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*Asks for manuscript of present work
to be delivered to Bueschell - he will write*

Name

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Field: Creative Writing

Author

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REAPPOINTMENT

Plan of Work

To devote an entire book to the precarious farm background of the migrant Negro treated in my present work that has just been completed under a Rosenwald grant. To do this new book I will need to live and travel in West Virginia and Kentucky and so contact the beginnings of the Allegheny steel men.

Duration of work one year.

Personal Data

Born in Mississippi, November, 1911. Single.

Age: 29

Undergraduate Work

University of Illinois, B. A., 1936.

Graduate Work

*Bueschell - says -
Can write without a doubt
writes novel moves anything in of much novel of free
Story slender*

Experience

*Lot of raw material to set
Bell - Bone + Attaway in a pair
Attaway one of best negro candid tales -
will go in long good limited work*

Accomplishments

Publications:

Let Me Breathe Thunder, a novel, Doubleday Doran, 1939.
A play and another novel are not yet published.

Rosenwald Fund Fellowship, 1940-41, \$1,200.

References

John Woodburn, Doubleday, Doran & Co., New York

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed	\$ 1,800
From Applicant	---
From Fund	\$ 1,800

Sent to Committee

AMOUNT GRANTED

