

THE WEATHER:

WEST TEXAS: Generally fair to night and Saturday.

Ranger Times

UNITED PRESS SERVICE BRINGS LATE NEWS OF THE WORLD TO TIMES READERS.

The Russian chess-playing vogue seems to have been valuable from the government standpoint, in teaching the people the duties of a pawn.

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SEVERAL BILLS ARE SIGNED BY PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—President Roosevelt today signed the \$25,587,456 army housing bill, providing for repair and new construction at army posts throughout the United States and territories.

Twelve Are Injured In a Bus Crash

FORT WORTH, Aug. 27.—Twelve persons were injured to three seriously, when a load of bus sidwiped a parked truck near the business section.

Extension Home Agent Is Speaker At Rotary Meeting

Community fairs and development of home demonstration work in the county was discussed Thursday at the Rotary club luncheon in Cisco by Miss Ruth Ramey, county home agent.

Bodies of Four Are Taken from Plane

ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 27.—The mangled bodies of four persons, including State Assemblyman Pritchard Strong, were taken from the wreckage of an airplane which crashed today in rain and fog.

Dallas Man Killed In Car-Truck Crash

MOUNT PLEASANT, Texas, Aug. 27.—J. W. Mullins, 22, representative of Dallas Credit company, was killed last night in an automobile truck collision near here.

Baron Rothschild Dies In England

LONDON, Aug. 27.—Baron Rothschild, 69, member of the famous banking family, died today at his estate.

Corpus Christi Man Killed In Accident

LAREDO, Texas, Aug. 27.—E. N. Turner, 47, of Corpus Christi, was killed today 12 miles east of Laredo when his automobile overturned.

Heads Japanese Forces in China



Shown above in a recent photo is Gen. Iwane Matsui, who has assumed supreme command of combined Japanese army and naval forces in the current "undeclared war" in China.

District WPA Head At Ft. Worth Will Relinquish Post

FORT WORTH, Aug. 27.—George Dickey, dean of North Texas Agricultural College at Arlington, will retire as active director of this WPA district on Sept. 7, it was announced today.

Whitaker Family In Recent Reunion

Three brothers and their families who had not been together in 25 years were reunited at a recent Whitaker family reunion in Lockney.

Cisco Golf Meet Start Announced

Match play in the Eastland County Golf Tournament at the Cisco Country club will begin Sunday, it was announced here.

Vatican Recognizes The Spanish Rebels

VATICAN CITY, Aug. 27.—Recognition by the Vatican of the Spanish Nationalist provisional government was made official today when the representative of Gen. Francisco Franco presented his credentials.

Mediation Seen In Rail Dispute

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The national mediation board announced today that representatives of operating railroad unions and the rail heads had offered to mediate the wage dispute that threatened to result in a strike.

Woman Dies from Burns In Ft. Worth

FORT WORTH, Aug. 27.—Mrs. Charles Valder, 28, was burned fatally last night when her clothing ignited from kerosene used in burning trash.

Highway Bids Are Asked for Sept. 17

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—The state highway department today opened bids on projects estimated to cost \$1,500,000 and announced a tentative list of other projects to be bid upon Sept. 17.

RA. Farmers Urged To Stick to Farms

COLLEGE STATION, Aug. 27.—Farmers financed by the resettlement administration should spend their time working on their farms and should not seek outside work, RA leaders, in conference here said today before adjourning.

Japan to Confer About Chinese War

PARIS, Aug. 27.—A spokesman for the foreign office said tonight he understood the Japanese foreign minister would call in the ambassadors in Tokyo, of Great Britain, the United States, Germany, France and Italy, for consultation about the war in China.

Infantile Paralysis Reported In Ontario

CALEDONIA, Ont., Aug. 27.—One case of infantile paralysis was reported near here today, not far from the hospital home of the Dionne quintuplets.

U. S. War Memorial in England



A memorial chapel to 568 United States soldiers and sailors who died in England during the World War was dedicated at Brookwood, Surrey, by Ambassador Robert W. Bingham, representative of the American and British military and naval officials.

