

FOUR ROOM PLANT TO BE BUILT ON 8TH, WASHINGTON

Plans for the construction of a textile training building here to be used in training high school students and employes of the local mills have been completed and are now in the hands of the WPA officials for the final approval. The building is to be erected on the east side of Washington Street facing Eighth, just opposite the Junior High and the Shop building of the local city school system. Actual construction is expected to start as soon as WPA officials have checked the plans and given their final approval.

The building will be used in giving high school students and employes of the mills elementary and advanced technical instruction in the different phases of the textile industry. Will Nelson, who has been employed here for the past several years as a textile instructor, will be the instructor. At present he is holding his classes in a room of the Junior High building.

The new building, 80 feet long by 60 feet wide, will have four rooms, consisting of a weaving department, spinning department, carding department, and a lecture room. The lecture room will have in it an office for the instructor.

The new building will be of sandstone blocks, one story high. All of the rooms will be ceiled except for the weaving room where the large looms will not permit ceiling. Each room will have an outside exit. Big windows on all sides will provide ample lighting.

The ground for the building was donated and deeded to the school trustees of the city by the Simmons Company.

The school has at present enough material for about two of the rooms in the new building. The machines now owned by the school are all in the single room of the Junior High building. The machines were donated largely by the local mills. C. W. Davis, school superintendent, said this week that the mills expected to give the additional machines to be used in the new building.

Mr. Nelson, the textile instructor, is maintained here by the federal government, the state government, and the local school board.

Mr. Davis said this week that he expected to see the textile department of the school grow to the extent that an additional teacher would be required to handle the work before long.

SADIE HAWKINS DAY TO BE CELEBRATED

This Saturday Rosemary Recreation Club will present Sadie Hawkins Day. This is an annual event at the Club, starting last year when a huge crowd saw the show.

This time it was decided to have a play centered around the lives and loves of Al Capps' famous movie strip, "Little Abner", and the other characters of Dog Patch. Beginning at 7:30 p.m. the Recreation Club will present a one-act play entitled "It Happened In Dog Patch". Among the various characters, Helen Stewart will enact the part of Daisy Mae, Little Abner's girl friend. Mildred Mills will be Ma Yokum; Bryant "Horsefly" Gray will be Pa Yokum. Roger Cullom will be Hairless Joe and Doc Mahaffey, Jr. will be Lonesome Polecat. The scene where they mix the joy juice and go on

a bender will bring down the house. Margaret Butler will be Belinda Bargrease. Virgil McDowell will be Marryin' Sam. Chester Allsbrook will be the Mayor. Mable Allsbrook will be the Widow. A great surprise is in store for the audience when they find out who Mitzi Mudlark and the Scraggs are. One top on the Scraggs is, there will be one of them a very famous softball pitcher who is making his first appearance on the stage. After the play a series of short acts will be presented and then the club will be turned into a big Dogpatch Party and Dance. Everyone is requested to appear in a costume as there will be prizes for the best costumes. The play is under the direction of Mrs. Mildred Mills and Mrs. Mable Allsbrook. A small admission will be charged.

Daily Report Meetings To Be Held At Municipal Building

During the week of the Chest Drive there will be daily report meetings at the Municipal Building at 7:00 p.m. for every day of the Drive except Thanksgiving Day.

All Division Colonels, Majors and Workers are requested to be at these report meetings so that everyone can be acquainted with the program of the Drive. Charts will be prepared as they were last year and immediately after each report meeting the thermometer will be painted to the proper level.

The Thermometer has been placed in the hospital grounds and flood lighted. This thermometer will be used to record the progress of the Roanoke Rapids Community Chest Drive during Thanksgiving week. Each night after the campaign report meeting the Fire Department has arranged to paint the "mercury" higher with the Goal set at \$13,205.

In all the churches this Sunday the ministers plan to make an appeal to their congregation to support the Second Annual Community Chest of Roanoke Rapids.

In two churches last Sunday, special sermons were preached on the subject of giving to the Community Chest, the ministers using the Good Neighbor theme.

