

# Kenansville News

## Dr. & Mrs. Harris Honored At Informal Reception

An informal "Get Acquainted" hour was given for Dr. and Mrs. Russell Harris and family on Saturday night at the home of the Board of Trustees.

Invited guests were the Board of Trustees and wives, doctors of the county and their wives and the hospital personnel.

The reception room was most attractively decorated. The refreshment table was centered with a lovely arrangement of red carnations, white gladioli and pom poms in a silver container. On each side of the arrangement were three branched candelabra, holding burning lamps. The remaining motif was carried out in table appointments.

Mrs. J. O. Stokes served party cake and Mrs. J. B. Grady poured coffee. Assisting in serving were Misses Pat Johnson, Ruth Cox, Mrs. Lee McGregor, Mrs. F. W. McGowan, Mrs. I. O. Wilkerson, Miss Janice Sumner, Miss Sarah Brown and Mrs. Carol Cayenough.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brown greeted guests and Messrs. F. W. McGowan and J. O. Stokes introduced the honored guests to the receiving line.

## Results Of Hungarian Appeal

The Duplin County Chapter, American Red Cross sent \$4.50 last month to National Headquarters for Hungarian Relief. This month additional contributions coming in so far have amounted to \$33.12. It will be sent in next week making a total of \$37.62, donated through the Red Cross for this worthy cause.

It has been called to our attention that several churches in our community have sent donations through their respective church mission boards and we do not have record of those contributions. The officers of the local chapter wish to thank the following who have contributed through our organization: Mrs. J. B. Stroud, Mrs. Annie Wilkerson, N. K. Oates and her circle of the Faison Presbyterian Church; The Woman's Club, The Eastern Star and the Baptist Church of Rose Hill; Mrs. L. Southernland and Grove Presbyterian Church at Kenansville; Mrs. J. C. Russ and Mrs. L. H. Brown of Warsaw; also Mr. and Mrs. Alexandria Southernland of Wallace.

If there is any one else who wishes to contribute to this cause, they may send their donation between now and January 30th to Mrs. N. B. Boney, Executive Secretary, Duplin County Chapter, American Red Cross, Kenansville, N. C.

## A Letter of Thanks

Mrs. N. B. Boney, Executive Secretary, Duplin County Chapter, American Red Cross, Kenansville, N. C.

Dear Mrs. Boney:

Operation Christmas went along very smoothly, and only because you gave us wholehearted support, we, the hospital staff, know that obtaining community participation to

## Fill the Christmas request list

requires much time and effort on your part. We hope you will consider it time and effort well spent for it is you who made the patients' Christmas program possible.

The Christmas program included a gift wrapping service, ward decorating, special parties and refreshments, a visit by Santa Claus, entertainment and school groups. In this program there was a special place for your lovely mobiles, books, magazines, pecans, hard candy, comic books and miscellaneous gifts. We feel the purpose of bringing the spirit of Christmas to the men who could not be with family and friends at this very special time of year was accomplished. Our only regret is that you and the community groups who helped us accomplish this goal could not be on hand to share the satisfaction of a job well done, and personally receive the patients' expressions of appreciation.

Thus, our attempt in behalf of patients and staff, to say thank you. We extend our best wishes for a happy and successful New Year and look forward to working with you throughout the year.

## Very truly yours,

(Miss) Anne J. Rosokoff  
Field Director  
BY: (Miss) Ruth McCall  
Recreation Worker III

Organizations in Duplin County that cooperated with the local Red Cross Chapter in making this Christmas cheer project a success were: James Kenan Chapter, U.D.C., The B & P.W. Club of Warsaw, The Kenansville Garden Club, The Faison Garden Club, The Faison Woman's Club, The Woman's Club of Calypso, The Wallace Woman's Club, and the Wallace Junior Woman's Club also the Eastern Star Chapters of Wallace and Beaufort and several Home Demonstration Clubs.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to take this opportunity to express our many thanks and appreciation for the flowers, cards, foods and acts of kindness and deeds of sympathy bestowed upon us by our many friends and relatives during the short illness and recent death of our loved one.

—Mrs. L. A. Brock and Children

I wish to thank the doctors, nurses and friends who were so nice to me while I was a patient in Duplin General Hospital and since I have been home. For cards, visits, flowers and other gifts, I appreciate them all and thank you everyone.

—Mrs. Daisy J. Merritt

## Mrs. McGowan Was Bridge Hostess

Mrs. F. W. McGowan was hostess to the Contract Club on Wednesday evening with Mrs. Louise Mitchell and Mrs. E. C. Tyndall as additional guests.

