

Suggestions offered to students

By WILL ANDERSON

Students returning to Aggieland may find the following tips helpful the next two weeks:

Add-drop, enrollment

Students may enroll or add classes up to Jan. 24 and drop courses until the 12th class day. A Q-drop (withdrawal without penalty) may be obtained up to the Friday before mid-semester grades.

Students should go to their major departments for their advisers' written approval to add-drop. Those approval forms and the students' current schedules are then taken to the add-drop center in the old Exchange Store.

The new schedules will be arranged that night and the revised schedules will be available the following morning.

Dorm/room changes

Students wishing to change dorms should first go to the coordinator of the dorm they want to move into. The coordinator will tell students if there is room for them and make arrangements. Students then go to their current coordinator. All moves will be handled by area coordinators through head residents.

Specific procedure for moves will be posted on dorm bulletin boards Thursday. The time allotted for moves is Jan. 27, 28 and 29. Any moves later this semester will be considered on an individual basis.

Lease agreements

Student renters are reminded to keep their copy of the lease agreement handy.

Bob Rutledge, former legal adviser for TAMU students reports that after a semester of counseling on campus, the number one problem seems to be housing or questions arising from rental agreements.

While students might contend terms of the landlord's lease contradict their own, the argument is severely hurt if no copy of the personal copy of the lease is available.

Shuttlebus

(Shuttle bus and lease tips were offered by University Information.)

Shuttle bus service resumed Monday but riders on routes 3 and 4 take a slight detour through a parking lot.

Renovation for the 1976 TAMU Centennial has blocked parts of Ross and Ireland streets on campus, but buses will circumvent the construction by going through Parking Lot 7 in back of the W. T. Doherty

(petroleum engineering), Geosciences and Reed McDonald buildings.

Routes 1 and 2 will remain the same, at least for the time being, say the route planners.

Another thing that remains the same is the price — \$15 per semester for a student; \$22.50 for a student and spouse; and \$20 a semester for a faculty or staff person.

Riders will be notified as they board Monday of the revisions by a memo from the office of student affairs on campus.

The changes in routes 3 and 4 mean only that the passengers dis-

embark behind the buildings on Ross instead of the two corners as they previously did.

Route 3 serves French Quarter, Casa del Sol, College Main Casa Blanca, Triangle Terrace, Citadel, Fairway, Evans Trailer, Mobil Town and Timber Lake.

Route 4 runs to Boyett and First streets, Norcrest Apartments and Hensel in the married student housing area.

Work on the Centennial is bound to affect the other two routes in the future, but planners will meet the challenges as they arise.

Use of Lamar and Lubbock streets on campus as a turnaround for Route 1 will be eliminated for the buses turning north onto Bizzell off Jersey.

Route 1 serves Monaco, University Terrace, Plantation Oaks, Travis House, Tanglewood and Barcelona.

On Route 2, resurfacing is planned for both Houston and Throckmorton streets, which straddle Parking Lot 60 by the Memorial Student Center and G. Rollie White Coliseum.

However, alternatives for both routes will be drawn up as renovation dictates and riders given notice.

Route 2 services Doux Chene, Southwest Village, West Knoll Town House, Holik and Scandia.

Buying textbooks

The four major places to buy textbooks are Loupot's, Texas Aggie Book Store and University Book Store, Inc., all at Northgate, and the Student Center Book Store in the basement of the Memorial Student Center. Since personnel at all stores said they charged prices suggested by the publishers, new books cost

about the same at all four. Students who wish to sell their old books can expect about 40 per cent to 50 per cent of the retail price. The price will vary with how much the book is needed and when it will be used again.

Loupot's offers an extra advantage to students trading in books, said employee Dennis Rother. Students are given a coupon with two prices for their books. One is the cash value; the amount students will be given in cash for their books. The other is 20 per cent greater than the cash value. Students are given credit for that amount to purchase any merchandise in Loupot's, including books.

Used books in all four stores sell to students for about 75 per cent of the retail price.

All books for graduate courses are available at the University and Student Center book stores. Loupot's carries all books needed for veterinary and biomedical courses.

All four stores were crowded when I was there but the students appeared to be checked out fastest at the University (Northgate) and Texas Aggie bookstores. The time suggested to avoid the crowds is be-

fore 9 a.m. or after 4 p.m.

If a student will not need a book he bought this semester, he may return it for the full purchase price to the store where he purchased it. The full-price refund deadline is Jan. 25 at the Texas Aggie and University book stores. Loupot's refund period lasts until Jan. 27 and the Student Center Book Store refund period ends Feb. 3.

The Student Government Book Mart will remain open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. until Friday in the Student Programs Office. This service buys books for 40 to 50 per cent of the retail value and sells them for 60 per cent, taking less profit than the book stores.

Some students who sold their books to the Book Mart before Christmas are reminded to pick up their checks.

Your man at Batt is a column which investigates student problems and questions. Students are encouraged to use this column and may enter their complaints at the Batt office. The number of the Batt is 845-2611 and if I am not at the office, a secretary will take your message or tell you where to get in touch with me.

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Someone!

