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NORMAN LAIRD MCNEIL

Instructor Spanish and English,
Trinity University
San Antonio, Texas

Education

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good record, - good references
A problem acute in Southwest*



Name Norman Laird McNeill Field: Education
 Instructor Spanish and English, Trinity University, San Antonio, Texas
 2713 West Craig, San Antonio 1, Texas

Plan of Work A study of discrimination against Latin-Americans in Texas public schools with suggested remedial measures.
 Requests grant for one year beginning June 1948. Wishes to work toward the Ph.D. degree at the University of Texas.
 Applied in 1947.

Personal Data Born San Antonio, Texas, October, 1915 Age: 32
 Married, three dependents Draft Status:

Undergraduate Work University of Texas, B.A., 1937

Graduate Work University of Texas, M.A., 1944
 Special Study: National University of Mexico, 1941

Experience Principal, Edcouch-Elgin Ind. School District, Texas, 1941-42, \$1150; immigrant inspector, U.S. Immigration Service, Hidalgo, Texas, 1942, \$2100; instructor Navigation, U.S. Army Air Corps and Navy Flight School, Austin, Texas, 1942-44, \$2700; student and instructor, University of Texas, 1944-46, \$2100; instructor, University of Houston, 1946-47, \$3000; instructor, Trinity University, Texas, 1947-, \$3000.

Accomplishments Conducted 69 fifteen-minute radio broadcasts, Station KTEC, Austin, devoted to American and Mexican folksongs, brief talks interspersed with songs.

Publications: "Corridos of the Mexican Border", published in Mexican Border Ballads and Other Lore, 1946, The Texas Folklore Society.

Scholarships: E.D. Farnes International Fellowship, awarded by U. of Texas for study in Mexico, Feb. to Nov., 1941, \$1000.

References
 Frank E. Goodwyn, Northwestern University
 Mrs. W. S. Randall, Pan-American Round Table, San Antonio
 Robert C. Eckhardt, Texas Governor's Good-Neighbor Commission, Austin
 T. S. Sutherland, Austin, Texas
 Raul A. Cortez, Radio Station KCRH, San Antonio

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed	\$2200
From Applicant	
From Fund	\$2200

AMOUNT GRANTED

Sent to Committee

