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Home Loans

The dream of home ownership can become a reality for low income rural families through federal interest supplement allowances on home mortgages, according to Claude Moore the Farmers Home Administration supervisor in Donley County.

Moore said the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, recently signed into law by President Johnson, makes it possible for the federal government to apply an interest supplement payment to rural housing loans made to low-income families that will lower the cost of buying a house.

Interest supplements on rural homes will be administered through the Farmers Home Administration an agency of the U S Department of Agriculture

In Donley County, applications for rural housing loans are being accepted at the Farmers Home Administration office in the Agriculture Building in Clarendon

Under the interest supplement plan, Moore explained, families earning as little as \$3,000 annually could possibly qualify for as much as an \$8,000 loan to buy a site and construct a house.

The new program allows for interest supplements to reduce the rate of interest on monthly notes to as low as 1 percent

"This program will enable a great many otherwise unqualified low-income families to become homeowners," Moore said "The interest supplement is a strong effort to put adequate and decent housing within the reach of low-income families by substantially reducing their monthly loan payments"

A. S. C. News

Cotton Referendum

Ballots and instructions for voting in the referendum will be mailed on Nov. 29 to eligible voters Don't fail to vote. Ballots will be counted publicly on Dec. 11, 1968, at 8:00 a. m here at the county office. Everyone is invited to witness the vote tabulation.

This office will be closed Thursday, Nov 28, in observance of Thanksgiving Day

Mr and Mrs. Dale Guthrie of Sweetwater were Hedley visitors over the week end.

Gifts Needed

Christmas gifts are being requested for patients in the Wichita Falls State Hospital. It is desired to obtain over 5,000 gifts so that each patient may have 3 gifts for Christmas. There are about 875 men and 875 women in the hospital

Gifts or donations may be addressed to Volunteer Services Council, Wichita Falls State Hospital, Box 300, Wichita Falls, Texas 76307

Gift requested by women include dresses, hose, garters, lotions, dusting powder, costume jewelry, cosmetics, underwear, and many similar items. Gifts for men include cigars, toilet articles shirts, socks, billfolds, ties, belts, gloves, underwear, etc

Both men and women could use ash trays, instant coffee and tea deodorants, house shoes, sweaters, ballpoint pens, stationery, etc



LIONS ROAR

No Lions meeting Thursday night. Being Thanksgiving and some working and others to be gone, it was decided to just skip this meeting This has been the custom the last several years.

Considering so many Lions working late and other things our last meeting was fairly well attended Anyway there was an abundance of good food. The report on the muscular dystrophy drive was that it netted nearly \$30 00

The next regular meeting of the club will be Thursday night, Dec 12th. A good program and a good supper are promised. Eating time is 7 p m.

This will be the last meeting before Christmas The Christmas theme will be carried out. It is time to think about decorating for Christmas A good project for the Lions is to offer prizes for the best decorated homes and mercantiles

Misses Ellen Faye and Millie Land attended the presentation of 'Show Boat' in Pampa last Saturday night All three of the sons of Mr and Mrs Zeb Land were in the a capella choir for the affair.

Mrs. E. O. Keeton of Weatherford visited here last week end on her way to Dumas.

Community Thanksgiving Service

A Community Thanksgiving Service will be held in the First Baptist Church this year. The service will be at 7:00 p. m. on Wednesday, Nov. 27th. Guest speaker for the annual service will be Rev. Johnny Hoggatt. Jon Leggitt will lead the congregational singing Following the service will be a period of fellowship with pie and coffee and punch being served by the host church

All the families of our community and their visitors are cordially invited to the Thanksgiving Service.

Cotton Report

Cotton harvest in the Greenbelt area got underway again this week after two delays due to weather. 'Cotton got dry enough by last Wednesday, strippers began running again and our receipts really started picking up,' said Wiley E. Cain, Memphis Cotton Classing Office.

The Memphis Cotton Classing Office, U S D A, Consumer & Marketing Service has classed 19,957 samples to date this season At this time last year the office had classed over 44,000 samples

"We are off to a slow start this season. However, barring any more bad weather, we will soon equal last year's total and, hopefully, exceed it" said Cain

This past week 30 percent of the cotton classed white and 68 percent was in the light spot grades.

Garden Club

The Garden Club will meet for its Christmas party on Dec. 3 at 7:00 p. m. Each member may invite a guest and bring a gift for the guest and for exchange.

The social committee is in charge. This committee includes Lola Jewell, Mable Jones, Leone Taylor and Ethel Grimsley.

Club members are hostesses, each to bring a covered dish.

Reporter

Card of Thanks

I wish to express my sincere thanks to all my friends and neighbors for your cards, prayers, flowers and visits while I was in the hospital.

Jack Brumley

Ex-Student Banquet

The Hedley ex-student banquet will be held this year on Saturday, Nov 30, at 8:00 o'clock, in the school cafeteria.

A good program and a delicious meal are being planned.

