

WHITE LEAD PROMOTION PROGRAM**LEAD INDUSTRIES ASSOCIATION**

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SUBJECT: RURAL HOUSING
IN SOUTHERN STATES

To Members Supporting the White Lead Promotion
Programs

The U.S. Housing Authority is providing loans for the construction of a large number of farm homes for low income families through Regional and County Housing Authorities. For instance, loans were recently approved for more than 2,000 such homes in Louisiana and Mississippi and we understand that this program will probably be greatly expanded into other States, some work having already been done of this type in Georgia, Illinois, Arkansas and elsewhere.

Since we believe that most of these homes will be of frame construction, they should offer a good market for white lead. The Lead Industries Association has insufficient personnel to call upon these Regional and County Housing Authorities in the interests of white lead. We therefore thought it advisable to call this matter to your attention in case you are not already familiar with it, with the thought that perhaps your own sales representatives can get in touch with these authorities in the course of their travels.

The County Authorities will probably be located at the various county seats, and we understand that in some cases, their offices are in the offices of the County Farm Agents.

We will supply you with any further information we are able to get about this rural housing and are attaching a list of the rural projects approved on July 22, 1941.

Very truly yours,

J. J. Johnson
Secretary



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U. S. R. A. RURAL HOUSING PROJECTS

<u>Community</u>	<u>Project No.</u>	<u>No. of Dwell- ing Units</u>	<u>Amount of USRA Loan</u>
Caddo Parish, La.	LA-22-1	200	\$180,000
Parishes of Iberia, Lafayette, St. Martin, St. Mary, & Vermilion, La.	LA-7-1	490	865,000
Parishes of St. Tammany, Tangipahoa, & Washington, La.	LA-8-1	200	340,000
Parishes of Ascension, Assumption, Iberville, Point Coupee, St. James, and West Baton Rouge, La.	LA-9-1	225	498,000
Clarke Co., Miss.	MS 23-30-1	25	45,000
Kemper Co., Miss.	MS 23-31-1	25	45,000
Lauderdale Co., Miss.	MS 23-32-1	25	45,000
Leake Co., Miss.	MS 23-33-1	25	45,000
Meshoba Co., Miss.	MS 23-34-1	25	45,000
Newton Co., Miss.	MS 23-35-1	25	45,000
Scott Co., Miss.	MS 23-36-1	25	45,000
Smith Co., Miss.	MS 23-37-1	25	45,000
Alcorn Co., Miss.	MS 23-18-1	25	45,000
Calhoun Co., Miss.	MS 23-19-1	25	45,000
Lafayette Co., Miss.	MS 23-17-1	25	45,000
Marshall Co., Miss.	MS 23-16-1	25	45,000
Montgomery Co., Miss.	MS 23-15-1	25	45,000
Oktibbeha Co., Miss.	MS 23-20-1	25	45,000
Panola Co., Miss.	MS 23-21-1	25	45,000
Pontotoc Co., Miss.	MS 23-22-1	25	45,000
Prentiss Co., Miss.	MS 23-23-1	25	45,000
Tate Co., Miss.	MS 23-24-1	25	45,000
Tishomingo Co., Miss.	MS 23-25-1	25	45,000
Union Co., Miss.	MS 23-26-1	25	45,000
Webster Co., Miss.	MS 23-27-1	25	45,000
Yalobusha Co., Miss.	MS 23-28-1	25	45,000
Covington Co., Miss.	MS 23-40-1	25	45,000
Forrest Co., Miss.	MS 23-41-1	25	45,000
George Co., Miss.	MS 23-42-1	25	45,000
Greene Co., Miss.	MS 23-43-1	25	45,000
Jones Co., Miss.	MS 23-44-1	25	45,000
Lamar Co., Miss.	MS 23-45-1	25	45,000
Perry Co., Miss.	MS 23-46-1	25	45,000
Amite Co., Miss.	MS 23-50-1	25	45,000
Claiborne Co., Miss.	MS 23-51-1	25	45,000
Copiah Co., Miss.	MS 23-52-1	25	45,000
Franklin Co., Miss.	MS 23-53-1	25	45,000
Hinds Co., Miss.	MS 23-54-1	25	45,000
Jefferson Co., Miss.	MS 23-55-1	25	45,000
Lincoln Co., Miss.	MS 23-56-1	25	45,000
Madison Co., Miss.	MS 23-57-1	25	45,000
Simpson Co., Miss.	MS 23-58-1	25	45,000
TOTAL		2,080	\$3,800,000

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