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Five Ships In Japanese Convoy Sunk

R. V. GALLOWAY QUILTS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

Resigns Effective May 1 To Engage in Printing Business At Taylor

R. V. (Rip) Galloway, for seven years county clerk of Eastland county resigned Monday effective May 1, and the County Commissioners' Court appointed Miss Johnnie Hightower, chief deputy in the office to serve out his unexpired term.

Galloway announced that he and R. A. Butler, Eastland newspaper man, had leased a commercial printing business in Taylor with an option to purchase and that they would move to Taylor and take charge of the business.

Galloway came to Eastland county from Hillsboro in January 1918. He entered the commercial printing business in Ranger and soon thereafter established a weekly newspaper in Ranger which he published for sometime. He was elected Eastland county clerk four successive terms and was a candidate for his fifth term when he resigned.

Miss Hightower, who has been a deputy in the Clerk's office for the past seven years, stated that she would not be a candidate for the office in the coming Democratic primary, which leaves W. V. Love, a former deputy in the office, alone in the field of candidates for the office.

With reference to his resignation Galloway made the following comment:

"I have submitted my resignation with deep regret in severing an association which has given me so much pleasure and gained me so many friends, said Galloway. "I am sincerely grateful for the kindness of Eastland county people and the confidence they have expressed in me by returning me to office three consecutive terms. It was my first venture into politics and I am proud of the fact that at no time, in asking for a favor at the hands of the electorate have I been turned down. I hope that I have justified this faith in the kind of service that this office has given under my administration. I am sure that Miss Hightower, who is thoroughly familiar with the office and is now my chief deputy, will continue the same service, and I ask for her the same cooperation that has been given me."

Two From Ranger Now At Great Lakes Station

New recruits at the U. S. Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Illinois, are two Ranger, Texas, men.

They are now receiving instruction in seamanship, military drill, and naval procedure. Soon they will be given a series of aptitude tests for determining whether they will be assigned to one of the Navy's service schools, or to immediate active duty at sea.

Upon completing their recruit training, these men will be home on a nine-day leave. They are: Harold Dywane Jennings, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Jennings, 919 Blackwell Street; and John Lee McKelvin, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hardy McKelvin, 910 Cypress street.

Livestock Men To Have Meeting In Ranger Wed.

Eastland County Livestock Association Officers and members will hold their monthly meeting in Ranger on Wednesday night, March 22nd, at the Chamber of Commerce.

All livestock men are urged to attend the meeting and hear a very interesting program on Pasture Improvement and Identifying Grasses by L. K. Gregory, Soil Conservation Technician, who will lead the discussion.

URGES FITNESS PROGRAM FOR POST WAR MEN

By JAMES BIXBY

United Press Staff Correspondent CHICAGO, (UP).—Rigors of war have re-emphasized to physical education leaders in the Chicago area the importance of adequate postwar training program to keep the nation's youth in A-1 physical condition.

And Northwestern University and the University of Chicago plan to do something about "the coddled children of today."

Prof. Leon Kranz, quiet-spoken head of N. U.'s physical education program wants to provide a rigid postwar training plan for youth stressing mass participation and patterned on present Army-Navy standards.

Kranz referred to recent figures showing that 50 per cent of the first 2,000,000 men examined were physically unfit for selective service, and nearly half of those inducted were far from being top physical specimens.

"We've become too soft," Kranz said.

"We should have learned our lesson in World War I," he added. "Instead we returned to a life of ease and luxury."

Kranz said postwar training "will be a challenge to American educators."

Years ago, he said, youth developed stamina from farm chores and walking miles to school. Today, children are coddled by riding to school and performing chores by pressing buttons.

He outlined a tentative peacetime program which would set aside one hour a day for physical exercise, establish standards of body condition and institute health instruction in elementary and high schools.

"Far from producing a physically fit people, our sports program is in a large way responsible for the physical shortcomings indicated by the high percentage of draft rejections," Kranz said.

He said he believed too great emphasis has been attached to competitive sports at the expense of mass training.

"The standards set by the Army and Navy physical training program in colleges and camps during the war should form the basis of peacetime plans," Kranz asserted. "It will be regretful if we do not retain them."

Meanwhile Erwin F. Beyer, physical education instructor at the University of Chicago pointed to the "event crown" of the university's Lou Levitt as 1943 AAU steeplechase champion, despite the handicap of infantile paralysis as a boy indicating that physical education may play a large role in restoring the use of the lower limbs of returning war veterans.

