

Name William Perry Fidler  
Assistant Professor of English  
University of Alabama, University

Field: English  
Language & Literature

Plan of Work To gather materials in Mobile, Alabama, Columbus, Georgia, and Washington, D. C. (Library of Congress) and write a critical study of the life and writings of Augusta Evans Wilson, a native of Georgia and resident of Alabama for sixty years.

Seeks no degree. Probable duration of work eight months, beginning May 25, 1941. Will return to present position.

Applied in 1940.

Personal Data Born Birmingham, Alabama, July, 1906. Age: 34  
Married, one child.

Undergraduate Work University of Alabama, A. B., 1928.

Graduate Work Harvard University, A. M., 1930.  
University of Chicago, 1935-37.

Experience Instructor to assistant professor, University of Alabama, 1930 -, \$2000 - \$2400.

Accomplishments

Publications: Co-author, Contemporary Southern Prose, D. C. Heath & Co., 1940; various articles in Southern Literary Messenger.

Fellowship: University of Chicago, 1936-37, \$300.

References

R. C. Beatty, Vanderbilt University  
Floyd Tillery, author, West Point, Georgia  
Ernest Krueger, Vanderbilt University  
William M. Hepburn, 744 Jackson Place, Washington, D. C.  
O. C. Carmichael, Vanderbilt University

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed \$ 1,241  
From Applicant 241  
From Fund \$ 1,000

AMOUNT GRANTED

Sent to Committee

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