congress, 1789–2011, RG 11

- [Lesson Plans](#): Congress Protects the Right to Vote

Brown v. Board of Education Case, 1955 – NAID 561058; series: Appellate Jurisdiction Case Files, 1792–2010, RG 267. Microfilm Publication M1954

- [Teaching with Documents](#)
- [Documented Rights](#) Exhibit

Comic Books – series: Historical Files of Navy Training Activities, 1940–1945, RG 24. File: Additional Materials Relating to the Special Training Program (Illiterates) (NAID 6923890)

Patent# 322,177 - Folding Beds, Sarah E. Goode – NAID 7560384; series: Selected Patent Files, 1840–2005, RG 241

George Washington Carver Patents: series: Selected Patent Files, 1840–2005, RG 241

- **Patent #1,522,176 - Cosmetics and Process of Producing the Same**, NAID 2524939
- **Patent# 1,541,478 - Paints and Stains and Process of Producing the Same**, NAID 2524940
- **Patent# 1,632,365 - Process of Producing Paints and Stains**, NAID 2524941

Patent #5,255,452 - Method and Means for Creating Anti-Gravity Illusion, Michael Jackson – NAID 5721404; series: Selected Patent Files, 1840–2005, RG 241