

Name Mayo America Powell
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Detroit, Michigan

Field: Creative Writing
(Drama)

Plan of Work To write a play that will deal with the veterans of World War II, with special attention to the Negro veteran's integration into that American way of life which he so valiantly fought to preserve. The study will fall into four periods: (1) study at Yale University, (2) travel and interviews, (3) assimilation of data, (4) writing of play.

Requests grant for one year beginning June 1947 thru May 1948.

Personal Data Born Louisville, Kentucky, January 1907 Age: 40
Single, one dependent Draft Status: None

Undergraduate Work Northwestern University, 1933-39
Yale University, summer, 1942
University of Chicago, 1932 (course in Case Work Administration)

Graduate Work

Experience Interviewer, Chicago Relief Administration, 1932 (no salary given).

Accomplishments "New Day", a documentary play on the Texas Primary for the Chicago, NAACP, presented at the Eighth Street Theatre, Chicago, Illinois, February 11 and April 1, 1945. "Hi Neighbor" for the Chicago Urban League to be performed April 18, 1947 at Wendell Phillips High School, Chicago.

References

Randolph Edmund, director of dramatics, Dillard University

Louis Scofield, Writer, Downers Grove, Illinois

Charlotte Chorpensing, Director of Childrens' Theatre, Goodman Theatre, Chicago

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed	\$3221
From Applicant	200
From Fund	\$3,021

AMOUNT GRANTED

Sent to Committee

