



MRS. RICHARD DALE GORE
... formerly Sarah Ann Varnum

Varnum, Gore Exchange Vows

Sarah Ann Varnum and Richard Dale Gore were married in a 7 p.m. ceremony on Saturday, June 22, at Tabor City Baptist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. James Varnum of Myrtle Beach, S.C., and the granddaughter of Cleveland and Louise Gore of Shallotte, Ada L. Varnum of Shallotte and Talmadge Varnum of Supply.

The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Rufus K. Gore of Tabor City.

Dan Deaton of Tabor City Baptist Church officiated the double-ring ceremony. Rev. Jesse Bentley of Jennies Branch Baptist Church read scripture and offered a prayer.

Mrs. Phyllis James, soloist and aunt of the bride, sang "The Wedding Song" and "The Lord's Prayer." Also contributing to the program of music were Margaret Willoughby, organist, Penni Ray, flutist; and Jim Smith, pianist.

Mrs. Waldo Woody directed the wedding.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of white imported satin. It featured a basque bodice and sweetheart neckline heavily appliqued with silk Venice lace, iridescent sequins and seed pearls. The puffed satin sleeves were sprinkled with pearls and the back bodice was accented with covered buttons. The skirt had gentle gathers that flowed into a tulip-shaped, scalloped cathedral train that was edged in scalloped Venice lace.

Her headpiece was a coronet of Venice lace flowers and satin ribbon with pearls, attached to a cathedral length veil of illusion sprinkled with pearls.

She carried a cascading bouquet of white roses, gardenias, freesia, stephanotis and English ivy.

Her matron of honor was Mrs. Victoria Blackmon of Newport News, Va. Miss Sandra Varnum of Madrid, Spain, was maid of honor.

Also attending the bride were Mrs. Roxanne Wright and Mrs. Rita Richardson, sisters of the groom; Miss Dorothy Gore and Miss Angie Gore of Shallotte, cousins of the bride; and Miss Karen Suggs, friend

of the bride; Junior bridesmaid was Miss Tiffany Richardson, niece of the groom. Miss Jessica Turbeville, a niece of the groom, was flower girl.

The bridal attendants wore floor-length gowns of pink tissue taffeta, accented with bows around the neckline.

The junior bridesmaid and flower girl wore cerise gowns of the same style as the other attendants.

While the flower girl wore a coronet of cerise roses and babies' breath and carried a basket of rose petals, the bridal attendants held nosegays of cerise roses, freesia and English ivy.

Rufus Gore was his son's best man. Ushers were Roscoe Gore of New Orleans, La., brother of the groom; Alan Wright, brother-in-law of the groom; Michael Spivey, cousin of the groom; Ricky Garrel, friend of the groom; Matt Gore of Shallotte, cousin of the bride; and James W. Varnum Jr. of Myrtle Beach, S.C., brother of the bride.

A reception, hosted by the bride's parents, was held immediately following the ceremony in the church fellowship hall.

Those serving included Nellie Hewett, Teresa Gore, Elisabeth Gore, Greta Stanley and Audria Fullwood, all of Shallotte; and Brynna English of Wilmington. Helping were Emily Gore, Mary Anne Hewett and Catherine Ivles, all of Shallotte.

The bride graduated from the University of North Carolina at

Wilmington with a bachelor's degree in early childhood education and is employed at Loris Elementary School, Loris, S.C.

The groom is a graduate of Pennbroke State University, with a bachelor's degree in health and physical education. He is employed at Tabor City West Elementary School.

After a wedding trip to The Cloister at Sea Island, Ga., the couple will reside in Tabor City.

Shallotte Lions Elect Long President

President Bobby Long heads the slate of officers elected by the Shallotte Lions Club for 1985-86.

Serving with Long are Harry Pigott, first vice-president; Gary Poulos, second vice-president; Bill Detrie, third vice-president; Leonard C. Ferguson, secretary; Milton Col-

eman, treasurer; Tim Keziah, Tail Twister; and Rob Snyder, Lion Tamer.

Members elected to the board of directors are Bernie DeFont, Coleman Moore, Jimmy Register, Leslie Tubb, Roy Trest and Bill Wetzel.