"Such re-education," Beyer said "might possibly play a tremendous role in psychological re-birth of the men with lower limb war injuries. Well trained teachers would choose activities in which success has the best chance to accrue."

Red Cross Work Room Hour For Opening Is 1 p. m.

Officials in charge of the Red Cross surgical dressings work room stated today that the work room will be opened at 1 o'clock each Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and not at 1:30 o'clock as previously reported.

A new quota of materials for the dressings has arrived and the workers are being urged to give as much time as possible to this important work.

Ranger workers have a splendid record for turning out the quotas in record breaking time and it is hoped that this standard can be maintained.

DALLAS, Tex. (UP)—Regional War Labor Board officials said today they had received word that bus operators and mechanics of the Tri-State Bus lines who had been on strike in Louisiana and other southern states returned to work as of noon today.

First Picture of Eight-Month-Old South American Quintuplets



This is the first picture to be released of the quintuplets reported born last July to Senor and Senora Franco Dilligenti in Buenos Aires. Three girls and two boys, the babies left to right are Carlos Alberto, Maria Esther, Maria Christina and Franco. Up to now the father withheld

BERLIN IN FLAMES AFTER AIR RAID



SILHOUETTED against the glare of flaming buildings hit by incendiary bombs during an Allied raid on Berlin, German firemen fight a desperate battle against the conflagration. This picture was received through a neutral source. (International)

Lt. M. B. Wilson's Score Is Now 16 Combat Missions

Mr. and Mrs. M. Wilson have received a letter from their son, First Lt. Merrell B. Wilson, who is stationed with the Air Corps in England, stating that he has completed 16 combat missions since going into combat service in November.

Lt. Wilson is a first pilot on a B-26 Marauder bomber and has been in England since October 18. He was born June 25, 1895. He was a member of the Methodist church.

John M. Stuard Gets Transfer

Pfc. John M. Stuard, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Stuard, Rt. 3, Ranger, Texas, has been transferred from the Carlbad Army Air Field, Carlbad, New Mexico, to Goldsboro, N. C.

Charlie E. Emsley Buried In Ranger Monday Evening

Funeral services for Charlie E. Emsley of Ranger were conducted Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the Killingsworth San Antonio Chapel, with Rev. H. B. Johnson in charge of the services. Interment was in the Evergreen Cemetery.

Mr. Emsley who had been a resident of Ranger for the past 26 years died Saturday, March 18. He was born June 25, 1865. He was a member of the Methodist church.

Survivors are: two sons, Gene Emsley of Cisco, Hugh Emsley of Knippa; four daughters, Mrs. Jesse Franklin of Odessa, Mrs. Norene Scott of Odessa, and Mrs. Velara Hamilton of Monahan; three brothers, W. R. Emsley of Kerrville, Jim Emsley of San Antonio and Henry Emsley of San Antonio. Fifteen grand children and 13 great grand children also survive.

J. J. Callaway To Seek Election As Representative

J. J. Callaway of Cisco today authorized this newspaper to announce the fact that he will be a candidate for floratorial representative of Eastland and Callahan counties in the coming election.

He stated that he is making the race at the request of many friends who feel that he could be of great value to the people of the district at this time.

Judge Callaway was born and reared on a farm in Johnson county, Tex., and largely worked his way through high school and college. He taught school for several years and read law nights and during spare time, attending law school at vacation. He volunteered and served as a soldier in World War One, practiced law awhile later, in a modest way engaged in the oil business as an independent. Friends call attention to the fact that he has always been interested in education and in the welfare of the young.

The candidate has lived in Cisco for several years and is now a member of Eastland county local OPA board, to which he has devoted a great deal of time, without pay and at his own expense in traveling and other activities incident to this work, as all members of the county board are doing.

Pressed for a statement, Judge Callaway smilingly answered that he was too busy with OPA duties right now for campaigning or talking platform, but hopes to do a moderate amount later, provided it can be done with out interfering with quick winning of the war, which he thinks is paramount and must be thought of and worked for above all other matters.

Reptile May Be Geological Key

AUSTIN, Tex. (UP)—Desmotosuchus is going to be investigated.

"Deey" is a 10-foot horn-backed reptile—he's cigar shaped—who existed in prehistoric times.

It is believed he will afford new information on an important formation through which drillers pass in drilling for oil and water.

An \$865 grant from the University of Texas Research Institute will enable H. J. Swain, assistant geologist in the university bureau of economic geology, to begin his studies of vertebrae fossils in the Triassic formation which underlies the high plains of Texas.

Deey was obtained from an old quarry in Howard County.

