Summary

Creator: Drake, St. Clair

Title: St. Clair Drake papers

Date: 1935-1990

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Creator History

The distinguished social scientist and activist St. Clair Drake only claimed the distinction of being one of the first eleven or twelve persons of color to secure graduate training in anthropology between 1900 and 1945. His major contributions, he wrote in 1990, were "in teaching, sociological research, and working with activist groups, including the Peace Corps".

Born in 1911 in Suffolk, Virginia, Drake graduated from Hampton Institute in 1931, and spent the next four years teaching English, history and civics in a segregated high school in rural Northern Virginia. In 1931-32, he attended a small Quaker graduate center, the Pendle Hill School, in Wallingford, Pennsylvania, and traveled throughout the South with a "Peace Caravan" campaigning for disarmament and world cooperation. Between 1935 and 1937, he worked as an instructor at Dillard University in New Orleans, and conducted field work in Natchez, Mississippi, for Allison Davis's book, Deep South.

Traveling to Chicago in 1937 on a Rosenwald Fellowship for advanced studies in sociology and social anthropology at the University of Chicago, Drake served as assistant director of the Illinois State Commission on the Condition of the Urban Colored Population, and as director of a research project on churches and voluntary associations in Chicago's black community. He returned to Dillard as an assistant professor in 1940, but was dismissed the following year by the school's president for supporting a student strike. He married the sociologist Elizabeth Dewey Johns in 1942 and was the father of two children, Sandra and Karl.

Drake was a conscientious objector to Jim Crow segregation in the military, and served during the second world war as statistician and X-ray technician in the U. S. Maritime Service, a civilian body. After the war, he joined the faculty of Roosevelt College in Chicago as an assistant professor in sociology and anthropology and helped organize an African studies program there. He conducted research on black communities in England's sea ports in 1947-48 for his Ph. D. degree, and while in England became acquainted with George Padmore, Kwame Nkrumah, T. Ras Makonnen and other leaders of the Pan-African movement. His dissertation, "Value Systems, Social Structure and Race Relations in the British Isles" was accepted in 1954. In 1969, after twenty-two years at Roosevelt, he accepted the chair of the Afro-American Studies Program at Stanford University, where he remained on the faculty until his retirement in 1976.

As an educator and social anthropologist, Drake worked and conducted research in West Africa intermittently between 1954 and 1965. He was a visiting professor at the University of Liberia in 1954, and a Ford Foundation Fellow in Nigeria and Ghana in 1955. He served as the head of the Sociology Department at the University College of Ghana between 1958 and 1961, and was an adviser to the Nkrumah government on the development of Tema, a small fishing village, into a new town with a deep harbor and associated industries. He also assisted in the implementation of Peace Corps programs in Ghana and Sierra Leone. Among his research projects for that period are: "Nudity as a Social Problem in Ghana", a study of drought and rain-making among the Ghanian people, and a joint project with his wife on mass media and communications in tropical Africa. After the overthrow of the Nkrumah government in 1965, which began an era of military regimes in Africa, Drake refocused his energies on the Caribbean and the civil rights movement in the United States.

St. Clair Drake was a prolific lecturer and author. Among his many publications are: Churches and Voluntary Associations Among Negroes in Chicago, prepared for the Works Projects Administration (1940) and later reworked as a research memorandum for the Carnegie Myrdal study, "The Negro in America"; Black Metropolis, in collaboration with Horace Cayton (1945); The American Dream and the Negro: A Hundred Years of Freedom? (1963); Social Work in West Africa in collaboration with Peter Omari (1963); Black Religion and the Redemption of Africa (1971), and Black Folk Here and There
(1987, 1990). His many articles and essays appeared in books and in scholarly and non-scholarly journals in the United States and in Africa. At the time of his death in 1990, he had been working for several years on a voluminous manuscript entitled "Africa and the Black Diaspora", several chapters of which exist in final form.

**Scope and Content Note**

Divided into 18 series and spanning the years 1935 to 1990, the collection documents Drake's career as an educator and social anthropologist in the United States, Liberia, Great Britain and Ghana, and consists for the most part of correspondence, writings, office files and research materials. Drake's Research Notes and his office files from Roosevelt and Stanford Universities have been grouped together but are otherwise unprocessed. Twenty-six additional record cartons of miscellaneous material and printed matter remain unprocessed and unavailable for research. A small group of student records and tenure files have also been restricted.


