

# FELLOWSHIPS

April 17, 1940

Dear Mr. Carter: It is a pleasure to inform you that you have been selected by the Committee on Fellowships of the Julius Rosenwald Fund to receive a grant of one thousand two hundred dollars (\$1,200) to assist you in carrying forward your study in law at Columbia University during the academic year 1940.

Please let us know at once if you accept this grant. An official announcement of the Committee's selections for the year will be made soon and it can include only those from whom acceptances have been received.

Very truly yours,

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GEORGE M. REYNOLDS

Mr. Robert Lee Carter  
723 Fairmont Street, N. W.  
Washington, D. C.

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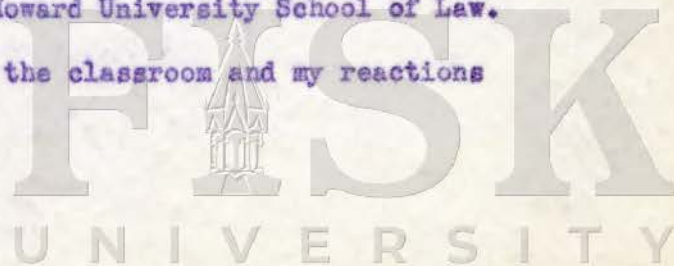
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For four years I have been conducting a course in Civil Rights at Howard in which phases of the proposal which he submits have been given. From my note of his capabilities, I am certain that he will do an excellent piece of work under his proposed plan. It is a very worthwhile project. He is the highest ranking student in the Law School at present and merits any consideration which you can give him.

His personality and character give every indication of a constructive future. I commend him without hesitation to your consideration.

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Mr. John A. Davis, Guggenheim Fellow

Mr. Robert Lee Carter is a senior at Howard University's School of Law. I taught him at Lincoln, and he has one of the best minds I have ever come in contact with. At Howard he has made the highest record which has ever been made in the history of the Law School. He is interested in getting a J. D.

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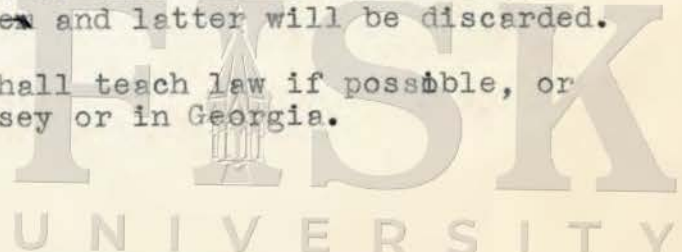
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Year of 1933-34            Grade  
(1st Semester)

Humanities ..... 2  
Fr. Bible ..... 1  
Latin Prose  
and Poetry..... 1  
Trigonometry..... 2  
French B..... 1  
English Composition... 2  
General Biology..... 2  
Physical Ed. .... P

(2nd Semester)

Humanities..... 1  
Hygiene..... 1  
Latin Prose  
and Poetry..... 1  
French B..... 1  
Algebra..... 1  
English Comp..... 1  
Gen. Biology..... 2  
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Year of 1934-35

(1st Semester)

English Literature.... 1  
Argumentation..... 1  
French C..... 1  
American History..... 1  
American Gov't..... 1  
Intro. Education..... 2

(2nd Semester)

English Lit..... 1  
Speech..... 2  
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Tests and  
Measurements..... 3

128 Semester hours are required for graduation, and 151 were secured by above student.

Year 1935-36            Grade  
(1st Semester)

El. Economics ..... 1  
French D..... 1  
Modern History..... 1  
Philosophy of  
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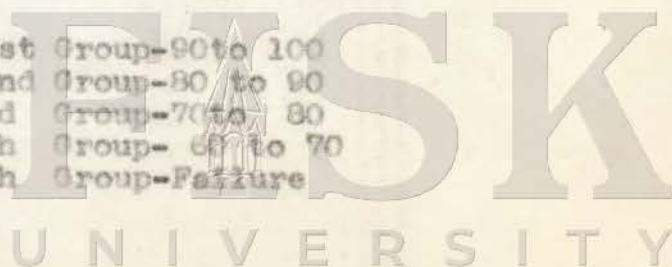
Practice Teaching... P  
Shakespeare..... 1  
French D..... 1  
Comperative Gov't... 1  
World Politics..... 1  
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(2nd Semester)

Practice Teaching... 1  
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Political parties... 1  
Constitutional Law.. 1  
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Note-

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First Semester, 1939

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I. Attendance. Admitted: ..... September 1933 .....

Attended..... 8 ..... Semesters. Graduated June 1, 1937 with degree of..... A.B. .....

II. Status of Undergraduates.....

He withdrew voluntarily, is granted an Honorable Dismissal, and is entitled to return upon removing deficiencies.