Cripple Devises Electrical Gadgets To Do His Bidding At Every Move

CHICAGO.—Oscar Diesel, 42, refused to make his world a wheelchair. Chipped at 13, he vowed he would be "like other people."

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Body of Woman Is Found In New York

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—The body of a handsome 30-year-old brunette, who had been stabbed to death, was found today, bound and stuffed in a lard barrel on the rocky shore of East river.

Presbyterians to Observe the Fifth Sunday Aug. 29th

Next Sunday, Aug. 29, should be an unusual day for the First Presbyterian church of Ranger. Sunday school will begin at 9:45 a. m., and close in one hour.

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So Sorry—This 2-Steps Taken!



Christine Krieva, star ballerina of New York's Municipal Opera at Randall's Island, has just filled her dance-card for life.

Old Time Resident Of Ranger Buried At Bullock Friday

Funeral services for R. A. Vick, 76, former resident of Ranger, were conducted Friday afternoon at Bullock, with burial in the Bullock Cemetery.

Fair Catalog Is Given Distribution

Distribution of the catalog for the annual county fair Sept. 16-18 at Eastland was well underway Friday, according to reports from H. J. Tanner, secretary of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce.

Marine Corps Is Seeking Recruits

An unlimited number of applications for service in the United States Marine Corps will be considered next month by the Officers in Charge of the Marine Corps Recruiting Office at Dallas.

CHINESE FALL BACK TO THEIR MAIN POSITION

SHANGHAI, China, Aug. 27.—General Pai Chung-shi, China's most brilliant military strategist, assumed command of 300,000 Chinese soldiers around Shanghai tonight and was reported, unofficially, to have ordered a general withdrawal.

MELLON RITES WILL BE HELD AT PITTSBURGH

SAUTHAMPTON, N. Y., Aug. 27.—The body of Andrew Mellon, statesman, diplomat, art patron and financier, who gave away three-fourths of a personal fortune once estimated at \$400,000,000, will be taken home to Pittsburgh, Pa., tonight.

FREAK EGG

A freak game chicken egg, which has an end shaped similar to a neck, has been brought to Eastland for exhibition by W. E. Matthews of Ranger Route 2.

MR. DODD TAKES THE AIR

At the ARCADIA Call at Times Office

IT'S BLOSSOM TIME IN DIXIE-LAND



Fairest flowers of the South—its pretty girls and its harvest of cotton—meet in a happy bouquet at the opening of the cotton-picking season. Here are, left to right, Ora Kate Wisenbaker, Elizabeth Rhymes, and Betty Franklin, all of Valdosta, Ga., showing how this season's much-heralded bumper crop will be picked in Lowndes County.

DESDEMONA

The many friends of Jay Malt will be interested in hearing of a marriage which took place at the Methodist parsonage in Kilgore on Saturday morning of last week. The Kilgore couple have an extended account of the marriage of Miss Nannie Ogilvie to J. W. Maltby, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. E. L. Ingram, pastor of St. Luke's Methodist church there. The bride was attended by her mother and Jerry Blythe was best man to the groom. Only the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Ogilvie and other near relatives and a few friends were present at the wedding. Jay grew up in Desdemona where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Maltby have lived for a long time. There was also in the Kilgore paper an account of a party and shower given in honor of the bride by the Methodist Missionary Society. Jay is employed by the J. J. Jenkins Drilling contractors of Kilgore.

Mrs. T. L. Long, left on Tuesday of last week for her home at Plainview, having been called home by the illness of her husband who had gone home about a month ago. Mr. and Mrs. Long had spent the summer here and at Lindale, visiting their daughter, Mrs. Howard Williams here and two other daughters, Mrs. Z. Christian and Mrs. J. H. Christian at Lindale.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter May were weekend visitors at Plainview. Andrew McMillan of Hermleugh has been here the past few days visiting his brother-in-law, Wiley Powers and family and also looking after his property. An uncle has been spudded in on land southeast of town.

