

Name Dowling Burruss Leatherwood *OK 1800* Field: Journalism *2m*

Assistant Professor of Journalism and  
Director, Radio Workshop  
Emory University, Georgia

**Plan of Work**

To spend one semester in the University of Wisconsin, one semester in Columbia University, and the following summer in New York City: (1) continuing work toward the Ph.D. degree; (2) revising and enlarging my Journalism on the Air (1939: Burgess, Minneapolis) for standard-format printed publication; and (3) laying the foundation for my doctoral thesis, "Is Newspaper Ownership of Radio Stations in the Public Interest, Convenience or Necessity?"

Probable duration of work two years, beginning September, 1941. Will return to present position.

**Personal Data** Applied in 1940.  
Born Green Cove Springs, Florida, June, 1913. Age: 28  
Married, one child.

**Undergraduate Work** University of Florida, B. A. in Journalism, 1935.

**Graduate Work** University of Wisconsin, M. A. in Journalism, 1938.

**Experience** Instructor of Journalism, University of Florida, 1935-37,  
\$1800; graduate assistant, University of Wisconsin, 1937-38,  
\$500; assistant professor, Emory University, 1938 - , \$2,850.

*This is a good case - we nearly awarded him last year*

**Accomplishments** Master's thesis: The Florida Law Affecting Newspapers.

**Publications:** Journalism on the Air, Burgess Publishing Company, 1939;  
Freedom of the Press in Florida, Emory University, 1938;  
Articles in Journalism Quarterly, Editor & Publisher, American Press, Editors Forum, various newspaper Sunday magazines. Was Editor of Suwannee Democrat (Live Oak, Florida) when that paper was member of Casey's "All-America Eleven", the outstanding national distinction for a weekly newspaper.

Graduate Assistant, University of Wisconsin, 1937-38, \$500.

**References**

F. A. Ogg, University of Wisconsin  
John M. Gaus, University of Wisconsin  
Grant M. Hyde, University of Wisconsin  
Paul Lazarsfeld, Columbia University  
Goodrich C. White, Emory University

**Budget Summary**

Total Amount Needed	\$ 2,685
From Applicant	685
From Fund	\$ 2,000

**AMOUNT GRANTED**

**Sent to Committee**

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