

## Change In Hours Of Public Library

At the last meeting of the Kenansville Woman's Club, it was decided to change the hours of the Kenansville Public Library. The library, with Mrs. Myrtle Quinn in charge, will be open Tuesday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 o'clock. It has been difficult for the young people to return their library

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books on time and the Librarian, Mrs. Myrtle Quinn, hopes that the new hours will be much more convenient.

## Birthday Dinner

By Mrs. W. B. Albertson

Jim Atkinson celebrated his 41st birthday Sunday, Feb. 6th, 1949. We had a bountiful dinner in the yard, picnic style. Consisted of Barbecue, cake, pies, puddings, all good things that were eatable and not half the food was eaten. We all hope brother Jim will enjoy many more happy birthdays.

All his brothers and sisters were present except one sister who lives in St. Paul, Minn. Those present for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Howard and son of Pink Hill. Also our mother, Mrs. T. H. Atkinson, who was 70 years young Nov. 30th, 1948. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Atkinson and two children. Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Atkinson and three children of Dover. Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Atkinson and one child, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Albertson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Atkinson and children, all of Kenansville, Rt. 2. Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Whitman and two girls of Kenansville, Rt. 1. Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Murray and two children of Warsaw, Lehman Williams of near Pink Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Atkinson and two girls came in the afternoon. Junior Markie, son of Mrs. Pannie Markie of St. Paul, Minn, and oldest of the Atkinson children. Junior has made his home with Jim for over a year. Mr. and Mrs. Laster Baker and one child of near Cabin. Jim received several gifts. We hope that God will bless each and every one, and live to be together again, and Jim many, many more Happy Birthdays.

## Entertains Club

On Tuesday evening Mrs. D. H. McKay entertained her bridge club with all members present. The valentine motif was most effectively carried out in refreshments and tallies. The hostess served fruit jello with whipped cream and coffee and home made cookies, and during play coca colas and nuts were served. High score prize was won by Mrs. L. F. Weeks.

## Entertained On 80th Birthday

Mesdames R. C. Wells of Clinton, J. E. Jerritt of New Bern, and Louise Mitchell of Kenansville, were joint hostesses Monday, Feb. 7, at a tea in the club rooms honoring Miss Lula Hinson on her eightieth birthday. Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. N. B. Soney and introduced to the receiving line which was composed of the hostesses the honoree, and her sister, Mrs. Bess Hines.

The club room was attractively decorated with long leaf pine, making a setting for the table in the center which was covered with a white linen cloth and centered with a silver bowl of red carnations. On either side were burning white tapers, daintily tied with valentine nosegays. The valentine motif was effectively carried out in all decorations. At each end of the table, Russian tea was poured by Mesdames P. J. Dobson and C. B. Sitterton. Napkins were passed by Mrs. D. S. Williamson and Mesdames F. W. McGowan, A. T. Outlaw and Caroline Gavin assisted in serving. Miss Barbara Mitchell passed mints.

Guests viewed the many lovely gifts given the honoree and signed the register which was presided over by Mrs. G. D. Bennett of Warsaw. Goodbyes were said to Mrs. Mary Southerland.

## Announce Birth

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jones announce the birth of a son on Tuesday, February 8, 1949 at General Memorial Hospital in Kinston. Mrs. Jones is the former Miss Jeanette Newman of Seven Springs.

## PTA Meets

The Kenansville PTA met on Monday night in the school building with the president Mrs. E. V. Vestal presiding. As this was the Founder's Day Program, Mrs. F. W. McGowan gave some interesting facts about the co-founders of the PTA, and the four-point program of the PTA. A silver offering was taken for the furtherance of PTA work.

Mrs. Sadler's 8th grade presented an effective program on the history of North Carolina.

Mr. J. L. Williams, who was chairman of the school board when Mrs. Laura Moore Gavin was president of the local PTA at the time of its organization, presented a PTA president's pen to Mrs. Fannie Cooper, in the absence of her sister, Mrs. Gavin. Mrs. Mary Southerland presented a PTA pen to Mrs. E. V. Vestal, the out-going president.

Officers for the coming year are: Pres. Mrs. Holmes Rouse; Vice-Pres. Mrs. E. V. Vestal; Secty. Mrs. Amos Brinson; Treas. Mrs. John Currie; Historian, Mrs. Mary Southerland.

Guests were invited to the lunch room where birthday cake was cut and served by the president, Mrs. Vestal and Mesdames Andrew Patterson and Ivy Bowden served coffee.

## Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Chestnutt of Mt. Olive, announce the engagement of their daughter, Hazel Marie of Warsaw to Harold Dunn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dunn, of Kenansville. The wedding will take place in late spring.

## Miscellaneous Shower

Misses Kathryn Bowen and Isabel Jones were joint hostesses at a miscellaneous shower Friday night, Feb. 4, at the home of Mrs. Betty Whitfield, honoring Miss Elnora Rouse, bride elect.

The hostesses presented Miss Rouse with a corsage of white carnations.

Rummy was played throughout

the evening. Mrs. Thurman Brown won high score prize and Mrs. Robert Sykes won consolation prize.

The hostesses served open face sandwiches, cookies, toasted nuts, date rolls, and coca colas to twenty-two guests.

Many lovely gifts were received. Mrs. Robert Sykes, recent bride, was presented a spoon in her pattern.

## Married At Duke Chapel

On Monday, January 24, Miss Dora Westbrook of Kenansville, became the bride of Davis G. Evans of Rose Hill at the Duke Chapel in Durham, at one o'clock in the afternoon.

The couple entered unattended. The bride was dressed in a suit with finger-tip coat of grey and navy blue, and was wearing accessories of gray with a shoulder corsage of red roses.

Immediately after the ceremony, the couple left for a trip to Florida where they spent a week sightseeing in various parts of the state.

Mrs. Evans is the only daughter of Mrs. Mollie Westbrook and the late Mr. J. E. Westbrook. She graduated from Kenansville High School last year. Mr. Evans is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Evans of Rose Hill and served in the U. S. Army for about a year. He is now employed in Wallace and the couple is making their home near Kenansville.

Guests At Wedding  
Those attending the Evans-Westbrook wedding in Durham were: Mrs. Mollie Westbrook, mother of the bride; Mr. Ralph Chambers and Miss Janice Summerlin of Mt. Olive; Mrs. Otha Lee Holland and Mrs. Earl Heath of Kenansville;

and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Evans, parents of the groom, and Miss Gladys and Pauline Evans of Rose Hill.

## WEINER ROAST

Messrs. B. F. Baker and John Grady entertained the Senior Class of Kenansville High School at a weiner roast Saturday night, Jan. 29. About 20 guests were present. Weiners and marshmallows were enjoyed after which games were played. Messrs. Baker and Grady

and Mrs. Annie Ingram in visiting Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Dall. Joe Quinn of Raleigh was home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wells and children of Clinton spent the week end with Mr. R. V. Wells. Mrs. J. E. Jerritt of New Bern was a visitor in Kenansville on Monday.

Mr. H. M. Middleton of Warsaw visited Kenansville Sunday.

## WEDDING INVITATION

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Holmes Rouse, senior request the honour of your presence at the marriage of their daughter

Elnora

to

Mr. Charles Cresson Ivey, Junior Saturday, the nineteenth of February at five-thirty o'clock in the afternoon

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