Shuler Terry of Stephenville, is here Sunday visiting the test well that is being drilled on land belonging to his mother, Mrs. Bobbie Terry.

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Malaria in 3 days
COLDS
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CRISCO or SNOWDRIFT 3 Lb. Can ... 59c	DECKER'S SLICED BACON Lb. 29c	NO. 1 DRY SALT BACON Lb. 25c
FRESH GROUND MEAL 20 Lb. Bag ... 65c	Dry Salt Jowls Lb. 21c	Smoked Bacon Lb. 29c
ANN PAGE SALAD DRESSING 8 Oz. Jar 10c	Boiled Ham (Wilson's) ... Lb. 50c	Longhorn Cheese Lb. 23c
Pint Jar 19c	Bulk Peanut Butter Lb. 14c	Sugar Cured Bacon Squares ... Lb. 30c
Quart Jar ... 31c	JEWEL and VEGETOLE	

Shortening 8 Lb. Carton 99c

IONA CORN No. 2 Can ... 10c	BROKEN Sliced Pineapple NO. 2 CAN 15c
SPARKLE CHOCOLATE ICE CREAM POWDER 3 Pkgs. 13c	A. & P. Apple Sauce NO. 2 CAN 2 FOR 19c
NECTAR TEA 1/4 LB. PKG. 15c 1/2 LB. PKG. 25c	Rajah Mustard, Jar 9c
8 o'CLOCK COFFEE 1 Lb. Pkg. ... 19c 3 Lb. Pkg. ... 55c	Lipton's Tea, 1/4-Lb. Can 23c
WHITEHOUSE MILK 3 TALL OR 6 SMALL CANS 19c	CRISCO, 6 Lb. Can \$1.17
CHOICE BANANAS, LB. - - 4c	POPULAR BRAND Cigarettes, 2 Pkgs. 31c
SEEDLESS Grapes, 2 Lbs. 15c	Prince Albert Tobacco, Can 10c
Tomatoes, 2 Lbs. 15c	PEERLESS FLOUR 48 LB. BAG
Fresh Limes, Doz. 15c	PILLSBURY'S OR LIGHT CRUST FLOUR
	\$1.32 24 Lb. Bag 99c 48 Lb. Bag \$1.95

PRODUCE SPECIALS

ARKANSAS JONATHAN APPLES, DOZ. - - 17c
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Carrots, 2 Bunches ... 9c
Green Beans, Lb. 9c

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Breast-o-Chicken TUNA 7 oz. Can 19c	PINTO BEANS 3 Lbs. 25c	ROSEMARY GRAPE JUICE QT. 33c	CLIQUEOT CLUB GINGERALE 2 Bot. 25c	TRUE AMERICA MATCHES 6-Box Carton 19c
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COFFEE Pipkin's Special. Lb. 19c	CORN Locust Blossom 2 No. 2 Cans 19c	CHERRIES Red Sour No. 303 For Pies Can 15c	SUGAR 10 Pounds 47c	COMPOUND 4 Pound Carton 52c	TOMATOES 5 No. 1 Cans, or 4 No. 2 Cans for 25c	POST TOASTIES Pkg. 9c	TOMATO JUICE Pick of Crop 12-oz. Can 5c	RICE Uncle Ben's 2 Pounds 13c
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Powdered or Brown SUGAR 1 Lb. 8c	Rosedale Sour or Dill PICKLES 22-oz. Jar 15c	LIBBY'S PEARS No. 2 1/2 Can 22c	AMERICA SARDINES 2 for 9c	GIBBS' MIXED VEGETABLES 10 oz. Can 6c
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CRISCO 3 Lbs. 59c	P. & G. SOAP 6 Bars 25c	Armour's Star Peanut Butter 14-oz. Jar 18c	Land of Gold FLOUR 48 \$ 1.45	COFFEE Maxwell House 1 Lb. 29c	FRUIT COCKTAIL No. 1 Can 15c
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EXTRA SELECT MEATS WILSON'S CERTIFIED STEAK Loin or Round Lb. 28c	CHOICE VEAL CHOPS STEAK ROAST Lb. 15c	BOLOGNA Lb. 12c	Laurel Sliced BACON 1b. 39c	ROAST Corn-Fed Chuck Lb. 18c Always Tender!
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Hi, There, Macaulay! We Have Your Number!

