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\$405.00 IS AWARDED WORKERS IN MILLS IN ANNUAL CONTEST

F. C. Williams **Announces The** Year's Winners

Announcement is made this week of the winners in the annual Garden Contest sponsored by F. C. Williams, Vice-President and General Manager of Roanoke and Patterson Mills Companies, and recipients of the various awards totaling more than \$400 will be made within the next few days.

As usual interest ran high in the annual contests in the three mill villages this year as residents of the villages exerted themselves to improve the general appearance of their yards, flower and vegetable gardens. Judges reported a decided improvement in the number and sizes of the gardens, due to interest having been stimulated in the Victory Garden program earlier in the

Awarding of cash prizes for winners in the flower and vegetable garden contests and in the general improvement of yards and premises was started here more than six years ago by Mr. Williams and has since drawn a record number of entries each year. M or e people participated in the vegetable garden phase of the contest this year than ever before, Mr. Williams reported.

A total of \$405 in cash awards is being distributed among 63 employees of the mills by Mr. Williams. The same amount of money was awarded last year, and was distributed among the same number of employees. This year the award schedule was revised so as to constitute 63 prizes, divided follows: as follows: a first prize of \$15.00; fourth prize, \$5.00, fifth prize \$4.00, sixth prize \$3.00, and sevclassifications, for flowers, gengardens. This same schedule of three mill villages, Roanoke No. 1, Bernice Hovis, 749 Charlotte. Roanoke No. 2 and Patterson.

Winners of the awards for Roanoke Village No. 1 were as fol-

Flowers-First, H. T. Woodruff, 107 Monroe street; second, Alice Cole. 109 Monroe street; third, Floyd Emery, 122 Monroe; fourth, W. D. Cutler, 124 Monroe street; fifth, Paul Aycock, 209 Monroe street; sixth, T. H. Hargrove, 207-B Monroe street; and seventh, L. R. Copeland, 102 Monroe street.

General Appearance-First, J. L. Hutchinson, 119 Madison street; second, W. R. Teele, 120 Madison street; third, Grady Hawkins, 110 Monroe street; fourth, G. E. Vaughan, 105 Monroe street; fifth, J. B. Robbins, 85 Jackson street; sixth, R. M. Smith, 96 Madison street; and seventh, Alice S. Bell, 87 Jackson street.

Vegetable Gardens-First, G. E. Buckner, 118 Madison street; second, J. B. Edmonds, 123 Madison street; third, Hector M. Black, 116 Madison street; fourth, W. J. Chambliss, 113 Madison street;

fifth, Mary Holloman, 221 Henry street; sixth, Mary Moore, 211 Henry street; and seventh, J. B. Ogburn, 122 Madison street.

Serving on the judging committee for the Roanoke No. 1 Village were the following ladies: Mrs. L. W. Clements, Mrs. W. L. Medlin and Mrs. A. E. Akers.

Winners of the awards for the Roanoke No. 2 Village were:

General Appearance-First, Rupert Ferrell, 212 Madison street; second, R. B. Rogers, 321 Madison street; third, Mrs. W. L. Clements, 214 Madison street; Lewis Jenkins, 213 Monroe street; fifth, Mrs. Arline Poindexter, 425 Madison street; sixth, Will G. Matthews, 402 Madison street; and seventh, Marvin H. Bryant, 212-A Monroe street.

Flowers-First, Cynthia Lee, 311 Madison street; second, B. R. Hux, 317 Madison street; third, I. A. Phelps, 321 Henry street; fourth, T. M. Lynch, 406 Monroe street; street; sixth, Jessie Padgett, 321 Henry street; and seventh, Robert as an immigrant lad. R. Wilkerson, 403 Monroe street.

Vegetable Gardens-First, M. B. Singletary, 322 Madison street; second, Jessie C. Jenkins, 208 Madison street; third, J. E. Sulfifth, Carston Joyner, 401 Mon- help pay back the loan. roe street; sixth, Lewis B. Doyle, 226 Madison street; and seventh, Henry C. Cashwell, 402 Monroe street.

Committee for the Roanoke No. 2 Village was composed of the following: Mrs. L. W. Clements, Mrs. W. L. Medlin and Mrs. A. E. Akers.

Winners of the awards for the Patterson Mill Village were as

Flowers—First, Mrs. Minnie Harsecond \$10.00, third prize \$6.00; per, 728-B Jefferson; second, Mrs. Sallie Hunnings, 613 Washington; \$4.00, sixth prize \$3.00, and seventh prize \$2.00, in each of three Jefferson; fourth, Mrs. M. W. Black, 763 Williams; fifth, Mrs. eral appearance and vegetable Beula Roundtree, 724-A Jefferson; gardens. This same schedule of sixth, Mrs. Lydia Hopkins, 609 awards were made in each of the Washington; and seventh, Mrs.

Fanny Keeter, 737 Jefferson; second, Mrs. A. W. Wright, 735-B that of First Lieutenant.

Jefferson; third, W. A. Reaves, 775 Williams; fourth, Mrs. Alex Bullock, 758 Charlotte; fifth, Mrs. Lloyd Haggins, 760-B Charlotte; sixth, Mrs. Theodore Briggs, 640 Jefferson street; and seventh, Mrs. Cora Wilson, 756-B Charlotte street.

Vegetable Gardens-First, Nelson I. Pruden, 721 Jefferson; second, William Fanney, 727-B Jefferson; third, Mrs. W. J. Allen, 722 Jefferson; fourth, Mr. E. B. Haskins, 744-B Charlotte street; fifth, Mrs. A. W. Shaw, 663 Williams street; sixth, John W. Hamby, 714 Washington; and seventh, J. H. Spivy, 606 Washington street.

Judges for the Patterson Mill Village were as follows: Mrs. G. S. Bunn, Mrs. Geo. F. Pappendick and Mrs. J. R. Meikle.

John Carras Is Speaker Here At **Rotary Meeting**

Members of the Roanoke Rapids Rotary Club, meeting in John Carras' Blue Room in Rosemary Cafe on Tuesday, heard the wellknown local restaurant proprietor tell of some of his experiences in his native Greece, which he left fifth, G. C. Gums, 211 Madison as a lad of 16, and of some of his trials and struggles in a new land

Mr. Carras related to the club members that his father borrowed money from a "land shark" with which to send his son to America, and that he, himself, worked for livan, 301 Madison street; fourth, \$2 per week here in America and E. B. Price, 318 Monroe street; sent part of his earnings home to

His story of his experiences in the old country and in America caught the interests of the club members.

President L. G. Harrison read a letter from Chairman F. C. Williams, in which the USO chairman thanked the members of the Rotary Club for their contributions to the USO campaign here recently.

Eugene B. Cannon Is Made Captain In Medical Corps

Word has been received locally of the promotion of Eugene B. Cannon to the rank of Captain in General Appearance-First, Mrs. the Medical Corps of the U.S. Army. His former rating was



Dr. Cannon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Cannon, of this city, and was born and raised in Roanoke Rapids. He entered the army about a year ago and has been stationed with the Port of Embarkation at New Orleans since entering the service. He received his medical training at Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Holloway. Tennessee.

Miss Frances McClure of Burlington was a visitor in town Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Bynum of Harriman, Tenn., were the guests of Mrs. M. R. Vick last week.

Bobby Leatherwood of Petersburg, Va., spent the week-end with



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