

Name Faulk, John Henry (1913) Negro 1941
White Southerner 1942

Position Tutor of English, University of Texas Special Field Language and
Group Literature

College University of Texas, B. A., M. A., 1940

University

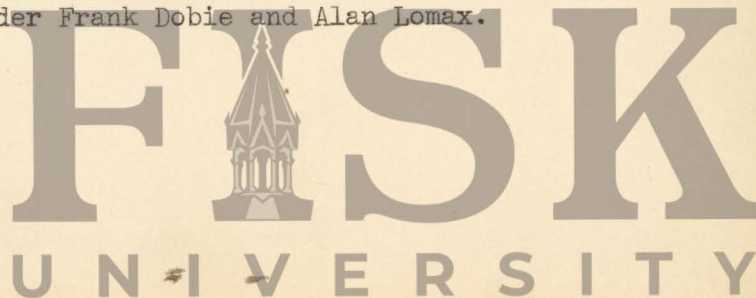
Plan of Work:

1941 To record by machine and by writing, the sermons, morality plays and other expressions of the unwritten literature of the southern Negro, at the University of Texas. One year from June 1, 1941. Will use material gathered as basis of Ph. D. dissertation at University of Texas.

1942 Continuation of above work. Six months in field work in the Brazos Bottoms and in East Texas. Will work under Frank Dobie and Alan Lomax.

Action of Fellowship Committee:

1941 Granted \$1,800
1942 Granted \$1,800



Editor of Historical Records Survey, San Antonio, Texas, 1937-39.

Tutor, University of Texas, 1940-41.

Mr. Faulk and Mr. Alan Lomax of the Library of Congress worked out a plan whereby the Library of Congress supplied as many discs as could be used. Mr. Faulk sent his recorded material to the Library for duplication and the originals were returned to him. A safe, permanent repository is thus furnished for all of Mr. Faulk's material.

Joined Merchant Marine in August of 1942. Grant being held.

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English Language and Literature

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equipment last year.
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but Jim still against it

Name John Henry Faulk Field: English

Tutor of English, University of Texas
2607 Wichita Street, Austin, Texas *write - U of Texas*

Plan of Work To record by machine and by writing, the sermons, morality plays, and other expressions forming the unwritten literature created by the southern Negro which is now disappearing before the new order of life.

Wishes to work for Ph.D. under the supervision of Drs. J. F. Dobie and Rudolph Willard of the University of Texas. Probable duration of work one year, beginning June, 1941. Will return to present position

Not in residence but material will be used as basis for Ph.D. dissertation (begins June 1, 1941)

Personal Data Born Austin, Texas, August, 1913. Married. Age: 27

Undergraduate Work University of Texas, B. A., 1936.

Graduate Work University of Texas, M. A., 1940.

Experience Editor, Historical Records Survey, San Antonio, Texas, 1937-39, \$1200; tutor, University of Texas, 1940 -, \$788 for nine months.

Accomplishments

Publications: "The Life of Christ in Ten Acts" has been accepted for publication by the Texas Folk-lore Society.

References

- J. Frank Dobie, University of Texas
- Rudolph Willard, University of Texas
- The Rev. R. R. Reese, Pastor, Friendly Will Baptist Church, Austin, Texas
- I. Q. Hurdle, 1416 East 12th Street, Austin, Texas
- Edwin R. Goodenough, Yale University

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed	\$ 2,306
From Applicant	- - -
From Fund	\$ 2,306*
\$366 of this amount for recording machine	

Sent to Committee

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JOHN H. FAULK

Mr. Faulk will begin his work early in June, 1941. He should be addressed at the University of Texas, Austin, Department of English.

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Name John Henry Faulk REAPPOINTMENT Field: English Language and Literature
Graduate Student, University of Texas
708 South First Street, Austin, Texas

Plan of Work To record by machine the expressions of Negro folk religion for study and preservation and to do creative writing based upon the material which I gather.

Wishes to work under Dr. J. Frank Dobie and Mr. Alan Lomax. Will spend approximately six months in field work in the Brazos bottoms and in East Texas. Requests grant for one year beginning June 1942. Will return to former position. 12 Mos

Joined Merchant Marine in July, 1942.

Personal Data Born Austin, Texas, August 1913. Age: 28
Married. *d. vrain*

Undergraduate Work University of Texas, B. A., 1936.
They are waiting to the library of Congress, providing much of the record equipment. Renewed for one year at \$1,800.

Graduate Work University of Texas, M. A., 1940; one year's work toward doctor's degree.

Experience Editor, Historical Records Survey, San Antonio, Texas, 1937-39, \$1200; tutor, University of Texas, 1940-41, \$788 for nine months.

Accomplishments A play, "Life of Christ in Ten Acts", published in Texian Stomping Grounds, 1941.

Julius Rosenwald Fund Fellowship, 1941, \$1,800.

References

J. Frank Dobie, University of Texas
Alan Lomax, Library of Congress
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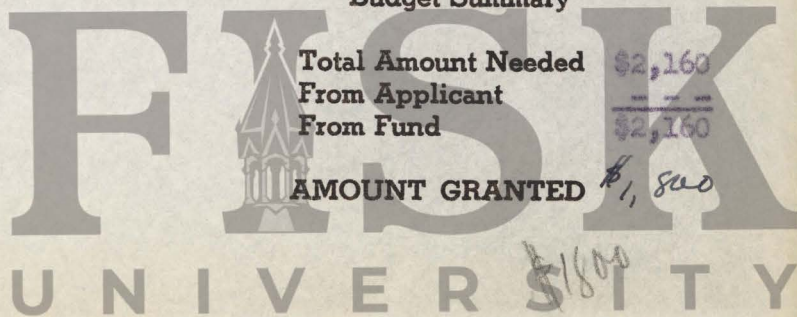
Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed \$2,160
From Applicant
From Fund \$2,160

AMOUNT GRANTED \$1,800

Sent to Committee

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 Field: English Language and Literature
 REAPPOINTMENT
 Graduate Student, University of Texas
 708 South First Street, Austin, Texas

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 Joined Merchant Marine in July, 1942.

April 12, 1942: Weaver questions when aid to such a person will stop. ERE points out that most projects are indefinite and that we have to decide where we will stop. CSJ brings out historical value of the recordings Faulk is making. They are valuable to the Library of Congress, which is providing much of the record equipment. Renewed for one year at \$1,800.

Graduate Work
 University of Texas, M. A., 1940; one year's work toward doctor's degree.
 Editor, Historical Records Survey, San Antonio, Texas, 1937-39, \$1200; Tutor, University of Texas, 1940-41, \$788 for nine months.

Accomplishments
 A play, "Life of Guitas in Ten Acts", published in Texas State Magazine, 1941.
 Julius Rosenberg Fund Fellowship, 1941, \$1,800.

References
 J. Frank Wolfe, University of Texas
 Alan Lomax, Library of Congress
 Rev. A. R. Heane, Austin, Texas

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed \$2,160
 From Applicant \$2,160
 From Fund \$0

AMOUNT GRANTED \$1,800