**Key Terms**

**Geographic Names**

Africa -- Civilization
Cardiff (Wales)
Horn of Africa
Hyde Park (Ill.)
Kenwood (Chicago, Ill.)
Tema (Ghana)
United States -- Race relations

**Subjects**

African Americans -- Housing -- Illinois -- Chicago
African Americans -- Southern States -- Social conditions
African Americans -- Study and teaching
African diaspora
Barbados -- History
Blacks -- Caribbean Area -- History
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Blacks -- Study and teaching
Blacks -- West Indies -- History
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Caribbean Area -- History
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Community development -- Illinois -- Chicago
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Slave insurrections
Sociology, Urban -- Ghana
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Bailey, Ronald
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Harrison, Faye Venetia
Jordan, Glenn H.
Koinange-wa-Mbiyu
Mayfield, Julian, 1928-1984
Moody, Harold
Nkrumah, Kwame, 1909-1972
Reddick, Lawrence Dunbar, 1910-1995
Roberts, Robert, 1905-1974
Smythe, Hugh H. (Hugh Heyne), 1913-1977
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Untermeyer, Frank
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African Studies Association
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Association of Black Anthropologists
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League of Coloured Peoples
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Personal Papers (1.2 linear feet)

Biographical and Family Papers 1932-1990
This subseries consists of biographical material, some family correspondence and documents, articles and essays written about Drake, and educational memorabilia from Hampton Institute. There is also correspondence with Lloyd Warner and other faculty at the University of Chicago regarding Drake's Ph. D. thesis, research proposals, certificates and awards, and memorabilia.

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Maritime Service Study (Merchant Marine) 1942-1945

Administrative and statistical data relating to the prevalence of tuberculosis and to the incidence of re-infection among enlisted men. Drake was stationed at the Merchant Marine Medical Center in New York City during World War II.

Correspondence 1935-1990 (7 linear feet)

The letters are related to Drake's tenure in the academy, his scholarly research and writings and on a few occasions his political views.

In general the topics addressed in the correspondence share the same themes as Drake's writings. Note-worthy items in this series are: outgoing letters; the pre-conference package for the Sixth Annual Pan-African Conference; letters between Drake and Frank Untermeyer, his friend and colleague at Roosevelt University during his tenure there and after; correspondence with Lawrence Reddick, Claude Barnett, Julian Mayfield, Adelaide Cromwell, Horace Mann Bond, Horace Cayton and Robert Roberts; operational correspondence of the universities, organizations and groups that Drake worked with; and correspondence from Africa.

Letters by Drake

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Writings (19.7 linear feet)

Articles and Essays

A very large portion of Drake’s writings remains unpublished. This is especially true of his many articles and essays, arranged here alphabetically into two distinct subgroups: Manuscripts and Published Articles. The themes for Drake’s articles and essays range from Pan-Africanism, socialism, and dependency and growth in Sub-Saharan Africa, to slavery, black studies, and class structures and ideologies of black liberation in the U.S., Africa and the Caribbean. Other essays are: “Negritude and Soul;” an autobiographical essay, “On Being Black” (1974); and “Popular Movements and Black Consciousness Raising”. There is an article on the life and death of Walter Rodney; a number of book reviews, letters to the editor and introductions to books by other authors. Printed matter in this subseries duplicate some of the manuscripts, but more often than not represent the only copy for many of Drake’s published articles and essays, including “A Report on the Brown Britishers” (Crisis, 1949) and “Social and Economic Status of the Negro in the United States” (Daedalus, 1965).

Manuscripts

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The files for the 1961 revision of Black Metropolis consist for the most part of correspondence, a new introduction and some unused material from the 1945 edition, an early prospectus, royalty statements, and data on social clubs in Chicago in the 1930s and on racially motivated violence against blacks. Also included are miscellaneous materials for the 1969 and 1980 revisions.