Governor's 56th Birthday Passes By Unobserved

AUSTIN, Tex. (UP)—Gov. Coke E. Stevenson of Texas reached his 56th birthday Monday, March 20. He neither celebrated nor observed the day.

The governor reached his 56th birthday looking as young as when he served the state as lieutenant-governor or when he was speaker of the House of Representatives. He swings an axe for exercise, getting the dual advantage of clearing cedar from his ranch near Junction.

Recently mentioned for an endorsement as Texas' choice for President, he brushes aside such talk though his remarkable career would make such a step no surprise.

Born March 20, 1888, he is largely self-educated. He attended school but 22 months. Before he was of age he had the disability of minority removed in order that he might become a bank cashier. He was admitted to the bar in 1913, was county attorney from 1914 to 1918, county judge from 1918 to 1920, and became a bank president in 1921.

He remained at the head of the bank until 1927 and was elected to the state legislature in 1928 and was speaker of the House 1933-37. He was elected lieutenant governor in 1931, succeeded to the governorship in 1941, and was elected governor in 1942.

Wesley C. Hancock On Duty In Italy Gets A Promotion

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Murrell have received word that their son-in-law, Wesley C. Hancock, who is with the 15th Air Force in Italy has been promoted to first lieutenant.

Lt. Hancock is a fighter pilot and in the short while that he has been in combat duty has, up to March 1, completed 26 missions. Among the many exciting experiences which he has had in line of duty, he told of having to limp back to his base after one of his motors had gone up in an explosion. He made a safe return and stated that the experience sold him on the twin motor planes.

Word Received From Lt. Harris

Friends have received word from Lt. Bruce Harris who is now stationed with the armed forces in England stating that he is enjoying his stay in that country.

Lt. Harris told of visiting London, Birmingham and many other cities and shrines while on leave from his duties.

SCRAP PAPER DRIVE TO BE HELD FRIDAY

R. B. Thomas, Jr., who will direct the waste paper drive for the FFA boys in Ranger Friday, stated today that the paper should be tied in bundles of not less than 25 pounds in order to be acceptable by the purchasing company.

The drive will be started at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon and school will be dismissed in order for the students to assist in the drive. Trucks will canvass today that the following trucks have already been offered for the drive; one each from A. J. Ratliff, Ranger Times, Southern Ice Company, Dean Poyner and John Jones.

Others who have trucks which may be used for the collection of the paper may list them for the drive by contacting Thomas at his home or at the high school. Thomas also stated that those who have transportation may speed up the drive by bringing in their own bundles. The paper will be collected on the vacant lot between the railroad crossing at Main street and the cattle loading pens, on highway 80.

The truck which will carry the paper to the purchasing company will be at the collection center and the paper will be loaded on the truck as it is brought in. As soon as the truck is filled the paper will be taken to Dallas.

Eastland Man Goes With State Atty. General

Ray Hardwick, for the past seven years with the Texas Liquor Control Board, has resigned that position effective April 1, to go with the Texas Attorney General's Department. He will be located at Austin and will be the department's only investigator.

Hardwick, 40, and a native of Eastland county, Texas, entered the services of the State Liquor Control Board on January 1, 1937. He had previously served as Eastland county deputy sheriff. He was for more than a year in charge of the Lubbock district, composed of 21 counties, and when he was working at the time of his resignation.

Hardwick's hobby is horses. He owns a number of quarter horses and Palominos and is a breeder of both. He is a member of the Palomino Horse Breeders' Association of America, Texas Palomino Association and of the Quarter Horse Association of Texas.

Student Nurses Complete One Link Of Training

Mrs. M. Wilson was in Fort Worth during the week end and while there attended the capping ceremonies for student nurses of the Harris Memorial Hospital of which group her daughter, Miss Mary Irene Wilson is a member.

The ceremonies were held at the Mulkey Memorial Methodist church Friday evening and marked the termination of the pre-clinical work for the nurses. The 44 nurses will now be on regular duty at the hospital.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Considerable cloudiness, light rain northwest and north central portions this afternoon, north portion Wednesday. Warmer northeast portion and cooler in the extreme northwest portion tonight. Cooler in west portion Wednesday. Fresh to strong winds.

No cheerfulness is spread by folks who go around looking as if they had been raised on lemon juice instead of milk.

BATTLE TAKES PLACE OFF NEW GUINEA; 1500 TROOPS LOST

LONDON (UP)—British submarines, ranging through far eastern waters, sank seven Japanese supply ships and severely damaged two others, one of which was left burning, in recent patrol actions, it was announced.

