

ALCEE LABRANCHE JOHNSON

Director of Instruction, Prentiss
Normal and Industrial Institute
Prentiss, Mississippi

Education

Nice program for interracial
cooperation - but what will a year
under Lynd at Columbia do to
advance it. Doubt if Lynd would accept him

No references that mean anything

Joint Application with Thelma Wethers Johnson

Name Alcee LaBranche Johnson Field: Education
 Director of Instruction, Prentiss Normal & Industrial Institute, Prentiss,
 P. O. Box 112, Prentiss, Mississippi Miss.

Plan of Work To take additional courses in social science to develop depth of judgment and proper perspective in directing a joint experimental program for the teaching of citizenship responsibilities and privileges to Negroes in Jefferson Davis County.

Requests grant for one year beginning July 1, 1948; Wishes to work toward the Ph.D. degree in Political Science and Rural Education at the University of Southern California or Columbia University under the supervision of Professors Lynd and Cyr at Columbia.

Applied in 1937.

Personal Data Born Fernwood, Mississippi, July 1905 Age: 42
 Married, two dependents Draft Status:

Undergraduate Work Fisk University, A.B., 1927

Graduate Work Columbia University, 1930-31
 Teachers College, Columbia, summer 1939

Experience Teacher, Prentiss Institute, Miss., 1927-30, \$600 and director of instruction, 1931-36, \$700; State Supervisor, U.S. Office of Education, Washington, D.C., 1936-47, \$2000; director of instruction, Prentiss Institute, 1936-47, \$1200.

Accomplishments Conducted survey for the U.S. Office of Education on the availability, quality and quantity of vocational education and guidance opportunities in Mississippi.

Publications Ran a weekly series of articles under the byline: "Let's Face It", for eight months in the Jackson Advocate; writes editorial for the Bulletin, official organ of the MATCS., 1947.

Fellowships Interracial Commission Fellowship, Columbia Univ., 1930-31, \$780.

References

Ambrose Caliver, Washington, D.C.
 Felton Clark, Southern University, Baton Rouge, La.
 P. H. Eason, Dept. of Education, Jackson, Miss.
 A. A. Taylor, Nashville, Tenn.
 D. H. Price, Senator, Prentiss, Miss.

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed	\$2150
From Applicant	150
From Fund	\$2000

AMOUNT GRANTED

Sent to Committee