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b. 51 f. 14 Nairobi College
Untermeyer Files 1958-1987 (0.4 linear feet)
Although from a different provenance, copies of Drake's correspondence with Frank Untermeyer, his colleague and friend at Roosevelt University, have been included here. Ranging from 1958 to 1965 during Drake's frequent trips to Africa, and from 1968 after his departure from Roosevelt University, the correspondence is often personal, discusses events at Roosevelt University and on the African continent, and includes letters to and from third parties on matters of common interest. Also included are biographical material, and several articles and essays written by and about Drake.
b. 52 f. 1 Drake's Favorite Quotation
b. 52 f. 2 Biographical
b. 52 f. 3 Bibliography
b. 52 f. 4-5 Correspondence
b. 52 f. 6 Articles and Essays by Drake
b. 52 f. 7 Writings about Drake
b. 52 f. 8 Untermeyer's Articles about Drake
b. 52 f. 9 Conferences and Speaking Engagements
b. 52 f. 10 "Philosophical Consciencism"
b. 52 f. 11 Dissertation Committees
b. 52 f. 12 Roosevelt College - Miscellaneous
Dillard University 1937 (1 linear foot)

This series includes a prospectus and some guidelines from Allison Davis, but consists for the most part of interviews and records of participants-observers in a survey of churches and voluntary associations in New Orleans, gathered by students and research assistants at Dillard University under the direction of Davis and Drake. Also included are interviews and other materials on churches and voluntary associations in Natchez, Mississippi. These materials were part of the data used by Davis for his study of urban life in the Black Belt.

Allison Davis - Correspondence and Prospectus

Chicago 1937-1970 (3.8 linear feet)

The Chicago series consists of interview material, participant-observer records and printed matter on race relations and community life in Chicago. These materials were collected for the most part for a study of race relations in Chicago in the 1940s and for the 1961 revision of Black Metropolis. Of particular interest are the files on social clubs and churches, segregation in housing, community organizing, and violence against blacks. Drake was a member of the Southwest Hyde Park Association throughout the 1950s and was active in the fight against the University of Chicago’s urban renewal program which, critics said, was aimed at tearing down houses occupied by blacks. There is a wealth of data here for any study of black communities and race relations in Chicago in the 1940s and 1950s. This material is unprocessed.
b. 58 f. 17  Report on Meetings
b. 58 f. 18  Welfare Council of Metropolitan Chicago*
b. 58 f. 19  HPKCC
b. 58 f. 20  Clippings
b. 58 f. 21  Chicago Housing
b. 58 f. 24  North Side (Bibliography)
b. 58 f. 25  North West Hyde Park
b. 58 f. 26  Foundation for Freedom and Democracy in Community Life
b. 58 f. 27  West Side
b. 58 f. 28  Housing
b. 58 f. 29  Pioneer Coop
b. 58 f. 30  Hyde Park - Kenwood
b. 58 f. 31  Maps
b. 58 f. 32  Urban Renewal Map
b. 58 f. 33  Chicago Freedom Rally
b. 58 f. 34  Kenwood Survey
b. 58 f. 35  Welfare Council
b. 58 f. 36  Chicago Housing Monthly Report
b. 58 f. 37  Wendall Phillips High School
b. 58 f. 38  South Side Planning Board
b. 58 f. 39  Consumers Coops/Gary 1936
b. 58 f. 40  Black Metropolis Historic District
b. 58 f. 41  Miscellaneous Data studied for updating B. Metropolis 2
b. 58 f. 42  Clippings
b. 59 f. 1  Miscellaneous
b. 59 f. 2  Printed Matter
b. 59 f. 3  Commission on Human Relations
b. 59 f. 4  Racial Violence 1956-1957
b. 59 f. 5  Chicago Housing: Survey's Interviews
b. 59 f. 6  Housing and Race Relations
b. 59 f. 7  Race Relations in Settlements Study
b. 59 f. 8  "Bond Issue 1962"
b. 59 f. 9  "Moynihan Report-Reaction of Chicago Commission on Human Relation" 1966
b. 59 f. 10  Chicago Defender, 1964; The New Crusader, 1964; Chicago Series, 1963; etc
b. 59 f. 11  "Woodland Organization and Groups"
b. 59 f. 12  Community Appraisal, 1952; Urban Renewal, 1965; Huge Park NAACP, 1957
b. 59 f. 13  "Hyde Park Herald"
b. 59 f. 14  "Clippings of Hyde park Kenwood 1955"
Drake's initial 1945 proposal to the Rosenwald Fund, an interim report and summary of activities and a later proposal for additional research are to be found here. Also filed here is Drake's correspondence with T. Ras Makonnen, and a group of letters around a controversial article, "Tiger Bay", published in the London magazine Leader (1949). Included are letters from John Actie, a St. Lucia-born seaman and member of the League of Coloured Peoples. Diaries, field notes, interviews and early drafts of chapters for Drake's Ph.D. thesis form an important part of this group of material. Drake paid special attention to the mixed ethnic settlements of Tiger Bay (Bute Town) in Cardiff, Wales, to the so-called "Brown Babies problem", and to black associational activities in Cardiff, London, Manchester and Liverpool. A photocopy of his dissertation is also included. Other important components of this series are original documents culled from the files of the League of Coloured Peoples and the Pan-African Federation. Much of the League's files consists of correspondence with its first president, Harold Moody, including letters to and from Hugh Springer, Colina Kessie, A. Creech Jones, Arthur Lewis, Wallace Johnson and George Padmore. Moody, founder of the League in 1931, was a practicing physician and influential churchman, and was reputedly the most prominent figure in race relations activities in Britain in the 1930s. He was succeeded as president of the League by Learie Constantine, the famed Trinidadian cricket player. The League was still in existence in 1952. The files of the Pan-African Federation include a "Proposed Constitution", letters to and from Makonnen and miscellaneous documents. There is also a small body of printed matter and periodical articles about blacks in Britain.

