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Name McGill, Ralph E. (M) 1899 Negro
White Southerner

Position Sports editor and feature and political
writer, Atlanta Constitution Special Field Journalism and
Group Ag. Economics

College Vanderbilt University, 1917, 1919-21

University

Plan of Work:

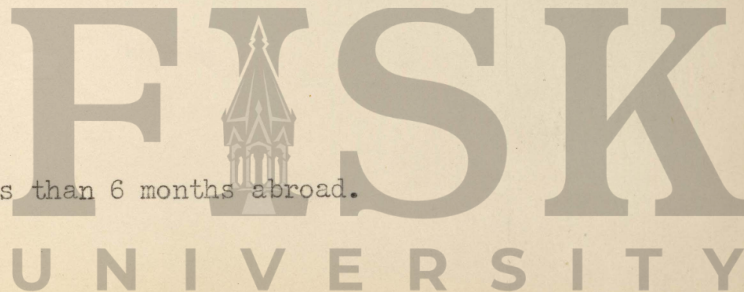
Europe

Study of farm tenancy in Ireland and England - treatment of minorities and relationship of the press to tenancy and minorities. If time, some work on European press methods - what happens to press under dictatorship and semi-censorship of England.

1942

Action of Fellowship Committee:

1942 Granted \$1,700 for not less than 6 months abroad.
Granted 300 Extension



Suspended at end of junior year for editorials in college newspaper against YMCA (student) and its methods.

During his fellowship Mr. McGill studied land tenure and minority groups in Ireland, England, and on the continent, especially Scandinavian countries. As a result of his studies "Two Georgians Explore Scandinavia" was published by the State Department of Education (Georgia) on his return.

In May of 1942 Mr. McGill attended a course of lectures and discussions offered by the Nieman Foundation at Harvard University, extending over a two-week period. At the end of this course Mr. McGill spent a short time in Washington in the Censorship Office. For this trip the Fund gave him an extension of \$300.

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McGILL, RALPH E.

PUBLICATIONS

Two Georgians Explore Scandinavia, with Thomas David, booklet distributed by
Georgia State Department of Education, 1938.

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CAREER SINCE TENURE OF FELLOWSHIP

Upon return to Atlanta Mr. McGill was made Executive Editor of the Constitution.

Has made a great many speeches in the state on farm problems, cooperatives, and other subjects. 9/5/39

See Master Card for extension to attend Nieman Foundation short-course and visit Censorship Office in Washington. 5/28/42

Editor, Atlanta Constitution; article in September issue ATLANTIC MONTHLY.
1944.



JULIUS ROSENWALD FUND

Name Ralph Emerson McGill
Address 110 Fifth St., N.E., Atlanta, Georgia
Position Sports editor, feature and political writer \$90 wk.
The Atlanta Constitution

Negro
White Southerner

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Special Field Farm tenancy Group

Position: Eventually, editorial and special writer on economic subjects in the South.

Length of work: 9 or 10 months.

Digest of Application

Born 1899. Married, 1 child. Vanderbilt University, 1917, 1919-21. Literary activities. Suspended end junior year for editorials in college newspaper against YMCA (student) and its methods.

Special study in politics and farm problems and considerable newspaper work in these fields in Nashville, Tennessee and Georgia.

Applicant's References 2/27/37
Mr. Mark Ethridge, Courier Journal, Louisville, Kentucky
Mr. Julian Harris, The Times, Chattanooga, Tennessee
Dr. Harvey W. Cox, Pres., Emory University, Georgia
Dr. Cullen Gosnell, Emory University, Georgia

Other References

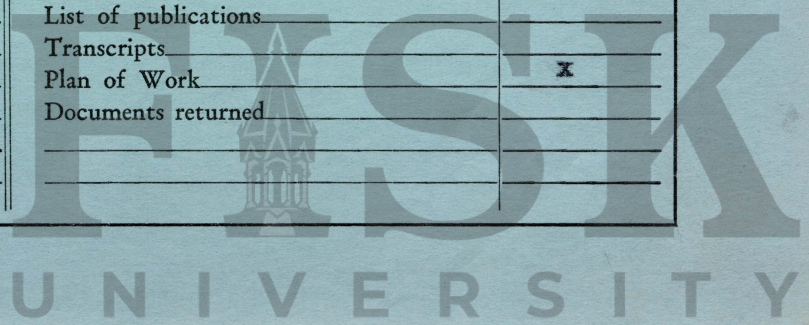
Budget Summary 9 mos
Total amount needed \$ 2876.51
From applicant 860
From Fund \$ 2016.51
Granted \$ _____

Action of Committee

agreed on as candidate

PROCEDURE

Application received _____	2/27/37	Documents submitted:	
acknowledged _____	2/27/37	Photograph _____	
Previous _____		List of publications _____	
Index Card _____		Transcripts _____	
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Submitted to Committee _____		Documents returned _____	



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McGill Minimum of six months.

Tell him \$1500 in grant. Make money go as far as possible but not less than six months, exclusive of travel time.

Moe feels he has a "real concern". Should have a specialty. Tenancy in Ireland, the other travel to be incidental.

Johnson thinks he should stay in Ireland.