

# Sister Of Warrenton Man Named Virginia "Mother Of The Year"

A sister of a Warrenton man—A. S. Bugg—has been named Virginia's Mother of the Year.

The selection of Mrs. Clarence Meredith Evans of Forkville, Mecklenburg County, Va., as Virginia's 1963 Mother was announced Saturday by Mrs. Louis Silman of Waynesville, Va., state chairman of the Mother's Committee. Mrs. Evans was nominated by the South Hill Woman's Club.

Mrs. Evans, a 72-year-old widow, mother of three children and grandmother of six, was born in Warren County. She was graduated from Richmond High School and attended Farmville State Teachers Normal. She taught in Virginia public schools for five years, and has been active in youth work nearly all her life.

The former Saluda Bugg married Clarence Evans at Forkville, Va., on July 10, 1912, and the couple settled down in the small town where Evans, who died in 1962, was

agent and telegraph operator for the Seaboard Air Line Railroad.

The Evanses also operated a small country store for 45 years. "I ran the store while he ran the railroad," Mrs. Evans said with a laugh.

**Children Successful**  
Mrs. Evans' three children are all college graduates. The eldest, Clarence, Jr., is sales representative for the Blackstone Guano Co. in Forkville. He and his wife have one daughter.

The younger son, Dr. Blackwell Bugg Evans, also has one child. He specializes in urology at Charity Hospital in New Orleans.

The Evans' daughter, Mrs. R. Polk Gordon, Jr., lives in Richmond and has four children. She is married to the director of motor transportation division of the State Corporation Commission.

Mrs. Evans began PTA when her older son, who is now 47, had just started school. She was president of

the LaCrosse PTA and the Mecklenburg Council of PTAs and headed many state PTA committees.

Mrs. Evans was once vice president of the Cooperative Education Association.

She is a member of the board of directors of the Mecklenburg Scholarship Association and a member of Providence Methodist Church. She is also on the board of directors of Patrick Henry Boys Plantation at Brookneal. She calls this her "pet project."

Sponsored by the Alice Kyle district of the Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs, this home takes boys from unfortunate backgrounds and enables them to live a normal and happy life.

Mrs. Evans, who has kept in close touch with youth although her own children are grown, does not feel that youngsters of today are headed in the wrong direction. "I think they're a most wonderful group of people," Mrs. Evans said. "I think that people are eager to believe the bad about them rather than the good."

## ROGERS

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in names and data on both Rogers and Steve Clark, but only Rogers was chosen. He said this must be due to the large number of backs available, in view of Clark's outstanding record as a fullback.

## CROWN

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were by Myrels. In her brief acceptance speech, Mrs. Traylor said that she was very grateful for the honor bestowed upon her, and was even more grateful for the warm evidence of friendship shown to her by the people of Norlina and surrounding towns. She said that she felt that it was not so much attributes that she possesses that was responsible for her winning the title as it was the wonderful support given her candidacy by the Junior Woman's Club and other friends.

"I am deeply touched by the way you, my neighbors and friends, have honored me," Mrs. Traylor said. "I want you to know that anything that may happen to me in Miami will be anti-climatic."

And Sam Beard remarked, "Mrs. Traylor has graciously spoken of how we have honored her. I think and all here must realize that it is

Mrs. Traylor who has honored us."

A reception followed the coronation, when friends greeted Mrs. Traylor and her parents, and when punch and ham biscuits and other delicacies were served from a beautifully decorated table.

Music was furnished for the occasion by Woody Hayes' Orchestra with Honey Lucas as vocalist. A dance followed. Mr. and Mrs. Traylor, club officials and special guests were honored at a buffet supper at the Woman's Club-house prior to the coronation ceremonies.

Ushers for the coronation were Earl Stegall, James Overby, Earl Heathcock, Owen Robertson, Jr., Walter Hundley, and Gus Daeke, Jr.

## Peoples Funeral Held On Wednesday

Funeral services for Thomas Plummer Peoples, 87, who died at his home in Henderson on Tuesday morning, were held at Sulphur Springs Baptist Church at Elberon on Wednesday at 3 p. m. by the Rev. J. M. Long, pastor, assisted by the Rev. John R. Link of Warrenton. Burial was in the church cemetery. Mr. Peoples was born in Warren County on September 22, 1876, and was a life-long member of Sulphur Springs Baptist Church. A retired farmer, he had lived in Henderson for the past 16 years.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Eddie Rooker of Warrenton and Mrs. L. O. Short of Washington, N. C.; three sons, Bruce Peoples of Henderson, Kearney A. Peoples of Richmond, Va., and Furman A. Peoples of Graham; and one sister, Mrs. Lee Pendergrass of Henderson.

## Graveside Services Held For D. H. Parker

Graveside services for David Hendrix Parker, 72, who died at his home in New Smyrna Beach, Florida, Sunday, were held at Fairview Cemetery here at 11 a. m. Thursday. The Rev. Troy Barrett officiated.

Mr. Parker was born in Clinton and lived in Warrenton for a number of years before moving to Durham. A retired automobile salesman, he had been living in Florida for several years.

