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## Guide to the Louis Armstrong Music Manuscripts

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives Center, National Museum of American History
<b>Title:</b>	Louis Armstrong Music Manuscripts
<b>Identifier:</b>	NMAH.AC.0904
<b>Date:</b>	undated
<b>Creator:</b>	Armstrong, Louis, 1901-1971
<b>Extent:</b>	0.3 Cubic feet (1 box)
<b>Language:</b>	English .
<b>Digital Content:</b>	<a href="#">Image(s): Louis Armstrong Music Manuscripts</a>

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## Administrative Information

### Immediate Source of Acquisition

Collection purchased at Guernsey's Auction, 108 East 73rd Street, New York, New York 10021.

### Ownership and Custodial History

Purchased at auction by the National Museum of American History in 2005.

### Processing Information

Collection is unprocessed.

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## Biographical Note

Jazz vocalist and trumpet player.

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## Scope and Contents

Conductor's scores for: "Didn't it Rain", "Shadrack", "This Train", "Sometimes", "Jonah", "Down by the Riverside", "Jonah and the Whale", "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen". Condensed scores for: "Shadrack", "Go Down Moses", "Ezekiel", "Motherless Child", "Rock My Soul".

## Arrangement

1 series.

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## Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

Jazz -- 20th century -- United States

Music -- 20th century -- United States

Types of Materials:

Manuscripts -- Music -- 20th century