Potted plants and berries were

## used effectively in the living and dining room.

After several progressions, Mrs. J. O. Stokes assisted the hostess in serving a fruit salad, peas, nuts and coffee to: Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Tyndall, Mrs. I. C. Burch, Mrs. J. E. Wallace, Mrs. Vance Gavin, Mrs. N. B. Boney and Mrs. D. E. Williamson.

During the social hour it was decided that the club would make a cash donation to The March of Dimes drive.

Mrs. Burch was given both towels for club high, Mrs. Mitchell dusting powder for visitors high and Mrs. Tyndall was remembered with a handkerchief.

## Mrs. Gavin, High Scorer At Bridge

Mrs. Vance Gavin was given a cosmetic bag for club high and Mrs. Jim Wilkerson a scarf and collar for guest gift on Monday evening when Mrs. J. O. Stokes entertained the Monday night club.

Disb gardens and gladioli were used effectively in the living room and on the sun porch.

Mrs. J. B. Wallace assisted the hostess in serving congealed salad, ham biscuits, crackers and coffee to Mrs. Wilkerson, Mrs. Gavin, Mrs. Hubert Cheney, Mrs. George Penney, Mrs. Louise Mitchell, Mrs. J. R. Grady and Mrs. C. B. Guthrie.

## W.M.S. Met Monday

The Womens Missionary Society met Monday afternoon in the church annex, with Mrs. C. B. Guthrie, president, presiding.

An interesting and inspiring program was given "Missions on the Mississippi" by the Cora Stokes Circle, Mrs. Guthrie, chairman was assisted by Mrs. C. B. Sitterson, Mrs. George Penney and Mrs. H. M. West, Sr.

During devotional period, with scripture taken from Psalms 46, Mrs. Lauren Sharpe played softly, "Sweet Hour of Prayer."

Following the business session the meeting was dismissed by members repeating "The Lords Prayer."

## Chapter 215 OES Meets

The Kenansville Chapter 215 Order of the Eastern Star met Tuesday night for a regular meeting. Worshiping Matron, Mary Alice Blackmore presided.

Following the routine business, a social hour was enjoyed. During the social hour color slides of the Eastern Star Temple in Washington, D. C. were shown.

Visitors from Warsaw Chapter U.D. were present for the meeting.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. George Penney, Carl and Luranne spent Sunday in Raleigh with Mrs. Penney's mother.

Mrs. Sarah Bland, Amy and Rebecca of Greenville were week end guests of Mrs. W. J. Pickett and Mrs. Roy Sitterson.

Mrs. J. O. Stokes and Mrs. J. H. Wallace made a business trip to

## In And Around Bowden Community

### MINERAL SPRINGS CLUB MEETS

The Mineral Springs Home Demonstration Club held its January meeting on Tuesday 19th in the Bowden Recreation room with Mrs. Leon Taylor as hostess. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. E. J. Carter. The group sang together "Follow The Glean". Mrs. Leon Taylor gave the Devotional and used the 1st Psalm followed by "The Lords Prayer" by the group. The roll was called and minutes of last meeting read. There were nine members present. After the business session, Mrs. Norman Parks, Home-Management leader gave the demonstration on "How to Make Housecleaning Easier". These points were stressed: First, family reorganization. 2nd The right tools. Third, Storage for tools. There were reports by Foods and Nutrition Scorekeeper and Home Garden leaders. The group repeated together the club collect. After which Mrs. Taylor served delicious sandwiches, nuts, cookies, candy and soft drinks. A delightful social hour followed.

Mr. J. G. Parks of Goldsboro was dinner guests at Mr. and Mrs. Norman Parks and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Carr of Wallace visited Mrs. J. B. Parks and Mrs. Census Taylor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Holmes of LaGrange were visitors in this community Sunday afternoon.

Miss Julia Taylor Student Nurse at Park View Hospital, Rocky Mt. was at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Taylor this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Damon Sutton of Seven Springs spent last Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith and children of Shalheeb spent Sunday with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Marjion Henderson and family Sunday.

Mrs. R. A. Jackson spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Macy Moore in Bowden.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ivey, Sr. Miss

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Mrs. E. J. Carter visited her sister, Mrs. John Brown at Sneads Ferry last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bartlett and children spent last Sunday with the John Brown family in Sneads Ferry.

Miss Betty Ann Moxingo of Goldsboro was at home with her mother, Mrs. Retta Blalock this week end.

