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Clarence Jenkins

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# *Fredonia first place winner in community improvement*

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Fredonia community of Chambers County took first place honors at Troy today in community improvement competition for Southeast Alabama.

J. W. Taylor, club president, accepted a \$300 award by Liberty National Life Insurance Co. during the district awards luncheon.

**RUNNERS-UP WERE** Antioch in Covington County, for economic development; Beaulah-Union in Tallapoosa County for home improvement, and Echo in Dale County for community improvement. These communities received \$100 cash awards.

The awards program, attended by 150 rural leaders, and the Resource and Leadership Development program, sponsored by the Extension Service of Auburn University, Liberty National Life Insurance Co. and the State Chamber of Commerce.

In another major part of the RLD program, Lee County extension council won \$300 for excellence in county economic development. Second place, \$200, went to Elmore County extension council, Coffee County won \$100.

**IN A SIMILAR** awards program at the Thomas-Jefferson Hotel in Birmingham Wednesday, McShan community of Pickens County took first place. Clarence Junkins accepted the check.

Runners-up at Birmingham, for Central Alabama communities, were Ralph of Tuscaloosa County for economic development; Woodland of Randolph County for home improvement, and Delta of Clay County for community improvement.

Chilton County extension council won the \$300 for excellence in county economic development; second place of \$200 went to Shelby County extension council, and Talladega County won the \$100 third prize.

Gerow Hodges of Birmingham, vice president of Liberty National, spoke at the Troy meeting. Joseph M. Farley, president of Alabama Power Co., spoke at the Birmingham gathering.



**PICKENS COUNTY COMMUNITY FIRST IN IMPROVEMENT**  
... Cooper Green, right, presents award to Clarence Junkins



**CHILTON COUNTY COUNCIL WINS IN ECONOMICS**  
... Auburn's Ralph Jones, left, presents award to Wallace



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### SUBJECT

get pics of leaders of the McShan  
Community in Pickens County getting  
award for community improvement.  
Also need shot of Chilton County  
reps. getting award.

### ADDRESS

Thomas Jefferson Hotel, where look on  
bulletin board for meeting of resource  
and ~~church~~ leadership development. ~~man~~

### REMARKS

Jack Smith of Auburn probably will come up  
and offer to help set up pics.

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