Youth Rally

A good crowd attended the youth rally at the First Baptist Church here last Saturday evening and enjoyed the film, Misfit.

Young people were present from Memphis, Clarendon, Brice, Turkey and Hedley.

School Holiday

Nov. 28 and 29 will be school holidays for Thanksgiving. School will dismiss at 2:00 on the 27th.

L. V. N. School Starting Jan. 20

The Hall County Hospital at Memphis will start a new Licensed Vocational Nursing class January 20. Please apply in person at Hall County Hospital, Memphis, Texas.

Social Security News

A representative of the Social Security Administration will be at the courthouse in Clarendon on Thursdays, Dec. 5 and 19, from 9:00 to 12:00

He will also be at the American Legion Hall in Memphis on Wednesdays, Dec. 4, 11 and 18, from 8:30 to 11:30.

He will be available to help on all matters relating to Social Security.

Mr and Mrs. Clifford Johnson spent last week end with the T. R. Easterling family in Vernon.

Jack Brumley came home from the Memphis hospital last week. He went to Dallas for treatment Thursday, then returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Weatherly were here last week end from Colorado Springs. Gary received his discharge from the Army last week end.

Miss Jessie Davis was in a Memphis hospital last week.

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Dec 2, Quail there
 Dec 5, 6, 7 Alameda tournament
 Dec 9, Estelline here
 Dec 16, Lakeview there
 Jan 6, Samnorwood there
 Jan 9, 10, 11, Hedley tournament.
 Jan 13, Claude there
 Jan 16, Lela here
 Jan 20, Quail here
 Jan 27, Estelline there
 Feb 10, Memphis there

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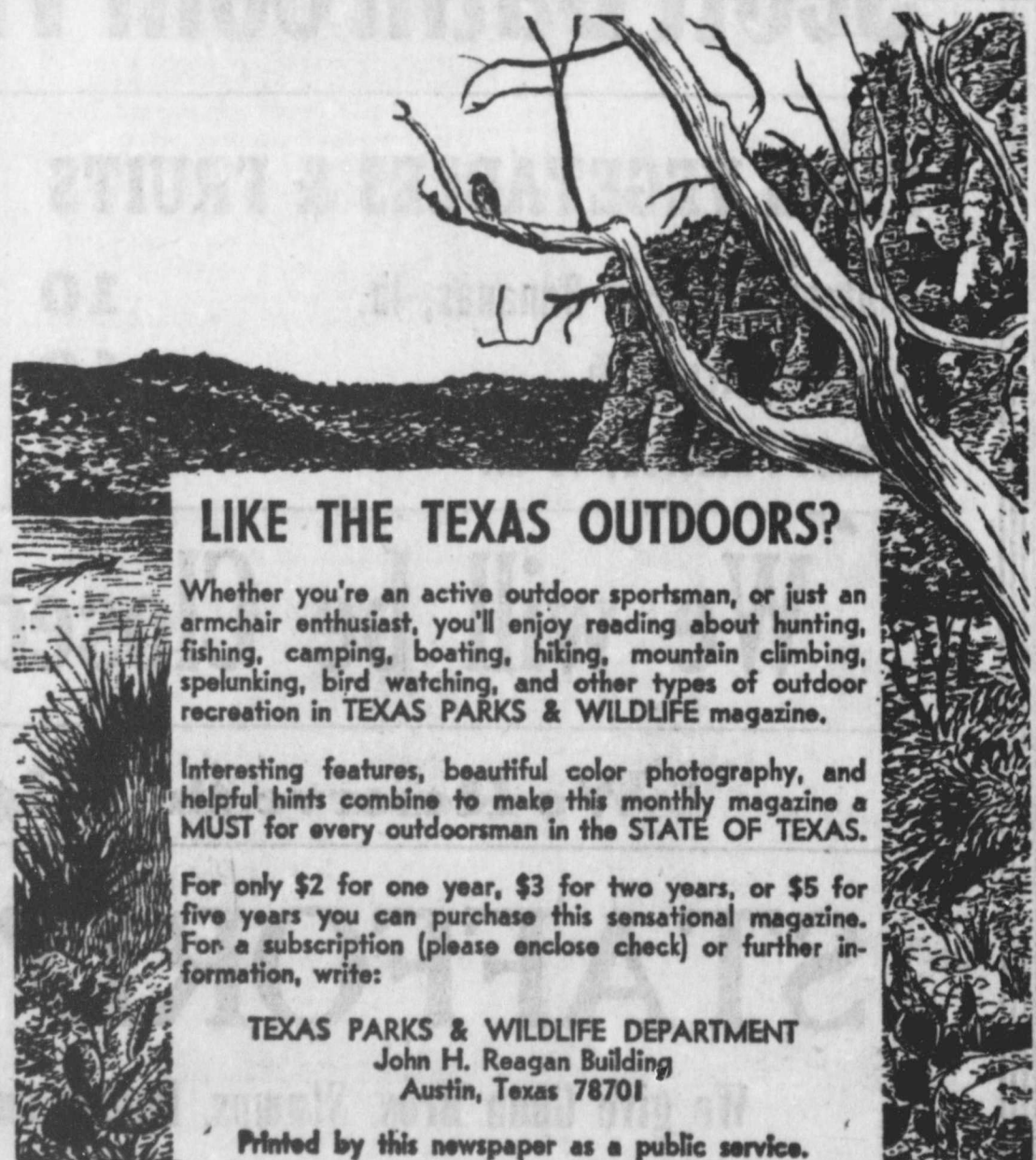
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Money from the campaign, said Dr James P Cornette, will provide programs in TB case finding and health education throughout the 26 counties in the Panhandle area.