Correspondence

b. 60 f. 1  J. Rosenwald Fund
b. 60 f. 2  Leader - Black in Tiger Bay
b. 60 f. 3  T. Ras Makonnen
b. 60 f. 4  John Actie (Negro Seaman)
b. 60 f. 5  Miscellaneous Correspondence

Manuscripts

b. 60 f. 6  Summary of Dissertation
Manuscripts (cont.)

b. 60 f. 7  Ph. D. Thesis - Sources Used and Statement on Utilization of Sources
b. 60 f. 8  Dissertation
b. 60 f. 9  Dissertation
b. 60 f. 10 Dissertation
b. 60 f. 11 Dissertation, Chapters 2-4
   Drafts.

b. 60 f. 12 Britain's Post War "Color Problem"

b. 60 f. 13 "Bute Town - The Colored Community"

b. 60 f. 14 Brown Babies (incomplete)

b. 60 f. 15 Brown Baby Problem

b. 61 f. 1-2 "The Brown Baby Problem"

b. 61 f. 3 Race Relations Cardiff, Birmingham, etc

b. 61 f. 4 Birmingham

b. 61 f. 5 Accommodative Leadership

b. 61 f. 6 "Jim and The 'Ebony Project': Values and Attitudes toward 'Half Castes"

b. 61 f. 7 Negro Seamen

b. 61 f. 8 Roger Burnham: "I Wish I Where One Thing to The Other"

b. 61 f. 9 Edward Percival: "It's Not as Bad Here as They Say"

b. 61 f. 10 "Sex and Family Relationship" (Incomplete)

b. 61 f. 11 "The Coloured International Athletic Club"

b. 61 f. 12 The Inter-War Years

b. 61 f. 13 West Indians in England

b. 61 f. 14 Appendix I: Half Caste Profiles

b. 61 f. 15 Liverpool Disturbances 1948

b. 61 f. 16 League of Coloured People in Liverpool

b. 61 f. 17 Fragment

b. 61 f. 18 "Report on the Brown Britishers" (Crisis Magazine)

b. 61 f. 19 Ebony Article

Diary and Notes

b. 62 f. 1-4 Cardiff Diary and Notes

b. 62 f. 5 Notes and Interviews with Local Figures

b. 62 f. 6 Seminar Notes

b. 62 f. 7 Miscellaneous Manuscripts and Notes

b. 62 f. 8 Race Relations (Fragments)

b. 62 f. 9 Tiger Bay - Research Notes and Documents

b. 62 f. 10 Bute Town Questionnaire

b. 62 f. 11 Birmingham Diary

b. 62 f. 12 Liverpool - Correspondence and Documents

b. 62 f. 13 Manchester

b. 63 f. 1 Drake Notes (League of Coloured People, Koinange, Interracial Relations, etc)

b. 63 f. 2 Research Notes - Associational
| b. 63 f. 3 | The Somali Community |
| b. 63 f. 4 | The Communist Party in Britain |
| b. 63 f. 5 | Black Babies - Research Notes |
| b. 63 f. 6 | Race Relations and The Color Bar |
| b. 63 f. 7 | The Color Bar in England (Notes) |
| b. 63 f. 8 | Discrimination Cases during WWII |
| b. 63 f. 9 | Black Men/White Women Relations |
| b. 63 f. 10-11 | Manuscripts and Notes (Fragments) |

