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Homemaking Program Is Designed To Provide Varied Opportunities

ROXBORO — The homemaking education program of the Person County High School is designed to provide opportunities for pupils to gain experiences in home activities and relationship which will serve as a means of meeting the needs of family life today as the background for well adjusted families of tomorrow.

The curriculum includes study in the following areas: foods and nutrition, clothing, family economics, housing, health, family relations and child development.

Three years of homemaking education are offered to students in the four high school classes. The third year is a course offered to students who are looking primarily toward marriage and homemaking.

Adult classes are conducted also in the area of homemaking education, according to

the needs and interests of the members of the classes. These are offered more or less in the form of workshops.

Additions At Person C'ty High

ROXBORO — The Person County High School addition, composed of a gymnasium and 8 classrooms, has been completed at a cost of approximately \$200,000. For same purposes, the gymnasium has a seating capacity of 600.00. For auditorium purposes, there will be a seating capacity of approximately 2,000.

Included in this building is a stage, and shower-dressing rooms for boys and girls; also, two practice courts, in addition to the regular standard basketball courts.

Within the past two years, in addition to the above, three modern elementary schools have been erected, including a 15-teacher school, a 12-teacher school and a 10-teacher school. The total amount of money spent in these improvements was approximately \$1,200,000.00.

Included in the elementary schools are auditoriums and cafeterias.

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Library At Roxboro School Contains Over 3,000 Books

ROXBORO — The library consists of a main reading room and a work nook equipped with a sink, running water and a cupboard with shelves and cabinet space. The library shelving is of standard make and is adjustable.

The basic book collection numbers 300. Thirty-five magazines including twenty-eight recommended by the state, are among the periodical collection. Three daily newspapers — The Durham Morning Herald, The Greensboro

Daily News and the New York Times; a semi-weekly — The Courier-Times; and three weekly newspapers — The Norfolk Journal and Guide, The Carolina Times and The Carolinian make up the newspaper collection.

A small collection of professional materials is maintained. This collection is used chiefly by the faculty however, students when necessary may make use of it. Physically the library is easily accessible to all students because

it is located near the center of traffic.

Student library assistants, selected on the basis of scholarship, assist other students and teachers in locating materials. They also circulate books, check overdues, prepare book lists, deliver materials to classrooms, shelve books, do light mending, keep record of circulation, assist with bulletin boards, etc. A minimum of twelve lessons

in the use of the library is taught by the librarian and the English teachers.

The school administrator encourages the use of the library chiefly through professional meetings. He emphasizes the ne-

cessity of teachers informing the librarian of class assignments that require the use of the library. He also encourages personal visits to the library by teachers as well as the students.

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