

MR. AND MRS. BRENT VARNAM ...Rebecca Burcham Varnam

Brent Varnams Make Their New Home In Holden Beach

Brent and Rebecca Burcham Varnam are now making their home in Holden Beach.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Joyce and Fred Burcham of Long Beach. A graduate of South Brunswick High School, she attends Brunswick Community College.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Varnam of Holden Beach. A graduate of West Brunswick High School, he also attends Brunswick Community College.

They were married March 3 at 3 p.m. in Gospel Center Baptist Church at Varnamtown.

The Rev. Ivren Hughes of Shallotte officiated the double ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her family and escorted by her brother, Robert Burcham of Largo, Fla., the bride wore an After Six Bridal Collection l'amour satin and hand-beaded lace gown with a sabrina neckline. The dress featured off the shoulders pouff sleeves with bow detail and a fitted bodice. The bouffant skirt had an apron-effect at back and a semicathedral train. Her fingertip double veil consisted of a band of alencon floral lace and pearl sprays accented with a pouff.

She carried a cascade of bridal roses, white freesia and white miniature carnations with greenery.

Jenina Connor served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Martha Stanley, Vanessa Varnam, Shannon Stone, Shirley Driver and Donna Clemmons. Junior bridesmaids were Jennifer Stanley and Tiffany Fulwood. Crystal Driver served as

flower girl.

The attendants wore pink matte taffeta bouffant gowns with an off the shoulder, wire-edged ruffled neckline that cascaded into a V back. The basque bodice was accented with a wire-edged ruffled back peplum highlighted with a bow.

Billy Varnam, father of the groom, served as best man. Ushers were Leamon Clemmons, Jody Clemmons and Hubert Varnam, cousins of the groom; and Michael Langley and Robert Norton, friends of the groom.

Blake Stone served as ring bearer. The church was decorated with candelabrum and floral sprays of roseria alstomeria, fuschia mini carnations, purple irises, white daisies, dark pink snapdragons and yellow freesia.

Music was provided by Sandy and Greg Duran of Shallotte, Anch Crumpton of Raleigh, harpist, and Tina Rence Hewett of Supply, pian-

Martha Brown, aunt of the bride, attended the guest register.

A reception at Betty's Waterfront Restaurant followed the ceremony. **Pre-Nuptial Events**

The bride was entertained with a lingeric shower given by Martha Brown at Long Beach; a shower given by Frances Hewett of Varnamtown and employees of Betty's Waterfront Restaurant; and a luncheon given by Judy Clemmons, aunt of the groom, at Lockwood Links.

The rehearsal dinner was given by Mr. and Mrs. Don Clemmons, uncle and aunt of the groom.

Batten, Mulholland **Exchange** Vows

Sharon Lynn Batten and Kevin Owen Mulholland were married Saturday, June 8, in Montdeuer Presbyterian Church, Wagram, at 3 p.m.

The Rev. John Williams of Clinton officiated the ceremony

Music was provided by Bill Pleasant, organist, and Statha Osborne, soloist, of Hamlet.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. James F. Batten of Charleston, S.C., and Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Smith of Wagram.

The groom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. James V. Mulholland of Shallotte

The bride wore a formal gown of ivory satin styled with an off-theshoulder sweetheart neckline, open puff sleeves and a natural waist. The neckline, bodice and sleeves were trimmed with hand-beaded alencon lace. The full skirt featured an extended peplum and flowed into a semi-cathedral length train. As a headpiece, she wore a fingertip length veil of illusion adorned with silk flowers and pearl loops.

She carried a casual cascading bouquet of bridal white roses, stephanotis, daisies, snowflake poms, miniature carnation and gypsophilia with assorted foliage and ivory streamers.

Yvonne Johnson of Erwin served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Lisa and Jaclyn Smith of Wagram, sisters of the bride; Kathleen Mulholland of Shallotte and Mary Masius of Greenville, sisters of the groom; and Nancie McLaughlin of Fayetteville. They wore tea length dresses of blue danube satin with a scooped neckline and a V-back, accented with crisscross straps. The basque waistline featured a cascading bow with rose trim.

They carried hand-tied clutch bouquets of miniature carnations, lilies, daisies, cornflowers, statice and gypsophilia in mixed summer shades, with assorted foliage and mixed ribbon streamers.

Sean Mulholland of Shallotte, brother of the groom, served as best man. Ushers were James V. Mulholland of Snellville, Ga., brother of the groom; Mark Burch of Wilmington; David Linthicum of Raleigh; Wayne Saraphis of Durham; and Jose Olivas of Richmond, Va.

A reception in the church fellowship hall followed the ceremony.

A rehearsal dinner, hosted by the parents of the groom, was held at the Lobster Inn in Laurinburg.

After a honeymoon trip to Barbados, West Indies, the couple will live in the Holden Beach area.

