

Emory Graduate School fellowship in English, 1924-25, \$500. Harvard (English and Comparative literature) 1928-29, Edward Austin Fellowship.  
Phi Beta Kappa.

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During fellowship completed "Two Soldiers." See Publications card.

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1937

Name Cate, Wirt Armistead

(1900)

Negro

White Southerner

Position Author, Nashville, Tennessee

Special Field History  
Group

College Emory University, 1919-23 B.A.

University Emory University, 1924-25, M.A. Harvard University 1926-27, 1928-29.

Plan of Work:

*various letters*

The editing, with full critical appraisal, of two MS diaries (one kept by a Confederate and the other by a Union officer) which record from opposing viewpoints the identical battles of Sherman's decisive Atlanta campaign. Also further work on my forthcoming edition of the unpublished letters and papers of Mr. Justice Q. C. Lamar, southern statesman whose biography I published in 1935. An introductory section will be a critique of Lamar's contribution to political philosophy and philosophy of history. Will work in various libraries, particularly Library of Congress

Action of Fellowship Committee:

Granted \$1,400 for one year



CATE, WIRT A.

PROFESSIONAL CAREER AFTER TENURE OF FELLOWSHIP

Doing part-time teaching and continuing research and writing.

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Assistant to the superintendent of Watkins Institute. Continues writing and research. 9/25/39

9/25/40 Research Fellowship with Colonial Williamsburg, Incorporated. Under this grant Mr. Cate is writing a book.

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PUBLICATIONS

Two Soldiers: The Campaign Diaries of Thomas J. Key, C.S.A, and  
Robert J. Campbell, U.S.A., North Carolina University press, April, 1938.

*see 9/1939/ kept for studies, nearing completion*

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JULIUS ROSENWALD FUND

(36)

Name Wirt Armistead Cate  
 Address 507 North 14th St., Nashville, Tenn.  
 Position Author

Negro   
 White Southerner

Special Field Southern History  
 Group Creative Writing

Plan of Work

The editing, with full critical apparatus, of two MS diaries (one kept by a Confederate and the other by a Union officer) which record from opposing viewpoints the identical battles of Sherman's decisive Atlanta campaign.

Also, further work on my forthcoming edition of the unpublished letters and papers of Mr. Justice Lucius Q. C. Lamar, Southern statesman whose biography I published in 1935. An introductory section will be a critique of Lamar's contributions to political philosophy and the philosophy of history.

Place of study: various libraries, particularly of Congress. (1 year)

Digest of Application

Born 1900. Single. Emory University 1919-23, B.A., 1924-25, M.A. Harvard University 1926-27, 1928-29. Fellowships: Emory Grad. School (English) 1924-25 \$500. Harvard (English and Comp. Lit.) 1928-29 Edward Austin Fellowship.

\$1500

Instructor, Baylor School, Chattanooga, 1923-24. Instructor, Ga. School of Tech., Atlanta, 1925-26, \$2000. Same 1927-28, \$2500. Summers, Ga. Tech. and Emory, \$300.

Publications: LUCIUS Q. C. LAMAR, 600 pp. U. of N. C. Press. Articles in the Journal of Southern History, U. of N. C. Studies in Philology. Misc. writings.

Applicant's References 2/3/37

- + Allan Nevins, Columbia University
- + Theodore H. Jack, Randolph-Macon
- + Goodrich C. White, Emory University
- + Judge John H. Dewitt, Nashville
- + Fremont P. Wirth, Peabody College
- + Alexander Guerry, Univ. of Chattanooga

Other References

- Wm. G. Perry, Ga. Tech.
- + Geo. F. Milton, Chattanooga News

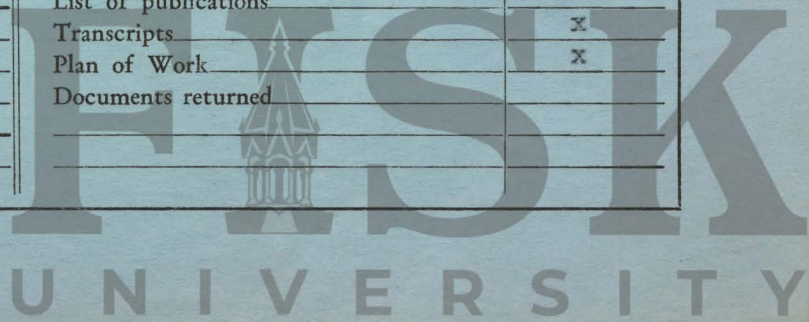
Budget Summary

Total amount needed \$ 1415<sup>00</sup>  
 From applicant \_\_\_\_\_  
 From Fund \$ 1415<sup>00</sup>  
 \*Granted \$ \_\_\_\_\_

*granted \$1400 4/12/37*  
*Suggests 1400*

PROCEDURE

Application received	2/3/37	Documents submitted:	
acknowledged	2/3/37	Photograph	x
Previous		List of publications	
Index Card	✓	Transcripts	x
Digest	✓	Plan of Work	x
Submitted to Committee 2/24	✓	Documents returned	



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(Indicates age) 24

Mary-Elizabeth Cater

Student, University of Michigan  
Ann Arbor, Michigan

Linguistics

Just getting started  
too early to judge whether  
she has top ability - scholarship  
no evidence of penmanship