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### Juniper Community Wins First Place in '61 Moore County Development Contest

By F. D. ALLEN  
County Agricultural Agent  
Juniper Community is first place winner in the Community Development Contest in Moore County for 1961.

T. L. Baughn, Route 1, Carthage, is president and Mrs. Archie Seawell, Route 1, Carthage, is secretary-treasurer for this group. One of the reasons this community was selected was because of improvement of its churches which include Doubts Chapel, Bethlehem, Fairview and Culdee.

Doubts Chapel built a new Fellowship Hall and made major improvements to its entire church. Bethlehem has begun the construction of a new educational building. The basement has been completed up to the first floor. Materials are on the ground for the completion of the walls.

Fairview has built a new brick church building and is beginning services in it this year. This is a recently organized new church.

Culdee Church has begun construction of a new church sanctuary and Sunday School classrooms, to replace its present building.

Members of each of these churches live in the Juniper Community and are participating in these church improvement projects. This has been the major project in Juniper Community this year but many other things have been done.

A community building is under construction for use of the Juniper Grange and a place to hold youth meetings and community activities of all kinds. Community projects have been planned and carried out by Mrs. Earl Dowd, chairman of community

activities, throughout the year. Meetings are held on the second Tuesday night of each month with well planned programs of interest to everyone.

#### Lamm's Grove Second

Lamm's Grove community is the second place winner in the Community Development Program. Their special community projects were mail box improvement, home improvement and beautification and increasing income projects. A soil sampling program was carried out with soil samples taken from many fields in the community to determine how much fertilizer to use on different crops for most efficient crop production. A corn production contest was held to help increase corn yields. Winners in the corn contest were: Allen Denny, first place with 102 bushels of corn per acre; and Melvin Thomas and Henry Marsh who both had 96 bushels per acre, as second place winners.

Mrs. Allen Denny is president and Mrs. Merla Gaines is secretary-treasurer of the Lamm's Grove Community. This group meets on the 4th Tuesday night of each month.

#### Greenwood Third

Greenwood is third place winner in the Rural Community Development Contest. Boyd Marsh is president of this group, with Mrs. Boyd Marsh as secretary-treasurer.

This group already had a community building partially completed at the beginning of this year and was holding its meetings in the basement of the building. They have added a stove and refrigerator to their building and raised money to pay off all bills to the present time. They are going

to floor the ground floor as soon as possible, as it now has just a sub-floor, so meetings can be held in the main floor. This group has constructed a community dump and has worked on improving churches and church grounds, and has followed improved practices to increase their income. Several members have improved their homes and added new equipment.

The Carthage Production Credit Association has given \$50 to the Rural Community Development Program for prizes this year. First prize of \$25 goes to Juniper Community; second prize of \$15 goes to Lamm's Grove Commu-

ity; and third prize of \$10 goes to Greenwood Community.

Any community that would like to enter the Community Development Contest may do so by

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## WEST END NEWS

BY SALLY AUMAN

### Fine Arts Chairman

Mrs. M. C. McDonald, Jr. was installed as chairman of the Fine Arts Department for District 9 of the Federated Woman's Clubs at the annual meeting in Dunn on Thursday. Also attending the meeting from the Woman's Club was Mrs. William Jackson.

### Woman's Club Met

The Woman's Club met Thursday evening at the Presbyterian Church and a Thanksgiving program in music was presented by Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Jr. and Mrs. George Houck. Taking parts were daughters of club members. The soloists were Janet Markham, Libba Johnson, Joanne Sutphin and Laura Auman; accompanying them on the flute was Jane Jackson; clarinet, Sharon Richardson and saxophone, Becky Markham. Mrs. J. C. Underwood was welcomed into club membership and Mrs. William Jackson reported on the District meeting at which the local club received a certificate of honor. Mrs. Elvin Jackson of Carthage was a special guest and Miss Tressie Auman was hostess to a social hour following the meeting.

### Faculty Honored

The Sandspur Club honored the school faculty at a coffee afternoon in the school cafeteria. In behalf of the club, Mrs. Everette Cole gave a tribute to the teachers over the inter-com and extended the surprise invitation which was timed with National Education Week. Mrs. Cole was assisted by Mrs. Bobby VonCanon and Mrs. Tommy McNeill in serving the teachers coffee; ham biscuit, party sandwiches and cookies.