**Organizations**

- League of Colored Peoples
  - b. 64 f. 1: Constitution
  - b. 64 f. 2: Correspondence and Documents 1934-1938
  - b. 64 f. 3: Correspondence and Documents 1938-1960
  - b. 64 f. 4: Harold Moody Letters 1942
  - b. 64 f. 5: Correspondence with Dignitaries re: Manifesto "Africa in the Post-War World" 1945
  - b. 64 f. 6: Incomplete Manuscripts
  - b. 64 f. 7: Research Notes - The Keys

- Pan - African Federation
  - b. 64 f. 8-9: Research Notes and Documents
  - b. 64 f. 10: Correspondence and Documents
  - b. 64 f. 11: Nigerian and Cameroon Delegation in England
  - b. 64 f. 12: Printed matter
  - b. 64 f. 13: South Wales Association for the Welfare Of Coloured People
  - b. 64 f. 14: The African Churches' Mission (Liverpool)

**Printed Matter**

- b. 65 f. 1: "Adjustment of West Indian Negroes in England" by Anthony Richmond (Abstract)
- b. 65 f. 2: British Press on U. S. Race Relations
- b. 65 f. 3: Bourne-Venneck, Richard & Victoria (Interracial Couple)
- b. 65 f. 4: Churches
- b. 65 f. 5: Color Bar - Clippings
- b. 65 f. 6: Constatine, Learie
- b. 65 f. 7: "Negroes in Britain", (Draft Review of Kenneth Little's Book)
- b. 65 f. 8: Liverpool - Clipping and Notes
- b. 65 f. 9: North and South Shield - Clippings and Notes
- b. 65 f. 10: Randolph Turpin (Boxer)
- b. 65 f. 11: Roderick MacDonald's article on Harold Moody and the League of Colored Peoples in Race Magazine 1973
- b. 65 f. 12: "H. G. Wells talks with Two West Indians"
- b. 65 f. 13: "The Tiger Rag", Newsletter 1947
- b. 65 f. 14: Newspaper Articles
Much of Drake's scholarship and involvement in Africa centered on Ghana under the leadership of Kwame Nkrumah. Drake first went to Ghana, then the Gold Coast, in 1954 on a Ford Foundation grant. He returned in 1958 to lecture in the Sociology Department at the University College of Ghana in Achimota, and was subsequently appointed acting head of that department.

Correspondence
Most of the correspondence in this series deals with his appointment and tenure at the University College of Ghana, and with later efforts to secure financial assistance for West African students in the United States. The correspondence also includes letters to and from Kofi Busia, the man Drake replaced as head of the Sociology Department when he became a leader of the opposition. Included are diaries and notes dating from 1954 and 1959. Drake's anthropological writings in this section are listed by title and are mostly unpublished. His office files at the Department of Sociology fall broadly into the following categories: sociological surveys of student life, family background and career orientation; student papers, examinations and curriculum material; research projects related to Ghana; an outline for a Ph. D. program, and Drake's recommendations for the growth of a modern university in Ghana.

b. 66 f. 1 Research grant application 1953
b. 66 f. 2 Diary and Notes 1954
b. 66 f. 3 Busia, Kofi
b. 66 f. 4 Letter to Family 1955
b. 66 f. 5 1958-1960
b. 66 f. 6 Financial 1958-1961
b. 66 f. 7 1959-1961
b. 66 f. 8 Ghana Broadcasting System 1959
b. 66 f. 9 Mass Communications Survey 1959
b. 66 f. 10-11 Musama Disco Christo Church 1959
b. 66 f. 12 Correspondence
b. 66 f. 13 Gold Coast Mission
b. 66 f. 14 College Prospects
b. 66 f. 15 University of Ghana invitation to meet staff
b. 66 f. 16 Requests for scholarship aid
b. 66 f. 17 Encyclopedia Africana
b. 66 f. 18 "C. P. P., T. U. C. and the Gold Coast Revolution"
b. 66 f. 19 Elections
b. 66 f. 20 Chronology 1960 - 1961
b. 66 f. 21-22 1960 - 1961
b. 66 f. 23 Notebooks (5)
b. 66 f. 24 Hausa
b. 66 f. 25 Market products
b. 66 f. 26-29 Field notes and other notes

