

SPENCER GILBERT SHAW

Librarian, Keney Branch Library
Hartford, Connecticut

Library Science

Pretty interesting case. Maybe
something beyond routine here.
If we consider him possibly we
should get letter from Ford Rockwell
(Asst Librarian, Hartford - referred to by
Temple)

Name	Spencer Gilbert Shaw	Field: Library Science
	Librarian, Keney Branch Library, Hartford, Connecticut 52 Harrison Street, Hartford, Connecticut	
Plan of Work	To study the use of recordings in library work with children and young people, with emphasis upon the practicability of such a program, the organization and administration of the equipment necessary, the use of recordings, an evaluation of recordings now made for juvenile listeners and a recommended bibliography.	
	Requests grant for the academic year 1948-49. Wishes to work toward the M.A. in Library Science at the University of Chicago Library School.	
Personal Data	Born Hartford, Connecticut, August 1916 Single	Age: 31 Draft Status:
Undergraduate Work	Hampton Institute, B.S., 1940	
Graduate Work	Library School, University of Wisconsin, B.L.S., 1941	
Experience	Librarian, Keney Branch Library, Hartford, 1941-43, \$1644; part-time assistant librarian, Army Post library, Fort Devens, Mass., 1943-44, \$15 month; librarian, Keney Branch Library, 1945- , \$2640.	
Accomplishments	During period of service in the Hartford Public Library, introduced the use of recordings as a supplementary yet vital part of the library program with children and young people, using this audio-visual aid in story-telling programs, book reviews, discussion groups, concert hours. Wrote an article, "The Use of Recordings with Children" to be submitted to the Library Journal.	
Scholarships	\$1200 Carnegie grant-in-aid, 1940-41, University of Wisconsin Library School.	
References	Magnus K. Kristoffersen, Hartford Public Library Sarah S. Eddy, " " " Truman R. Temple, Granville, New York George C. Allen, University of Wisconsin George Goodman, North End Community Center, Hartford, Conn.	
		Budget Summary
		Total Amount Needed \$1900
		From Applicant 150
		From Fund \$1750
Sent to Committee		AMOUNT GRANTED