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NEW JEWELRY STORE

FOR CITY TO OPEN FRIDAY

Formal Opening Of Jewel Box To Be Held Friday

The new home of the Jewel Box, local jewelry store, will be formally opened for the public tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, owner Henry N. Coley announced today.

The Jewel Box was located here about two years ago by Coley on October 7, 1939, and it was a hit with the public from the beginning. During the time since it was opened the firm's patrons has steadily grown until the proprietor realized that a larger and bigger store would be necessary to better serve the needs and wishes of all the customers.

Located in the 1000-block on Roanoke Avenue the new store will give almost double the floor space, and Coley stated today that the stock of merchandise will probably be doubled also.

The store will continue to feature nationally advertised merchandise at suggested consumer prices, Coley said, and a customer may buy any of the merchandise on credit—or pay cash for it, if that is more convenient.

The Jewel Box has been carrying watches, diamonds, radios, jewelry, luggage, musical instruments, fountains pens, pencils, etc., and among the new line of merchandise to be offered will be silverware, china, glassware, crystal and many others.

Two large semi-circular show windows which are part of the attractive front of the new building housing the Jewel Box, will be used to display merchandise along with the regular counters and display stands in the store. The inside of the building is well lighted, and decorations are pleasing to the eye.

Legion Auxiliary In Northampton Names Officers

American Legion Auxiliary officers and committee chairmen for 1941-42 of the Northampton County Post have been announced as follows:

Mrs. S. R. Motzno, Woodland, president; Mrs. R. J. White, secretary; Mrs. C. S. DeLoatch, treasurer; Mrs. R. R. Vick, chaplain; Mrs. W. D. Barbee, music; Mrs. J. L. Futrell, Jr., Americanism and national defense; Mrs. J. G. Maddy, poppies; Mrs. R. M. Griffin and Mrs. W. S. Bell, child welfare; Mrs. C. S. DeLoatch, finance; Mrs. H. F. Storey, membership; Mrs. S. N. Blanchard, national news; Mrs. W. S. Bell and Mrs. H. F. Storey, color bearers; and Mrs. H. F. Storey, publicity.

Mrs. Otto Reynolds was called to Bethel Monday on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. C. C. Rawls.

STATE WORKS ROADS

Highway 158, between Garysburg and Jackson, is now open, it was announced by Highway Commissioner Carroll L. Wilson today, but the project is not complete. The State highway department is re-surfacing the road, and widening it two feet for a distance of about ten miles.

The highway, which passes through the business section of Jackson, is being widened three feet on each side by cutting away the curb and sidewalk in the business district.

Commissioner Wilson also announced that the highway department started this week re-surfacing Highway 195, between Garysburg and Seaboard.

A preliminary survey on the South Rosemary-Aurelian Springs road has been completed, the highway officials stated, and the first section of the road, a distance of five miles, will be straightened and paved with asphalt "when and if" funds are available. Paving of the first section will give a hard road as far as J. I. Pittard's store.

The preliminary survey on the underpass at the Junction here, and widening the Weldon-Roanoke Rapids highway, has been completed and figures on the project are being worked up in the Raleigh office of the State Highway and Public Works Commission. "However", Commissioner Wilson said, "a survey does not necessarily mean that a project will be undertaken."

Hawkins Case Bound Over At Hearing

The case of Hessie Hawkins, local Negress charged with secret assault on Essie Mae Hawkins with intent to kill, was sent to Superior Court at a hearing pNavkqjbgk Court at a preliminary hearing here in mayor's court Monday morning.

Probable cause was found against the woman who allegedly fired through the window at the other Negress lying on a bed in the room, and she was bound over to higher court.

Bond for HESSIE was reduced from \$500 to \$300, and she is scheduled to be tried at the next term of Halifax Superior Court for trial of criminal cases.

FOURTEEN STUDENT NURSES

Fourteen preliminary students in the Roanoke Rapids Hospital School of Nursing here settled down to serious work on classes which began September 2.

The local School of Nursing, an accredited institution under the direction of Miss Janie Lassiter, Supervisor of Nurses, nine students in the intermediate class and thirteen seniors. The seniors will complete their three-year training and graduate next Spring.

Seven graduates of the school here are scheduled to take the State examinations at Raleigh to become registered nurses October 28-29-30.

Those entering the School of Nursing this year are: Elsie DeBerry, Rich Square; Hazel Blacklock Cincinnati, Ohio; Mary Elizabeth Warren Roanoke Rapids; Nellie Faye Dennis, Franklinton; Katherine Perkinson, Roanoke Rapids; Dorothy Dunington, Richmond, Va.; Margaret Draper, Woodland; Alice Hux, Hobgood; Gladys Roberson, Tarboro; Dorothy Lee, Garysburg; Mabel Bryant, Roanoke Rapids; Carlee Butler,

Ellerbe; Sally Miles, Woodland; and Virginia Shell, Roanoke Rapids.

Northampton Chairman Draft Board Resigns

H. D. Holoman of Rich Square, chairman of the Northampton County Selective Service Board since October 10, 1940, has resigned effective October 17.

A prominent farmer, Holoman found that looking after his duties as chairman of the draft board took up more time than he was able to spare from his business.

A successor has not been named by the selective service committee, composed of N. L. Turner, W. J. Beale and Buxton Midyette.

Members who remain on the draft board are C. J. Garris, Conway; and J. E. Daniel, Pleasant Hill.

ON LEAVE

F. C. Wood, Jr., Seaman 1c, U. S. Navy visited relatives here this week. Wood will report off to leave to the U. S. S. DuPont, on which his brother Jimmy Wood, is serving, after being stationed at Pearl Harbor, T. H., for some time.



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