President Roosevelt, with his frequent turnings to classical English literature in his speeches, is going to give the country an education in English literature, if nothing else.

In taking on Thomas Babington Macaulay, as he did in his speech at Roanoke Island, Mr. Roosevelt is carrying the fight pretty directly into political enemies' camps.

Those people whose first reaction is to ask "Who is this guy, Macaulay?" need only to think back to school days to have the rhyme come back:

"In yon strait path a thousand may well be stopped by three; Now who will stand on either hand and keep the bridge with me?"

That was Macaulay, and anyone who has heard "Horatius at the Bridge" recited by a popeyed eighth-grader will remember him.

Macaulay, 100 years ago, was an English writer and politician. He was a Whig, roughly equivalent today to a Liberty League Republican.

Macaulay's work was so highly esteemed that he was made Lord Macaulay. There seems little doubt that he believed sincerely in rule by a select, favored and talented class.

"It is quite plain," wrote Olympian Macaulay, "that your government will never be able to restrain a distressed and discontented majority."

Lord Macaulay wrote his famous letter some 80 years ago. Yet the United States government has survived, possibly because there has never yet been a time when the majority of its citizens were distressed and discontented.

President Roosevelt might even have added to his own comment on Macaulay one made by an associate, Lord Melbourne, who said, "I wish I were as cocksure of any one thing as Macaulay is of everything."

Last Century Composer

HORIZONTAL

- 2 Composer of "Humoresque"
12 Part of a shaft
14 Hazard
15 Unless
17 Fowl disease
18 Born
19 To total
21 Assessment
22 Above
23 Broad belt
26 Neuter pronoun
27 The reason
28 In truth
29 Away
31 Peak
33 Polynesian chestnut
34 Pathway between seats
36 To fancy
38 Sweet potato
40 For fear that
42 Toward
43 Year
45 Tone B
46 Child's napkin
48 Hawaiian bird
50 Astral
53 Derby

Answer to Previous Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with filled-in letters and clues.

- 18 Sea mile
20 Profound
23 Blue-flowered weeds
24 Genus of sheep
25 Sun god
27 Native
30 Knave of clubs
32 To handle
34 Social insect
35 To devour
37 Cow-headed goddess
39 Heath
41 Savage
44 Chamber
46 To crook
47 Bubble in glass
49 Native metal
51 Golf device
52 Stir
53 Third-rate actor
54 Cuckoo
55 Beverage
56 Mother
57 Half an em.
59 Myself.

Large crossword puzzle grid with a portrait of a man in the bottom right corner.

"OUT OUR WAY" By Williams



Modern of Eastland Beats Elks Of Ranger to Take Tourney Title

The district Amateur Softball Association of America tournament came to an end Thursday night at Eastland with the Modern Dry Cleaners of Eastland defeating the hard-fighting Elks of Ranger, 12 to 6.

Modern will play in the state tournament Sept. 1 to 8 at Overton. Being runner-up, Elks also may participate in the tournament, although their expenses must be paid by members of sponsor.

Modern got off to a good start in the third inning by making seven scores off of four hits. The B. P. O. E. group had their big inning in the sixth when four runs were registered.

Earl Weathersby, district commissioner, expressed satisfaction Friday upon the men's tournament and the girls tournament which was held first. Fire Girls of Eastland, winner in the feminine tourney, to Galveston Sept. 1. National tournament for men and girls begins Sept. 10 in Chicago.

The scores of Thursday's game:

Table with columns: Players, AB, R, H. Rows for Modern and Elks teams.

