

HONEYCUTT COMPANY GETS CONTRACT FOR CONSTRUCTION LIBRARY BUILDING MUST BE COMPLETED BY JULY 10, 1939

Building Will Make Way For Class Rooms In Space Now Occupied By Library And Will Increase Facilities

The contract for the construction of a library building for the college was awarded to the A. J. Honeycutt Company on December 21 and work has already begun on the project.

NEW CABINET DISPLAYS OUTPUT OF ART STUDENTS

Due to the overflow of articles produced in the art department, a new cabinet corresponding to the older ones has been purchased and placed in the corridor near The Flor-Ala office. The soap carving has been put in the new cabinet making a place in the others for the pottery recently fired at Spruce Pine.

The new space makes it possible for everyone to get a view of the many interesting things originating in the art classes, students state.

DR. KELLER TELLS OF RECENT TALKS

Shortage of Funds For Education Is Main Subject

In recent months President J. A. Keller has made a number of speeches in a number of places. An enquiring Flor-Ala reporter thought it might be interesting to find out what he was talking about, so the E. R. (or enquiring reporter) asked him.

Under the contract this building will be completed not later than July 10, 1939. The entire library facilities of the college, now using the equivalent of space sufficient to provide four additional classrooms, will occupy this new building. This change will release this space for further classrooms, some of which are badly needed even now, college authorities state.

The building will be of beautiful design, matching in architecture that of Bibb Graves Hall and the gymnasium and apartment dormitory now under construction on the campus. Similar to the other two buildings, the library project will be financed with the aid of the federal government on a 45% grant and Public Works Administration loan of 55%. This building will have every modern library facility necessary for a college of this size at the present and allowing reasonable expansion room for future growth.

The cost of the library building when completed will be approximately \$85,000.00. This addition being added to the other two buildings on which construction was started in November will enhance the value of the property of the college in a total amount of approximately \$250,000.00, according to Karl Tyree, treasurer of the college.