Committee chairmen were appointed as follows: public relations, Percy Woodard; program, W.J. McLamb; sight conservation, Bill Wetzel and Rob Snyder; Lions information, Jess Parker; attendance and greeter, Tim Keziah; finance, Milton Coleman; projects, Harry Pigott; membership, Wilton Harrelson.

The Shallotte Lions are a member club of Lions International, the largest service club in the world with clubs in 58 foreign countries, said Leonard Ferguson, secretary. Lions are dedicated to community service, with emphasis on service to the blind and deaf. The local club has 50 members, whom he said are "community-oriented citizens interested in helping those in the area who need their support."

Each year the Shallotte Lions raise funds for their support to community agencies by selling brooms, orchids, fruit cakes at Christmas, and holding a fish fry at Labor Day, with all proceeds going to the service projects.

The club holds dinner meetings the first and third Thursdays of each month at 7 p.m.



BOBBY LONG

BEASLEY TO SPEAK

Peoples To Lead Demo Women

The Brunswick County Democratic Women recently reorganized, electing Grace Peoples of Supply as president.

Other officers elected the last week of June were Sylvia Ludlum, first vice-president; Sandra Benton, second vice-president; Sharon Russ, third vice-president; Felicia Stanley, secretary; and Sally Long, treasurer.

Twenty-seven women attended the meeting at Shallotte Municipal Park, which featured a chicken bog dinner hosted by the Democratic men.

District 5 Commissioner Grace Beasley of Leland will be the guest speaker at the next meeting of the Democratic women's group on Friday, July 12. Also, Ouida Hewett, a past president, will present a history of the organization.

The dinner meeting begins at 7 p.m. at Granny's Kitchen in the

Bolivia Plaza Shopping Center, and is open to all county women who are registered as Democrats.

A door prize will be awarded.

Calabash VFW To Raise Funds

A Veterans of Foreign Wars chapter recently organized in Calabash will offer an all-American summer menu of corn on the cob and hotdogs Saturday, July 13, beginning at 11 a.m.

Baked goods also will be sold. The sale will be held at the old Elks building across from Traders Village and behind the Shady Oak Miniature Golf Course.

The fundraising event will benefit the chapter.

Sheffields Have Girl

John and Wendy Carter Sheffield of Ocean Isle Beach are the parents of a daughter, their first child.

Wendy Louise was born Wednesday, June 26, at 12:21 p.m. in New Hanover Memorial Hospital in Wilmington. She weighed six pounds, nine ounces and was 20 inches long.

Billy Don and Dora Carter of Shallotte are her maternal grandparents. J.W. Sheffield Sr. of Pinehurst and the late Louise Sheffield are her paternal grandparents.

Birthdays And Anniversaries

Thursday, July 11

Jim Love, Shannon Gurganus, Percy Woodard, Sarah R. Viego, Rudy Beck; Joe and Ginny Temple, Scott and Patti Hewett, Mr. and Mrs. C. Michael Russ.

Friday, July 12

Erin Cavado, Tommy Kirby, Ricky Joyner, Jr., Frank Causey; Bill and Catherine Faver, Mr. and Mrs. Allison Holden, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Baxley.

Saturday, July 13

Vonetta Stumbling Bear, Anne Pinto, Larry Branch, Parks Fields.

Sunday, July 14

Fitzgerald Hankins, Tina Ferguson, LeDean Milliken, Bill Agee, Thomas Batson.

Monday, July 15

Glenn Kye, Rachel Hollis, Ted Moseley III, Farah Elizabeth Gainey, Linda Reaves, Fleet Crowell, Rozell Hewett, Wilber C. Hewett; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bellamy.

Tuesday, July 16

Denise Gray, Darrell Cheers, Jerry Gurganus, Edith Pigott, Gertrude Phelps; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Todd.

Wednesday, July 17

Lou Hopchas, Cray Milligan, Buddy Causey.



To Wed Local Man

Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Burton of York, S.C., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Beverly L., to Marvin Lance Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lee Evans of Route 2, Ash. The wedding is planned for 3 p.m., Saturday, August 24, at Filbert Presbyterian Church in York, S.C. Friends and relatives of the couple are invited.

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