

Friday's canning demonstration will be the last to be conducted in the city under the present program, and all housewives who may be able to can or preserve some fruits and vegetables this year are urged to attend the meeting. The program starts at 10 o'clock, and lasts until four p. m. There is no charge, or obligation for attending the meeting, and it is open to the general public, regardless of where they live.

ceived this week from the War Actual demonstrations at the classes are conducted Myra Scull, district supervisor of the Farm Security Administration, with headquarters in Windsor, assisted by Mrs. Irene Clark, home supervisor of the Farm Security Adminstration, whose headquarters are in Weldon.

Rightmyer, Sr., 1023 Roanoke Avenue, graduated recently from the to perfect his plea. The solicitor Naval Air Training Center, Corpus Christi, and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve.

stayed. His case will probably reviewed by the September term of the Supreme Court. Marine Corps Reserve. Lt. Rightmyer, former student of North Carolina State College vol-unteered for flight instruction at the Olathe, Kansas, Naval Air Station.

F. C. Williams **Appointed To**

tory. They were taught by Miss Cornelia Clark, First Aid Instructor. In presenting the certificates

Crumpler expressed appreciation of the Chapter for the splendid work (Continued On Back Page)





PVT. EDW. L. DANIEL

ment according to information re-

nire from Halifax County was summoned. The jury was selected by noon Tuesday, and actual testhony started that afternoon, requiring until late yesterday afternoon to finish. Lawyers addressed the jury last night, and Judge Parker consumed one-hour and 45-minutes in making his marge this morning. The jury was out only 30 minutes.

was given an additional 45-days

in which to answer, thus the

Negro's execution is automatically

The trial of the colored man,

who had confessed to robbing

a city jewelry store here last year,

was scheduled to get under way

honday. It was claimed that sen-

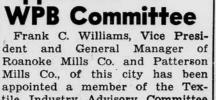
timent against him was strong in

Warren County, and a special ve-

Additional details of the crime will be found on page 5-Section B, this issue.

City Officer In Hospital Here; is Better Today

W. M. Erwin, city policeman since 1936, was stricken with a heart attack about 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, and was taken to Franoke Rapids Hospital where his condition was reported as improved today. Attending physicians stated that although he was seriously ill, he has a good chance was formed, and representatives baby. for recovery unless unforseen comrelations occur. He worked as city homes Monday. usual Monday night, before the Miss Minnie Johnse attack Tuesday morning. During ident and chairman of the drive, city bus, which she declared he his absence the North ward night reports that the club had great thoroughly enjoyed riding. This beat is being policed by Troy Holloman, regular officer for that total of about 600 lbs. were col- sing for this length of time, stion.



tile Industry Advisory Committee of the War Production Board.

Mr. Williams attended a meeting of the Committee in Washington last week and is expected to be called to Washington about once a month.

OLD CLOTHES DRIVE HERE IS SUCCESS

The Business and Professional Women's Club sponsored a drive for the past week to collect old clothes for Russian War Relief. fied child and had gone to the A special committee from the club

sent to call for the clothes in Miss Minnie Johnson, club pres-

success in reaching it's goal. A lected.

3-Year Old Disappears From His Home; Gone For About 1¹/₂-Hours

The three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Stokes, 739-B Jefferson Street, strolled from his home shortly before noon today, creating quite a sensation in his household when he was missed, and in the city police department when he was found by city officer Jack Brigman.

The boy was picked up by Officer Brigman at an uptown service station about noon-time, after he had fallen and hurt his knee slightly. The officer took the boy to his home, and started searching for his parents. A "tip" from a grocery store

clerk led to the youth's identity. Brigman called at the home of

the boy, and in the meantime the frantic mother had heard city police had picked up an unidentimunicipal building to claim her

The little boy frequently wandered away from his home, she said, oftentimes getting on the is the first time he has been misthough, she said.

Department by his wife, Mrs. Helen V. Daniel, 403 Madison St.

The Adjutant General's office was unable to tell Mrs. Daniel in what prison camp her husband was located. He was reported missing after action on Feb. 14th and word was first received here on March 5th. His last letter was received by his wife on Jan. 26th. Private Daniel was an employee of Roanoke Mills Co. No. 2 until he entered the army in December 1941. His wife, the former Miss Helen Messer, lives with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Messer. His mother, Mrs. Peter Daniel, resides at 758 Charlotte St. Mrs. Luther Clary of Roanoke Rapids and Mrs. D. C. Clark of Durham are sisters and Clyde, Rufus and Arthur Lee of Roanoke Rapids and Sanford of Lawrenceville are brothers.

Rufus Britton Is New Night Desk Sergeant, **Police Station Here**

Rufus Britton, former city fireman, has been appointed new night desk sergeant at the municipal building here to handle incoming police and fire calls. He succeeds A. E. Stowe, who resigned the ported many constructive sugposition last week to go to work for Hugh Camp, former city resi- ning are being passed along to dent, at Franklin, Va.

On this morning's program at the mill cannery, Gordon Berkstresser, chairman of the Citizens Service Corps of Civilian Defense, opened the meeting with a few introductory remarks. He was followed by Frank C. Williams, Vice president and general manager of Roanoke Mills Company, who welcomed the ladies to the cannery. Then Alfred Terrell of New York City, president of Roanoke Mills Company, spoke to the ladies, complimenting them on their past efforts, and for their interest shown in attending the canning classes today.

Mrs. Evelyn Sandlin, head of the home economics department of the high school here then introduced Mrs. Scull and Mrs. Clark, who proceeded with the demonstrations.

The same programs of demonstrations will be conducted at the Armory tomorrow, and it is regestions and helpful hints on canthe ladies at these meetings.