

## HENRY THOMAS

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Language and Literature

Bredvoed (only scholarly reference) says  
"it is possible that Thomas may reach  
Ph D but his record so far is not  
distinguished"

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Name Henry Thomas Field: Language and Literature  
Acting Chairman of English Department, Spelman College, Atlanta, Georgia  
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Plan of Work To continue studies at the University of Michigan for the Ph.D. degree under the supervision of Professor Louis I. Bredvold.

Requests grant for one year beginning June 1948.

Personal Data Born McRae, Georgia, July 1914 Age: 33  
Married, three dependents Draft Status:

Undergraduate Work Morehouse College, A.B., 1937

Graduate Work University of Michigan, A.M., 1942

Experience English teacher, Dillard High School, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., 1937-39, \$595; principal, Boynton Jr. High, Fla., 1939-41, \$780; chairman of English Dept., Tougaloo College, Miss., 1942-45, \$1900; English teacher, Spelman College, Atlanta, Ga., 1945- , \$2800; teacher, Atlanta Univ. summer session 1945- , \$525.

Accomplishments National Council of Teachers of English; subjects of research papers: Petrarch and Petrarchism in Amoretti, Aristotle's Definition of Tragedy Applied to Macbeth, and the Formation of Compound Words in English.

Publications Co-editor of Annual Faculty Edition of Tougaloo News, 1942-45, to which I was a regular contributor. One article: "English in Wartime", 1942; review of The Good Crop, Phylon, Winter 1947.

Scholarships Scholarships covering tuition (not exceeding \$150) while in college.

References  
Louis I. Bredvold, University of Michigan  
Lionel B. Fraser, Tougaloo College  
Nathaniel P. Tillman, Atlanta University

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Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed \$3143  
From Applicant  
From Fund \$3143

AMOUNT GRANTED

