

JULIUS ROSENWALD FUND

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Application and accompanying documents should be filed as early as possible for the convenience of the Fellowship Committee, preferably during the early autumn. No application can be considered by the Committee unless the completely filled-out blank and all of the materials requested reach the Director for Fellowships by January 10.

Negro <input type="checkbox"/>	White Southerner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Specific Field <u>Journalism, Creative writing.</u>	
Concise statement of plan of work <u>Research in, survey of industrial relations in South between capital and white and Negro labor, with perhaps 50,000-70,000 word book in mind; emphasis on reforms, supposed and real, effected by Roosevelt administration, gaps still left of exploitation, abuse. Sidebars on press, politicians.</u>	

Name in full Robert Mitchell Hodges

Present address Copeland Apartments -- Burlington North Carolina
City State

Permanent address Copeland Apartments -- Burlington North Carolina
City State

Present position (be specific) Editor of daily newspaper. Also free-lance writer.

Institution or organization Daily Times-News Annual salary \$2700

Address Maple Avenue Burlington, North Carolina
City State

Place of birth Wilmington, N.C. Date of birth October 21, 1910

Single, married, widowed, divorced Married

Name and address of wife or husband Snow Welborn Hodges -- Burlington, N.C.

Occupation and salary of wife or husband Housewife

Number and age of children None

Dependents One To what extent? Fully Relationship Wife

Have you any constitutional disorder or physical disability? No

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

Education

One official transcript of your college and university records together with four copies must be submitted with your application. (Copies may be typed by the applicant.)

	Name of Institution	Period of Study (Give dates)	Degrees, Diplomas, Certificates (Give dates)
College			
University	University of N. Carolina	Sept. 1928 June 1931	Awarded de- gree of Bach- elor of Arts June, 1931.
Professional or technical			
Special study	Courses in English, journalism, some graduate courses.		

Significant extra-curricular activities Work on three campus periodicals, including university literary monthly, for which I wrote frequently and of which I was associate editor; same applicable to campus daily.

Experience

Give record chronologically. Applicants now in school should include all part-time work they have done.

Institution or Organization	Address	Position	Inclusive Dates	Salary
The Enterprise	High Point, N.C.	Reporter	Sept. '31 Nov. '32	\$1,000
Daily Times-News	Burlington, N.C.	News Editor	Nov. '32 Dec. '35	\$1500 \$2,000
Daily Times-News	Burlington, N.C.	Editor	Dec. '35 (still 'am)	At present \$2700

Budget Estimate (for wife and self)

Room and board _____ \$ 900
Clothing _____ 200
Insurance _____ 226
Tuition _____ _____
Transportation _____ _____
Miscellaneous (including tuition _____ 434
and gas, electricity, laun _____
dry, books, etc.) _____
Total amount needed \$ 1800

Amount applicant can provide _____ Uncertain (if I devote whole time to project)

Amount requested from Fund \$ 1500 (full \$1800 if possible.)

Accomplishments

1. Of what learned, scientific, or artistic societies are you a member? Press association of _____
State, university alumni association, similar organizations
-- none "learned" or "artistic".
2. What research or creative work have you done? (If in business or a profession, give evidence of standing and achievements.)
Named editor of the Daily Times-News at 25, youngest editor in
State. Have conducted extensive editorial and factual research
in industrial relations for articles, editorials, speeches.
3. Publications Some fiction in magazines of national circulation (this
non-qualifying for proposed project, however). Novel finished
now and under laudatory consideration of N.Y. publishing house.
Numerous articles and editorials daily for three years on related topics.
4. List 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.
Was tentatively tendered promise of fellowships for graduate
study at University of North Carolina upon graduation, but ac-
cepted newspaper post offered me and began journalistic work at once.

Plans for Work

1. Will you return to your present position? Possibly. If not, for what position do you seek further training?
Establishment of myself as writer, non-fictionally on sociologi-
cal, industrial, economic and political subjects relating to South.

University of North Carolina

not applied as yet, but certain I will be if
ll be special student, planning extensive
search. Field? Sociology, economics, indus-
trial relations.

My own, possibly the U.N.C. press (Chapel Hill).
head of U.N.C. sociology dep't., and other teachers.
stitution, indicate the type of special work you propose to do.

Will study some but conduct mostly research *at Ch. +*
State and southeast for book material.
project proposed? As soon as possible.

ration? From eight months to a year.

Statement of Plan of Work

Submit a statement giving detailed plans for your work during the tenure of your fellowship. This statement should include: (1) a full 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, etc.) and expectation as to completion; (3) the proposed university, institution of similar grade, or other place where the work would be carried on, and the authorities with whom the work would be done; (4) your expectation as to publication or use of the results of your study; (5) subsequent plans for your career.

Your plan of work should be complete and carefully prepared. Submit six copies typed on 8½" x 11" paper. Your name should be on each sheet.

References

List references from whom confidential information may be obtained concerning your professional 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
Jonathan Daniels	Editor -- <u>News</u> <u>and Observer</u>	Raleigh, N.C.
R.W. Madry	Public Relations supervisor	Chapel Hill, N.C.
Frank P. Graham	University presi- dent	Chapel Hill, N.C.

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

Other references as to professional ability: Capus Waynick, editor,
High Point, N.C.; O.J. Coffin, Chapel Hill; Reid Monfort, AP, Charlotte, NC.

SIGNATURE _____

PLACE AND DATE OF MAILING _____