Manuscripts
b. 67 f. 1 "The Secondary School Milieu Viewed As A Sub-Culture"
b. 67 f. 2 "Ga Approach to Philosophy" and "The Ga Migration to Ghana"
b. 67 f. 3 Ga Ceremony of Outdoorsing Babies
b. 67 f. 4 Ga Sacred Lands
"Magic, Religion and a 'Water Crisis' in Accra"
b. 67 f. 5-6

"The African Revolution and the Accra Assembly"
b. 67 f. 7

"Elites and Social Stratification in Ghana"
b. 67 f. 8

"Nudity As a Social Problem in Ghana"
b. 67 f. 9

Report on Social Science Research in Ghana by Drake and J. W. Williams
b. 67 f. 10

"The New Charter for Ghana Labor", by John Tettegan
b. 67 f. 11

"The Origin and Development of Ga Religion", by E. A. Ammah
b. 67 f. 12

Awudome Residential Adult College
b. 67 f. 13

"Shallot Farmers of Southern Anlo"
b. 67 f. 14

Demographic studies – notes
b. 67 f. 15

University College of Ghana, Department of Sociology
b. 67 f. 16

Sociology of Religion and Water Crisis Materials
b. 67 f. 17

Internship program, University of Cape Coast
b. 67 f. 18

Student papers
b. 67 f. 19

Rollings study
b. 67 f. 20

Receipts
b. 67 f. 21

Examinations
b. 67 f. 22

School survey
b. 67 f. 23

Egaya survey 1959 - 1960
b. 67 f. 24

Interview with Arthur Lewis
b. 67 f. 25

Student career questionnaires
b. 67 f. 26-27

Department of Sociology
b. 67 f. 28

Correspondence
b. 67 f. 29

Akuajo Hall
b. 67 f. 30

University College of Ghana
b. 67 f. 31

Ames, David W. research proposal
b. 67 f. 32

Introduction to Sociology
b. 67 f. 33-34

Ghana
b. 67 f. 35

Republic Day 1964
b. 67 f. 36-38

University College of Ghana and Department of Sociology
b. 67 f. 39

Notes on Ghana
b. 67 f. 40

Department of Sociology coding sheets
b. 67 f. 41

University College of Ghana
b. 67 f. 42

Miscellaneous

Questionnaires and surveys
b. 68 f. 1-5

Survey of water crisis
b. 68 f. 6

Survey of opinions about independence
b. 68 f. 7-11

Survey of inter-ethnic contact
b. 68 f. 12

Survey of school
b. 68 f. 13

Student-conducted interviews
b. 68 f. 14

Student career questionnaire, Kumasi College of Technology
Ghana (cont.)
Questionnaires and surveys (cont.)
b. 68 f. 15  Tribal Tribe – critical ratios
b. 68 f. 16  School survey
b. 68 f. 17  Ghana County College
b. 68 f. 18  Survey of attitudes toward marriage
b. 68 f. 19  Interviews with association leaders
b. 68 f. 20  National Health Week study

b. 68 f. 21-22  Interviews
b. 68 f. 23  Miscellaneous
b. 68 f. 24  Surveys and research projects
b. 68 f. 25  Miscellaneous interviews
b. 68 f. 26  Population census instruction forms

Tema
In 1951, the colonial government of the then Gold Coast unfolded a plan to develop the small fishing village of Tema near Accra into a modern harbor. The Nkrumah government later endeavored to complete the project. The Department of Sociology under Drake became part of a research group exploring the projected educational, cultural and socio-economic problems intrinsic to an industrial and shipping center of this type. The Tema files concern both the larger project, the construction of the new harbor and town, and the many research activities undertaken by Drake or the University of Ghana. Included are drafts of a report on Tema and material collected by Drake for a major article on the new town.

