Waterworks Operation Is Familiar Ground For H. E. Williams

Promotion of Safety Director H. E. Williams to head the Central Filter plant in addition to his other responsibilities places him on familiar ground. His first position with the Company 22 years ago was as filter operator at the Leaks-ville mills. He has been in indirect contract with waterworks operations through the years and since his election as a town commissioner he has been assigned responsibility for the city waterworks as well as serving on the public works committee.

He graduated from North Carolina State College as a chemical engineer in 1932 and immediately joined Fieldcrest Mills as filter plant operator at the Leaksville mills. He later moved to the Woolen mill as supervisor of preparatory processes. In 1936 he became safety inspector in the Engineering Dept., subsequently assuming other engineering duties in addition to painting, building maintenance and related work.

Becomes Safety Director

In 1947, he was promoted to safety director, reporting to Macon P. Miller, director of industrial and public relations, with additional responsibility for



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village work, floor scrubbers, window washers and yard crews.

Mr. Williams has long been active in various civic affairs. He has been a member of Leaksville Fire Dept. for over 20 years and served as secretary for over 10 years. He has worked closely with the Spray Fire Dept. and with the Draper Fire Dept. on cooperative programs and is secretary of the Rock-

Legion Makes Citizenship Awards



American Legion citizenship awards, to a boy and a girl from each of the sixth grades in Leaksville, Spray and Draper were presented at the close of school. Each student received a medal and certificate signifying the award based on honor, courage, scholarship and leadership.

J. O. Thomas is chairman of the school awards committee for James Hudnall Post No. 119 of which J. Floyd Osborne is commander. Leaksville-Spray awards were presented at the various schools by C. C. Campbell, Bennet Nooe, Henry Rahn, Jr., Clayton White, James Fair and Ben Dunton, members of James Hudnall Post No. 119.

The awards to Draper students were made by Atkins-Chambers Post No. 254 of the American Legion, commanded by Julian Slaydon. Presentations were made at the school by B. F. Wade, Jr. a member of the Draper Legion Post.

Rules for the competition were publicized at the beginning of the school

ingham County Fire Protection organization

Well-known in the safety field, he is a past chairman of the textile section of the National Safety Council and is currently on the executive committee. He is a member of the Safety Advisory Board of the North Carolina Dept. of Labor.

term and all sixth grade students had an opportunity to compete. Several of the awards went to sons and daughters of Fieldcrest employees.

Awards winners top row, left to right. Burton Grove, Larry Benson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Benson, and Perguson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Perguson; Draper, Clarence more, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence more, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Overby.

Middle row: Lakeside, Calvin Pulliam, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Pulliam, and Joyce Ann Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Young; Leaksville, Daphne Fair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Fair, and Arthur Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Martin.

Bottom Row, North Spray, Romle Higgs, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Warren, and Judy Stovall, daughter of Warren, and Mrs. Tom Stovall; Ronnie Meeks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Meeks, and Donna Smith daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman J. Smith.

Recipients of the awards at Douglas school were Ronald Brown, son of Joyce and Mrs. Joseph Brown, and James Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Smith. Photographs of the Douglas winners were requested but had not been received at presstime.