



**Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Anderson**

## L. B. Andersons celebrate twenty-fifth anniversary

On Sunday <sup>1979</sup> afternoon, August 26, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson were feted in honor of their twenty fifth wedding anniversary with a reception hosted by their children, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Anderson, Steve Anderson of Winnsboro, S.C. and Mr. Scott Anderson of Columbia, S.C.

The Family Life Center of the First Church of the Nazarene, Winnsboro, was attractively decorated with large arrangements of roses and greenery. Guests were welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Silvia and greeted by the honored couple and their family including the honored couple's two granddaughters, Rebecca Ann Anderson and Ashley Suzanne Anderson.

Guests served themselves to an array of buffet style finger foods. Gleaming candles and a lovely floral arrangement centered the refreshment tables. Assisting in serving were Mrs. Wally Anderson, Nellie Anderson, Virginia Belk, Pat LeGrand, Ginny Driggers, Fran Beckham and Jean Gunter. And serving punch was Mrs. Bert (Ann) Douglas and Mrs. Jim (Betty Jo) McGarrigle.

An elegant rose bud

arrangement in a silver and crystal epergne was placed at the end of the second table from which punch was served from a cut glass punch bowl which was identical to the one on the refreshment table. Attending was Mrs. Flay (Juanita) Sisk.

The beautiful decorated three tiered wedding cake was served by Mrs. B.R. (Angie) Floyd of Winnsboro and Mrs. Lindsay Gunter of Camden after pictures were made of the honored couple cutting cake.

Mrs. Harry James (Pat) Beckham and Mrs. Robert L. (Joyce) Beckham kept the guests register.

Attending the gift table were Mrs. Roger (Earline) Fowler

of Winnsboro and Miss Mary Hopkins of Hopkins, S.C.

Goodbyes were said by Mr. and Mrs. Luther Gunter of Columbia and Mr. and Mrs. Flay Sisk of Winnsboro to the more than 150 guests who called during the appointed hours of three and five o'clock.

Mrs. Anderson is the daughter of the Rev. E.N. Gunter and the late Mrs. Annie Mae Stewart Gunter of Winnsboro.

The late Mr. Luther B. Anderson, Sr. and Mrs. Willie Enloe are parents of Mr. Anderson.

Out of town guests were from Columbia, Augusta, Georgia, Hopkins, South Congaree, Hartsville, and Camden, S.C.



## 50 years

On July 29, the children and <sup>1979</sup> grand children of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith honored them with a drop in at Stephen Green Baptist Church on their 50th wedding anniversary. Many came out to help them celebrate. They wish to thank everyone for the gifts they received.



**REV. AND MRS. MAYES**

## Rev. and Mrs. Mayes Honored On Their Fiftieth Anniversary

The Reverend and Mrs. Francis B. Mayes of Columbia celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on June 12th. Jackson Hall, First Presbyterian Church was the setting of the golden anniversary dinner in their honor on Friday evening.

Guests were welcomed by the host and hostesses, Reverend and Mrs. Francis B. Mayes, Jr. of Gastonia, Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Harden of Charlotte, and Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Strachan of Columbia. An appetizer was served as family and friends visited

and found their places at the long table surrounding the guests of honor. Matching compote arrangements of yellow roses and mums, yellow candles, a lovely tiered anniversary cake, place cards and imprinted napkins made for a festive setting.

Dr. Warren Wardlaw of Darlington returned thanks and Frank Mayes, associate pastor of First Presbyterian Church, Gastonia, made a toast to his parents. After dinner a poem was read by the Rev. Mayes which expressed his and Mrs. Mayes' sentiments and ap-

preciation for their years, family and friends. He also reflected on his visits to Chicora College to see Bessie Toomer, which led to their wedding in Beaufort in 1929. Mrs. Mayes then stood to add a few stories of her own. She wore a soft two-piece ensemble of ecru Qiana and gold lame. Her yellow rose corsage and Rev. Mayes' rose boutonniere were complements to their sparkle.

Others shared stories recalled from Rev. Mayes' service as associate pastor to Dr. James Jackson at First Presbyterian Church, Columbia.

Daughter Betty Mayes Harden introduced the grandchildren, John and David Mayes and Carol and Elizabeth Harden. The anniversary cake was served and the bride and groom of fifty years opened their gifts.

## Celebrate Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Ross celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on June 9, with a family get-together at their Pawley's Island home. At the same time, Mrs. Ross observed her sixty-fifth birthday.

The Rosses, who lived in Winnsboro from 1945 until 1962, have two sons, Donald L. Ross of Rock Hill, and W. T. Ross, Jr., of Winnsboro.