III. Entrance Credits Sources of Credits: (1)..... Barringer H.S., Newark, N.J. .....

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SUBJECT	UNITS	SOURCE	SUBJECTS	UNITS	SOURCE	SUBJECT	UNITS	SOURCE	SUBJECT	UNITS	SOURCE
Algebra	1	1	History-English			Spanish					
Plane Geometry	1	2	History-U. S.	1	2	Physics					
Solid Geometry			Civics			Chemistry					
Trigonometry			Latin	3	1,2	Botany					
English	4	1,2	Greek			Zoology	Biol. 1	2			
History-Ancient	1	1	German			Physical Geography					
History-Med., Mod	1	2	French	2	2	General Science					

Units estimated on basis of definition of Carnegie Foundation.

How admitted: Upon Certification.....

IV. College Credits

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		REC.	LAB.		REC.	LAB.	
Year of... <u>1933-34</u> ...							
Humanities		3		2	3		1
Fr. Bible	7	2		1			
Hygiene	2				2		1
Latin Prose and Poetry	7-83	3		1	3		1
French B	3-4	3		1	3		1
Trigonometry-Algebra	1-2	3		2	3		1
Hygiene	2				2		1
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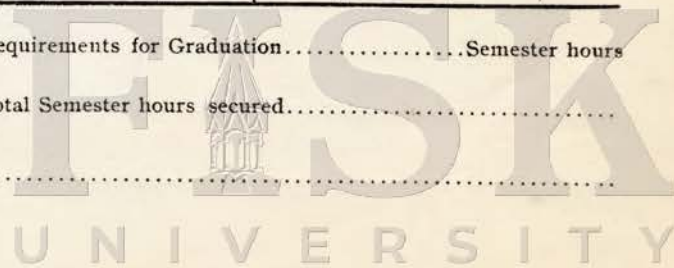
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American Government-Intro. Government	1-2	3		1	3		2
Tests and Measurements	4				3		3
Intro. Education	1	3		2			
1935-36							
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Logic-Ethics	5-6	3		1	3		1
Gen. Psychology	7	3		2			
Drama	3				3		1
Varsity Debating					(1		P)
1936-37							
Practice Teaching	17-18	3		P	3		1
Shakespeare	9	3		1			
French D	7-8	3		1	3		1
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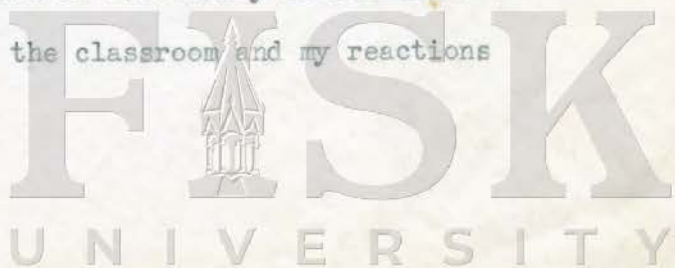
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Mr. James M. Nabrit, Associate Professor of Law, Howard University

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**Name** Robert L. Carter **Field:** Law

Graduate Student, Columbia University  
500 Riverside Drive, New York City

REAPPOINTMENT

**Plan of Work**

The protection given by American Courts to the Freedoms of Speech, of the Press, of Assembly, and of Religion, under the Federal Constitution since 1900.

Will continue research and write up findings, either in New York or Washington, D. C. Residence requirements for doctorate to be completed this June.

**Personal Data** Born Kareyville, Florida, March, 1917. Single. **Age:** 24

**Undergraduate Work** Lincoln University, Pennsylvania, A. B., 1937.

**Graduate Work** Howard University, LL.B., 1940.

Columbia University, 1940 -

**Experience**

**Accomplishments**

Fellowships: Howard University, \$375; Rosenwald Fund, 1940-41, \$1200.

**References**

Noel T. Dowling, Columbia University

**Budget Summary**

Total Amount Needed	\$ 1,500
From Applicant	- - -
From Fund	\$ 1,500

**AMOUNT GRANTED**

PROGRESS UNDER PRESENT GRANT

I have completed a general detailed survey of the subject matter in the federal courts. In order to get a proper understanding of the case law development since 1900 it was necessary for me to conduct my research prior to that time. This was especially true in regards to the constitutional protection of religious liberty by the federal courts, since there, many of the important cases came prior to 1900.

Between now and May I will be engaged in weighing and sifting my findings in order to write up the results of my present inquiry.

Also, I have embarked on research in the State Courts to determine what development has been made in the State Constitutional Law in this field. The results of this research will be of indispensable assistance in evaluating the development of the law in the United States Supreme Court, its inclusion of these four freedoms under the protection of the 14th amendment, and its subsequent attempts to define the limits of each.