b. 69 f. 1-2  Interviews with residents
b. 69 f. 3  Funding Proposal
b. 69 f. 4  "Tema, Five Years from Now"
b. 69 f. 5-9  Interviews with residents
b. 69 f. 10-14  Summer Project 1965
b. 69 f. 15  Administrative Structure
b. 69 f. 16  Tema Community College
b. 69 f. 17  Manuscripts (Draft)
b. 69 f. 18  Research Notes
b. 69 f. 19  Reports
b. 69 f. 20  Field notes
b. 69 f. 21-33  General 1959
Includes Department of Sociology Research project and Utende study.

b. 70 f. 1  School Questionnaire
b. 70 f. 2  P. E. Arhin Notes 1959
b. 70 f. 3  Datebook 1960
b. 70 f. 4  Interviews - P. E. Arhin
b. 70 f. 5  Survey
b. 70 f. 6  Material for Drake’s article
b. 70 f. 7  Tema Summer Survey 1965
b. 70 f. 8  Miscellaneous
b. 70 f. 9  Interviews - Odumase/Ahrin
b. 70 f. 10  Tema Takes Shape - Arhin 1959
b. 70 f. 11  Ghana Study Summer 1965
Guide to the
St. Clair Drake papers

Ghana (cont.)
Tema (cont.)

b. 70 f. 12
"The Desirable Role of the Sociologist in Relation to the Problem of the
Nudity in Northern Ghana" (other authors)

b. 70 f. 13
Ghana

b. 70 f. 14
M'Garrity, Gayle

b. 70 f. 15
Correspondence

b. 70 f. 16
Tema Report - First Draft

b. 70 f. 17
Interviews and Work Schedules (Homowo)

b. 70 f. 18
Tema - Ghana

b. 70 f. 19
Interviews

b. 70 f. 20-22
"The People Who Build a City"

b. 70 f. 23
"A Ghanaian Experiment in Urban Planning" (draft)

Politics and Government

The section on Ghanaian politics encompasses Nkrumah's 1958 visit to Chicago,
miscellaneous material on George Padmore and on Nkrumah's Convention People's Party, the
1965 military overthrow of the Nkrumah government, and miscellaneous writings by Drake on
Nkrumah and his philosophy of Consciencism.

b. 70 f. 24
Coup, Drake's notes

b. 70 f. 25
Ghana

b. 70 f. 26
Ghana notes

b. 70 f. 27
Ghana

b. 70 f. 28
Drake on Nkumah

b. 70 f. 29
Notes on Nkrumah

b. 70 f. 30
Drake's Diary Notes

b. 70 f. 31
Miscellaneous Correspondence

b. 70 f. 32
Convention, People's Party

b. 70 f. 33
Elizabeth Drake and Franklin Williams Letters 1966

b. 70 f. 34
The Sekondi-Takoradi Crisis in Ghana and Aftermath

b. 70 f. 35
Ghana 1962

b. 70 f. 36
Africa Gold Coast newspapers

b. 70 f. 37
Ghana Assembly

b. 70 f. 38
Ghana-Printed Matter

b. 70 f. 39
Anti-Rawlings Materials

b. 70 f. 40
Independence Day Celebration in Chicago 1957

b. 70 f. 41-44
Nkrumah visit to Chicago 1958
Includes clippings.

b. 70 f. 45
Dr. Nkrumah's Book

b. 70 f. 46
Demography Program

b. 70 f. 47
Mongolia Province

b. 70 f. 48
Coup - Clippings 1966

b. 70 f. 49
Clippings 1966

b. 70 f. 50
Warner, Maureen

b. 70b f. 51
"Nkrumah's Subversion in Africa" 1966

b. 70b f. 52
Clippings
Drake's Kenya files consist mostly of correspondence and other material related to Peter Mbiyu Koinange, a Kikuyu educator and fellow Hampton Institute alumnus who, in 1948, was denied reentry in the U.S. presumably because his presence would be "prejudicial to the public interest", and to R. Mugo Gatheru, author of Child of Two Worlds, a graduate of Lincoln and New York Universities who came to this country in 1950 with Drake's help. Also included are clipping files on Kenyan politics in the 1950s, and Drake's notes and miscellaneous material on Kenya's independence. Drake was a guest of the new government during the 1963 celebrations of Kenya's independence.

Kenya 1948-1963 (0.8 linear feet)

Proposals and other documents related to the University of Liberia, where he was a visiting professor, including student papers and curriculum material for an introductory course in social anthropology. Also copies of letters from Drake to his family discussing his activities and events in Liberia, in addition to field notes and printed matter.

