

Local

First aid classes offered

The Texas Students Education Association is sponsoring two sessions in first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation.

Both sessions will be taught by the Red Cross. The first session will be held on Tuesdays, Sept. 22 through Nov. 23, from 7 to 9 p.m. in 127 Academic Building.

The second session will be held on Thursdays, Sept. 24 through

Nov. 25, from 7 to 9 p.m. in the same room.

The only cost of the course is \$2.50 for a textbook.

Interested persons can call the Red Cross office at 822-2157 or Karin Whittredge at 696-0807 to sign up for the sessions.

The classes are open to the public, but will be limited to 25 people.

Four speakers to discuss China

Texas A&M University's Chinese Student and International Student associations will sponsor a forum on Chinese issues Sunday at 1:30 p.m. in 601 Rudder.

Four experts on China — who have been invited to testify in U.S. Congressional hearings — will discuss issues concerning Mainland China and Nationalist China. These speakers are:

— Dr. Teh-kuang Chang, political science professor, Ball

State University, Muncie, Ind.
— Dr. Ignatius J.H. Tsao, political science professor, Houston Baptist University, Houston

— Dr. James Tsao, political science professor, Houston Baptist University, Houston

— Dr. Richard H. Yang, professor of Chinese and Japanese, Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.

A reception honoring the four speakers will be held at 1 p.m. in 601 Rudder Tower.

Building creates food for endangered deer

By M. WALTER CARROLL
Battalion Reporter

The Florida Key deer population, an endangered species, is increasing as the construction of subdivisions creates new food sources, a Texas A&M University wildlife and fisheries sciences professor said Thursday.

Dr. Nova Silvy, who spent three years in the Florida Keys on a study of the deer's behavioral habits, presented a talk on the endangered Key deer before the Rio Brazos Audubon Society Thurs-

day night at the Brazos Valley Museum. The deer is the smallest race of the White Tail deer in North America.

Silvy said the deer, which inhabits 6,000-acre Big Pine Key island, only numbered around 25 in 1957 and now presently numbers between 350 and 400.

The study which was conducted on a 1,400 acre refuge on the island was used as a life study to save the endangered deer.

Silvy spent his three years in Florida trapping the deer and

placing radio transmitters on necks so the group could monitor the deer's daily habits.

The group also ear tagged, placed streamers on the deer they would be easily spotted.

By following the deer, group discovered the impact humans had on them when they entered the area.

Many subdivisions were built at the time, and this was creating a new food source for the deer, Silvy said.

Most of the work was done at night because the deer do not come to the building site in the evening to feed.

He said there would be no need to move the deer from the island and expect them to survive. Deer are found on 18 different lands all in a small area.

Vet benefits to be topic of meeting

By JOHNA JO MAUREL
Battalion Reporter

There are many government benefits available to disabled American veterans and their dependents that they may not be aware of.

The Bryan-College Station chapter of the Disabled American Veterans, a public service organization, will sponsor a meeting free for veterans and their dependents at 9:30 a.m. Saturday. The meeting will take place in the Carpenters Local Union Hall, 206 W. 30th St., Bryan.

"This will be an awareness meeting, to acquaint veterans and their dependents with the benefits available to them through the Veterans Administration," said Floyd D. Wells, Bryan College Station chapter commander.

"People don't realize the benefits that are available," he said. "When they were discharged from service, they didn't look into them."

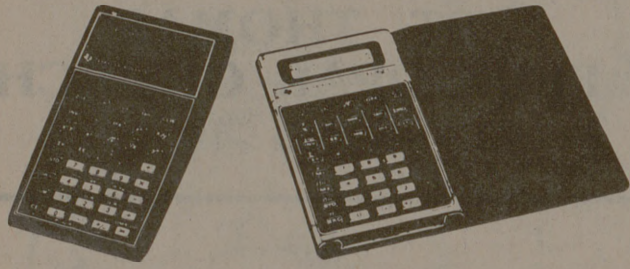
Texas A&M University students who are Vietnam veterans or their dependents may be eligible for educational, tutorial assistance in addition to other possible benefits, Wells said.

Guest speaker William Hazelwood Jr., will discuss the Veterans Outreach Program, designed to acquaint vets with available employment and job training opportunities. Hazelwood is the regional director for veterans employment, United States Department of Labor.

Wells said that through the Outreach, benefits in excess of \$4 billion have been received in the past year by Brazos County veterans.

Other guest speakers will discuss disability compensation, pensions, hospitalization, medical care, educational and vocational rehabilitation benefits and social security.

Representatives of the Disabled American Veterans will be available to assist people in filing for benefits.



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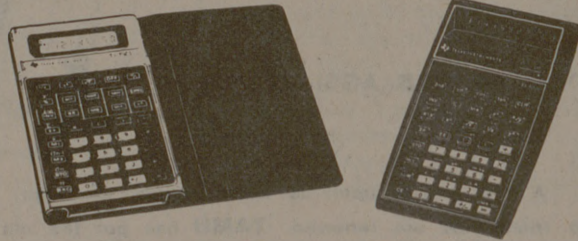
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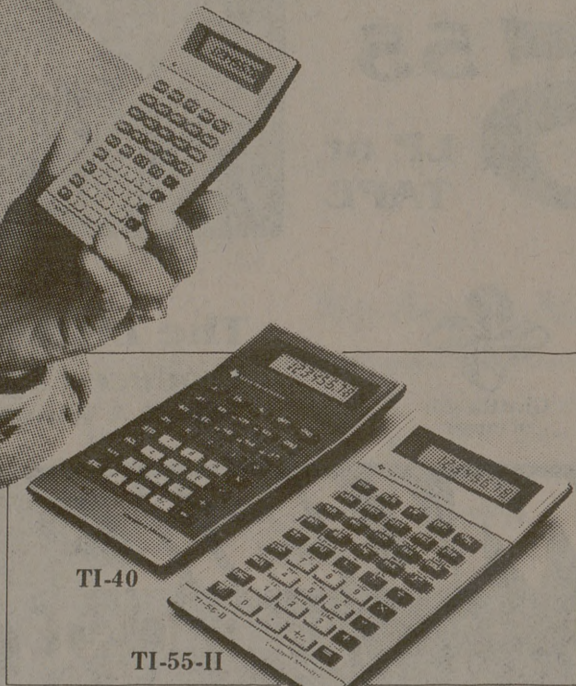
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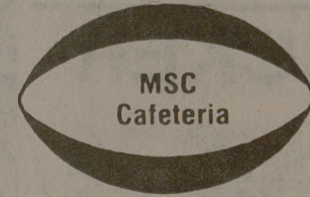
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THURSDAY EVENING SPECIAL

Italian Candle Light Spaghetti Dinner SERVED WITH SPICED MEAT BALLS AND SAUCE Parmesan Cheese - Tossed Green Salad Choice of Salad Dressing - Hot Garlic Bread Tea or Coffee

<p>FRIDAY EVENING SPECIAL</p> <p>BREADED FISH FILET w TARTAR SAUCE Cole Slaw Hush Puppies Choice of one vegetable Roll or Corn Bread & Butter Tea or Coffee</p>	<p>SATURDAY NOON and EVENING SPECIAL</p> <p>Yankee Pot Roast (Texas Salad) Mashed Potato w gravy Roll or Corn Bread & Butter Tea or Coffee</p>	<p>SUNDAY SPECIAL NOON and EVENING</p> <p>ROAST TURKEY DINNER Served with Cranberry Sauce Cornbread Dressing Roll or Corn Bread - Butter Coffee or Tea Giblet Gravy And your choice of any One vegetable</p>
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