

JULIUS ROSENWALD FUND

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Classification I. Negro _____

II. White Southerner

III. Specific Field Economic history.

Concise statement of plan of work I propose to make a detailed study of the banking and credit system of the ante-bellum South based on plantation, mercantile, and bank records; in an attempt to ascertain how it operated and the influence that it exerted on political affairs.

Personal History

Name in full Thomas Payne Govan

Present address 1228 18th Ave So., Nashville, Tenn. Telephone X

Permanent address 1057 W Peachtree NE, Atlanta, Ga.

Present occupation Teaching fellow, Vanderbilt University. Salary \$500.00

Place of birth Atlanta, Ga. Date January 9, 1907.

Single, married, widowed, divorced Single Date of marriage _____

Name and address of wife or husband _____

Occupation and salary of wife or husband _____

Number and age of children _____

Dependents None. To what extent? _____ Relationship _____

Name of nearest relative W. J. Govan Address Atlanta, Ga. Occupation Retired.

Have you any constitutional disorder or physical disability? No.

The Fellowship Committee reserves the right to require a full physical examination.

Education

1. Give a summary of your education in the following form:

	Name of Institution	Period of Study (Give dates)	Degrees, Diplomas, Certificates (Give dates)
High School	Boys' High School, Atlanta.	1919-1923	1923.
College	Georgia School of Technology	1924-1928	B.S. 1928.
University	Emory University	1932-1934	M.A. 1934.
	Vanderbilt University	1935-1937	In residence. Ph.D. 1937
Technical			
Professional			
Special Study			

An official transcript and four copies of your college and university records must be submitted with your application.

2. Extra-curricular activities:

Georgia School of Technology -- Basketball, Lacrosse.

Emory University -- International Relations Club.

Vanderbilt University -- President of the Graduate Club.

3. Give a list of the scholarships or fellowships you have previously held or now hold, stating in each case the places and periods of tenure, the studies pursued during your incumbency, and the amounts of the stipends.

Emory University -- University Fellow -- Tuition.

Vanderbilt University -- Teaching Fellow, History and Political Science -- \$500.00.

Experience

(Students should include all part-time work they have done.)

Institution or Organization	Address	Position	Under Direction of	Salary
Sloan Paper Company	Atlanta, Ga.	Clerk	Mr. James Wells	\$1300.00
American Trust and Banking Company,	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Clerk	Mr. Charles Tomlinson	\$1020.00
Retail Credit Company	Atlanta, Ga.	Inspector	Mr. W. D. Weathers.	\$2080.00

Accomplishments

1. Of what learned, scientific, or artistic societies are you a member?

~~American Historical Association; Southern Historical Association.~~

2. What advanced work, research, or creative work have you already done?

~~Master's Thesis: John MacPherson Berrien, A Study of a Georgia Whig., Emory.~~

~~Paper before the Southern Historical Association, 1936 -- "The Georgia Planters and the Movement for Direct Trade with the Continent."~~

3. List of publications. ~~None.~~

Plans for Work

1. For what position do you seek further training? ~~Teaching and research in Southern economic history.~~

2. What course of study do you wish to take? ~~No further organized course of study.~~

3. For what degree are you working? ~~Ph. D.~~

4. In what institution do you wish to study? ~~None.~~

5. Under whose supervision? _____

6. Have you assurance that you will be admitted to this institution? _____

7. If you are not planning study at an institution, indicate the type of special work you propose to do. Research

~~in manuscript materials particularly at the University of North Carolina, Louisiana State University, and the Library of Congress.~~

8. If awarded a fellowship

When would you wish to begin the study proposed? September 1, 1937.

What is your estimate of its probable duration? One year.

Statement of Plan of Work

Submit on separate sheets a statement giving detailed plans for your work during your tenure of a fellowship. This statement should include (1) a description of the project, including its character and scope, and the significance of its presumable contribution; (2) the present state of the project, time of commencement, progress to date, and expectation as to completion; (3) the proposed university, or institution of similar grade, or the place where the work would be carried on, and the authorities, if any, with whom the work would be done; (4) your expectation as to publication or use of the results of your study; and (5) subsequent plans for your career. *This statement should be complete and carefully prepared.* (Please submit one more copy of PLAN OF WORK than the number of your references.)

References

Submit a list of references from whom further confidential information may be obtained concerning your qualifications and from whom expert opinion may be obtained as to the value and practicability of your proposed plan of work:

Name of Reference	Position	Address
^{H/26} Dr. W. C. Binkley	Professor of History	Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn.
Dr. F. M. Green	Professor of History	University of North Carolina, Chaple Hill, N. C.
Dr. Ross H. McLean	Professor of History	Emory University, Ga.
✓ Mr. J. E. Chappell	Pres. Birmingham News & Age Herald Co.,	Birmingham, Ala.
Mr. H. F. Longino	District Manager, Retail Credit Company.	Atlanta, Ga.

If you have applied or expect to apply elsewhere for any fellowship or scholarship for the same period, state the facts regarding such application.

SIGNATURE _____

PLACE AND DATE OF MAILING _____