American airmen sent five ships of a Japanese convoy and 1,500 troops to the bottom off northern New Guinea while American submarines sank 15 more Japanese ships in the Pacific and Far East, it was announced today.

Secretary of Navy Frank Knox reported the latest submarine haul included two transporters, two tankers and 11 freighters, bringing to 642 the total of Japanese ships hit by the United States undersea fleet. The list includes 492 ships known to have been sunk.

The American offensive from the air also brought planes into collaboration with battleships to deliver what appeared to be a knockout blow on Mill Atoll, one of the few remaining enemy bases in the Eastern Marshalls.

The air attack on the Japanese convoy resulting in the loss of 1,500 troops believed intended as reinforcement for the battered enemy base at Wewak, was described as the greatest sea engagement in the southwest Pacific since the first battle of the Bismarck Sea a year ago this month.

Nazi Occupation Of Hungary Stirs Rumors Of War

LONDON, (UP)—Hungarian quarters in Stockholm said today that Hungary might proclaim a formal state of war with Germany in defiance of Nazi occupation of the country and the reported establishment of a puppet government at Budapest.

A Stockholm dispatch said Hungarians there expected an announcement that Hungary was at war with Germany, although other reports from the continent indicated that some 150,000 German troops were completing the occupation and had the strifetorn Balkan state well under the Nazi thumb.

Army Separates 19 Year Old Twins

AMARILLO, Tex. (UP)—For the first time in their lives Rex and Ray Daniel, 19 year old twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Daniel, have been separated.

As privates in the Army Air Corps, the boys have been sent to different fields. Rex is stationed in Santa Anna Air Base, Santa Anna, Cal., where he hopes to win his wings as a navigator, and Ray is in weather observer's school at Williams Field, Chandler, Ariz.

Although twins, the boys were not born in the same year, Ray lists his birthday as Dec. 21, while Rex delayed his appearance until Jan. 1, 1926.

VESUVIUS ERUPTS

On the slopes of Mt. Vesuvius—a 76-foot wall of molten lava obliterated the village of San Sebastian, on the upper slopes of Mount Vesuvius today, only a few hours after Allied military authorities had removed its 6,000 inhabitants.

14 DIE IN BUS PLUNGE

FASSAIC, N. J. (UP)—The known death toll in the bus crash into the icy waters of the Passaic River yesterday rose to 14 today when police recovered the body of a 32-year-old war worker, one of 14 persons listed by the Red Cross previously as missing.

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Hodges Oak Park School News

Editor—Ralph Gay, Associate Editor—Jimmie Heinlin, Reporters—David M. Phillips, Byrellene Parkes, Dorthe Belle Hightower, Inez Bledsoe, Katy Lou Jacoby.

CHORAL CLUB DISBANDED

Mrs. Phillips has this week disbanded her choral club after a successful season. Since school is nearing its close, most pupils need their time to study their final tests, and this grade will soon begin practicing for its graduation exercises.

SPANISH I AND SPANISH II CLASSES CONTEST

Last Friday morning, enthusiasm was high and each class was anxious for his side to win as

Spanish I and Spanish II classes raced for championship.

The contest dealt with the writing of the days of the week, months of the year, and numbers from one to one hundred, in Spanish. At the end of the period, the score was tied 6-6. Both classes seemed to enjoy the contest, and it seemed to sou each side on to greater goals.

THIRD GRADE STUDIES SPRING

The third grade is engrossed in studying about spring. This week they are learning a poem entitled "Jack In The Pulpit" and are studying about birds, butterflies and flowers.

ENTERTAINS

The fourth grade Good Deed Club had a party in the music room March 15 at 2:45 p. m. A program of music and readings was given by the pupils, and refreshments were served to the parents and pupils. A good time was reported by all.

Insurance advertisement for C. E. MAY, 211 MAIN STREET. Includes contact information and a small illustration.

Johnson Radio Shop advertisement. Includes address (318 East Main St.) and services offered.

Killingsworth's advertisement for tax services. Includes contact information and services like 'FOR TAXI CALL NO. 1'.

Inside WASHINGTON

No Legislation Simplifying Heavy "Over-Cut" of Timber Income Tax Before Mid-Year Due to War Effort Demands

WASHINGTON—The job of drafting legislation simplifying income taxes and tax returns is proving to be rather a slow process. Indications are that it will be two months or more before a bill begins to take shape.