Liberia 1954 (0.4 linear feet)
Nigeria and Other African Material, India, U. S. Peace Corps (1.8 linear feet)

Other Africa-related material in the collection include three radioscripts written by Drake in the 1970s for the Nigeria Broadcasting Corporation; research notes and miscellaneous writings on South Africa; correspondence and a report written by Drake on the Somali Crisis of 1948; and miscellaneous printed matter on Mali and the Congo in 1961. Drake’s Peace Corps materials related to Sierra Leone are also located here.

Nigeria
b. 75 f. 1-2 Radio Broadcast
b. 75 f. 3 Congress for Cultural Freedom 1959
b. 75 f. 4 Study of Nigeria (Pierre van den Berghe)
b. 75 f. 5 Script for Nigeria Broadcasting Co
b. 75 f. 6 Biafra
b. 75 f. 7 Press Release
b. 75 f. 8-11 Printed Matter

Other African material
b. 76 f. 1-4 Somalia
b. 76 f. 5-15 The Congo Crisis
b. 77 f. 1 Tanzania
b. 77 f. 2 Mali
b. 77 f. 3-10 Africa
b. 77 f. 11-16 South Africa
b. 77 f. 17-19 Printed Matter
b. 78 f. 1-13 India

U. S. Peace Corps
b. 79 f. 1-2 Correspondence
b. 79 f. 3 Brokensha, D. and Drake. “The Peace Corps and Anthropology”
b. 79 f. 4-11 Training Project for Sierra Leone
b. 79 f. 12-13 Training Project for Ghana
b. 79 f. 14 Conference on “The Returned Peace Corps Volunteer: Citizen in a Time of Change”
b. 79 f. 15 Printed Matter 1952

Mass Communications in Tropical Africa 1953-1960 (1.4 linear feet)

A large volume of manuscripts and research notes by Elizabeth and St. Clair Drake, and data on mass communications in English-speaking West Africa, the French and Portuguese territories, Ethiopia, Madagascar and the Sudan form this series. Media surveyed include newspapers, radio stations and motion picture theaters. Also included are correspondence and administrative files from the University College of Ghana, 1958-59, where Drake had a survey staff to assist with the project. The study was initially sponsored by the Twentieth Century Fund. The files are broadly arranged into Correspondence, Writings, Interviews, University of Ghana Materials, Printed Matter, and one box of unsorted documents.

b. 80 f. 1 Correspondence
b. 80 f. 2 Mass Media in Developing Countries
b. 80 f. 3 “Exploration of the Impact of the Movies in Ghana” (Elizabeth Drake Manuscript)
b. 80 f. 4 “Mass Media in Tropical Africa: A Frame of Reference for Research”
b. 80 f. 5-6 “The Daily Press in Africa”
Mass Communications in Tropical Africa (cont.)

b. 80 f. 7 Articles by Drake
b. 80 f. 8 Articles on Movies
b. 80 f. 9 Mass communication survey - articles and research materials
b. 80 f. 10 Mass communication in Africa, theoretical articles
b. 80 f. 11 Gold Coast Newspaper
b. 80 f. 12 Elizabeth Drake
b. 80 f. 13 Drake, St. Clair and Elizabeth – "The Communication Process in Tropical Africa"

b. 80 f. 14 Survey
b. 80 f. 15 Broadcasting 1954
b. 80 f. 16-17 Printed Matter
b. 80 f. 18 "A Preliminary Analysis of Reading Interests among Ghana School Boys"

b. 81 f. 1-5 Interviews
b. 81 f. 6 Ghanaian Newspapers
b. 81 f. 7 Motion Pictures in Ghana
b. 81 f. 8-9 Radio Broadcasts in Ghana
b. 81 f. 10 Survey of Radio Listeners
b. 81 f. 11-12 Ghana - Newspapers headlines and editorials 1954
b. 81 f. 13 Charts
b. 81 f. 14 Togo
b. 82 f. 1-4 University College of Ghana
b. 83 f. 1-15 Unsorted Material
b. 84-90 Research Notes
b. 91 Roosevelt University
b. 92
b. 93-100 Stanford University
b. 101 Oversized
b. 102
b. 103 Restricted