

THIS WAY AND WATCH YOUR STEP—If you should ever get caught at the wrong end of a fire, you could have this sight confronting you. It's a victim's view of a rescue ladder, provided in this overhead shot of new fire equipment in St. Louis, Mo. The 100-foot ladder is casing up to the 80-foot level.

GI Allowances For School Vets Are Due Early

Veterans in school under the Korean GI Bill most likely will get their monthly GI Allowance before they go home for the Christmas vacation, Scott B. Harrington, manager of the Veterans Administration Regional Office in Dallas, said today.

Normally, GI allowance checks are mailed around the 20th of the month. But in December, many schools begin vacations before that date. So that veterans won't have to go on vacation without funds, VA is making a special effort to mail the checks beforehand, Mr. Harrington said.

The Dallas VA regional office is speeding up steps to authorize GI allowance payments for veteran-trainees and is making arrangements with Treasury Department Disbursing Offices—which actually issue the GI checks for early mailing.

Veterans and their schools cooperate in this effort by getting monthly certifications of training status to VA promptly after the end of November, Mr. Harrington said.

"There may be exceptional cases in which it may not be possible to make the payments ahead of time," Mr. Harrington said, "but in most cases veterans will receive their checks before going home for Christmas."

Thursday Afternoon Club Hears Speech On Religious Affairs

Mrs. Charles Loreto of New York City was the guest speaker for the Thursday Afternoon Club Thursday.

Mrs. Loreto, the former Rosalie Leslie, is the daughter of Mrs. W. P. Leslie and was reared in Eastland. During Mrs. Loreto's interesting career, she has been a successful country school teacher, a university administrator and is now filling an important place in New York City as the wife of Judge Charles Loreto, an outstanding judge and civic leader. Her charming personality and her interest in educational and religious affairs have made her many friends among the leaders in the fields both in this country and abroad.

Mrs. Loreto is an active leader in the International Christian Leadership movement, an organization to stimulate lay people everywhere to draw near to God and to try to find His way for each life. The purpose of the movement, started 25 years ago, is to make Christian leaders and to make leaders Christians; a worldwide effort to bring about a spiritual awareness and awakening.

The speaker recounted numerous examples of the good being accomplished by the members of these groups as she gave personal experiences and observations with film illustrations of the International Christian Leadership Conference held in Europe, which she and Judge Loreto attended.

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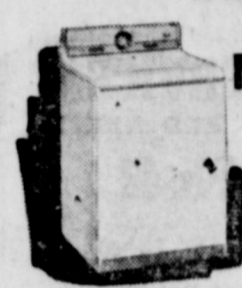
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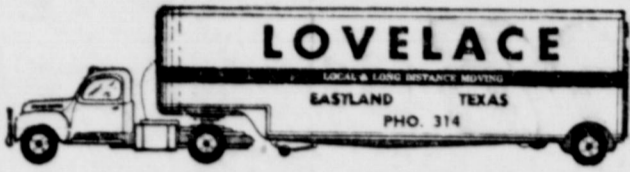
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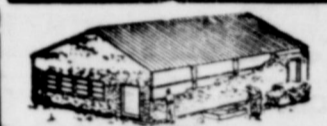
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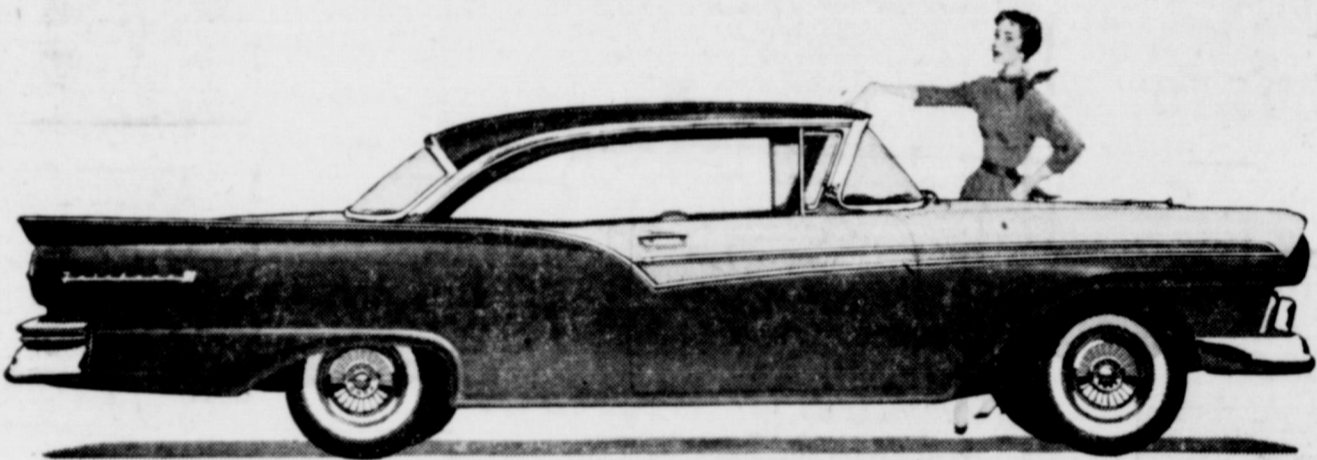
Ex-Ranger Boy In Who's Who

