

Name Mabel Murphy Smythe **Field:** Economics

Teacher, Fort Valley State College
(on leave) 1917 Dodge Avenue, Evanston, Illinois

Plan of Work

The application of consumers' cooperatives as a factor in the improvement of economic conditions among the Negroes of Georgia.

Wishes to attend University of Wisconsin, working for Ph.D. under Dr. Asher Hobson. Has been admitted. Probable duration of study two years, beginning in July, 1940. Will return to present position.

Personal Data Born Montgomery, Alabama, April, 1918. Married. **Age:** 22

Undergraduate Work Spelman College, 1933-36.
Mount Holyoke College, A. B., 1937.

Graduate Work University of Wisconsin, summer, 1938.
Northwestern University, 1939-40, Candidate for M.A.

Experience Salesman-coordinator, Georgia Farmers' Cooperative Society, June-Sept., 1936, \$200; teacher, Fort Valley State College, 1937 - , \$800.

Accomplishments Master's thesis now in preparation: Analysis of Methods of Financing Consumers' Cooperatives."

Tuition scholarships at Spelman College, 1933-36.
Part-tuition scholarship, Mount Holyoke College, 1936-37, \$300.

References

Dr. Asher Hobson, University of Wisconsin
Dr. Amy Hewes, Mount Holyoke College
Dr. E. P. Hohman, Northwestern University, Evanston
Dr. J. B. Blayton, Atlanta University
Dr. Melville J. Herskovits, Northwestern University
Dr. S. Y. McMullen, Northwestern University

Budget Summary

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| Total Amount Needed | \$1230.00 |
| From Applicant | --- |
| From Fund | \$1230.00 |

AMOUNT GRANTED

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| Plan of Work | X | Photograph | X | Sent to Committee |
| Transcripts | X | Exhibit Material | | |
| Spelman College | | | | |
| Mt. Holyoke College | | | | |
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