Too many people think TB is whipped, the president of West Texas State University declared. As a matter of fact, there is a large and unrecognized TB problem in Texas. We had 3,209 new cases reported in 1967, plus 499 relapses.

Contributions should be sent to the Top of Texas TB Assn., 514 E 9th St., Amarillo

A. S. C. News

Transfer of 1969 Cotton Allotments

The final date to file an application for the transfer of 1969 cotton allotments is Dec. 31, 1968. A cotton producer may transfer his allotment by sale or lease within the county. Transfer by sale or lease may be made from farms in

other counties to Donley County, or transferred by a farm owner to another farm owned or controlled by him within the State. Transfers by sale or lease may not be made out of Donley County.

1969 Cotton Marketing Quota Referendum

The referendum will be held during the period Dec 2 through Dec 6. Voting will be by mail and ballots and instructions will be mailed to each known eligible voter prior to Dec 2. Notices of allotments and yields will also be mailed to all producers prior to the referendum.

If quotas are approved by at least two thirds of the upland cotton growers voting, the program under which payments are made to cooperators will be in effect for 1969.

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PROGRAM

M. C..... Cottie Gibson
Invocation..... Mr. J. M. Baker
Dinner
Welcome..... Jon Leggitt
Response..... Don Reeves
Introduction of Ex-Students and Guests..... Terry Bailey
Guest Speaker..... Woody Van Dyke
Business
Benediction..... Glenn Richerson

MENU

Barbecue

Beef Polish Sausage
Cole Slaw Red Beans
Apriots Rolls
Tea or Coffee

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Mrs. W. M. Biffle has been visiting in Wellington with her daughter, Mrs. John Nash, who was recently injured in a car wreck.

Hedley Lodge No. 413



O.E.S., meets the first Monday night of each month. All members are requested to attend.

Mattie Irene Roberts, W. M.
Jonnie Hill, Sec.

Hedley Lions Club



Meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday night of each month. All Lions are urged to be present.

Allen Estlack, Pres.
Gilbert Srygley, Sec.

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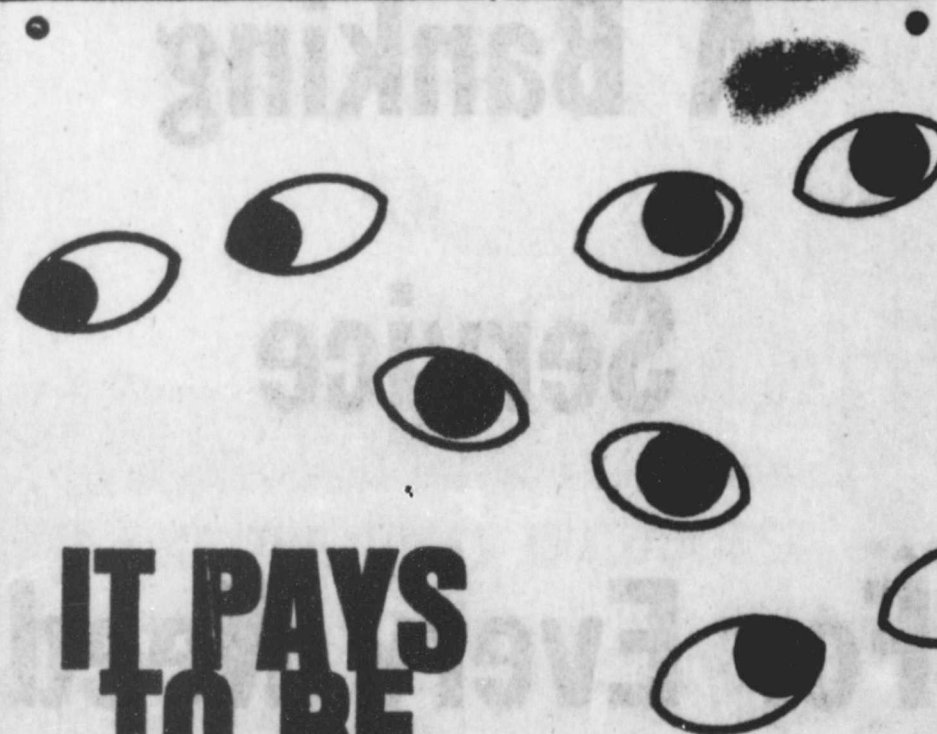


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