PLAN OF WORK FOR THE COMING YEAR

1. Edit the cases which are important in the field.
2. Do exhaustive research to determine the limits of the Postal Authority of Congress, in order to see how it affects or is affected by the First Amendment of the Federal Constitution.
3. Complete my research in the State Courts in order to determine how these courts applied the concepts as to the four freedoms developed in the United States Supreme Court. My research will also reveal how the State Courts influenced the United States Supreme Court in its development of the scope of the protection given the four guarantees.
4. Make an exhaustive study of the procedural requirements in this field, which appear to stand in a distinct and separate category. A determination of what these special procedural requirements are, is of vital importance to the lawyer in the preparation of his case, to Congress, and to the legislatures of the various states who enact statutes which touch the freedoms under consideration.
5. With my findings I hope to be able to make suggestions to the legislative draftsmen who desire to draw statutes which will execute the states duty of maintaining peace and order in the community, without the danger of the statute violating any of these freedoms as defined by the United States Supreme Court.
6. Also, I shall evaluate the concepts developed by the Courts as to the scope and limits of these freedoms, to determine which seems to give the greatest latitude to these four guarantees (vital to our continued existence as a democracy) and yet do not unduly interfere with the duty of government to protect itself in war, and against violence and revolution.

If the conclusions I reach are sound, it is possible that they may have some value to lawyers, judges, and legislators in the future.

An exhaustive investigation and a report of the findings seem to me to be of vital and pressing importance. Without these freedoms our other forms of civil liberty cannot exist. To determine their extent and scope is something which ought to be done with care and great detail, especially in the light of present world conditions. For ~~these~~ reasons, I want to make my research as exhaustive as possible, so that my completed findings will have the greatest opportunity for sound bases, and therefore, be of greatest service.

Robert L. Carter.

JULIUS ROSENWALD FUND

1940 fellow

Application for reappointment should be filed by February 15, 1941. Please attach six copies of a report of your progress under your present grant, and of your plan of work for the coming year.

Name Robert L. Carter

Present address 500 Riverside Drive, New York, N. Y.

Permanent address 11 Eppert Street, East Orange, New Jersey.

Field <u>Law</u>
Concise statement of plan of work <u>The protection given by American Courts to the Freedoms of Speech, of the Press, of Assembly, and of Religion, under the Federal Constitution since 1900.</u>

If fellowship is renewed, where and how do you propose to spend your time?  
Continue my research and write up my findings. This I plan to do either in New York or in Washington D. C.

Under whose supervision? Professor Noel T. Dowling

For what period are you requesting a renewal? 1 year

Present status of work toward degree Residence requirements for my Doctorate will be completed in June.

List as references persons under whom you have worked during your present fellowship  
I have worked exclusively in the present phase of my work under Professor Noel T. Dowling, Columbia University, New York.

Amount requested from the Fund \$1500

Publications, if any, since you were awarded a fellowship None

Are you applying elsewhere for a fellowship? If so, where? No

Do you plan to return to your former position? I plan to teach.



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## Confidential Report on Candidate for Fellowship

Name of Candidate Mr. Robert L. Carter

Report Requested of Mr. Bernard S. Jefferson

Howard University

Washington, D. C.

The above-named candidate has applied to this Fund for a fellowship and has given your name as a reference. The candidate's plan of work is attached. Please return it with your statement.

We shall appreciate your frank opinion of this applicant's personal characteristics and qualifications, and an appraisal of his plan of work and of his ability to make a noteworthy contribution in the field of study proposed. *An early reply to this inquiry will be of great assistance in allowing the Fellowship Committee sufficient time for adequate consideration of the large number of candidates who apply for grants.*

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*George M. Reynolds*  
 Director for Fellowships

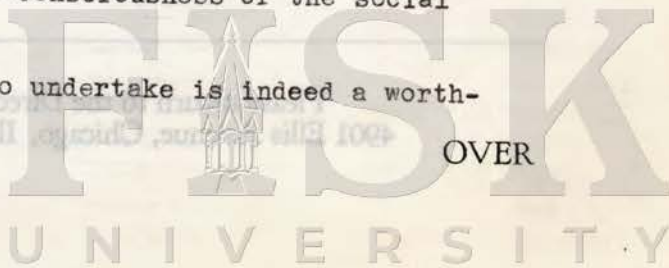
### REPORT

I have known Mr. Robert L. Carter for the last three years during which time he has been a student at Howard University School of Law. My contacts with him have been primarily in the classroom and my reactions are therefore based primarily upon classroom observations.

Mr. Carter possesses an agile mind and a keen mentality. He is by far the best student in his class. This to some extent has been unfortunate. Had he been competing with students of similar ability his intellectual powers would have undergone far greater development. He is definitely a superior student and is one of the best students I have taught during my five years at Howard. His scholastic record has been achieved in spite of the fact that his economic situation has necessitated outside employment, thus lessening materially the time he has been able to devote to his law studies.