TOTALS 40 12 12

BASEBALL CALENDAR

Table with columns: Players, AB, R, H. Rows for Elks team.

TOTALS 36 6 6

*Pinch hitter.

BASEBALL CALENDAR

TEXAS LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows for Texas League teams.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Fort Worth 3, Galveston 1. Beaumont 7, Oklahoma City 0. Dallas 3, Houston 1. San Antonio 5, Tulsa 4.

TODAY'S GAMES

Galveston at Fort Worth. Houston at Dallas. Beaumont at Tulsa. San Antonio at Oklahoma City.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows for American League teams.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Philadelphia 8, St. Louis 5 (second game postponed, rain). Chicago at Boston, postponed, rain. Pittsburgh at New York postponed, rain.

TODAY'S GAMES

Pittsburgh at New York. Chicago at Boston. St. Louis at Philadelphia. Cincinnati at Brooklyn.

OLD MUSICIAN GETS SURPRISE

By United Press LA JUNTA, Colo.—A surprise was staged in Rourke's theatre here for C. W. Wonderly on his 7th birthday. When the curtain was raised, seated on the stage were musicians who had played in Wonderly's orchestra years ago, one traveled 500 miles to attend the celebration.

Kiddies Like Cereal Made Into Dessert

Youngsters who are "as cross as a bear" at breakfast and won't eat their cereal are big problems. Usually they are the ones who are sorely in need of the nourishment which a good cereal, such as Quaker Oats, gives them.

Just such a cereal-dessert are oatmeal bouchees, which are made as follows: Pour left-over breakfast porridge in small coffee cups and place them aside to cool.

Two at Special Session to Draw Much Attention

AUSTIN.—Youthful, brilliant Bob Calvert; suave, sophisticated, mustachioed Walter Woodul—these two men will draw the spotlight when the special session of the legislature convenes Sept. 20.

Business of the session will be to raise revenue for pensions, for the blind, for dependent children and to balance the budget.

tical observers suggest, it promises to be a natural. Calvert, democratic, a born leader, has been praised by his friends and political opponents alike as an able speaker.

Woodul presides over the stiff formal, aristocratic Senate with the air of a business executive dominant and powerful.

Would you say Stalin was keeping the polar route hot with the recent airplane flights?

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Madman's Island

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CAST OF CHARACTERS
KAY DEARBORN—heroine who inherits a yacht for vacation.
MELITA HOWARD—Kay's roommate and co-adventurer.
PRISCILLA DUNN—the third adventuress.
FORREST BROTHERS and **GRANT HARPER**—young scientists whose expedition turned out to be a rare experience.

Yesterday! The problem of where to spend their combined vacations is suddenly changed for Kay, Melita, and Priscilla when Kay learns that her uncle has left her a yacht. The girls decide to look it over.

CHAPTER II

DINNER was forgotten in their excitement. The letter from Uncle Ben's attorney gave the address of the marina where the boat was in storage, and Priscilla was all for having a look at Kay's new possession immediately. Kay and Melita were not far behind in enthusiasm, and it was agreed they should visit the boat moorage before dining out. The three slipped into beach clothes first.

A 20-minute ride in Kay's car brought them to within a block of that section of the bay shore where Uncle Ben's boat had long been idle. "There's the place!" Kay said. "West Shore Boat Moorage." Eagerly they started toward the huge black and white sign which marked the place. Soon they got a glimpse of the boats moored there, some still canvas covered and a few uncovered and outfitted for the new season. There were small outboard powered runabouts and two or three good-sized yachts—and every type and size of pleasure craft in between. The girls found themselves wondering which was Kay Dearborn's.

The moorage seemed deserted at that hour, but Melita saw a small houseboat whose front bore the succinct advice, "Ring the bell." Tentatively Kay obeyed, was startled at the sound which rang out all over the place. Almost immediately a small, merry-faced man appeared, wiping his lips with a napkin.

"What can I do for you, ladies?" "I'm sorry to disturb you," Kay said. "I'm Kay Dearborn, and I'm looking for a boat called the 'Chinook' owned by Benjamin Crandall."

