

Candidate

Sidney Riley Tillinghast

Special Field
Research History Project
of Mississippi

Teacher of Social Sciences

Rust College, Holley Springs, Mississippi

Plan of Work

Briefly, French, English, and Spanish colonial policies, changing ownership and European politics, factors leading to American control, correlation of Negro history - plantation system, slavery, slave problems, free Negroes - statehood, secession, reconstruction, industrial, agricultural, financial, political, rural, educational, and urban growth to 1937.

Wishes to work for one year beginning August 1, 1938, under Dr. Charles Wesley of Howard University, and Dr. Mercy G. Evans, Brookings Institution.

Will return to present position.

Digest of Application

Born December 8, 1900, Green Cove Springs, Florida. Married.

A. B. from Morehouse College, 1923. M. B. A. from Northwestern University, 1927. Workers' Education School, summer 1934. Extension in education, University of Florida, 1935-36.

Economics teacher, Georgia State College, Savannah, 1927-30, \$1500. Social Science Teacher, Jackson (Mississippi) College, 1930-32, summer 1937. Principal, Franklin Street School, Jacksonville, Florida, 1932-35, \$1400. Supervisor, Workers' Education, Polk County, Bartow, Florida, 1934-36. Social Science Teacher, Rust College, Holley Springs, Mississippi, since 1936, \$1200.

Worked on "Federal Unemployment Survey in Jacksonville" in 1933; Survey of Seventeen Florida Communities as to Food, Water Supply, Sleeping Conditions, Child Rearing, etc. at Florida A and M College. Other studies.

Undergraduate scholarship at Morehouse, \$75, 1919-20.

References

Dr. Benjamin C. Brawley, Howard University
President B. B. Dansby, Jackson College
President L. M. McCoy, Rust College

Budget Summary

Total amount needed	\$2052
From applicant	<u>150</u>
From Fund	\$1902

Committee Notes

Granted

Documents submitted

Photograph x
Exhibit material
Transcripts x

Northwestern University

Plan of work x

Digest

Sent to Committee

Documents returned