I have always found Mr. Carter to be courteous and a gentleman. He is industrious and his attitude towards the law reflects a consciousness of the social obligations which being a lawyer should entail.

The project of study which Mr. Carter desires to undertake is indeed a worth-



while one. The protection of civil liberties by the courts is a safeguard to minorities and the cornerstone of a democratic society. With the world trend toward autocratic government a study of the extent of judicial protection to civil liberties may well point the way to further safeguards of our liberties, as well as clarify some of the issues involved in comparing the relative values of our system of government and society to that of others.

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Director for Fellowships

REPORT

Is the candidate free from personality handicaps which would make it difficult to obtain and hold a position giving him opportunity to utilize his abilities?

*yes*

Signed

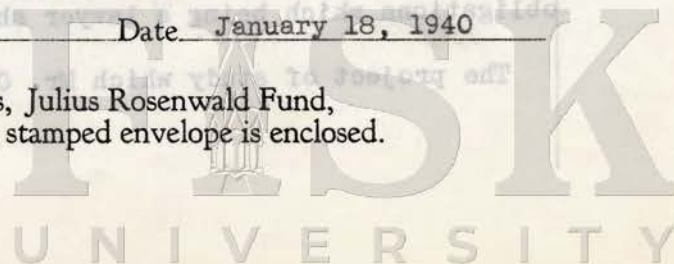
*Bernard S. Jefferson*

Position or Title Associate Professor of Law

Address Howard University School of Law, Washington, D.C.

Date January 18, 1940

Please return to the Director for Fellowships, Julius Rosenwald Fund, 4901 Ellis Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. Addressed, stamped envelope is enclosed.



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Confidential Report on Candidate for Fellowship

Name of Candidate Mr. Robert L. Carter

Report Requested of Mr. William H. Hastee

Howard University

Washington, D. C.

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*George M. Reynolds*  
 Director for Fellowships

REPORT

Robert L. Carter will, in all probability, graduate from the Howard University Law School in June, 1940 at the head of his class. There has been no time in recent years when a single student has outdistanced the rest of his class to the extent that Mr. Carter has. His scholastic average will probably be the second, or at least the third, highest in the recent history of the law school. The faculty feel that his ability has really not been tested because of the ease with which he has excelled his classmates. His personality is affable and engaging.

The field of Civil Liberties, in which the applicant proposes to do graduate study, has become an intensely active and important sector of the legal front in recent years. These are times of strongly held and widely divergent views at home, of ruthless suppressions abroad, of difficult struggle for minorities, of too great popularity of the doctrine that the end justifies the means. It is in such times, particularly, that our constitutional liberties need restudy, analysis and emphasis. I believe that Mr. Carter is competent to do worthwhile research and writing in this field. Moreover, he has the capacity to gain a maximum of personal development as a legal scholar through the contacts and experience of graduate work, if the opportunity is afforded him.

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 Julius Rosenwald Fund, Director for Fellowships



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Report Requested of Mr. William H. Hastie

Howard University

Washington, D. C.

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*George M. [unclear]*  
Director for Fellowships

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The faculty feel that his ability has really not been tested beyond of the case with which he has excelled his classmates. His personality is yes.

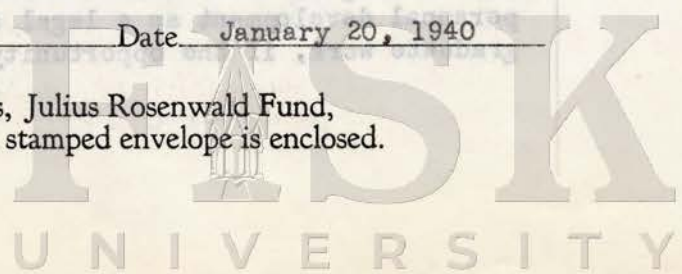
Signed William H. Hastie

Position or Title Dean, Howard University School of Law

Address Washington, D. C.

Date January 20, 1940

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Report Requested of Mr. Leon A. Ransom

Howard University

Washington, D. C.

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George M. Reynolds
Director for Fellowships

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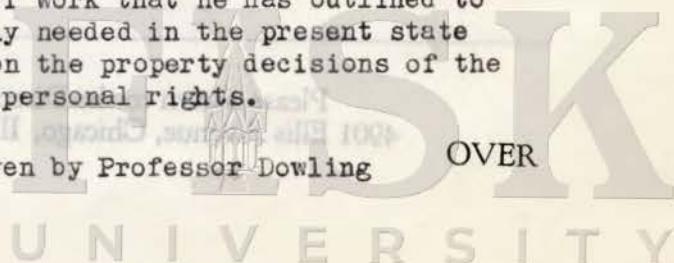
Gentlemen:

I have had the pleasure of having taught Mr. Robert L. Carter for the past two years in the School of Law at Howard University, and have known him for three years. He ranks as the leading student in the School of Law at the present time and I am of the opinion that his qualifications for research work are of the very highest. His personality is good and I have always found him affable, easy to work with and extremely diligent. Perhaps the best estimate that I can give of his ability is reflected by the fact that I made personal application to have Mr. Carter appointed as my research assistant for the present year. Due to his high scholastic standing he was entitled to a higher award as a library assistant and therefore I could not obtain his services. If I had been able to do so I would not have had any hesitancy in turning over to him any project that I have under way and would have felt confident that he would have done worthwhile work thereon.

