

Paul Robeson

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Actor Paul Robeson, photographed at Madame St. Georges studio in London in 1925, was performing in Eugene O'Neill's "The Emperor Jones" in London's Ambassador Theater that year. Robeson's career as an actor, singer and political activist is the subject of "Paul Robeson: Here I Stand," premiering Feb. 24, 1999 in WNET's American Masters series. (AP Photo/Courtesy Paul Robeson Jr.)



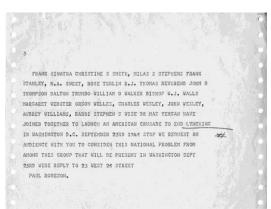
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