ARGENTINA'S RELUCTANCE to break cleanly with Axis sympathizers among her governing class is threatening to cause a split in the solid anti-Axis front which has existed below the Rio Grande since the entry of the United States into the war.

AMERICANS HAVE ASSURANCE from OPA Administrator Chester Bowles that there will be no immediate relaxation of price control and rationing after the war.

POLITICAL OBSERVERS IN WASHINGTON and New England are keeping pre-convention eyes upon New Hampshire's 45-year-old Senator Styles Bridges as a potential Republican vice presidential candidate.

FOR THE SECOND TIME in recent days the White House has knuckled under to Congress in what Washington observers view as a significant conciliatory attitude.

White House members were watching the White House headed them off with a frank letter of capitulation. It was a victory for a relatively junior Senate committee.

DAILY CROSSWORD

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words.

LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY BY BRANDON WALSH

Comic strip 'Little Annie Rooney' panels 1-4. Annie Rooney is looking for her father and dog.

THE LONE RANGER BY FRAN STRIKER

Comic strip 'The Lone Ranger' panels 1-4. The Lone Ranger is being chased by a mob.

By PAUL ROBINSON

Comic strip panels 1-4. A man is talking to a woman about a picture.

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Advertisement for Fire & Casualty Hospitalization Insurance Real Estate.

Advertisement for Deformity treatment by E. R. Green, D.C.

Advertisement for Dr. W D McGraw, Optometrist.

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NO SOLDIERS, NO MONEY
 HOUSTON, Tex. (UP)—The woman reported to police that her faith in the army had been ruffled.
 She said she met two soldiers in a tavern, drank beer, left her table for a moment, and when she returned \$135 was missing from her purse.
 The soldiers were missing, too.

WASHINGTON—The Navy today announced the loss of the U. S. submarines Capelin and Sculpin with crews numbering approximately 150 men, including a submarine division commander.

Political Announcements
 This newspaper is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

COUNTY CLERK
 W. V. (Virgil) Love

COUNTY JUDGE
 C. H. (Harl) O'Brien

COUNTY TREASURER
 Mrs. Ruth (Garland) Branton
 For Re-election

For Tax Assessor-Collectors
 Clyde S. Karkalis

DISTRICT CLERK
 John White (Re-Election.)

Lois Evertz.

Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
 HENRY DAVENPORT.

R. L. Faircloth

STATE LEGISLATURE
 E. (Bob) N. Grisham

OFFICE OF SHERIFF
 JOHN HART. (re-election.)

Justice of Peace Precinct 2
 Charles Bobo

Floterial Representative
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Hodges Oak Park

Much enthusiasm was shown this week by the students in selling tickets to the bingo party, which was sponsored by the City Council last Friday night at the Recreation building.

We want to take this opportunity of thanking all the parents for donating fruits and canned goods to be used as prizes, and all the pupils and teachers who cooperated by selling tickets. These services were greatly appreciated.

—Byrellena Parks.

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AXIS AGENTS STAY; TRAVEL SUSPENDED IN EIRE



Robert Brennan



Eamon De Valera

ALL TRAVEL has been suspended between Ireland and Great Britain "for military reasons of paramount importance," as the U. S. and Britain move to isolate neutral Eire and protect United Nations interests following Prime Minister Eamon De Valera's refusal to oust Axis diplomatic agents, a step he said would violate his country's neutrality. Robert Brennan, minister to the U. S. from Eire, expressed in Washington that he believes the United States will not put pressure behind his request that De Valera abandon neutrality and expel German and Japanese diplomats.

and Pinocchio decorations made by the fourth grade under the direction of Miss Baskin. School rooms are made much more attractive by these decorations.

DONATIONS TO LIBRARY
 The pupils want to express their deepest gratitude to some of the students that donated to the library this week. One book that will be especially interesting to boys is "The Flying Midshipman," which was donated by Clarence English. Thanks again, students, for your thoughtfulness in providing new reading material for the pupils in Hodges Oak Park.

"Flash" Melva Jean Ddd is in love with Keith.

RED CROSS QUOTA GREAT
 The school is very pleased, with the donation of children and

teachers to the American Red Cross. The sum collected was \$55.30 in the ten rooms. Giving to the Red Cross, we think is one of the most worthy bits we on the home front can contribute to the war effort. This fund is greatly appreciated, especially by the boys who are winning our Freedom. "Flash" Dorothy Belle, you had better look out, Sue Ann is getting Robert Martin.

