1. Record Nr. UNINA9910791564603321 Autore Davis Frank Marshall <1905-1987.> Titolo Livin' the blues: memoirs of a Black journalist and poet // Frank Marshall Davis; edited, with an introduction, by John Edgar Tidwell Madison, Wis., : University of Wisconsin Press, c1992 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 0-299-13503-9 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (408 pages): illustrations Collana Wisconsin studies in American autobiography Altri autori (Persone) TidwellJohn Edgar Disciplina 811/.52 В Soggetti African American journalists African American journalists - Social conditions United States Race relations Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Bibliographic Level Mode of Issuance: Monograph Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references (p. 349-368) and index. Sommario/riassunto Frank Marshall Davis was a prominent poet, journalist, jazz critic, and civil rights activist on the Chicago and Atlanta scene from the 1920s through 1940s. He was an intimate of Langston Hughes and Richard Wright, and an influential editor at the Chicago Evening Bulletin, the Chicago Whip, the Chicago Star, and the Atlanta World. He renounced his writing career in 1948 and moved to Hawaii, forgotten until the

Black Arts Movement rediscovered him in the 1960s.