

Name May Justus

Field: Creative Writing

Author

Tracy City, Tennessee

(FOR REAPPOINTMENT)

Plan of Work

I wish to make a year's study of social and economic life of a typical southern tenant family by actually living and working under present prevailing conditions of this group in order to gain background for a book dealing with the immigration of the southern mountaineer to the farm lowlands.

Personal Data

Born Del Rio, Tennessee, May, 1898. Single.

Age: 42

Undergraduate Work

University of Tennessee, 1923, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1934, 1937, 1938, no degree.

Graduate Work

Experience

Principal, Summerfield School, Tracy City, Tennessee, 1925-37, \$65-\$85 month.

Accomplishments

Publications: Eleven books for children.

Rosenwald Fellowship, \$1500, 1939.

References

Miss Margaret Lesser, Editor, New York City
Miss Helen Ferris, President, Junior Literary Guild
Miss Vera McCampbell, Teacher, Tracy City, Tennessee

Budget Summary

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| Total Amount Needed | \$1500.00 |
| From Applicant | ----- |
| From Fund | \$1500.00 |

AMOUNT GRANTED

Plan of Work x

Transcripts x

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Photograph x

Exhibit Material

Sent to Committee

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