Goldsboro Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Simpson and Burt spent the week end in Raleigh with friends.

Miss Mary Lee and Mrs. R. L. Sykes spent the week end in Norfolk with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Oden. They were accompanied by Mrs. Robert Hollingsworth who spent the week end with Mrs. Johnny Helms.

Mrs. Robert Hollingsworth who was the week end guest of Mrs. Johnny Helms was accompanied home by Mrs. Helms who will spend two weeks here while Lt. Helms is attending a navigators school in Arkansas.

Mrs. G. P. Pridgen of Warsaw is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Grady.

Mrs. Russell Harris and children of Leasville spent the week end with Dr. Harris in Kenansville.

Miss Betty Ingram of Duke University of Durham spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. W. M. Ingram. She returned home again on Tuesday for a weeks stay following mid term exams.

Mrs. Annie Ingram accompanied Miss Betty Ingram to Durham Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Sam Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Grady, Mrs. L. V. Grady and Miss Myra Maxwell of Wilson visited Mr. J. R. Grady Sunday.

Mrs. Parker Quinn was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hall of Rose Hill Tuesday night.

Miss Boris Calson of E. C. College Greenville spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Calson.

Mrs. H. L. Stevens of Warsaw visited her mother, Mrs. L. A. Beasley, and Aunt, Mrs. Daisy Smith Saturday afternoon.

## C. R. Andrews Is Named State Chairman Of 1957 Heart Fund; Others Are Named

Members of the state campaign committee for the 1957 Heart Fund were announced today by C. R. (Dick) Andrews of Greensboro, state chairman. They are Allen Wannamaker of Greensboro, vice chairman; S. B. Kittrell of Pinetops, treasurer; Dr. John G. Smith of Rocky Mount and Dr. Edward S. Or-

Mary Ivey of Seven Springs and Miss Ruby Ivey of Raleigh spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Ivey Jr., and family.

We are happy to report that Mr. R. A. Williams is improving after having been ill for several weeks.

Rev. Norman Flowers filled his regular appointment in Bowden Community Presbyterian Church Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Smith and daughter Brenda spent Sunday with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lewis.

gain of Durham, members at large. Chairman of the public information committee is Walter J. Klein of Charlotte and the members of his committee are Ben McDonald, Wilmington; Gaines P. Kelly, Greensboro and Richard P. Mason, Raleigh.

These are the state leaders who will work with local campaign directors in every Tarheel community to carry on the 1957 Heart Fund Drive, said Mr. Andrews. They will help enlist thousands of volunteers to tell people about the Heart Fund and how it is bringing new hope to the hearts of America," he added. "The program of research into the causes of heart and blood vessel disease, which is supported by the Heart Fund, is finding out more and more about diagnosis, treatment, rehabilitation and prevention. The promise is that our

Mr. Andrews stated that February had been set aside as Heart Month all over the United States. The national Heart Fund committee is headed by Rear Admiral Richard K. Byrd and Kenneth C. Royal, former Secretary of the Army, a native of Goldsboro, N. C. Serving as National Treasurer, is Grant Keelin, executive vice president of the First National City Bank of New York. Other members of the national campaign committee are Mrs. Alben Barkley, widow of the late former U. S. Vice President; Sylvester L. Weaver, Jr., radio-TV executive of New York; George Meany, president of the AFL-CIO; Eddie Cantor, motion picture comedian; Miss Arlene Francis, television commentator; and Gabriel Paul, general manager of the Cincinnati Red Legs Baseball Team.

## Kenansville ITEMS And Coming Events

- St. John's Lodge Number 13 meets every 1st and 3rd Thursdays. Dinner meeting every 1st Thursday.
- Chapter 215 OES meets every 2nd and 4th Tuesday night.
- Kenansville white school PTA meets every 1st Monday night.
- Lions Club meets every 2nd and 4th Wednesday nights at Jones Cafe.
- Duplin General Hospital board of trustees meet the 3rd Tuesday in each quarter. Executive Committee and medical staff meet 2nd Friday in each month.
- Boy Scout Troop meets each Tuesday night at 7:30.
- Jaycees meet every 1st and 3rd Wednesday nights.
- Town Board meets every first Wednesday night.
- Methodist men meet each 4th Monday night. WSCS meets each Tuesday night after the first Sunday.
- Girl Scouts meet each Wednesday after school.
- Women of Grove Church meets Monday after Second Sunday for circle meeting.
- The general meeting of the Women of Grove Church is held Monday after the 4th Sunday of each month.

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