### Sandspur Club

Mrs. Cole and Mrs. Paul VonCanon attended the meeting of District 9 in Dunn on Thursday at which time Mrs. Everette Cole was recognized as Home Life Division chairman for the District and Mrs. VonCanon reported for the Sandspur Club which won second place for its yearbook in its division based on membership. The Club also received an honor certificate for a 100% club.

The Sandspur Club had a dinner meeting at Samarcand Manor on Thursday evening with Miss Reva Mitchell, superintendent, presenting a program by the girls at the school in music and talks on their life at the manor. Mrs. Roy Carter was in charge of arrangements and she presented, in behalf of the Manor, door prizes of handwoven place mats and tea towels to Mrs. Jim Prim, who was a special guest. Mrs. Allan McDonald, Mrs. Leonard VonCanon, Mrs. James Rector, Mrs. Paul Tart and Mrs. Francis Currie, Jr., Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Leslie Gordon and Allan McDonald were appointed to represent the club at the Lion's Club dinner on next Thursday evening. Mrs. Nelson Blue, a special guest at the dinner, was also welcomed into the club membership.

### Thanksgiving Service

The annual Community Thanksgiving Service will be held in the Presbyterian Church, November 23 at 9:30 a.m., with the Rev. Aaron Tyson bringing the message.

### WCS Circles Meet

The Circles of the WCS met Monday evening with each having a program on "The Household of God." The Minnie Morris Circle met with Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Jr. Mrs. Aaron Tyson gave the worship service and Mrs. Decatur Richardson had the program assisted by Mrs. D. D. Richardson and Mrs. E. L. Tart. The Margaret Brown Circle met at the Youth Building with Mrs. Reid Furr as hostess. Miss Alberta Monroe had

### Attend District Meet

Misses Bert McCrummen and Treva Auman attended a district meeting of the Presbytery Church Women at Smyrna Church near Laurinburg Thursday evening. Miss McCrummen is the Presbytery's chairman of the constitution and by-laws committee.

### Presbyterian Circles

Presbyterian Church Circles met Monday evening with each having a Bible study, "Looking into a Mirror," from the book of James and the program was on Stewardship. Circle 1 met with Mrs. M. C. McDonald with Mrs. Edward Dunn, presiding. Miss Grace Donaldson gave the Bible study and Mrs. Glenn Lewis had the program. Mrs. Tommy McNeill was hostess to Circle 11 Mrs. Robert Clark had the program and Mrs. Lillian McDonald gave the Bible study. Circle III met with Mrs. Dorothy Black. Mrs. North had the program and Mrs. Clyde Auman gave the Bible study.

### At Artillery School

Joe Eifort, Lt. United States Army, reported for Field Artillery School at Fort Sill, Okla. this week. Mrs. Ray Harris and Lynn of Charlotte spent several days last week with the Eiforts. The worship and Mrs. Lee Sutphin gave the program. This circle served refreshments for the Children's Missionary Society which met at the church on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Tarrell Graham and Mrs. Lynn McInnis serving as directors.

### Former Roommate Dies

Paul VonCanon recalls that E. Sigurd Johnson, professor of furniture manufacturing at N. C. State College, who lost his life in an airplane last week in the Western part of the state, was a roommate of his brother, Fred's when they were students at Trinity, now Duke University. It is unusual for former roommates to make such a vital contribution to the Furniture Industry of North Carolina. Fred maintains an interest in the Sandhill Furniture Corporation in addition to the Sanford Furniture Company, he is presently serving as president of the Duke University Alumni Association.

### Briefs

Mrs. Fred Monroe spent several days in Raleigh last week. Mrs. R. B. Donaldson is home after being hospitalized last week at Moore Memorial. Mrs. Jim Prim, with "Kim" of Hampton, Va., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Fletcher while Jim is on a mission for the government to California. Angelina VanCanon was home last weekend from Brevard College.

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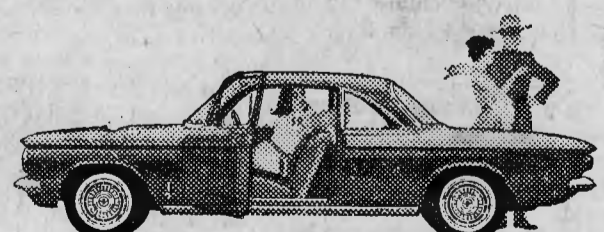
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