

1947

Name: MARGARET CALDWELL JAMES

White

Position: Student and Research Assistant,
Institute for Research in Social Sciences,
University of North Carolina

Sociology

College: Virginia Intermont College, 1928-30
University of North Carolina, A.B., 1947

Plan of work:

To develop and carry out a small pilot study of the media of communication as related to their accessibility and influence on Negroes in a North Carolina community.

Action of Fellowship Committee: granted \$ 1500

MARGARET CALDWELL JAMES

Student and Research Assistant in Institute for
Research in Social Science
University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Sociology

Very strong testimony from
everybody at U of NC
Mature person with adm. experience
She is elementary in her academic
work (A.B. March 1945) just starting
toward masters degree.
Blackwell's letter esp. strong.

MARGARET CALDWELL JAMES

Student and Research Assistant in
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University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

renewal

Sociology

She has top recommendations from D. C.
Better carry her another year
But if she is widow (with no reported
dependents), why so large an asking.
Grant last year was \$1,500; suggest
renewal at over \$1,800 or \$2,000.



Name Margaret Caldwell James

Field: Sociology

Student and Research Assistant in Institute for Research in Social Science, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Plan of Work To develop and carry out a small pilot study of media of communication as related to their accessibility to and influence on Negroes in a North Carolina community.

Requests grant for one year beginning in September 1947; wishes to work under Dr. John E. Ivey, Jr. at the University of North Carolina.

Personal Data Born Gadsden, Alabama, December 1913 Widowed, no dependents

Age: 34 Draft Status: None

Undergraduate Work Virginia Intermont College, 1928-30 University of North Carolina, A.B. to be received in March 1947

Graduate Work

Experience Stenographer, Bank of Bristol and Tennessee State Banking Department, Bristol, Tenn., 1930-33, \$750; secretary, Home Owners' Loan Corporation, Bristol, Va., 1933-36, \$1440; administrative officer, Tennessee Valley Authority, Knoxville, Tenn., 1936-43, \$3600; research assistant, University of North Carolina, 1946- , \$750.

Accomplishments Alpha Kappa Delta (honorary sociological fraternity); Southern Sociological Society.

Scholarships: Work now being done at the Institute for Research in Social Science at the University of North Carolina, September 1946-47, stipend of \$750 plus tuition - pursuing a course of study leading to A.B. and M. A. in sociology.

References

John E. Ivey, Jr., University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
Howard W. Odum,
Gordon W. Blackwell,
Paul Wager,
Rupert B. Vance,

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed \$1740
From Applicant 300
From Fund \$1440

AMOUNT GRANTED

\$1500

Sent to Committee



Reappointment

Name Margaret Caldwell James

Field: Sociology

Student and Research Assistant in Institute for Research in Social Science,
307 East Franklin Street, Chapel Hill, N. C. /University of North Carolina

Plan of Work To develop and to conduct a small pilot study of media of communication as related to their accessibility to and influence on Negroes and on non-Negroes in a North Carolina community, and to do a comparative analysis of these two studies; at the same time to pursue a course of study leading to a Ph.D. degree in sociology, with supplementary study in the fields of public administration and planning.

Requests renewal for one year beginning September 1, 1948.

Grant in 1947.

Personal Data Born Badsden, Alabama, December 1913
Widowed

Age: 35
Draft Status:

Undergraduate Work University of North Carolina, A.B., 1947

Graduate Work University of North Carolina, 1947-

Experience Stenographer, Bank of Bristol and Tennessee State Banking Dept, Bristol, Tenn., 1930-33, \$750; secretary, Home Owners' Loan Corp., Bristol, Va., 1933-36, \$1440; administrative officer, Tenn. Valley Authority, Knoxville, Tenn., 1936-43, \$3600; research assistant, University of North Carolina, 1946- , \$750.

Scholarships Julius Rosenwald Fellowship, University of N. C., 1947-48, \$1500.

Accomplishments Annual report for Committee on Southern Regional Studies and Education, published verbatim under the name of George F. Zook, as part of the President's annual report, American Council on Education, The Educational Record, July 1947; review of the March (1947) issue of the Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science, published in The Social Studies in Action, Vol. III, No. 2, May 1947; miscellaneous items prepared from time to time for quarterly newsletter of Committee on Southern Regional Studies and Education, Resource-Use Education; collaboration in preparation of research memorandum for "An Experimental Study in Mass Communication", mimeographed.

References

Gordon W. Blackwell, University of North Carolina
Howard W. Odum, "

Budget Summary

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| Total Amount Needed | \$2890 |
| From Applicant | 390 |
| From Fund | \$2500 |

AMOUNT GRANTED

Sent to Committee

