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SPARKPLUG OF PROGRESS

J. C. Penney, the head of the national chain store system which bears his name, recently commented on the business outlook. "There will, of course, be a leveling off in certain lines of merchandise this year," he said. It is already happening. But I don't look for a drastic break. There is no excuse for a depression or even a mild recession."

Those are cheering words, coming as they do from a man who has seen great ups and downs in the business cycle, and who has done much to better retailing's contribution to the welfare of the American people. But no retailer, no matter how small or how large his organization, can afford to sit back and wait for the customers to come streaming in. A price-conscious, quality-conscious public is demanding the utmost in value and service. The good merchant, like the good manufacturer, must offer a worthwhile product, and he must sell it aggressively.

During and just after the war, merchandising was relatively static. The shortage of materials forced customers to accept almost any substitute. Strict price and other controls took the edge off competition. Now a great change has taken place. The list of commodities in short supply is dwindling. The list of those in abundance is growing. That means a new sharpening of competition. It also means success will come to those merchants who have the greatest ability and desire to serve consumers.

The American economy rests upon the retail store—the place where earnings are exchanged for goods. Honest competition is the sparkplug of its progress.

ELECTION NOTICE AND ORDER

Be it ordered by the Board of Trustees of Rankin Independent School District that an election be held at the High School in the Town of Rankin, in said Rankin Independent School District on the 2nd day of April, 1949, for the purpose of electing Two (2) School Trustees for said Rankin Independent School District.

The following person, John Christy, is appointed and ordered to hold said election in accordance with the general election laws of Texas.

The returns of said election shall be made to the Board of

Trustees of said district in accordance with law.

In Testimony Whereof, witness the signatures of the President and Secretary of said Rankin Independent School District and the seal thereof hereunto affixed, this 14th day of March, 1949.

(S) WALTON POAGE  
Pres. Rankin Indep. School Dist.  
ATTEST: (S) JACK WALCHER  
Secretary

A new anti-submarine destroyer will be named in honor of Admiral Marc Andrew Mitcher.

Printed and plain Birth Announcements at The News.

HASTINGS THINKS

Earl Cordova of San Pedro, California, grew tense as he watched "The Snake Pit." On the screen Olivia De Havilland was just about to receive electric shock treatment. At that moment a mouse crawled up Earl's pants leg and bit him. The rest of the customers had an extra show for their money.

Seasickness is misery. Some people never get their sea legs. The great British Naval Commander, Lord Nelson, spent a lifetime on sailing ships and still got sea-sick in rough weather. Honeymooners are often warned not to take a cruise because if there is one thing sadder than a sea-sick bride, it's a sea-sick bridegroom.

French customs inspectors are striking for higher pay by working more thoroughly. In this "zeal strike" they do exactly what the law says they should do and go through every piece of luggage with exasperating care. This is calculated to hurt the tourist trade and force the government to raise the pay.

The Berlin Airlift keeps setting new records. The initial goal of 2,000 tons a day was raised last summer to 4,000 tons a day. Recently, in one day, they carried more than 8,000 tons.

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| PURE<br>LARD                       | 3 lb. ctn. | 55c    |
| CIGARETTES, per carton             |            | \$1.75 |
| MORTON'S<br>SALT                   | 2 boxes    | 15c    |

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| ADMIRATION<br>Coffee, per lb.               | 55c |
| HERSHEY<br>Bars, 3 for                      | 10c |
| CTN. OF SIX<br>Coca-Cola                    | 20c |
| No. 300 Can Van Camp's<br>Pork-Beans, 2 for | 25c |
| OLD DUTCH<br>Cleanser, per can              | 10c |
| CHB Calsup, bottle                          | 19c |
| PIT BARBECUE                                |     |
| MONDAY, MARCH 21                            |     |

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| FORT HOWARD<br>Toilet Tissue           | 2 rolls       | 15c |
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| ALASKA NO. 1 TALL<br>PINK SALMON       |               | 59c |
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| NO. 2 CAN<br>TOMATOES                  |               | 10c |
| DASH DOG FOOD, 2 cans for              |               | 25c |
| ANY FLAVOR<br>JELL-O                   | pkg.          | 5c  |
| SUN MAID RAISINS, 15 ounce pkg. for    |               | 13c |
| HUNT'S IN HEAVY SYRUP<br>PEACHES       | No. 2 1-2 can | 27c |
| SUPREME SALAD WAFERS, 1 pound box      |               | 23c |

**From where I sit... by Joe Marsh**

**Never Too Late To Learn**

Cappy Miller's young son, Squint, is forever coming up with new ideas. Now they're not all world beaters, but Cappy is usually willing to give them a try.

