

RITCHIE ORDERS MOB MEMBERS' ARREST; LEE TRIAL DEFERRED



W. PRESTON LANE

DEMANDS PROSECUTION OF SALISBURY LYNCHERS

Governor Declares State Will Back Every Effort
To Punish Citizens Who Hanged
Matthew Williams

APPEALS COURT TO REVIEW ORPHAN JONES PROCEDURE

Circuit Judges Send Higher Tribunal Ades' Plea For
Change Of Venue To Baltimore—Negro
Promised Protection

Governor Ritchie last night ordered W. Preston Lane, Jr., Attorney-General of Maryland, to assist Wicomico county authorities in the apprehension and "vigorous prosecution" of members of the mob that less than twenty-four hours before lynched and burned a wounded Negro murderer, Matthew Williams, at Salisbury.

At the same time the Governor announced that if Yuel Lee, the Negro accused of the murder of a family of four at Taylorsville, is tried in Dorchester county, he will see that the Negro and his attorney, Bernard Ades, of Baltimore, are protected. He said he would provide protection for them whether or not the county authorities request it.

LEE CASE TO APPEALS COURT