The little man grinned. "Owned by you now, isn't she? I'm Jim Pike and I'm mighty glad to know you. Mr. Crandall's attorneys sent me all the papers and I've got



"It sounds great," said Kay after she had climbed up to the bridge and gripped the wheel of the "Chinook."

you ready for you. Of course you'll have to re-register her under your own name down at the Federal Building. She's a staunch little ship, but she ain't been used in a long time, and I—

"But I wasn't planning on taking the boat out now," Kay rushed in. "I just wanted to look at her."

"I reckon you wasn't planning on taking her out," Pike smiled. "She's been neglected for quite some time. A boat's a good deal like a woman, you know. You can't neglect them and then expect them to be ready and waiting when you're in the mood. But I've kept the 'Chinook' in fair shape, and with a little fixin' she'll be all right!" He looked at Kay and her two friends appreciatively.

"Y'know, when I got the letter from Mr. Crandall's attorney I figured that this Miss Dearborn was probably a fussy old school-teacher who wouldn't have no use for the boat and would want to sell her right off."

"M-MAYBE I will want to sell her. You see, Mr. Pike, we don't know anything about boats."

paint and polish, and a big cleaning," Jim Pike explained. "Did Uncle Ben really cruise in that boat?" Kay inquired.

"He certainly did," averred Jim Pike. "And I and two others were with him. She'll sleep four easy. Those settees to port and starboard in the cabin fold into upper and lower berths. She's husky—and a 40-footer is ideal for you girls. Plenty of cruising on inside waters around here."

"We—we'd thought some of taking our vacation with the boat," Priscilla blurted.

JIM PIKE nodded. "You ain't really ever had a vacation until you've taken one in your own little boat—sail or power—with no schedules to make except maybe the tide. Wear what you want. Eat when you want. Just let the world go hang."

"It sounds nice," Kay said, after she had climbed up to the bridge and gripped the wheel. She tossed her head back in a riotous smile. "But we don't know anything about navigation."

"Shucks, you don't need navigation in inland waters like these around here. I can teach you some piloting—how to read a chart and lay out a course, and use the compass, and know what the buoys mean. You got common sense, I can see that. I'll teach you what you ought to know while you're getting the boat ready."

"B-but, you see, Mr. Pike, I'm not sure we can afford to trouble you."

"No trouble at all. I'm happy when I can get somebody introduced to the greatest sport in the world. I got a bunch you girls will take to water like the well-known duck. As for getting the boat fixed up . . . let's see . . . He pursed his lips judiciously. "A hundred dollars ought to put her in shape, if you want to do some of the painting and polishing yourselves."

Melita and Priscilla were weakening fast. They knew that among the three they could manage the hundred—counting in the next pay day. But Kay was still a little dubious. "I don't know. None of us has ever operated a boat."

"Easier than drivin' a car," claimed Jim Pike loftily. "You got a forward and a reverse and a speed lever. Of course," he added, "there ain't no brakes."

"We'll have to have some put in, then," Priscilla insisted.

Pike roared. "Not while you got the reverse. That's the brake on a seagoing automobile, lady."

Priscilla was not abashed. "Let's use her for our vacation," she cried, and Melita agreed.

"Well," said Kay, "let's get some food first and talk it over. We'll let you know tomorrow, Mr. Pike."

"That's okay. You'll do it."

(To Be Continued)

WASHINGTON

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WASHINGTON—Senator Hugo Black of Alabama is a loyal, unquestioning follower of the 41st Court appointment largely to his subservience to Roosevelt. So goes the patter.

The facts are something else again. And the big outstanding fact of which perhaps Roosevelt himself isn't aware is that in four years the President has swung completely around from primary fronts of his original political-economic philosophy to the policies advocated in 1933 by Black. Vital policies which Roosevelt refused to accept when Black urged them then are now among the brightest jewels in the New Deal store window.

