



General Education Board fellowship for three quarters of 1934-35 to pursue graduate courses in Education, \$1590. University of Chicago.

Passed preliminary examinations for doctorate in February of 1935.

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Mr. Trenholm's work under fellowship grant still incomplete. Has to date completed all work toward doctorate except German examination and the typing of his dissertation. 9/21/39

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On April 1, 1942, Mr. Trenholm released the \$611 balance which had been held for him, since he saw no possibility of using it in the near future.

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Montgomery, Alabama

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TRENHOLM, H. COUNCILL

CAREER SINCE TENURE OF FELLOWSHIP

Returned to post as President and Director of Instruction, State Teachers College, Montgomery, Alabama. Has in preparation a curriculum bulletin, a result of his work as the curriculum laboratory editor for the Alabama group at Fisk University in the summers of 1938 and 1939. During 1939-40 he is serving as executive secretary of the American Teachers Association. 9/21/39

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1944: Still President of Alabama State Teachers College. Executive Officer for the Cooperative Negro College Study; Executive Secretary for the American Teachers Association.

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Year 1937  
Age: 37

JULIUS ROSENWALD FUND

Name H. Council Trenholm  
Address State Teachers College, Montgomery, Alabama  
Position President of State Teachers College \$3600  
Negro   
White Southerner

Special Field Education  
Group

Plan of Work  
Three distributed quarters (1937 Summer Quarter, 1938 Winter Quarter and 1938 Spring or Summer Quarter will be used at the University of Chicago for the preparation of a dissertation ("The Development of Teacher-Education for Negroes in Alabama") and the satisfying of the examination requirements for the PhD degree in the Department of Education.

Digest of Application

Born 1900. Married, 2 children. Morehouse College, 1915-20, AB. University of Chicago, 1920-21, PhB; 1922 and 1925, AM; 1934-35. Undergraduate activities.

Morehouse College, scholarships, \$20 each of 3 yrs. GEB fellowship, tuition, transportation, plus \$1215.

MA thesis: "A Comparative Study of Alabama Teachers Taking Extension Courses in 1923-24." Publications: A Yearbook on Negro Education in Ala. in 1930-31, and The 1936 Handbook of The Alabama State Teachers Association.

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Applicant's References 2/25/37

Other References

- Dr. Charles H. Thompson, Howard University, Washington
- Dr. John Dale Russell, University of Chicago
- Dr. J. A. Keller, State Supt. of Education, Montgomery, Ala.
- Dr. R. E. Tidwell, University of Alabama, University, Ala.
- Mr. J. S. Lambert, State Dept. of Education, Montgomery, Ala.
- Mr. E. G. McGehee, Jr., State Dept. of Education, Montgomery, Ala.

Budget Summary

Action of Committee

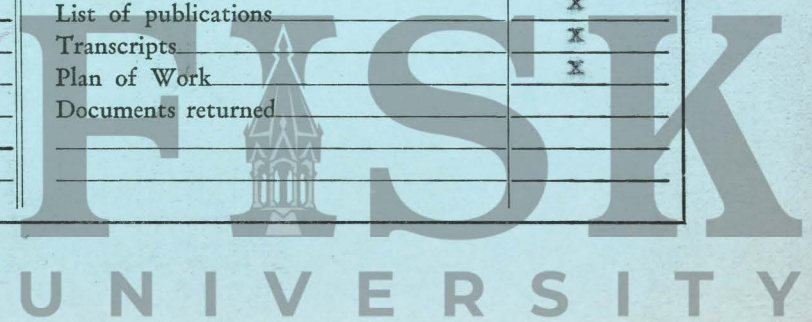
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Total amount needed \$ 3936.  
 From applicant 1536  
 From Fund \$ 1500

PROCEDURE

		Granted	\$
Application received	2/25/37	Documents submitted:	
acknowledged	2/25/37	Photograph	X
Previous		List of publications	X
Index Card		Transcripts	X
Digest	✓	Plan of Work	X
Submitted to Committee	✓	Documents returned	

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Permanent address: 611 Thurman St., Montgomery, Ala.

**Experiences:**

U.S. Post Office, Montgomery, substitute carrier, \$1700. State Normal School, Montgomery, instructor, \$1800. State Teachers College, president, \$2700-\$3600. WPA, state director, Survey of White Collar and Skilled Negro Workers, \$2100.

April 11, 1937 Final meeting of Committee.

Mr. Moe thinks Trenholm worth period of freshening up, but questions his project.

Committee decides he must get the doctorate.      Granted

