

Candidate

Vernon Lane Wharton
 Graduate student, University of North Carolina
 On leave, assistant professor of history
 Millsaps College, Jackson, Mississippi

Special Field

American History

Plan of Work

1. The completion at the University of North Carolina of work for the degree of doctor of philosophy.
2. The completion at the University of North Carolina, Jackson, Mississippi, and Washington, D. C. of a study of the social, economic, and political significance of "The Negro in Mississippi Since the Civil War."

Has been admitted to institution. Duration of study approximately one and a half years; study is already begun. Will return to Millsaps College.

Digest of Application

Born September, 1907, Handsboro, Mississippi. Single.

A. B. from Millsaps College, 1928. A. M. from University of North Carolina, 1931. Omicron Delta Kappa.

Experiences: Slidell, Louisiana, High School, instructor, 1933-35, \$85 a month. Millsaps College, instructor, 1935 to present, \$148 a month.

Research: A Method for Teaching Current History. A. M. thesis; The Movement in the United States for the Annexation of Cuba.

Fellowships: Millsaps College; 1924-25, library assistant, tuition; 1925-26, student assistant in History, tuition; 1926-27, student assistant in English, tuition. University of North Carolina; teaching fellow in History, 1930-31, \$500 plus tuition; research assistant, 1937-38, \$500 plus tuition.

Applied JRF, 1937. Has applied to Institute for Research in Social Science, Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

References

Dr. D. M. Key, President, Millsaps College.
 Dr. Howard W. Odum, University of North Carolina.
 Dr. Fletcher M. Green, University of North Carolina.

Budget Summary

Total amount needed	\$1,143.36
From applicant	<u>173.36</u>
From Fund	\$ 970.00

Committee Notes

Odum enthusiastic.

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Granted

Documents submitted

Photograph
 Exhibit material
 Transcripts
 Millsaps College
 University of North Carolina
 Plan of work

Digest

complete

Sent to Committee

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Documents returned