I am very much interested in the plan of work that he has outlined to you, feeling that this is one that is very sorely needed in the present state of the law. Too much emphasis has been placed on the property decisions of the Supreme Court and not enough on the question of personal rights.

I agree in whole with the estimate given by Professor Dowling

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*James M. Nabrit, Jr.*  
Director for Fellowships

REPORT

Is the candidate free from personality handicaps which would make it difficult to obtain and hold a position giving him opportunity to utilize his abilities? - - Yes.

Signed

*James M. Nabrit, Jr.*

James M. Nabrit, Jr.

Position or Title Secretary of Howard University and Associate Professor of Law, Howard University

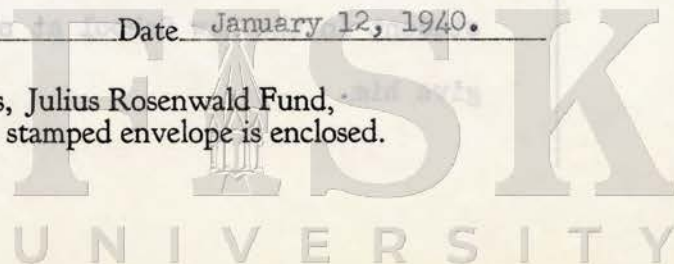
Address Howard University

Washington, D. C.

Date January 12, 1940.

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Confidential Report on Candidate for Fellowship

Name of Candidate Mr. Robert L. Carter  
Report Requested of Professor Noel T. Dowling  
Columbia University, New York

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We request candid and critical comment. Your reply will be held in strict confidence.

*George M. Reynolds*  
Director for Fellowships

REPORT

During the present year in the School of Law, Columbia University, I have acted as chairman of the group of advisers for Mr. Carter under our plan of graduate instruction. He was in my class in Constitutional Law and I have had many conferences with him in my office.

The plan of work, especially when considered as supplementary to what has already been done, is very satisfactory. It follows the general outline of study which he has discussed with his advisers and which they have approved.

Execution of the plan has not progressed as rapidly or quite as satisfactorily as I had hoped. Mr. Carter's preparation for handling the materials in so large an undertaking has not seemed wholly adequate and he has spent some of his time and effort in improvement on those lines. He shows a very good ability in oral work but he encounters difficulty in bringing his materials and treatment of them into satisfactory written form. He is making headway in this regard, but the completion of his task will take time (I cannot say how long) and considerable supervision. The outlook for his earning a doctorate is, I should say, not a promising one; I see no reason why he should not qualify for a master's degree.



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Director for Fellowships

REPORT

Is the candidate free from personality handicaps which would make it difficult to obtain and hold a position giving him opportunity to utilize his abilities?

Yes. He has a very good personality and he handles himself well in groups or individual discussion.

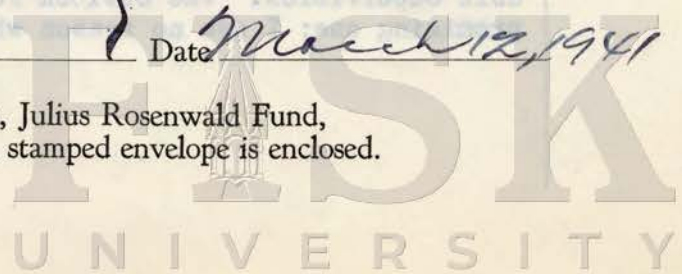
Signed: Noel T. Dowling

Position or Title: Asst. Professor of Law

Address: Columbia University

New York Date: March 12, 1941

Please return to the Director for Fellowships, Julius Rosenwald Fund, 4901 Ellis Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. Addressed, stamped envelope is enclosed.



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Comments by John A. Davis 12-12-39

*Guggenheim Fellow*

CARTER ROBERT LEE

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George M. Reynolds  
Director for Fellowships

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March 18, 1940

Dear Mr. Dowling: Mr. Robert Lee Carter of  
Howard University is apply-  
ing to us for a fellowship which would enable  
him to work toward his doctor's degree under  
your direction. I should like very much to  
have from you a statement regarding Mr. Carter's  
proposed study. Our Committee meets Saturday,  
and if I could have word from you before that  
time I will be very grateful.