Seems Squint found a new way to clear brush. They take two tractors, about thirty feet apart, and connect them with a heavy chain weighted down on the ground with old iron. First they both go parallel in one direction, then they go back over the same swath in the opposite direction and up comes the brush—roots and all. Worked fine and saved time.

That's why things go so well at the Miller farm. Cappy is open-minded, tolerant of new ideas and new ways of doing. He doesn't think his way is the only way.

From where I sit, a little tolerance will make things go better for all of us. You respect my views and I'll respect yours—whether it's on farming, politics, or choosing between an ice cream soda or a temperate glass of beer.

*Joe Marsh*

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**Report To The People**

**J. T. RUTHERFORD**  
Representative 88th. District

Hottest thing on Capitol Hill during the past week—the Basic Science Bill. This explosive bill, bitterly fought for two days on the House floor, was passed on second reading Thursday night. The vote indicates victory for supporters in final House action, though opponents are fighting stubbornly.

The bill has been sponsored—repeatedly—by the Texas State Medical Association, and battled by the Chiropractic profession. Whether it will pass in the Senate is yet to be seen. The same bill—almost—passed two years ago, but died in the Senate.

It may not receive much publicity, but buried beneath a host of other bills is one that would provide more library services to Texas—especially to rural areas and small towns that have no county library. I am anxious to have this bill brought to vote.

The League of Women voters of Texas, ably aided by Mrs. William Y. Penn of Midland, president of the Midland Chapter are working in the interest of the secret ballot. It is a league project. The league expressed that it is for no politician or against him, but is working for voting procedure.

People were hanging from the chandeliers almost Tuesday night of last week, when 3,000 Texas County Commissioners assembled in the House for a meeting on the Rural Road Bill.

This Bill, called House Bill 59, would levy 1 cent per 1000 cubic foot of gas. One-fourth of the tax would go to education and three-fourths to rural roads.

Only commissioners from Midland County were present from the 88th District.

Pertaining to this bill . . .

I would like to point out that the people of the state, by constitutional amendment, once abolished an ad valorem tax of 30 cents per \$100 on farms, ranches, homes and other real property. Therefore, for any county to receive any revenue from the 1-cent per 1000 cubic foot of gas tax, it would be necessary to reinstate the 30-cent per \$100 tax. This wasn't brought out clearly at the March 7 meeting.

So what to do? It seems that many people have lost sight of the 30-cent tax while aiming their sights at the tax on gas.

Texas once passed a bill appropriating \$25,000 for the Pecos River Compact Commission to draw up the compact with New Mexico. By error, the deadline for drawing the money was March 10, and on March 9 I found that the money hadn't been drawn. Those interested in the compact will be glad to know that I was successful in re-setting the deadline date for September, which really will be the end of the fiscal year.

I spent the latter part of last week as a member of the State Penitentiary Investigating Committee. It was an interesting task.

Despite all I have heard about

the appalling conditions of our prison system, I did not find conditions to be as bad as I expected.

That isn't to say that conditions are not bad, for the system is over-crowded. Guards have to live with prisoners, more or less, which is a big mistake. Prisoners, instead of having cells, are placed together in "tanks." Thus hardened criminals are placed with youthful first offenders.

One thing else I learned—Texas must be a chivalrous state, for there are exactly 103 women in our state penitentiaries, but over 6,000 men.

**New Plymouth Makes Showing Here Friday At The Crane Motors**

The new line of Plymouth automobiles, with outstanding mechanical improvements and up-to-the-minute styling, make their appearance in dealer showrooms here and throughout the U. S. on Friday, Tom Hogan, Sr., of the Crane Motors, announced today.

Completely redesigned and streamlined, the new Plymouth contains a 97-horse-power engine which is smoother, livelier and more economical. Other changes make notable contributions to beauty, safety and passenger comfort.

