

1938

Name Humphrey, George Duke (M) (1897)

Negro
White Southerner

Position President, Mississippi State College

Special Field Education
Group

College Blue Mountain College, B. A., 1929; University of Chicago, A. M., 1931;

University Ohio State University, 1933-34: Ph. D., Ohio State University, June, 1939.

Plan of Work:

Study of regional culture in Mississippi in light of its background, present status and future outlook, study to include matters pertaining to people, material wealth, topographical conditions, etc., with appropriate discussion of racial, educational, agricultural, industrial, political, economic and cultural problems. At Ohio State University, for one year, toward Ph. D.

Action of Fellowship Committee:

Granted \$2,000.



General Education Board fellowships. Member Phi Delta Kappa.

President of Mississippi State College, 1934-.

During his fellowship Mr. Humphrey studied at the University of Ohio. His Ph. D. degree was awarded in June, 1939, the title of his dissertation being "Public Education for Whites in Mississippi."

Mississippi State College
State College, Mississippi

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HUMPHREY, GEORGE DUKE

CAREER SINCE TENURE OF FELLOWSHIP

Mr. Humphrey returned to his post as President of Mississippi State College.
9/25/39

Has received salary increase of \$1,800. 9/25/40

President, Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, since
December, 1942

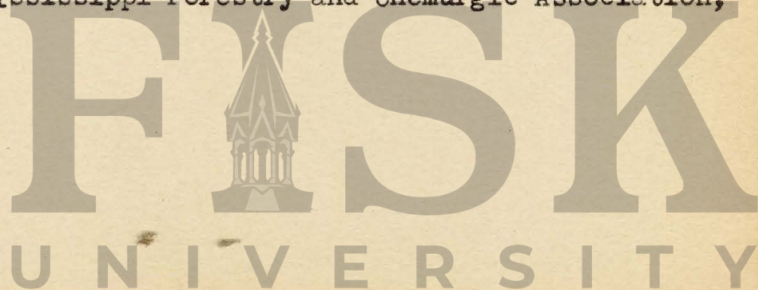
Member, Committee on Southern Regional Studies and Education of the American
Council on Education, 1944--

Part-time Public Member of Regional War Labor Board, since 1943

Member, Committee on Association Organization and Procedure of the Association
of Land-Grant Colleges and Universities, since 1943

Member, Committee on Institutional Organization and Policy of the Association
of Land-Grant Colleges and Universities, since 1943

Member, Board of Directors of Mississippi Forestry and Chemurgic Association,
1944--



award

GEORGE DUKE HUMPHREY

(40)

President, Mississippi State College

Education

married
one son

Good read
Excellent testimony

I am especially impressed
by letter from Klein of Ohio
State whom I know

In spite of being slightly annoyed
this man is so well placed
as well as so able that
I rate him

A

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Candidate George Duke Humphrey

Special Field

President, Mississippi State College
State College, Mississippi

Higher Education *Jre*

Plan of Work

near Starkville

Study of regional culture in Mississippi in the light of its background, present status, and future outlook--the study to include matters pertaining to people, material wealth, topographical conditions, etc., with appropriate discussion of racial, educational, agricultural, industrial, political, economic, and cultural problems.

Wishes to work for Ph.D. at Ohio State University, beginning September, 1938, for the period of one year. Can return to present position. *Under A. J. Klein*

Digest of Application

Born August, 1897, Tippah County, Mississippi. Married, one child.

Certificate from Mississippi State Teachers College, 1922. Obtained A.B. from Blue Mountain College, 1929; M.A. from the University of Chicago, 1931. Attended Ohio State University 1933-34, summer, 1935, candidate for Ph.D.

Teacher & Principal, Mississippi schools, 1915-1923, \$200-\$1500. County Superintendent of Education, Mississippi, 1924-1930, \$2500. Superintendent City Schools, Kosciusko, Miss., 1931-32, \$2900. State Supervisor of High Schools, Mississippi, 1932-33, \$3000. President, Mississippi State College, 1934- , \$4800. History instructor, summer normals.

Research: A History of Public School Funds of Mississippi.

GEB fellowship, University of Chicago, 1930-31, \$1800.

GEB fellowship, Ohio State University, 1933-34, \$900.

References

Budget Summary

- ✓ Mr. J. J. Tigert, President, University of Florida
- ✓ Mr. A. J. Klein, Dean, College of Education, Ohio State University
- ✓ Mr. L. T. Lowrey, President, Blue Mountain College

Total amount needed	\$3111
From applicant	<u>1111</u>
From Fund	\$2000

Committee Notes

Granted *\$2000*

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Documents submitted

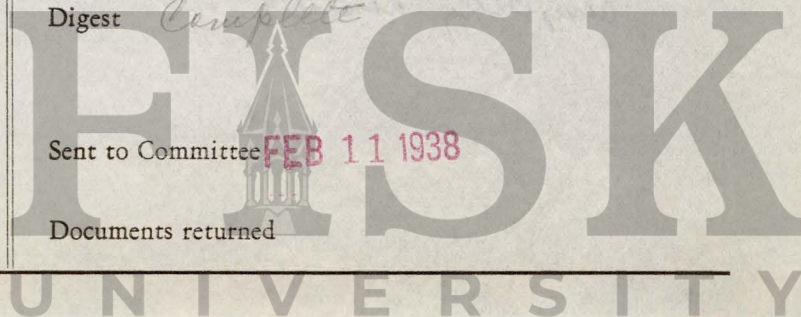
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- Exhibit material
- Transcripts x

Blue Mountain College
University of Chicago
Ohio State University
Plan of work x

Digest *Complete*

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Documents returned



GEORGE D. HUMPHREY

Spent summer term at University of Ohio and made good progress on dissertation. Necessary to spend two more quarters there during the year.

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