Very truly yours,  
*George M. Reynolds*

GMR:MLU

Mr. N. T. Dowling  
School of Law  
Columbia University  
New York, N. Y.

*University of Virginia  
Charlottesville Va  
March 21, 1940*

*Dear Mr. Reynolds:*  
*Parton has hastily method of*  
*reply to your forwarded letter.*  
*My interest in the proposed*  
*study is, I believe, fully indicated*

By the statements which he carefully  
quotes from my letter to him. There  
is no question about its timeliness  
and importance; and I am not  
aware of any prior study which pre-  
sumpt to the field.

The effort of some members  
of the Supreme Court to shift the base  
of protection (as against the States) to  
the privileges and immunities clause  
of the Fourteenth Amendment presents  
a new phase of the subject quite  
worth attentive consideration.

In short, the study has  
ample merit. I am not acquainted  
with McCarter, and can express no  
opinion as to his competence to carry  
it through. I shall be glad to as-  
sist in the study in any way I can.

Yours truly

I am sorry no stenographer is available at the moment.

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520 Columbia Road, N.W.

Washington, D.C.

April 20, 1940

Mr. George Reynolds  
Director of Fellowships  
Julius Rosenwald Fund  
4901 Ellis Ave.  
Chicago, Ill.

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Dear Mr. Reynolds:

In response to your letter of April 17, I am happy to accept the Fellowship granted me by the Julius Rosenwald Fund and wish to express my appreciation for it.

Please note that my address has been changed from 723 Piarmount St., N.W. to 520 Columbia Road, N.W. Please address all communications to the new address.

Sincerely yours,

*Robert L. Carter*

Robert L. Carter

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May 1, 1940

Dear Mr. Carter:      When you are ready to begin  
work under your fellowship  
grant, kindly submit a payment plan that will meet  
your needs. It is customary for Fellows to prefer  
payment either in monthly or quarterly installments,  
but if another plan is more agreeable to you do not  
hesitate to suggest it.

Very truly yours,

DOROTHY A. ELVIDGE

DAE:RW

Mr. Robert Lee Carter  
723 Fairmont Street, N.W.  
Washington, D. C.

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11 Eppirt St.  
East Orange, N.J.  
August 6, 1940

Miss Dorothy A Elvidge  
Comptroller  
Julius Rosenwald Fund  
4901 Ellis Avenue  
Chicago, Illinois

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Dear Miss Elvidge:

My plans for work under my fellowship grant have now been completed. I am scheduled to begin in September.

My tuition at Columbia will approximate \$200.00 per semester, payable on the date of registration for each term. My plan for payment under the grant would follow these lines.

I wish to have my tuition paid each semester. It would be best to have the tuition fees available on the first of September and the first of February. I would desire the remaining \$800.00 to be paid in this fashion: 1) \$80.00 on September 1st; and 2) \$90.00 on the first of each month thereafter---the last payment being on May 1st.

That would mean a payment of \$280.00 on September 1st, and a payment of \$290.00 on February 1st, with a \$90.00 monthly payment on the first of October, November, December, January, March, April, and May.

I hope that this will meet with your approval. If payments in the above fashion will cause you any inconvenience, I would be glad to have the payments in a fashion more agreeable to you.

Hoping to hear from you soon, I am

Sincerely yours,

*Robert L. Carter*  
Robert L. Carter



# Julius Rosenwald Fund

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## FELLOWSHIPS

To

Mr. Robert L. Carter  
11 Eppirt Street  
East Orange, New Jersey

Payment Voucher No. 9180

Date August 30, 1940

First installment on fellowship granted 4/17/40 - - - - - \$280.00

Ck.#9180 W. F.

Accounts	Appropriation No.	Debit	Credit
Negro Fellowships	39-7	\$280.00	

Prepared by AM  
Checked by  
Posted by



Comptroller

# FELLOWSHIPS

September 4, 1940

Dear Mr. Carter: I assume that you received your  
LL. B. from Howard University  
this June, but in order that we may have this de-  
gree recorded, will you please send me a note to  
this effect?

All good wishes to you as you  
begin your year of work under the fellowship.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE M. REYNOLDS

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GMR:MLJ

Mr. Robert L. Carter  
520 Columbia Road, N. W.  
Washington, D.C.

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11 Eppirt St.  
East Orange, N.J.  
September, 20, 1940

Mr. George M. Reynolds  
Julius Rosenwald Fund  
4901 Ellis Ave.  
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Mr. Reynolds:

Your assumption was correct. I did receive my LL.B from Howard last June. I shall commence my residence at Columbia next Thursday. Thank you sincerely for your best wishes. I shall certainly do my best.