Wheelbase has been increased for a better ride and more road stability but at the same time the over-all length has been reduced for ease of handling. Although lower and narrower, the new bodies provide greater interior room for passengers. The car's appearance reflects a complete change from last year's models. Plymouth may be seen at The Crane Motors.

The new Plymouth line includes nine distinct automobiles. There are four special deluxe and two deluxe types on a 118-inch wheelbase, one inch longer than last year's. In addition, Plymouth will build three deluxe models on a brand new 111-inch wheelbase. This wheelbase group consists of a two-door sedan, a three-passenger coupe, and a new body type, the Suburban.

Available on the 118-inch wheel base will be a club coupe and a four-door sedan in the deluxe series, while the special deluxe group will include both the club coupe and four-door sedan in addition to the convertible club coupe and the station wagon.

The new Plymouth will be on display in Rankin all day Saturday across the street from the First State Bank.

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**T.H.D.A. Receives Letter of Thanks From Germany**

Last December the Texas Home Demonstration Association of Dist. 6 secured names of needy German families from Mrs. Rudolph Grossenbacher of San Angelo, so that they could send good-will parcels to them for Christmas. Mrs. Grossenbacher, who is a sister of Mrs. Fred Gibson here, had first hand information of several families as she had a friend who had made a recent trip to Germany and Switzerland. This friend was a personal friend of a Switzerland girl who had married a German boy. The family had at one time been quite wealthy and were professional people in Germany but due to circumstances caused by the war they were left destitute.

Last week Mrs. Gibson, vice-president of the association received a letter of thanks from one of the German families. The letter was written in German longhand. Father Frederick Doeren of the Catholic Church here took the letter to Crane to Mr. "Dutch" Regan who interpreted it. Following is the contents of the letter.

Very Honored Mrs. Gibson:  
In February we received a food parcel from you. Received your address from Mr. Grossenbacher from Switzerland. I've understood that you're Mr. Grossenbacher's sister living in St. Angelo U. S. A. You've mentioned

your willingness of helping us poor German's in need. For that I thank you from the bottom of my heart. Your lovely gift parcel arrived here in good condition and brought us much joy. May God bless you and your loved ones and all your friends who contributed and helped. Things have improved here a little since and above the first year after wars end, but most things are still unmanageable and beyond reach. Yet in peace we are somewhat resigned and content, forever hoping undaunted that conditions will get better.

Again I thank you very heartily in the name of our family and forever greet you as your,

Hedwig Serger Schmidt.  
Wurttemberg, Germany

More than 10 years ago, two old maids, Eily Beadell and Nell Tollerott, wrote a nice old-fashioned song called "Cruising Down the River." The music publishers wouldn't touch it. It finally got a break by winning a dance hall "Write a Song" contest. Now it is a familiar tune on every radio. "A Little Bird Told Me," now number one on the hit parade was also written 10 years ago in comparative obscurity. Harvey Brooks, a colored piano player, wrote it between numbers in a Los Angeles cafe. Almost two years ago he tried to get Woody Herman to play it, but Woody turned him down. Now Brooks says: "I'm glad if Woody hadda played it with all his noise, everybody might have missed it."

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| Feature Writer   | Jimmy Workman            |

### Sophomore Raise Fund Selling Magazines

The Sophomore Class wishes to thank the following persons for taking the Pathfinder magazine, which they have been selling for a week. The proceeds from their commission of these sales will be put in the class treasury. These persons are: Mrs. Ross Wheeler, Mrs. J. C. James, Mrs. Sam Holmes, Mrs. Loyd Yocham, Mrs. Hazel Yocham, Mrs. T. H. Blue, Mrs. D. O. McEwen, Elizabeth L. Rains, Mrs. Bertha Lyle, Mrs. C. G. Taylor, Mrs. S. H. Boyd, F. W. Welling, Mrs. A. P. Hill, Mrs. J.

W. Robbins, Mrs. F. S. Smith, Mrs. C. J. Holcomb, Mrs. W. A. Hulzon, Miss Grace Roach, Tom Workman. And they especially thank Billy Rankin, C. C. Campbell and R. D. McSpadden for their donations for buying the school a subscription to the Pathfinder magazine.

