

**Name** Vinson Allen Edwards **Field:** Sociology  
 Student, Drew University  
 134 Kings Road, Madison, New Jersey

**Plan of Work**

To study 500 Negro rural churches in Georgia as a basis for re-organizing the rural church program so as to provide for (1) better trained resident leaders, (2) a program for the church which will include the essential needs of the rural community.

Wishes to secure Ph.D. working under Dr. Ralph A. Felton. Has been admitted to Drew University. Probable duration of study one year, beginning as soon as possible.

**Personal Data** Born Crawfordville, Georgia, July, 1897. Married. **Age:** 42

**Undergraduate Work** Morehouse College, A. B., 1927.  
 Drew University, B. D., 1930.

**Graduate Work** Cornell University, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1939.  
 M. A. to be awarded.  
 Drew University, 1939 -.

**Experience** Teacher, Morehouse College, 1930-35, \$2000; supervisor, adult education, Works Progress Administration, Atlanta, 1935-37, \$1900; director of instruction, State Teachers College, Forsyth, Georgia, 1937-39, \$1600.

**Accomplishments**

Scholarship at Drew University, 1939-40, \$200.

**References**

Dr. Ralph A. Felton, Drew University  
 President C. D. Hubert, Morehouse College  
 Dr. Willis J. King, President, Gammon Theological Seminary  
 Dr. Noble Y. Beall, Southern Baptist Congregation, Atlanta  
 Mr. Robert L. Cousins, Georgia Department of Education

**Budget Summary**

Total Amount Needed	\$1400.00
From Applicant	---
From Fund	\$1400.00

AMOUNT GRANTED

Plan of Work   
 Transcripts   
 Morehouse College  
 Cornell University  
 Drew University

Photograph   
 Exhibit Material

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