Very truly yours,

Robert L. Carter

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11 Eppirt St.  
East Orange, N.J.  
September 26, 1940

Miss Dorothy A. Elvidge  
Julius Rosenwald Fund  
4901 Ellis Ave.  
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Miss Elvidge:

I received my first installment duly at this address. For the present since I am so near New York I plan to commute daily. So for the present my address will be the above, and you can send all my installments here unless I notify you of a change.

Very truly yours,

Robert L. Carter

# Julius Rosenwald Fund

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# FELLOWSHIPS

To

Mr. Robert L. Carter

11 Eppirt Street

East Orange, New Jersey

Payment Voucher No. 1735

Date September 30, 1940

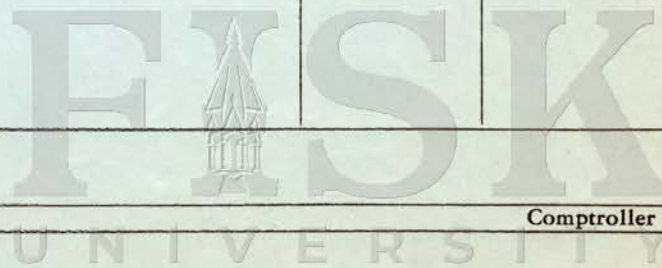
Second installment on fellowship grant - - - - - \$90.00

Ck.#23621

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Negro Fellowships	39-7	\$90.00	

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# Julius Rosenwald Fund

4901 Ellis Avenue  
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# FELLOWSHIPS

To Mr. Robert L. Carter  
11 Epplet Street  
East Orange, New Jersey

Payment Voucher No. 1852

Date October 31, 1940

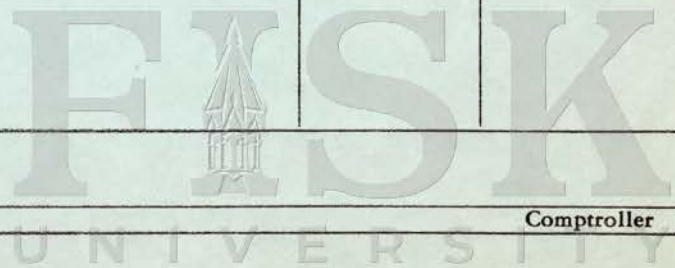
Third payment on fellowship grant - - - - - \$90.00

Ck.#23762

Accounts	Appropriation No.	Debit	Credit
Negro Fellowships	39-7	\$90.00	

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Payment Voucher No. 2012

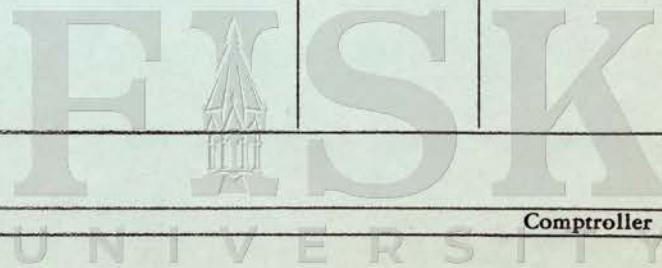
Date November 29, 1940

Fourth payment on fellowship grant - - - - - \$90.00

Ck.#28929

Accounts	Appropriation No.	Debit	Credit
Negro Fellowships	59-7	\$90.00	

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To

Mr. Robert L. Carter  
11 Eppirt Street  
East Orange, New Jersey

Payment Voucher No. 2163

Date December 31, 1940

Fifth installment on fellowship ----- \$90.00

Ck.#24129

Accounts	Appropriation No.	Debit	Credit
Negro Fellowships	39-7	\$90.00	

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# Julius Rosenwald Fund

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## FELLOWSHIPS

To

Mr. Robert L. Carter

500 Riverside Drive,

New York City

Payment Voucher No.

2510

Date

January 31, 1941

Sixth installment on fellowship grant - - - - - \$290.00

Ck.#24277

Accounts	Appropriation No.	Debit	Credit
Negro Fellowships	59-7	\$290.00	

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# FELLOWSHIPS

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500 Riverside Drive  
New York, N.Y.  
February 10, 1941

Dear Miss Elvidge,

On March 1st I think that I will have to pay an additional University fee. If you could arrange it, therefore, so that I will receive the next installment on my grant by February 27th, I will be most appreciative.

If that cannot be done without a great deal of trouble and inconvenience, please forget it.

Sincerely yours,

*Robert L. Carter*  
Robert L. Carter

Miss Dorothy A. Elvidge  
Julius Rosenwald Fund  
4901 Ellis Avenue  
Chicago, Illinois

# FELLOWSHIPS

February 13, 1941

Dear Mr. Carter: We shall see that the March 1  
installment of your fellowship  
grant is mailed in time to reach you by February 27.  
However, these checks had already been made up and  
dated before your letter came, so the date on the  
check will be February 28. I do not believe you will  
have any difficulty in cashing it on the 27th, because  
it will take a day or two for it to reach our bank in  
Chicago.