### Midland Girl Injured

Marion Axe of Midland was slightly injured in the warming-up practice for the "A" game Tuesday night. A flying ball hit her in the face and broke her glasses. The broken glass cut her eye over the right eye lid, but the cut wasn't serious.

### Seventh Grade Gets New Room Wednesday

Wednesday morning the Seventh grade got a new room. They moved into the Social Science room and the classes held there usually will now be held in the old Seventh Grade room. The Seventh moved because there were not enough seats in their old room to hold the new number in that class. They now have a record high of 30 in the seventh grade. This is more than any other grade has besides the first grades.

### "Ready Made Family"

The Junior class began practice this week on a play they are planning to give when they have prepared it. The title of the play is "Ready Made Family." This is a non-royalty, Baker play. It is a hilarious comedy of three acts and will really be some high entertainment.

### BEHIND THE SCENES

There is more confusion in the little school of R.H.S. than meets the eye. Among the typical teen-age boys and girls there is more going on than the average person could imagine. If people who like to gossip about happenings in the town of Rankin, ever got the inside dope on R.H.S. they would really have a hey day.

Not long ago the problems of love life seemed to increase and the lid really came off. The girls were exchanging boy friends at least twice a day. Every girl was mad at the other girl and each boy was as confused as the next fellow.

Reports kept circulating of girls crying all day; in the rest room and during classes. Some of the couples broke up, made up, and broke up again, all in the course of one day. The stronger knots stayed tied, but many were heart-broken. Finally things simmered down, the couples made up and everything was quiet again. The nerve wracked boys are just reviving and the last tears are disappearing.

You may think the change disappeared also but it didn't. It merely passed on to Jr. High School. The girls in that department are now having fits. It's too bad, really, but it can't be helped. Seems like every spring things like this come as regular as the change in weather. (In West Texas.)

The older folks probably understand and might could console the poor boys of R.H.S. who are going around saying, "Women! Bah!"

### Slumber(less) Party

Friday night a group of nine girls enjoyed a slumber party at the Still home. This was given by Miss Virginia Still. Those enjoying the all-night party were Joy Ward, Jean Shaw, Wanda Burleson, Emma Lou Cleveland, Lawanda McDaniels, Lawanda Hunsinger, Joveta Yocham, Ruthie Elliott, and Virginia Still.

Amidst flying pillows, shoes, and cover from the beds, Jean found time to be "Good and Kind." Joy to dream of Bill, Joveta and Virginia to model, and Lu-Lu to "look for a Home." A mid-night snack was served at the stroke of twelve, consisting of sandwiches, potato chips, candy, cookies, peanuts, and punch. The lights finally went out at 4:20 and some of the girls went to sleep, but others stuck it out until 5:05.

A sun-rise breakfast was served in the back yard. They enjoyed a hike after breakfast.

Everyone had a wonderful time, even though they did have to sleep all day Saturday to catch up on their "lost slumber."

### Volleyball Meet To Be Held Saturday

The Rankin volleyball meet will be held in the Rankin Gym, Saturday, March 19. The games will begin at one o'clock with Grand Falls and Imperial playing the first game. Rankin and Crane play at 2 o'clock. Iraan plays the winner of the Grand Falls and Imperial game at four o'clock.

The Rankin Juniors play Imperial at three o'clock. The winner of this game will play Iraan at 7:30 o'clock.

Trophies and silver volleyballs will be awarded after the final game, which starts at 8 o'clock. Rankin has hopes of keeping some of these at home.

## Rankin Track Men To Water Valley Meet

The track and field contestants will journey to Water Valley Saturday, to take part in contests there. Entries in the events are as follows: 100 yd. dash—Fields Branch, Harry Yocham; 220 yd. dash—Harry Gene Yocham, George Broyles; 440 yd. dash—Billy Dean Zachary; High jump—Harry Yocham; Broad

jump—George Broyles, Harry Yocham. In the Junior division of the track and field contests there are the following entries: Norman Yocham—50 yd. dash, 100 yd. dash, broad jump, high jump, and 440 relay. Larry Brooks—50 yd. dash, 100 yd. dash, and 440 relay. Jerry Romine, and Gentry Holmes—both 440 yd. relay.

### WHAT IF

Virginia was a widow. Joveta wanted to be a brunette.

