

ROBERT SAMUEL LANCASTER

Director of Public Relations, Ass't Headmaster
Sewanee Military Academy, Sewanee, Tennessee

Political Science

Good average chap after a Ph D
His study of TVA is a doctor's
thesis; not a contribution to knowledge
See nothing outstanding

Name **Robert Samuel Lancaster** Field: **Political Science**

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Plan of Work **To complete study at the University of Michigan fulfilling requirements for the Ph.D. degree; to study and investigate for the purposes of publication the scope, operation, and significance of the Tennessee Valley Authority as an example of functional democracy in operation.**

Requests grant for one year beginning September, 1948. Wishes to work toward the Doctor of Philosophy degree at the University of Michigan under the supervision of Dr. Lawrence Frause.

Personal Data **Born Floyd County, Virginia, July, 1909
married, three dependents**

Age: **38**
Draft Status:

Undergraduate Work **Hampton Sydney College, 1929, B.A.**

Graduate Work **University of the South, 1934, M.A.
Andrew Jackson University, 1936-37, Law, admitted to Virginia Bar.
University of Michigan, summer 1947.**

Experience **Instructor, Sewanee Military Academy, 1931-37, \$3000; lawyer,
Floyd, Virginia, 1938-41; Commandant of Cadets, Sewanee Military
Academy, 1941-42, \$4000; Lieutenant, Air Combat Intelligence, U.S. Navy, 1943-46.**

Accomplishments **Member of Virginia Bar Association.**

References
**Henry Cass, University of the South, Sewanee, Tenn.
George A. Allin, Sewanee Military Academy
Lawrence Frause, University of Michigan
Alexander Quarry, University of the South
George Reynolds, " " " "**

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed	\$3350
From Applicant	<u>1000</u>
From Fund	\$2350

AMOUNT GRANTED

Sent to Committee