Camp'gn Workers Meeting Is Held At Rosemary Hall

A very enthusiastic group of more than 50 campaign workers under Major Virgil E. McDowell held a meeting in the Rosemary Recreation Hall Wednesday night. Mrs. C. M. Gurley, Associated Charities Case Worker, was present and gave some interesting information about the work of the Associated Charities for the past year. Also speaking briefly were Colonel T. J. Alford of the Industrial Division and Campaign Chairman, Frank Sherry.

J. E. McGee stated that he was confident that Rosemary would go "over the top" as they did in last year's Drive. Closing the meeting, T. W. Mullen, President of the Roanoke Rapids Community Chest, made a strong appeal for Chest support and thanked the Rosemary workers for their past efforts, also expressing confidence that Rosemary would be heard from before Thanksgiving week is over.

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COMMISSIONERS SEEK JAIL SITE

F. C. Williams and Byron Gurley, members of the Finance Committee of the Board of Commissioners, met with Mayor Bernard Allsbrook last Friday for the purpose of selecting a site for the proposed new city jail, the site to be approved by the entire Board.

Mayor Allsbrook said this week that two locations were picked to present to the Board, provided the sites could be secured for the jail. At that time Mr. Allsbrook said investigations were in progress but he was unable to foresee the outcome of either investigation.

The two sites chosen for recommendation by the Finance Committee and the Mayor are the old power plant on the old canal and a plot of ground between the ball park and the Seaboard switch line and between the water tank and the Roanoke Rapids Bonded Warehouse. The old power house is the property of the Virginia Electric and Power Company. The lots on 11th Street at the ball park are the property of the Roanoke Rapids Sanitary District.

Mr. Allsbrook said that he expected some definite action to be taken at the next meeting of the Board of Commissioners in December.

Mrs. H. T. Nethery Funer'l Held Wed.

Mrs. Ethel Stephenson Nethery, 57, died at her home near Weldon Monday night following a week's illness. Funeral services were conducted at Halifax Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 by the Rev. C. T. Thrift, and interment was in the Stephenson family cemetery.

Survivors are her husband, Henry T. Nethery; two daughters, Mrs. Gordon Dickens of Weldon, and Miss Viola Nethery of Nashville, Tenn.; a son, Thomas Nethery of Paris Island, S. C.; five brothers, W. E. Stephenson of Weldon, Jim and W. M. Stephenson of Halifax, E. L. Stephenson of Rocky Mount and G. E. Stephenson of Enfield; and a sister, Mrs. J. S. Riddick, of Spring Hill.

SANITARY RATINGS OF CITY CAFES, MEAT MARKETS ANNOUNCED

CAFES

Announced by the County Health Department, sanitary ratings of the Roanoke Rapids cafes for October are as follows:

Grade A Group (90% or above)	
Rosemary Cafe	90.0
Bakery Cafe	90.0
C. D. Williams	90.0
Blue Front Lunch	90.0
Grade B Group (80 to 90%)	
Ed's Lunch	88.0
Silver Grill	85.5
Bill's Place	85.0
Kidd's Lunch	83.5
Ray's Barbeque	83.0
Bob Cole Lunch	81.5
Davenport Cafe	80.0
Johnson's Lunch	80.0
Fred Forrest Lunch	80.0
Pearl Owen's Hot Dog	81.0
Grade C Group (70 to 80%)	
Mike's Place	73.0
E. D. Medlin	76.5

Mrs. Mattie Duncan	95.0
J. C. Wells	94.0
M System	93.5
Standard Grocery	93.5
Thompsons Market	90.0
L&M Store	92.0
R. I. Starke	91.0
Yellow Front Market	90.0
Grade B Group (80 to 90%)	
Ranhorn Grocery	88.5
Penders Grocery	88.0
Matkins Market	87.5
Batton Grocery	86.5
Toppings Market	87.5
R. E. Merritt	87.0
A & P Grocery	86.0
Tucker Fayed	85.0
R. T. Braswell Grocery	84.0
D. I. Kidd	83.0
I. K. Braswell	80.5
Grade C Group (70 to 80%)	
Branches Market (Col.)	78.5

Miller - Finch

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Finch announce the marriage of their daughter, Alpha Mae, to Jarman Clifton Miller on September 1, 1939.

MEAT MARKETS

Sanitary ratings of the Roanoke Rapids Meat Markets for November are announced as follows by the County Health Department:

Grade A Group (90% or over)

WEEK-END SPECIALS

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