He is survived by his wife, the former Martha Bennett; two daughters, Mrs. L. D. Harmon of Plainview, N. J., and Mrs. A. R. Beckett of Westport, Conn.; three sons, Dr. M. V. Parker of Sanford, Fla., Dr. J. W. Parker of Long Island, N. Y., and D. T. Parker of Glenrock, N. J.;



FRED SCOTT

## Scott To Hold Littleton Revival

LITTLETON—Revival services will be conducted at the Littleton Baptist Church by the Rev. M. Fred Scott, Jr., a former pastor of the church, beginning Sunday morning, April 21, at 11 o'clock and continuing each night at 7:45 o'clock through Friday night, April 26.

Announcement of the revival was made on Monday by the Rev. Colie E. Rock, pastor of the Littleton church. Music for the week will be under the direction of Mrs. E. L. Crawley, church choir director. Miss Ruby Moore will be organist for the services. Congregational singing and special music will be a vital part of the service, Mr. Rock said.

Mr. Rock said that Mrs. Scott, wife of the visiting minister, will bring a special message in song on Friday night. Music and messages will be planned along a general theme for the week. The theme will be taken from

one brother, M. E. Parker of New Smyrna Beach, Fla.; six sisters, Mrs. J. W. Bennett of St. Petersburg, Fla., Mrs. James Turlington and Mrs. R. M. Crumpler, both of Salem, Mrs. C. R. Bridger of Bladenboro, Miss Wilkie Parker of Durham and Miss Lucille Parker of Buffalo, N. Y.; and 15 grandchildren.

## RIDGEWAY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Seaman and family of Litchfield, Maine, are visiting his mother, Mrs. J. C. Brauer, and other relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Bender and family of Roanoke Rapids were Sunday guests of Mrs. J. M. Bender.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris F. Holtzman, Jr., and son, Douglas, of Charlotte visited the Rev. and Mrs. M. E. Franke and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Holtzman, Sr., during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hecht and son, Michael, and Miss Karen and Carol Taylor of Cary were weekend guests of Mrs. Carl Hecht.

Misses Jean Holtzman and Gale Hall of Raleigh were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Holtzman.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Haun and family of Kittrell, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Funderburk and family of Raleigh, Mr. and Mrs. William Bender and family and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bender and family were Sunday guests of Mrs. George Bender in celebration of her birthday.

Mr. Johnnie Brauer of State College, Raleigh, is spending the spring holidays here with his mother, Mrs. Walter Brauer.

Mr. Mayland Duke Champion of Boston, Mass., and Mr. William Thomas Cham-

the Lord's Prayer: "Thy Kingdom Come, Thy Will Be Done," and the theme hymns will be "Speak to My Heart," and "All on the Altar."

Mr. Scott is presently pastor of the Longview Baptist Church in Raleigh, N. C. where he has served for six years. He has served Baptist pastorates in Littleton, Durham, Wake County, and Louisville, Ky. Mr. Scott is a native of Durham, N. C., a graduate of Wake Forest College and Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville, Kentucky. He is married to the former Dorothy Leigh Shelton of Durham and they are the parents of two sons, Danny 14, and Freddie 10.

panion of the U. S. Army, stationed in Germany, visited their grandmother, Mrs. Annie Duke Champion, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kimball during the weekend.

Mrs. R. V. Thomas of Vaughan spent Monday with Mrs. J. T. Champion and Mrs. W. A. Kimball.

Mrs. J. T. Champion spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. O. T. Buchanan and family in Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Holtzman, Sr., and Mesdames C. P. Holtzman, P. J. Bender, A. G. Bender and C. H. Mitchell visited Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Paschall, Sr., on Sunday night.

Mrs. Carrie Brauchle of Preston, Md., and Mrs. Albert Hecht and son, Michael, of Cary visited Mrs. C. F. Holtzman, Mrs. George Bender and Mr. and Mrs. Adam Seaman on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. William Holtzman and family of Winston-Salem and Mrs. Philena Redic of Richmond, Va., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Holtzman.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Capps and daughters, Nancy and Diane, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Moody in Portsmouth, Va.

Mrs. W. H. Daeke, Mrs. Joe Brown and Master Dale Stainback visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moorefield and Mr. and Mrs. James Tucker and family in Portsmouth, Va., on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Long and daughter of Auburn, Indiana, spent the weekend with the Rev. and Mrs. M. E. Franke.

Ladies Aid Society Meets  
The Ladies Aid Society of St. Paul's Lutheran Church held its regular meeting on Thursday night in the home of Mrs. Walter Brauer with Mrs. P. E. Brauer presiding. The Rev. M. E. Franke led in topic discussion.

During the social hour refreshments were served by Mrs. Brauer. The home was gay in spring flowers.

**Birthday Dinner**  
Mrs. George Bender was honored at a birthday dinner on Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bender. Others attending were Mr. Mrs. Richard Matthews of Henderson, Mrs. C. P. Holtzman, Miss Matilda Holtzman and Mr. Charles Stainback of Ridgeway and Misses Jean Holtzman and Gale Hall of Raleigh.

**Honored On Birthday**  
Mrs. Hal White, Jr., of Wise was entertained on Tuesday night in honor of her birthday when cake, ice cream and Cokes were enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Hal White, Sr., and son, Travis, of Wise, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Holtzman, Sr., of Manson, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Holtzman, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Holtzman and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers Holtzman and sons and Mr. White and children.

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