

Summer Dog Days Bargains

Hunt's TOMATO SAUCE
8 Oz. Cans
4 FOR \$1

Blue Bell 1/2 Gal. Sq. Ctn. Ice Cream
\$1.49

Old Milwaukee BEER
12 Pak Reg. or Light
\$3.50

SHOWBOAT Pork & Beans
No. 300 Cans
3 FOR \$1

Soft Fly Towels Jumbo Rolls
2 FOR \$1

LITE FLUFF BISCUITS
10 Oz. Can
5 FOR \$1

QUALITY BRAND NAME Frozen Foods

Tasty Tots 2.1b. Bag
\$1.19

Pot Pies
3 FOR \$1

SPECIALS GOOD FOR 5 DAYS
Thurs., Fri., Sat., Mon. & Tues.
Aug. 6, 7, 8, 10, 11

Salad Dressing
BEST MAID 79c
Quart Jar

Dr Pepper \$1.69
Pepsi 7-Up 6 Pack Quarts
Plus Deposit

KRAFT Macaroni & Cheese Dinner 7 1/2 Oz. Box
\$1.39

RealLemon Lemon Juice 32 Oz. Bottle
\$1.25

Pillsbury Fudge Brownie Mix 23 Oz. Box
\$1.09

Boneless Brisket 1 LB.
\$1.39

Miller's Baby Beef ROAST 1 LB.
\$1.89

Chuck Roast 1 LB.
\$1.80

Chuck Steak 1 LB. Pkg.
\$1.89

Log Cabin Solid Black OLEO 1b.
3 for \$1

Morison's Corn Kits 4 for \$1
Morison's Salt King Size Box
BREEZE \$3.25
Vaseline Polish or Kasher
Pickles \$1.39
Whitebone 1000 Isle or French 4 Oz.

Dressing Liquid Detergent 32 Oz. Size
Sweetheart 69c
Johnson Toddler
Diapers \$1.99
Bar Soap
Lifebouy 3 for 99c
Powdered Cleanser
AJAX 37c
Arrow Black 4 Oz. Can
Pepper 79c
Wool Hot Dog No. 1 Can
Sauce 39c
French's 24 Oz. Jar
Mustard 65c
Helly 10 Count Box
Trash Bags \$1.35

PAGE TOILET TISSUE 4 Roll Pkg.
\$1.69

LEADWAY Leadway Medium Eggs Dozen
69c

RINSO Detergent Giant Box
\$1.25

Libby's Potted Meat 3 Oz. Can
4 FOR \$1

Folger's FRANK COFFEE 13 oz. Can
\$1.99

PRODUCE Potatoes 8 Lb. Bag
\$1.49

Cabbage 1b.
\$1.15

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Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Treby of El Campo and Bruce is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Johnson, Sr. of Galena Park. The joyful event will be October 17, 1981 at 5:30 p.m. at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church in Eagle Lake.

Jayne Cranek Re-elected To Children Of Confederacy Bd.
Col. Charles W. Tait, Chapter No. 669, Children of the Confederacy, was represented at the 27th General Convention of the Children of the Confederacy convention at the Sheraton Hotel in Nashville, Tennessee by three members and one co-leader. Misses Sarah Jo Harriet and Jayne Cranek (granddaughter of the L. V. Craneks, Sr. of Garwood); Will Huffmeyer of San Antonio (grandson of Mrs. Mary Dreiner of Weimar and Mrs. Alice Tait of Columbus); and Mrs. James R. Cranek attended.

Home Cooling Aid Available To Some Low-Income Households
Many low income households in the state containing at least one person age 65 or older will be eligible for a one-time cash payment this summer to help pay the costs of home cooling.

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LCRA's Highland Lakes Serve Many Purposes

[By John Williams For The LCRA]

If you fly over the Hill Country on a clear afternoon, you can see them glimmering below, nestled in the landscape like large mirrors reflecting the sun.

They're the Highland Lakes, formed by the six dams built from 1955 to 1961 by the Lower Colorado River Authority, and for people in the river basin they've provided hydroelectricity, water for home, business and farming, and recreational and vacation havens.

"To that list you might add 'flood control' - a condition that most people don't think about until the heavy rains hit. It's the main reason, though, why LCRA was created to build the dams. And it's a function that LCRA performed recently, as heavy rains that fell June 13-15 along the Colorado River and its tributaries - the San Sabra, Llano and Pedernales Rivers - prompted LCRA to open floodgates along the chain of dams. The level of Lake Travis rose in a two-week period from 678.86 to 690.17 feet above mean sea level.

The heavy rains and flood-prone situations alarmed some residents, some of whom may not have experienced the violent tendencies of the normally placid Colorado.

But officials at LCRA's System Operations and Control Center say that, given the overall record of the river's behavior, the recent situation wasn't all that extreme. The lakes and the river, they say, have been a lot higher - and a lot drier.

Record Highs, Lows

Bill West, System Operations manager, set down last week and compiled some record highs and lows, which include:

- * Worst flood ever recorded on the Colorado - "That was probably in July 1969, when records show that the river created anywhere from 40 to 60 feet," West says.
- * "Bastrop was completely under water, and La Grange was swamped. You have to remember that this was before there were any dams on the river - let alone our main flood-control elements, Mansfield Dam and Lake Travis," says West.
- * Highest level of Lake Travis: 707.38 on May 18, 1967, "following nearly six weeks of heavy rains above and below Mansfield Dam."
- * Lowest level of Lake Travis: 614.18 on August 14, 1951, during one of the severest droughts Central Texas has ever experienced. A similar level of 614.85 was recorded July 1, 1962.
- * Fastest and largest rise on Lake Travis (if not on the entire river): September 17, 1952, when runoff from the Colorado's tributaries created a 56-foot rise on the lake level, which settled at 677.
- * "Rapid and dramatic rises such as this one have not been all that unusual in the history of the river," West comments.

In fact, flood-control structures are a necessity for the Texas streams along the Balcones Escarpment, which are prone to severe flooding, West says.

LCRA, with the Bureau of Reclamation and the Army Corps of Engineers, designed and built Mansfield Dam in 1937-41 to contain the worst possible flood, a phenomenon meteorologists predict happens every hundred years or so. The dam holds floodwater that flow down from the Colorado's major tributaries and from Lakes Buchanan, Inks, LBJ and Marble Falls.

When the level of Lake Travis rises above 681, federal law requires LCRA to follow Army Corps guidelines for discharging the water and bringing the level back down.

West emphasizes the main priority of any flood-control structure is to protect the residents downstream. "You try not to dump floodwaters on top of floodwaters. That's the true of the Corps regulations for Mansfield, and it's true of how we operate our other dams."

"But there's no cut-and-dried solution that applies to every situation, because every flood is unique. Sometimes the floodwaters may be heavier above the dam than they are downstream, and in those cases you can make discharges fairly easily. The really hairy problems are when you've got heavy rains upstream and downstream."

Could the Colorado River

IRS Sets Date For Enrollment Examination
Applicants who wish to take the 1981 Internal Revenue Service Special Enrollment Examination must have their applications postmarked no later than August 17, 1981, Robert M. McKeever, IRS District Director said. No extensions of time to file for the examination will be granted.

The examination is scheduled to take two days: Monday and Tuesday, October 5 and 6, 1981. It is given annually in each IRS district to qualify persons other than attorneys or certified public accountants to represent clients before the IRS, according to McKeever.

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