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**ROBERT RUTLEDGE** 

### **Campus comments**

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He has written charges for all committees so they have a specific purpose. After a year of making the changes, it's great.

#### Dr. Koldus, vice president for student services

I'd like to see things continued. That doesn't mean everything's perfect. I can't think of many things on which people are going to agree. But as long as the good relations are there, you can work the problems through. I thought A&M was great and I haven't changed my mind.

#### Clark Diebel, controller

I know that there have been complaints about the fee structure but I believe the fees are still below other institutions in Texas, even with the building use fee increase. In our operation, we, like anyone else, felt the effects of inflation. This meant that every department head has had to watch his pennies. That's good.

#### He should be doing that anyway

#### Edwin H. Cooper, dean of admissions and records

Considering the volume of new students we've had a great year. We've had the largest enrollment in the history of the school. We've made a wholehearted attempt to treat students individually and refer them to the various counselling services on campus. We haven't had a significant number of complaints . . . I think there is a tremendous challenge for us to continue with the focus on the individual . . . It is the most singular positive thing about our school.

#### Carolyn Adair, director of student activities

'74 was such a year of reorganization. A big plus will be the association between divisions we built in the student services division. We've started to function as a family with the realization that what we do may affect someone on the other side of campus. I hate to see the school grow. With the construction we have now we can handle the enrollment and it would be so nice to enjoy that for a while.

#### J. Wayne Stark, director, MSC

In 1974 I finished my twenty-seventh year at A&M and far it was the most exciting, challenging and rewarding yeard work on campus. The student body as a group to me mea in a number of ways as a most exciting group. The student at A&M is to me extremely honest on the whole-there of course, exceptions-and wants the older generation to be est with themselves and with those with whom they work student body is very fair if they are given all the fa unadulterated. Students today on this campus are much willing to do something to correct problems and to co them through existing channels. The student appetite forth ual and performing arts is refreshing to me. The faculty to overall is the most exciting since I've been here. Then more sharp interesting personalities who are interested only in their class but in other areas such as the visual and forming arts. Last is the tremendous physical plant. When planning for this center began we had been told of plan (See CAMPUS, page 5)

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Ag grad receives new post

Robert Rutledge III has been named assistant director of development at A&M, announced Robert L. Walker, TAMU's development director.

Rutledge, a 1966 TAMU graduate who joined the university staff last year as student legal advisor, succeeds Gary D. McCaleb who returned to Abilene to accept a business opportunity.

ness opportunity. Walker said Rutledge will share responsibilities in helping contact firms, foundations and private individuals to seek financial assistance for scholarships and other activities which benefit the university.

for scholarships and other activities which benefit the university. Prior to returning to his alma mater last fall, Rutledge, 30, was managing partner in the Houston law firm of Sullins, Rutledge and Underwood. He helped found the firm in 1972 after being associated with another law firm briefly following his release from active duty in the Army where he held the rank of captain.

His degree from TAMU is in business administration. He also holds a jurisprudence degree from Bates College of Law at the University of Houston.

# Williams elected chairman

A&M University President Jack K. Williams has been elected to a sixth consecutive term as chairman of the Commission of Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

The commission is the accrediting agency for more than 650 public and private institutions of higher education in an 11-state area, including Texas.

Earlier this year, Dr. Williams was elected to the Board of Trustees for the College Entrance Examination Board and to the Executive Committee of the National Commission of Accrediting. The CEEB is a non-profit organization which provides a variety of information and evaluation services concerning admissions to post-secondary education. The National Commission of Accrediting regulates the activities of the associations which accredit education for the professions. Dr. Williams also serves as president of the Federation of Regional Accrediting Commissions of Higher Education.

## \$2,050 limit for students

### on returns

Students who earned less than \$2,050 this year need not file tax returns.

Any individual who may be claimed as the dependent of another taxpayer must file a return if he or she had a gross income of \$750 or more and received any unearned income during the year. Even if a student did not make enough money this year to require a return, he may have had income tax withheld from his pay. If so, he should file a return, claim your personal exemption and get your refund.

The Bryan Internal Revenue Service, 219 North Main (Varisco Building), will open Wednesdays 10 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. for taxpayer assistance. The IRS is also offering toll free telephone assistance at (800) 492-4830.

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