MRS. GILBERT REPORTS ON PHYSICAL EDUCATION CLASSES

In our sixth and seventh grade health courses we have physical education classes on the school

ground. Captains are appointed for the boys and girls. Each captain is to serve one week, and it is their duty to plan and direct the games that are played during physical education class period. In this way the boys and girls learn to enter in a game and do their part even though the game isn't one of their choice.

TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY \$6 PREFERRED STOCK DIVIDEND

The regular quarterly dividend of \$1.50 per share on \$6 preferred stock outstanding was declared by the Board of Directors March 14, payable April 1, 1944, to stockholders of record at the close of business March 21, 1944.

W. T. SCOTT, Acting Secretary



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Society, Clubs

Mr. and Mrs. Paul MacDonald and son, Paul, Jr., spent Saturday in Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bell have returned to their home in Palestine after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Bell and Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Bryan.

Mrs. Saunders Gregg is in Houston to be with her sister-in-law, Miss Lucy Gregg, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Jewel Brown spent Sunday with friends in Eastland.

Mrs. John M. Ghobson left Monday for Ft. Worth to be with her sister, Mrs. Lula Kiddle, who is a patient in a Ft. Worth Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Newnam of Longview spent the week end in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morris had as their guests for the week end, Mr. Morris' mother, Mrs. O. P. Morris of Eastland, his sisters, Miss Hallie Morris of Ely, Nevada and Mrs. Eli Harris of San Antonio and his brother, Sgt. Ray Morris, home for a thirty day leave from service in Guatemala City.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Edwards who have been making their home in Big Sandy have returned to make their home in Ranger.

Guy Robinson of Strawn who has been a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital has been removed to his home.

Mrs. George Gonzales of Gordon is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. J. H. Stacks who has been a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital has been removed to her home.

Mrs. T. E. Price and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Bell have as their guest Mrs. E. J. Bertsch of Springfield, Oregon.

Alfred Giddings of Gordon is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. Glen Simons and daughter, Flora, have returned from a visit in Gladewater.

Mrs. J. L. Housley of Strawn has returned to her home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Croon.

Mrs. Leslie Kincaid has returned from Ft. Worth where her daughter recently underwent surgery.

Kendall Way with the Interstate Theatres with headquarters

Hassen-Sadak Troth Revealed At Party

HAMLIN, Tex. March 21 (Spl.)—The engagement and approaching marriage of Selma Hassen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Hassen of Hamlin, to George Sadak, of Washington, D. C., was announced when the prospective bride's mother was hostess to 150 guests at a tea Friday afternoon in honor of her daughter.

The wedding will be an event of April 9 at the home of the bride-elect's family.

Mrs. J. M. McCrary, Mrs. W. J. Roundtree and Edwina Gilbert entertained with a musical program. Mrs. Earl Smith was in charge of the guest book.

Receiving with the bride-to-be and her mother were Mrs. Edward Lake, Mrs. Sam Salem and Mrs. Sied Waheed of Munday, Mrs. D. Joseph of Ranger, Mrs. D. Hassen of Moran and Mrs. Ed Bailey.

The appointments of the tea table favored a blue and gold theme. A graceful arrangement of yellow calla lilies centered the table and blue sweetpeas encircled the punch bowl. Assisting at the tea table were Winnie Faye and Norik Hassen and Zelma Green of Hamlin, Junerose Salem of Munday, Billie Merle Adair and Hayett Hassen of Moran.

The bride was dressed in a brown suit with aqua and brown accessories. Her corsage was of pink buds, intermingled with net ruffles.

Carson Smith a University of Texas student was best man.

Mrs. Mayer is a graduate of the Weatherford Business College, and was employed at the Department of Agriculture, Austin.

Mrs. Mayer was a student in the Texas University until he completed a portion last year as detail draftsman at the Consolidated

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Coke Martin transacted business in Breckenridge, Monday.

Mrs. Lucie Hinemann has returned from a visit with her husband who is stationed with the armed forces at Fort Dix, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Edwards who have been making their home in Big Sandy have returned to make their home in Ranger.

Guy Robinson of Strawn who has been a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital has been removed to his home.

Mrs. George Gonzales of Gordon is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. J. H. Stacks who has been a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital has been removed to her home.

Mrs. T. E. Price and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Bell have as their guest Mrs. E. J. Bertsch of Springfield, Oregon.

Alfred Giddings of Gordon is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. Glen Simons and daughter, Flora, have returned from a visit in Gladewater.

Mrs. J. L. Housley of Strawn has returned to her home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Croon.

Mrs. Leslie Kincaid has returned from Ft. Worth where her daughter recently underwent surgery.

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