

NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS FOR FELLOWSHIPS
RECEIVED SINCE 1940

1940 - 617

1941 - 556

1942 - 427

1943 - 248

1944 - 205

1945 - 261

1946 - 291

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TO: Members of Fellowship Committee

FROM: Fellowship Director

1. The following statistics concerning this year's applicants are presented as a matter of general interest.

Total applications..... 291
 Withdrawn..... 4
 * Total white applicants 76 (26%)
 Total Negro applicants 211 (74%)

Percentage of applications 66%
 presented to Committee
 Percentage of white applications... 82%
 presented to Committee
 Percentage of Negro applications... 61%
 presented to Committee

* Of this number 16 whites were non-southerners interested in aspects of race relations.

2. A breakdown of applications by fields is as follows:

Field	White		Negro		Total
	Brief Digest	Full Digest	Brief Digest	Full Digest	
Agriculture	2	2	7	3	14
Anthropology		2		3	5
Archaeology		1			1
Architecture	1				1
Art - Education	1				1
Art - Crafts	1				1
Art - Ceramics				1	1
Art - Illustration			4	2	6
Art - Painting		7	1	16	24
Biology			2	2	4
Business Administration			2		2
Chemistry			2	4	6
Creative Writing		6	6	10	22
Dancing			1	2	3
Dentistry				1	1
Dietetics				1	1
Drama				1	1
Economics				4	4

1/2 This means that these were weeded out by Fellowship Director & not presented to the Committee



Field	White		Negro		Total
	Brief Digest	Full Digest	Brief Digest	Full Digest	
Education	2	3	14	5	24
Engineering				1	1
Geography				1	1
History	1	3	2	3	9
Home Economics			1		1
Hospital Administration			1		1
Human Development			1	1	2
Journalism		1			1
Labor		2		3	5
Language and Literature	1		6	6	13
Law		1			1
Library Science		1			1
Linguistics				1	1
Mathematics				1	1
Medicine			1	6	7
Music - Education	1		3	2	6
Music - Conducting				1	1
Music - Composition	1	1	1	2	5
Music - Instrumental				3	3
Music - Singing			2	11	13
Nursing			2		2
Photography				2	2
Political Science		1		3	4
Physics				4	4
Psychology	1		1		2
Public Administration		2		2	4
Public Health			2	4	6
Race Relations	2	18	2	2	24
Religion		5	3	2	10
Romance Languages			2		2
Silversmithing				1	1
Social Work		1	5	1	7
Sociology		5	7	9	21
Speech				2	2
Vocational Guidance				1	1
	14	62	82	129	287

3. The subject fields in which the majority of the applications fall are given below. It will be noted that 80% of this year's applications were concentrated in sixteen fields:



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Percent of Total Applications

Field	Number of Applications	Percent of Total Applications
Art	32	11.1
Music	28	9.8
Education	24	8.4
Race Relations	24	8.4
Creative Writing	22	7.7
Sociology	21	7.3
Agriculture	14	4.9
Language and Literature	13	4.5
Religion	10	3.5
History	9	3.1
Medicine	7	2.4
Social Work	7	2.4
Chemistry	6	2.1
Public Health	6	2.1
Anthropology	5	1.7
Labor	5	1.7
All Others	<u>54</u>	<u>18.9</u>
	<u>287</u>	<u>100.0</u>

4. The following is a list of persons whose fellowship tenure was interrupted by military service. Some are still on foreign duty and others have been too recently discharged to have formulated their plans for resuming fellowship work:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Year of Award</u>	<u>Total Grant</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<u>Balance Holding</u>
F. Barkalow, Jr.	1941	\$ 1,400	\$ - - -	\$ 1,400.00
A. B. Bonds, Jr.	1941	1,500	150.00	1,350.00
C. T. Davis	1941	1,200	580.00	620.00
J. H. Faulk	1942	1,800	450.00	1,350.00
J. W. Fisher	1941	1,200	600.00	600.00
R. F. Gibbons	1943	1,500	1,000.00	500.00
T. B. Ham	1943	402*	268.00	134.00
F. D. Jenkins	1941	750	132.00	618.00
J. W. Lipscomb	1942	1,500	1,375.00	125.00
J. N. Lyle	1939	2,000	499.76	1,500.24
R. R. MacCurdy, Jr.	1941	1,700	975.00	725.00
J. W. Markham	1942	1,000	700.00	300.00
E. L. Meine, Jr. **	1944	739	289.00	450.00
H. A. Page III	1940	1,020	- - -	1,020.00
J. W. Rabun	1941	1,350	540.00	810.00
L. W. Watson, Jr.	1941	2,500	715.50	1,784.50
		<u>\$ 21,561</u>	<u>\$ 8,274.26</u>	<u>\$ 13,286.74</u>