FEW are aware that Black first voted to knock out the NRA or code section of the National Industrial Recovery act, then voted for NRA when it carried the Borah anti-monopoly amendment and finally voted against the finished measure as it came from conference for reasons which Black explained in a long-forgotten speech. In that speech made June 13, 1933, you will find much of what is sometimes called now, "The New Deal."

Black urged a flat wage-hour bill in which wage and hour standards would be declared by Congress, and enforced by the government and in which there would be no trade practice provisions or sops to industry.

He predicted collapse of NRA. Today Roosevelt stands behind Black's bill which strictly concerns itself with wages and hours.

Black argued against an act

which would permit price-fixing and restraint of production. Roosevelt approved the measure. Today Roosevelt has declared against price-fixing, has taken several steps toward lowering prices and is searching for a method of obtaining the highest possible level of production with the lowest feasible level of prices.

BLACK demanded government regulation of profits rather than a code system which would enable manufacturers to establish their own profit margin, holding that reduction of competition through NIRA would largely end the competitive system and perhaps destroy it. Roosevelt finally has come to the view that excessive profits must be cut down both by taxation and suppression of monopolies and other price-fixing combinations.

Black insisted that consumers must be protected from exploitation by profiteers. Roosevelt got around to that in his Madison Square Garden speech last fall and is definitely sold on the idea.

In general, Black declared years in advance many of the general principles of the Hopkins-Eccles-Henderson-Coyle political-economic theory among whose points are selective excess profit taxation, payment of social security costs by income taxes, "drawing off surplus income and giving it back to the poor," raising mass purchasing power, anti-trust prosecutions. The theory also proposes action against monopoly and collusive bidding and volume production at low prices. It is this general theory which Roosevelt privately espouses today.

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



A BIRD THAT TURNS WHITE IN WINTER, BLENDS SO PERFECTLY WITH THE SNOW THAT ITS SHADOW IS VISIBLE AT A GREATER DISTANCE THAN THE BIRD ITSELF!

SINCE the orbit of the earth is not a circle, the sun is not always the same distance from us, but this has no effect on the seasons, as can be seen from the fact that the northern hemisphere is closest to the sun when it is having its winter. The distance varies from about 91.5 million miles in January to 94.5 million in July.

Deaf Children Abandon Songs

By United Press
 ST. LOUIS.—Children enrolled at St. Joseph's Institute for the Deaf here are taught to speak and hear through sound waves and vibrations. The method has proved so successful, according to Mother Sylvia, director of the institute, that the sign language, ancient means of communication among the deaf, is no longer taught. Children as young as 3 years are accepted at the institute on

the theory that the earlier training is begun the easier they can learn to speak and develop an awareness of sound conveyed by vibrations through the nerves. Study Before Mirror The first step in the process of teaching the pupils is done before a mirror. They are shown the various positions of the lips, tongue and cheeks during the production of individual sounds. The teacher pronounces the sound while the child places his finger tips on her face to feel the voice vibrations. After intense application to this fundamental step, the pupil waxes himself in the mirror and tries to imitate the teacher. Unable to hear the sound he produces, the pupil depends entirely upon the mirror and the feel of the vibrations in his fingertips to receive and identify the sound. After he has mastered the basic letter sounds, the pupil then begins to construct them into words and sentences. New World Opened The average child coming into the institute, according to Mother Sylvia is surprised and fascinated by the knowledge that he has a name and that common objects which he has previously known only by sight and touch also have names. Each morning the children begin the day by marching to music. Assembled around a huge grand piano, the children place their

hands on the sounding board while a teacher plays a song with a marked rhythm. Then they leave the piano and march around the room, clapping and keeping step with the music's rhythm. Observers seeing the children for the first time are amazed at the ability to maintain their almost perfect rhythm. In addition to learning to hear through sound vibrations the pupils also become adept at reading lips. The world's fastest camera catches rays of light that left the stars thousands of years ago. How about trying for a picture of a senator starting for home when Congress adjourns?

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MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse



FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



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