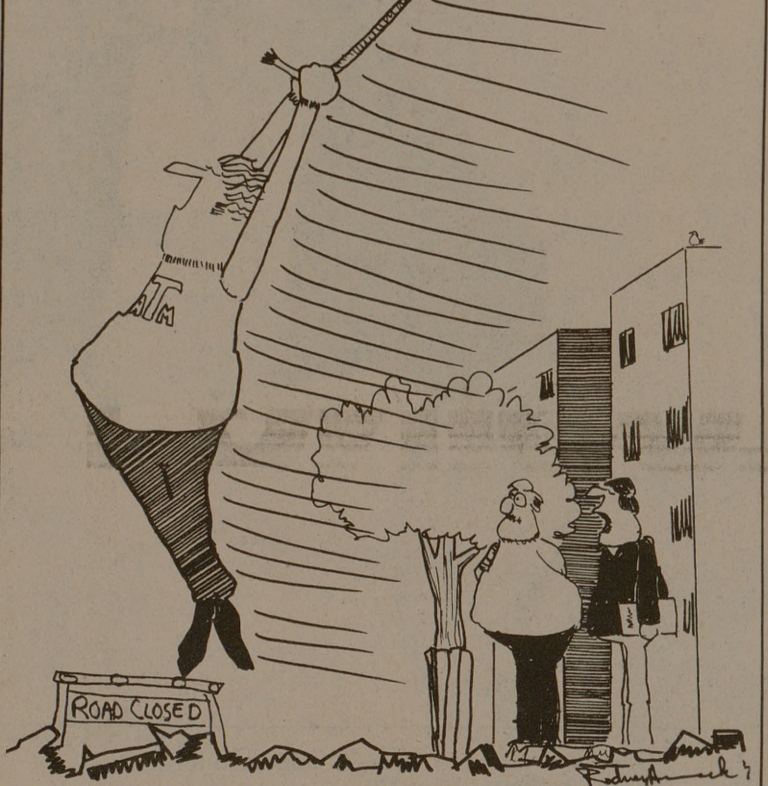
Howdy Party — Jan. 24
7:30 p.m.

Noon Bible Studies
M-W-F 12:00
(great food!)

Sandwich Bible Studies
T-Th 11:00

Baptist Student Center
College Main at Church St.

Coasters and Co. By Rodney Hammack



"Leave it to Coasters to come up with a way to get around campus with all this construction going on . . ."

Cutting

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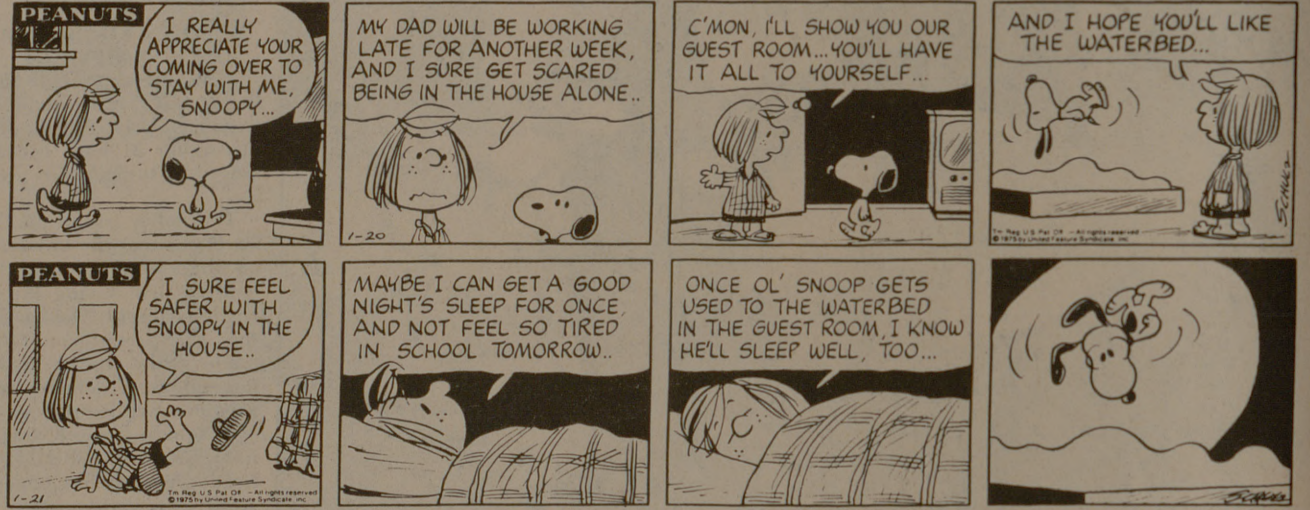
are two large globes of reddish, brownish, pinkish, whitish color, surrounded by 24 flags, 16 of which have ROTC printed across them. The other globe is identical, but is of blueish, greenish, purplish, brownish color. This must be a military school.

It is time to break away for a station bread, but this colorful account of the ribbon-cutting ceremonies will return momentarily.

For purposes of publication, pretend a moment has now passed.

It is now five minutes after the breathtaking event of the opening of the student lounge — remember you heard it here first. Not a great deal has happened but, folks, remember the significance of this event. The atmosphere is charged with emotion. With which emotions, this reporter is not at liberty to say.

Folks, this concludes the grand opening of A&M's elegant student lounge, but please stay tuned for more questionable happenings on the A&M campus.



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Students Can Sign Up For Long Distance Service This Week In The MSC Lobby

Students who want to add long distance calling privileges to their room telephone should sign up at our desk in the Lobby of the Memorial Student Center, Wednesday, January 22 through Friday, January 24 from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.

You should check with our desk if:

1. You want long distance service and did not sign up last semester.
2. You are moving from a room where you had long distance service and have not notified our business office.
3. You have any question regarding long distance service.

Students who signed up for toll service last semester will continue to have long distance privileges.



TAMU Town Hall
Young Artists Series
presents
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Japan's great pianist
Tuesday, Jan. 28, 8:00 pm
Rudder Center Theater

A&M Student	FREE
Non A&M Student Date	\$1.00
General Public	\$2.50

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No Reserve Seats

In Addition, there will be a lecture demonstration, 8:00 pm Jan. 27 in the Rudder Center Theater with no admission charge.