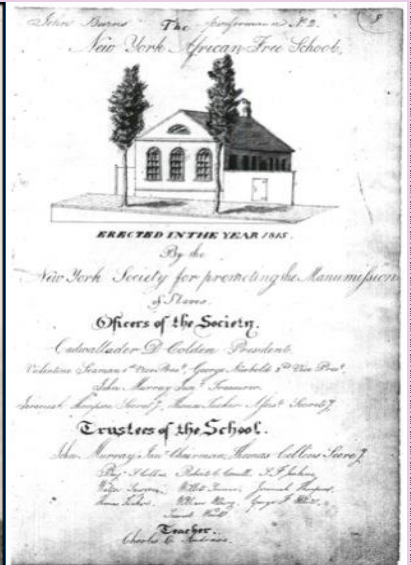
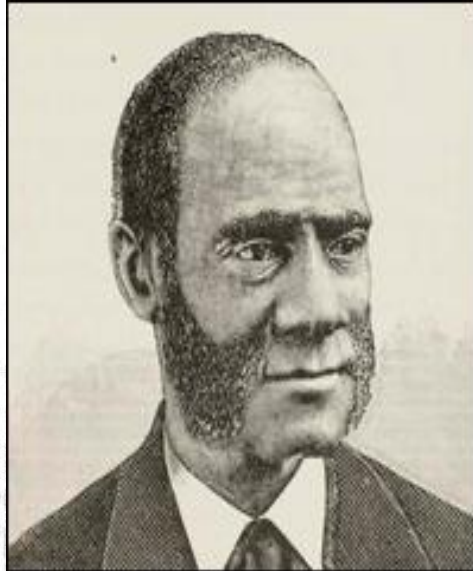
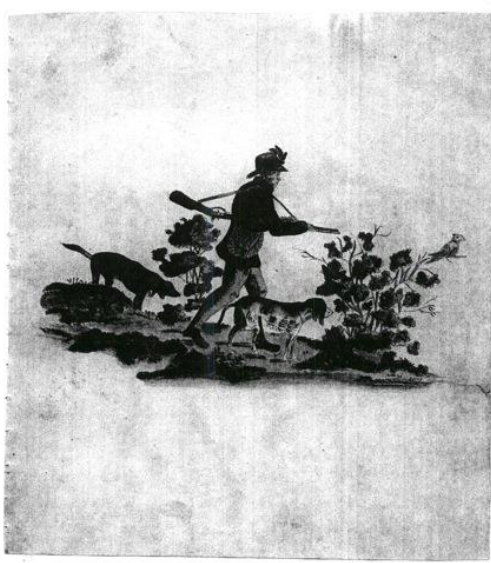


The Committee on Speakers and Symposium Presents

A Brown Bag Talk with

Professor Anna Mae Duane

Growing up in a Slave Nation: Henry Highland Garnet's Education in the Gothic Picaresque



When: Wednesday, March 8, 1:30-3:00 PM

Where: Stern Room, Austin Hall 217

Refreshments will be served

For African Americans throughout the nineteenth century, figuring out how to “grow up” was no academic enterprise. As political narratives of national development intertwined with scientific theories of human development, a particular vision of adulthood became a prerequisite for citizenship. This talk explores how Henry Highland Garnet, a revolutionary black abolitionist, navigated national narratives about progress that cast black children as stuck in time, unable to ever grow into full maturity.

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