* Extension
 ** Scholarship-Aid



5. The following released their grants to enter the armed forces or because of war related activities. It is expected that a majority of them will reapply at a future date. Two, William Mitchell and Willis D. Weatherford, among this year's contestants:

<u>Fellowships</u> <u>Name</u>	<u>Year of Award</u>	<u>Amount Released</u>	<u>Year of Release</u>
Wm. H. Dean, Jr. (Grant for European Travel)	1939	\$ 2,500 ⁶	1940
Ulysses G. Lee, Jr. (Grant of \$1200, \$300 of which was paid)	1942	\$ 900	1942
Robert Lloyd (Awarded an \$1800 grant in 1945)	1942	\$ 1,500	1943
William Mitchell (Now at Princeton on part-time scholarship)	1942	\$ 1,500	1942
Herman Spivey (Grant for English Studies)	1942	\$ 2,000	1942
Claarence F. Stephens	1942	\$ 1,000	1942
William H. Trent, Jr.	1940	\$ 1,350	1941
Marion M. Young	1944	\$ 1,200	1944
<u>Scholarship-Aid Grants</u> 2/			
<u>Name</u>			
Warren G. Dorsey	1943	\$ 500 plus tuition ¹²	1943
Alvin B. Jones	1942	\$ 400 plus tuition	1942
Harold W. Lucien	1943	\$ 500 plus tuition	1943
Paul Manners	1942	\$ 700 plus tuition	1942
Marion J. Rice	1942	\$ 265 plus tuition	1942

This was a program, now abandoned, at college seniors.

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6. A recapitulation of the total fellowship expenditures shows that to June 30, 1945 the Fund had expended a total of \$1,238,007 on the fellowship program, \$1,096,915 for grants and \$141,092 for administration.

Since the reorganization of the program in 1937 (first group chosen in April, 1937) awards have totalled \$833,866.70 of which \$40,649.92 was allowed to revert to the free funds, or a net total of \$793,216.78.

	<u>Awards</u>	<u>Allowed to Revert</u>	<u>Balance</u>
Negro Awards	\$477,821.91	\$19,268.67	\$458,553.24
White Awards	307,071.00	15,825.00	291,246.00
Negro Scholarship-Aid	37,757.70	3,661.25	34,096.45
White Scholarship-Aid	<u>11,216.09</u>	<u>1,895.00</u>	<u>9,321.09</u>
	<u>\$833,866.70</u>	<u>\$40,649.92</u>	<u>\$793,216.78</u>
Negro	62%		
White	38%		

William C. Haygood

March 23, 1946



TO Fellowship Committee
 FROM Dorothy A. Elvidge, Comptroller
 DATE March 21, 1946
 SUBJECT Fellowship funds

The following funds are available to the Fellowship Committee
 for allocation:

Appropriation approved by Trustees
 April 1945 \$110,000.00

Less: Amount used for 1945 awards \$7,393.81
 Reserve for reinstatement of
 Scholarship-Aid grants 2,000.00
 Award to Douglas W. Mazique 1,500.00
 Labor Scholarships 3,600.00 14,493.81

Funds available to Committee for grants \$ 95,506.19 - *should*
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AWARDS MADE IN APRIL 1945

<u>Negroes</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Total Amount</u>
New Awards	(27)	\$50,000
Renewals	(2)	4,200
Extensions	(1)	500
Extensions made by officers since last meeting	(3)	<u>1,400</u>
		<u>\$56,100</u>
<u>White Southerners</u>		
New Awards	(15)	\$29,900
Renewals	(2)	3,300
Extensions	(1)	600
Extensions made by officers since last meeting	(2)	<u>950</u>
		<u>\$34,750</u>



TO: Fellowship Committee
FROM: Dorothy A. Elvidge, Comptroller
DATE: April 25, 1946
SUBJECT: Fellowship Funds.

On March 21, I reported to you that there was \$95,506.19 available to the Committee on Fellowships for awards in 1946. Since then, \$6,400 has been reserved for additional labor scholarships, and an extension of \$375 was made to Elsie Lewis, reducing the free funds to \$88,731.19.

In addition to the above, we have ear-marked for labor scholarships, but not allocated, \$5,050; and ear-marked for the reinstatement of scholarship-aid grants to returning veterans, (but not allocated) \$1,315. So, if the Committee wanted to cancel out these special reserves, the free funds total could be increased to \$95,096.19.