

• RUBY E. STUTTS LYELLS (MRS.)

Librarian
Alcorn A. and M. College

Library Science

Nothing has happened a good
(and now slightly over age)
* candidate for Ph.D. in librarianship
we've turned her down twice

Name Ruby E. Stutts Lyells (Mrs.) **Field:** Library Science
 Librarian, Alcorn A. and M. College
 Alcorn, Mississippi

Plan of Work

To take courses in library science looking toward the fulfillment of requirements for the Doctor's degree at the University of Chicago and to study the relationship between the library and applied science in land-grant colleges.

Requests grant for one year.

Applied 1939, 1944.

Personal Data Born Anding, Mississippi, February, 1906. **Age:** 39
 Married, one dependent. **Draft Status:**

Undergraduate Work Alcorn A. and M. College, B.S., 1929.
 Hampton Institute Library School, B.S., 1930.

Graduate Work University of Chicago, A.M., 1942.

Experience Instructor, Alcorn High School, Alcorn, Mississippi, June-July, 1929, \$50 per mo. and room and board; acting librarian, Carnegie Library, Auburn Branch, Atlanta, Georgia, June-August, 1930, \$100 per mo.; librarian, Alcorn A. and M. College, 1930- , \$1000-\$1800.

Accomplishments Master's thesis: The Library in Negro Land-Grant Colleges.

Articles: "The Library Section of the Program of the Conference of the Presidents of Negro Land-Grant Colleges," Library Journal;
 "Library in Negro Land-Grant Colleges," Journal of Negro Education;
 "The New Emancipation," Vital Speeches; "Review of the Negro:"...
 Compiled by the Division of School Libraries. Nashville: State Department of Education and Julius Rosenwald Fund, 1941, Library Quarterly;
 "The School Library in Mississippi," Mississippi Educational Journal;
 "The Special Book Collection of the George C. Hall Branch Library," Journal of Negro Education.

References
Scholarships: Rosenwald grant, Hampton Institute, 1929-30, \$800.
 Scholarship, University of Chicago, fall quarter, 1941, \$100.

References:
 L. R. Wilson, Dean Emeritus, Graduate Library School, U. of Chicago
 C. B. Joeckel, University of Chicago
 Ralph Beals, Lowell Martin, Pierce Butler, all of U. of Chicago
 Charles H. Brown, Iowa State College
 Tommie Dora Barker, Emory University

Sent to Committee

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed	\$1,700
From Applicant	300
From Fund	\$1,400

AMOUNT GRANTED