Very truly yours,

DAE:AM

DOROTHY A. ELVIDGE

Mr. Robert L. Carter  
500 Riverside Drive  
New York City

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# Julius Rosenwald Fund

4901 Ellis Avenue  
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FELLOWSHIPS

To  
Mr. Robert L. Carter  
500 Riverside Drive  
New York City

Payment Voucher No. 2435

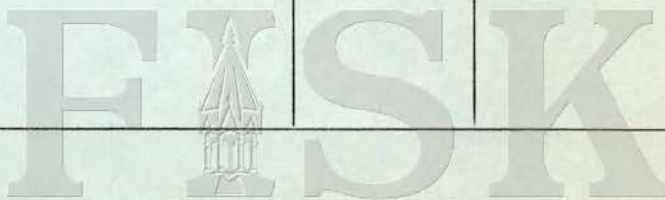
Date February 28, 1941

Seventh installment on fellowship grant - - - - - \$90.00

Ck.#24427

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Negro Fellowships	39-7	\$90.00	

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DOMESTIC	CABLE
TELEGRAM	ORDINARY
DAY LETTER	URGENT RATE
SERIAL	DEFERRED
NIGHT LETTER	NIGHT LETTER
SPECIAL SERVICE	SHIP RADIOGRAM

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FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

DAY LETTER

Mr. George M. Reynolds  
Hotel Chatham  
New York City

March 7, 1941

Still no word on Robert Carter law candidate for renewal from Noel Dowling of Columbia. Can you get in touch with him? Important, as he has only this one reference.

Margaret Utley

Rosenwald Fund  
4901 Ellis Deex 7100 WLU



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DAY LETTER

March 11, 1941

Mr. Robert Carter  
International House  
500 Riverside Drive  
New York City

No word from Doctor Dowling regarding your application for renewal. Can you get this to us before Saturday, or have one of your other professors send us a statement? Prefer Dowling's if possible to get.

George M. Reynolds

Rosenwald Fund  
4901 Ellis Drex 7100 MLU

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# Julius Rosenwald Fund

4901 Ellis Avenue  
CHICAGO

FELLOWSHIPS

To

Mr. Robert L. Carter

500 Riverside Drive

New York City

Payment Voucher No. 2607


Date March 31, 1941

Eighth installment on fellowship grant - - - - - \$90.00

Ck. # 24645

Accounts	Appropriation No.	Debit	Credit
Negro Fellowships	33-7	\$90.00	

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# Julius Rosenwald Fund

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FELLOWSHIPS

To

Mr. Robert L. Carter

500 Riverside Drive

New York City

Payment Voucher No. 2787

Date April 30, 1941

Final payment on fellowship grant - - - - - \$90.00

Ck.#24829

Accounts

Negro Fellowships

Appropriation No.

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Debit

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Credit

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PROGRESS REPORT - JULIUS ROSENWALD FUND FELLOWS

Name Robert L. Carter

Present position Private in U.S. Army since Aug. 12.

Address 11 Eppist. St., East Orange, N.J.

Since your fellowship was awarded have you received

(a) a salary increase? \_\_\_\_\_

(b) a promotion in rank? If so, please describe \_\_\_\_\_

Degree received during award, or since, or progress made toward degree:

Master of laws L.L.M.

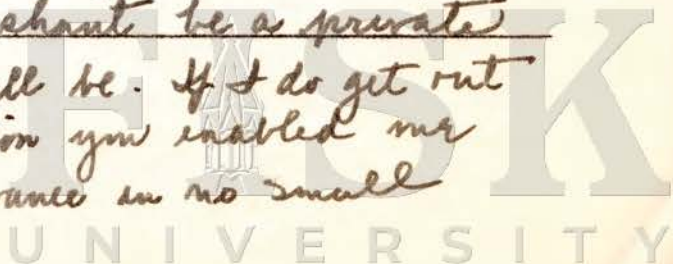
Title of dissertation The Four Freedoms

Publications, if any. (Please give titles, date, and place of publication.)

Special honors or activities \_\_\_\_\_

General remarks

I will ever be deeply appreciative of the honor and opportunity you extended to me by means of the fellowship grant. I shant be a private long. At least I doubt that I will be. If I do get out of the ranks the additional education you enabled me to get will be responsible for the advance in no small measure.



✓ Please fill out and return in order that we may complete our records on former Rosenwald Fellows: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: ROBERT L. CARTER.

Present position: LEGAL STAFF, NAACP LEGAL  
& EDUCATIONAL DEFENSE FUND INC. 69  
FIFTH AVE, N.Y. N.Y.

Address: 450 W. 147th ST. APT 54, NY 316 NY.

Significant recent activities: PASSED THE NY BAR -  
WAS RELEASED FROM THE ARMY.

(Use additional sheet if desired)

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