

Candidate **Arthur Earl Burke** ✓Special Field **English****Instructor of English, Hampton Institute, Virginia**

Plan of Work

My plan is to devote the first semester of residence study, to enter upon research on the thesis during the second semester, to continue this research at the Library of Congress during the summer, and to complete all work during the second year.

Wishes to work for Ph.D. at the University of California, beginning September, 1938 for the period of four semesters. Can return to present position.

Digest of Application

Born April, 1903, El Paso, Texas. Single.

A.B. from Howard University, 1924. M.A. from Howard University, 1933.

Instructor of English, Tuskegee Institute, Alabama, 1924-26, \$620. Head of English Department, Lane College, Jackson, Tennessee, 1926-29, \$1125. Instructor, State Teachers College, Montgomery, Alabama, 1929-31, \$1440. Substitute teacher in English, Livingstone College, Salisbury, North Carolina, 1933-36, \$460. Instructor of English, Hampton Institute, Virginia, 1937-38, \$1520.

Master's Thesis: James Montgomery as Poet and Humanitarian.

Fellowship, English Literature, Howard University, 1933-34, 1934-35, \$150 per annum.

References

Budget Summary

Dr. Benjamin Brawley, Prof. English, Howard University	Total amount needed	\$1555
Mr. Sterling Brown, Ass. Prof. " " "	From applicant	<u>150</u>
Mr. Doxie A. Wilkerson, Prof. Education " "	From Fund	\$1405

Committee Notes

Granted

Documents submitted

Photograph
 Exhibit material
 Transcripts

Howard University
 Howard University (M.A.)

Plan of work

Digest *complete*

Sent to Committee

Documents returned