The bride, a graduate of the University of North Carolina at Wilmington and Pembroke State University, has a bachelor of arts degree in business administration. She is employed by The Italian Fisherman



MRS. KEVIN OWEN MULHOLLAND ... Sharon Lynn Batten

restaurant at Sunset Beach, The groom has a bachelor of science degree in criminal justice from Appalachian State University and

owns Surf Unlimited of Holden Beach. He is employed by Brunswick Emergency Medical Services as well.

Births Are Announced

Taylor

Staff Sgt. Kenneth D. and Henriette Taylor of Nurenberg, Germany, have announced the birth of a son, Kevin Marland, July 1 in Nurenberg. He weighed 7 1/4 pounds and was 22 1/4 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Corbett M. Holcombe Jr. of Holden Beach.

Great-grandparents are Elizabeth Anderson of Belville and the late James A. Anderson.

Clemmons

James and Melissa Clemmons of Supply have announced the birth of a daughter, Jessica Kay, July 1 at New Hanover Regional Medical Center in Wilmington.

Arriving at 10:07 a.m., Jessica weighed 7 pounds, 9 ounces at birth and measured 20 inches long.

Paternal grandparents are James and Cookie Clemmons of Supply. Maternal grandparents are Alton and Doris Walters of Raeford.

Great-grandparents are Dorothy and Melvin Clemmons of Supply. Tilley

Jay and Marilee Tilley of Clayton have announced the birth of a son, Marshall James Tilley, on July 2 at Rex General Hospital, Raleigh.

Arriving at 11:04 p.m., he weighed 11 pounds and 10 ounces and was 23 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O. Kenneth Hewett of Shallotte.

Mintz

Roy W. and Amy C. Mintz of Route 6, Shallotte, have announced the birth of a son, Wesley Carl, on July 1. Arriving at 2:41 p.m., he weighed 7 pounds and was 21 inches long.

He joins siblings, Kelly Barden and Henry Maurice Mintz.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Costner of Casar, N.C.

Paternal grandparents are the late Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mintz.

Thun, Glenn Kye, Rachel Hollis, Ted Moseley III, Farah Elizabeth Rudy Beck, Jean Cox, Melinda Gainey, Helen James, David Brown, Howell, Sarah Robinson, Barbara Jeff Mintz, Linda Reaves, Fleet

Birthdays And Anniversaries

Thursday, July 11 Sara Dennie Miller, Jason Gore,



To Wed July 21

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lewis Hunnicutt of Supply have announced the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Crystal Kelly Hunnicutt, to Paul Ashley Caton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Caton of Mill Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carter of Winnabow. The

wedding will be held Sunday, July 21, at 3 p.m. in Sabbath Home

Baptist Church, Holden Beach. A reception will follow in the

church fellowship hall. Invitations have not been sent. However,

Lowell, Jim Gold, Jim Love, Shannon Gurganus, Percy Woodard; Scott and Patti Hewett, Mr. and Mrs. C. Michael Russ, Franklin and Nancy Forrest.

Friday, July 12

Frank Causey, Tanya McCullough, Erin Cavedo, Leora Smith, Tommy Kirby, Ricky Joyner Jr., Edith Earp, Arletta Noorigian, Darryl Moffett, Kirby Devon Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Allison Holden, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Baxley, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Faver, Jim and Barbara Lowell.

Saturday, July 13

William Manning, Barney Menasian, Brittany Nicole Tripp, Vonetta Stumbling Bear, Anne Pinto, Larry Branch, Parks Fields, Larry Branch, David Gibble, Nicole Evans, Wendy Kinlaw; Carson and Judy Durham.

Sunday, July 14

Charles Trott, Pamela Hankins, Fitzgerald Hankins, Tena Ferguson, LeDean Milliken, Bill Agee, Thomas Batson.

Monday, July 15 Michael Ryan Walker, Charles



Crowell, Rozelle Hewett, Wilber C. Hewett; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bellamy.

Tuesday, July 16

Renee Robinson, Jean Livingston, Orbie Inman, Adam David Cribb, Lynn Carr, Eugene Lancaster III, Gertrude Phelps, Edith Pigott, Jerry Gurganus, Darrell Cheers, Denise Gray; Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Stanley.

Wednesday, July 17

Buddy Causey, Rebecca Watson, Rodney Babson, Beverly Journegan.

friends and relatives are invited.

Gary A. Snyder, Cray Milligan,

Lordy, Lordy

Love, Kari

CeCe Gore

Hope Harbor Meets Challenge Hope Harbor Home has been were able to reach this goal," reawarded \$10,000 from the Kathleen

Price and Joseph M. Bryan Family Foundation, according to Cathy Swaim, program director.

Last November the foundation challenged Hope Harbor Home and the community to raise matching funds of \$10,000 in order to receive this grant.

"I am happy to report that we

ported Ms. Swaim. "We have had so much community support."

A number of local industries, businesses and civic groups contributed to the effort.

The \$10,000 grant and matching funds will be used toward general operating expenses for Hope Harbor Home, the domestic violen .e shelter that serves Brunswick County.



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