

Candidate William H. Nicholls

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Special Field

Graduate Student, Harvard University
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Agricultural Economics

Plan of Work

To make a comprehensive study of the brief history of Dairying in the South, the opportunities which it offers there, the need for it in bringing a more diversified agriculture and diet, present utilization and marketing outlets for Southern milk and milk products, and future prospects for a greater Southern Dairy Industry.

Research to be done in Tennessee, Mississippi and Louisiana, beginning September, 1938, for the period of one year.

Digest of Application

Born July, 1914, Lexington, Kentucky. Married.

Obtained A.B. from the University of Kentucky, 1934; M.A. from Harvard University, 1937. Ph.D. (prespective) from Harvard University, 1938. Phi Beta Kappa.

Summer work as Enumerator in Rural Family Income survey in Kentucky, Statistical Clerk in Tobacco Section, Field Agent in New England Dairy Study, and Research Assistant to Dr. John D. Black, Harvard University, 1935-37.

Research: Marketing Phases of Interregional Competition in Dairying (B.A.E. project); The Development of Dairy Marketing Organization in the U.S." - Ph.D. Thesis now being written.

Writings: "Marketing of Tobacco Leaf & Tobacco Products," on file, Widener Library, Harvard, used for Dr. Black's classes; "A Study of Interregional Competition in Sheep & Wool", Widener Library. "Marketing Phases of Interregional Competition in Dairying, Cambridge & Washington. Later to be published as part of B.A.E. project.

References

Budget Summary

✓ Dr. John D. Black, Prof. Agri.Econ., Harvard University	Total amount needed	\$1800
✓ Dr. John M. Cassels, Asst. Prof. Agri. Econ. & Mktg. Harvard University	From applicant	_____
✓ Mr. Ronald L. Mighell, Economist, Bureau of Agri. Econ., U.S. Dept. Agri.	From Fund	\$1800

Committee Notes

Granted

has accepted job at Iowa St. Ct.

Documents submitted

Photograph x
Exhibit material
Transcripts x
University of Kentucky
Harvard University (M.A.)
Harvard University
Plan of Work x

Digest

Complete

Sent to Committee

Documents returned

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