

1945

Name Moses Carl Holman

Negro
White Southerner

Position Instructor , Communications Center, Hampton
Institute

Special Field Creative writing
Group

College Lincoln University, Missouri, A.B., 1942.

University University of Chicago, A.M., 1944.

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Action of Fellowship Committee:

Granted \$1800



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Requests grant for one year beginning September, 1945.

Personal Data Born Minter City, Mississippi, June, 1919. **Age:** 26
 Single. **Draft Status:** 4F

Undergraduate Work Lincoln University, Missouri, A.B., 1942.

Graduate Work University of Chicago, A.M., 1944.

Experience Junior instructor, Lincoln University, Jefferson City, Missouri, 1942-43, \$1250; laborer, Granite City Steel Company, Granite City, Illinois, 1943, \$2300; instructor, Hampton Institute, 1944-45, \$1900.

Accomplishments John Billings Fiske Poetry Prize, University of Chicago, 1944; third prize, Drake University National Radio Play Contest, 1938; honorable mention, St. Louis Wednesday Club Poetry Contest, 1937; first prize, St. Louis Urban League Poetry Contest, 1937, 1938, 1941; first prize, Lincoln University 75th Anniversary Pageant Competition, 1941.

Poetry published in Opportunity, Crisis, Singing Voices, Poetry Digest Anthology.

References Offered two scholarships at Drake University but did not accept.

D. F. Bond, University of Chicago
 Walter Blair, " "
 Mrs. Judith Bond, " "
 Napier Wilt, " "
 Anne Cooke, Hampton Institute
 Jack Conroy, Chicago

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed	\$2,400
From Applicant	200
From Fund	\$2,200

AMOUNT GRANTED

Sent to Committee

