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The Roanoke City School Board heard a request last night that property it owns be made available (take film) as part of Woodrum Airport's new instrument landing. Although sympathetic to the request, the Board feels it lacks authority to grant outright permission. Airport Manager Marshall Harris made the request ~~of~~ for use of about ~~k~~ 8,100 square feet of land on the Huff property near Round Hill. Two structures about 20 feet high, he explained, would be erected as part of four radio installations needed in the landing system. Herbert Borrows, who presided in the absence of Chairman Clarence Hawkins and Vice Chairman J. P. Crookshank, was authorized to name a committee which will confer with Harris and city officials. In other business, Clarence E. Huffman presented a request from patrons of Fairview School for more rooms to be added, as a remedy for overcrowded classrooms. Huffman says so many houses are being built in the area that the condition will become steadily worse. Superintendent Dr. E. W. Rushton was asked to study the problem and make

a report.

The Board will meet again Thursday night at 7:30 at Fishburn Park School. It will hear a request from the school PTA to restore Miss Marcia Larson to her former status as full time principal.

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