Emma Lou got "mad" in gym class.

Bill and Joy are back together again.

Ruthie cracked the gym floor Wed.

R. H. S. had assembly once in a while.

Wanda H. didn't like to eat Mustard or meet Buster.

Joveta beat a drum.

Jr. High girls had "love trouble."

Bill and Don liked to eavesdrop.

Jean could say, "Listen sister" in a mean way.

Lawanda McDaniels could always win in a pillow fight.

Marlene got shot. (With a needle that is.)

Jean, Wanda B., Wilma, Imogene, Wanda H., and Ruthie embarrassed Coach.

Billy Brown bought everyone a coke early Saturday morning.

Ted and Joyce and Jodie had quite a few dates.

Jean was GOOD and KIND.

Joy had night mares.

Myra could serve.

Mrs. Nettleship spent quite a

bit of time explaining "Romantic" literature to Bill and Joy.

### Volleyball Girls Win One Game of Six With Midland

The Rankin volleyball girls went to Midland Monday night where they met three defeats.

Midland returned the games Tuesday night. The juniors won their game, but the B and A strings were defeated again.

On the Junior team, Nola Grace Boyd and Betty Miller tied for high point with 7 points each. Pansy Smith and Betty Sue Bodine were next with six points each. Everyone did some excellent playing.

High point on the B string was Myra James with seven points. Although this team was defeated 47-23, they played a good game.

Virginia Still was high with four points, with Yocham and Stephenson doing some excellent playing, while Shaw, Elliott, and Branch did some wonderful picking up and giving some good set ups.

The girls hope to have a better out-come in the tournament next Saturday.



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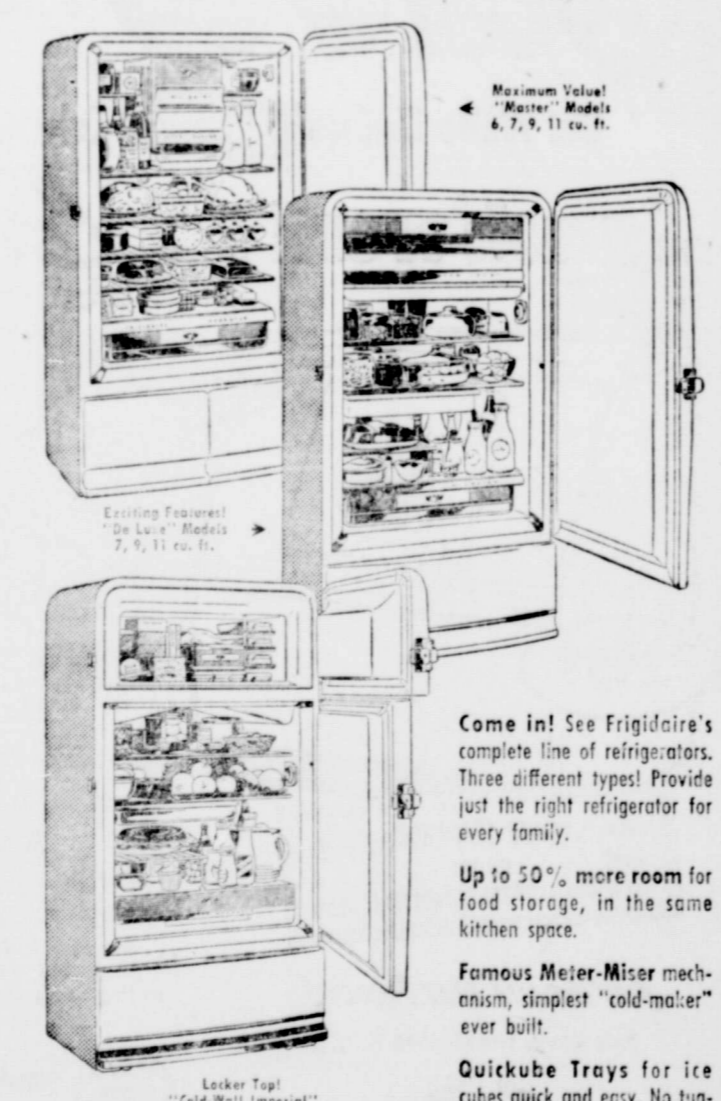
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