Charles Masseege, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Masseege formerly of Ranger, has been listed in the 1956-57 Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. Masseege is a student at H-SU where he is a 3-year letterman in football, a member of the BSU and Life Service Band, and a member of Cowboys for Christ, a Baptist student group in the athletic department.



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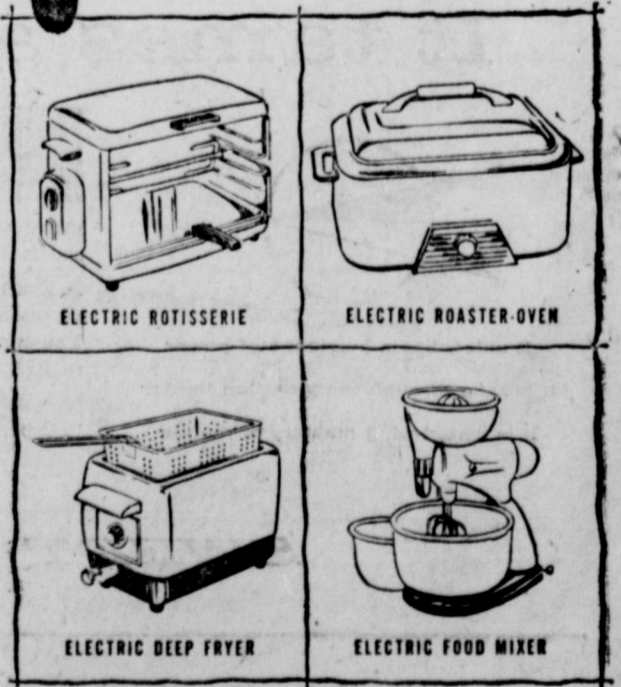
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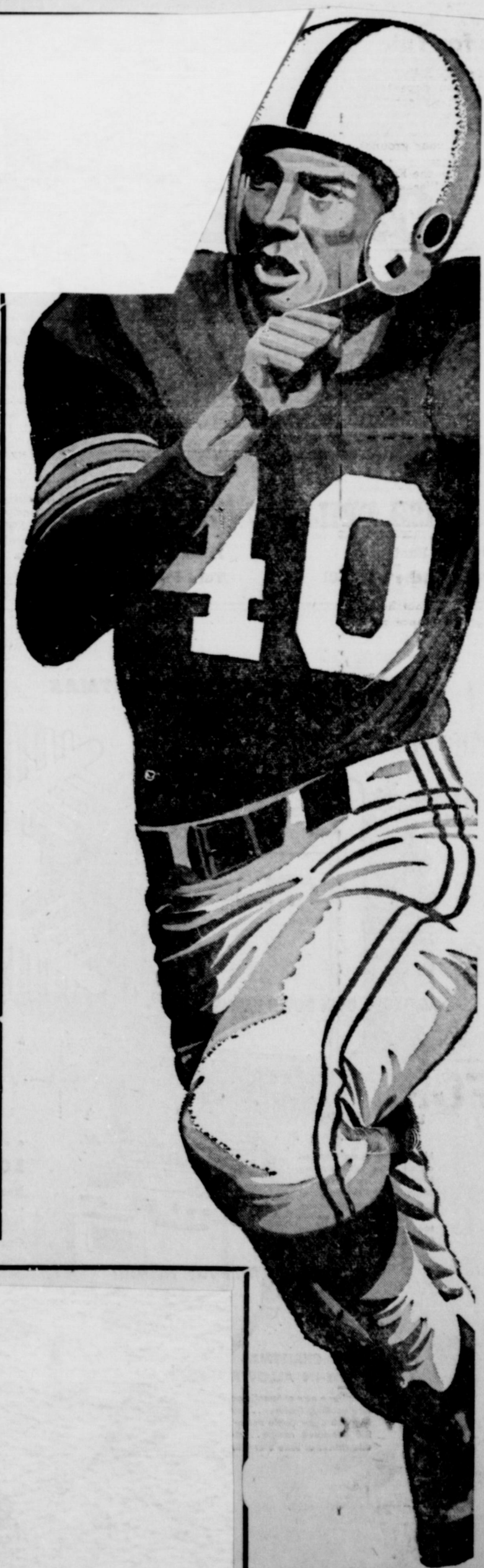
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erty and may be used in conjunction with a will. Trusts have many advantages. A trust may be used to provide income for persons unable to support themselves, to provide funds for a child's education, as a means of establishing an annuity, or to provide a gift for a charitable institution.

