



Master weaver Mrs. Gypsy Hollingsworth of Walnut Cove is at the spinning wheel back of rugs she has woven.

Mrs. Gypsy Hollingsworth

A friend has described Mrs. Gypsy Hollingsworth as a master weaver and craftsman who "knows every craftsman in the whole mountain area."

Mrs. Hollingsworth has been an instructor in weaving for six years and has been weaving since 1934. She calls Mrs. Shermer one of her star pupils. Coverlets, bridge sets, towels, luncheon sets, spreads, mats and wall hangings are fruits of her loom.

Inspiration for two wall hangings in the Craft House came from an Olde English rhyme:

"From ghosties and goolies
and long-leggitie beasties