

1941

Name Harrell, Mary Sunlocks (1914) Negro
White Southerner

Position Instructor in English, Oklahoma College for Special Field Language and
Women, on leave. Group Literature

College University of Texas, B. A., 1934

University University of Texas, M. A., 1935; Radcliffe College, 1939-41

Plan of Work:

To complete a biography of O. Henry, and continuation of work toward the doctor's degree in English, at Radcliffe College. 1 year.

Action of Fellowship Committee:

Granted \$1,500

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Instructor in English at Colorado State College, 1936-37; at Oklahoma College for Women, 1937-39.

Has held various scholarships at institutions attended, and the Vassie James Hill fellowship of the American Association of University Women, \$1,500, for work at Radcliffe in 1940-41.

*131 Chapel Street (h.)
Hot Springs, Ark.*

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Name Mary Sunlocks Harrell Field: English
 Instructor in English (on leave) Language & Literature
 Oklahoma College for Women, Chickasha
 35 Concord Avenue, Cambridge, Massachusetts *Oct 1941*

Plan of Work To write a biography of O'Henry, treating his mind and art as influenced by the trends of the turning century and as they reveal the tastes and psychology of the time. Most of the research is completed. The summer of 1941 and school session of 1941-42 I shall write and prepare the book for publication.

Wishes to secure Ph.D. from Radcliffe College working under Dr. H. M. Jones. Probable duration of work twelve months, beginning June, 1941. Will return to present position.

Personal Data Born Spanish Honduras, January, 1914. Single. Age: 27
 (Parents both native Texans)

Undergraduate Work University of Texas, B. A., 1934.

Graduate Work University of Texas, M. A., 1935.
 Radcliffe College, 1939 -
 Travel, doing research on O'Henry, summers of 1935, 36, 37, 38 and 1940.

Experience Instructor in English, Colorado State College, 1936-37, \$1650;
 Oklahoma College for Women, 1937 -, \$1600.

Accomplishments Phi Beta Kappa.

Publications: O'Henry Encore, stories discovered and edited by Mary Harrell, Doubleday, Doran & Company, 1939; English edition, London, 1939.

Fellowships: Three undergraduate scholarships; University of Texas, graduate fellowships, 1934-35, \$200; 1935-36, \$300; received appointment for Columbia University Residence Fellowship, 1936-37, \$600, but did not take it; Vassie James Hill Fellowship of American Association of University Women, 1940-41, \$1500.

References

J. Frank Dobie, University of Texas
 L. W. Payne, Jr., University of Texas
 Howard Mumford Jones, Harvard University
 Kenneth B. Murdock, Harvard University
 Hyder E. Rollins, Harvard University
 C. Alphonso Smith, Alexandria, Virginia
 M. A. Nash, Oklahoma College for Women

Budget Summary

Total Amount Needed	\$ 1,750
From Applicant	250
From Fund	\$ 1,500

AMOUNT GRANTED

Sent to Committee

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