In these days of high taxes, a trust may be utilized to minimize the tax burden. If carefully planned, a trust may decrease income and inheritance taxes. A trust arrangement works roughly in this manner. A person who desires to create a trust is called a grantor. The grantor chooses a trustee. The trustee may be a bank, an individual, or a trust company. The grantor through a trust instrument tells the trustee how to distribute the trust property or income. The trustee will then manage and distribute the trust proceeds or property in whatever manner the grantor desires.

A very common arrangement is to place the property in trust with directions to pay the income from the property to a wife for her life, and on her death the trust is to end and the property is to be distributed to the grantor's children.

An interesting type of trust is that which is sometimes called a spendthrift trust. This is an arrangement whereby one sets up a certain sum of money to be given out to another at a definite rate per month or per year, or under definite restrictions.

This type of trust is generally used in wills where a person desires to leave money to an indi-

vidual. The effectiveness of a trust is dependent largely on its proper creation. To avoid the pitfalls and dangers of lawsuits and ineffective trust operations, a trust instrument should be properly prepared. A poorly planned or carelessly drawn trust instrument can not only defeat the objectives of its creator, but may prove costly as well.

Your lawyer can advise you whether a trust arrangement will be advantageous in your particular situation, and is qualified by education and experience to prepare properly the legal papers necessary to set up a trust. If you have in mind some bank or trust company to act as trustee, that firm's trust officer will be glad to discuss the matter in a conference with you and your attorney.

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Texas University To Explore Indian Ruins

The best indices of time differences in culture. Dr. Davis, who will be assisted by a graduate student, says he hopes to get a history of the area, learning more about the occupations and way of life of early inhabitants in that region. Detailed notes and photographs will be taken as the site is dug so that Dr. Davis can recreate the site in his laboratory for further studies.

Dr. Davis joined the University staff in September as a research scientist in anthropology. He previously taught at the University of Nebraska and engaged in archeological research in Canada for a historical research foundation.



NEWS FROM DESEDEMONA
By Ansel McMasters

Karon Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Lewis was in the Gorman Hospital a few days this last week, but returned home Monday.

Mrs. Chas Lee who had the misfortune to fall and break her hip a few days ago has returned home.

A. F. Lewis underwent surgery at Gorman Hospital Friday and is reported doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Wilcoxson and daughters, Judy and Jo of Odessa spent the weekend here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Glasse and sons visited Sunday afternoon in Gorman with the D. L. Bonds.

The Paul Arnolds left for Midland Saturday after spending a week vacation here with his parents the John Arnolds.

The Scottie Le Masters of Dallas visited relatives here this weekend.

Mrs. Here Ficklens of Dallas visited the Anse Browns this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Johnson and boys visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Nickes and children

of Palo Pinto.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Torance are moving back to their home after living near Stephenville for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas May of Humble.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Clark and children of Alice, visited her mother, Mrs. Rouse, and his parents Mr. and Mrs. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgin Wilhite of Calif. visited his mother, Mrs. Ida Wilhite.

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