

Name Leon Wickliffe Taylor Field Creative Writing  
 News commentator, own radio period; Manager Dayton office, Cleveland Call & Post  
 114 South Summit Street, Dayton, Ohio

Plan of Work To assemble material already gathered into a book manuscript. More complete statement given on separate sheet.

Requests grant for one year, 1948-49, with privilege of cancelling further payments if manuscript is finished sooner.

Personal Data Born Lexington, Kentucky, February 1899 Age: 49  
 Married, two dependents Draft Status:

~~Undergraduate Work~~  
 Professional Writing: Correspondence, Laurton Blessingsame, and Laurence Robert Law; La Salle, 1928-32  
 Special Study University of Cincinnati, 1936-37  
~~Graduate Work~~

Experience See attached sheet.

Accomplishments Only Negro member, Ohio Army Advisory Committee; four-year investigation of race friction in industrial ranks.

Publications "Life of Isaac Murphy" (famous Negro jockey), published in Abbott's Monthly, July 1932; "History of Troop 30", Boy Scout, 1945; articles on integration of workers, Wright Field, Our World, Dec. 1946, Circuit Magazine, Nov. 1946; labor articles for Associated Negro Press and Cleveland Call & Post, 1944, 1946; features for various papers, 1930-47.


References  
 Charles H. Wesley, Wilberforce University  
 J. Sterling Ayers, Dayton, Ohio  
 Claude A. Barnett, Chicago, Ill.  
 T. Nelson Metcalf, University of Chicago  
 D. Donald Glover, San Francisco, Calif.

## Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed	\$5000
From Applicant	2100
From Fund	\$2700

AMOUNT GRANTED

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