



A&M economists study CS energy

COLLEGE STATION — First responses have begun coming in to Texas A&M University economists studying energy conservation this summer in College Station.

The team began mailing letters almost a week ago soliciting help from residents in experiments to see if household energy use is affected when consumers are given conservation tips or have prices lowered as the amount of energy they consume is lowered.

Conducting the research, in cooperation with College Station Utilities, are Drs. John Kagel, R. C. Battalio and R. C. Winkler along with graduate student Mike McDonald.

Part of the study involved paying participants as they reduce the amount of energy they use. The second part is aimed at finding out what happens if participants are given the various packages of information prepared by the government and utility companies.

"At present, the price of energy we use is actually reduced if we use a lot. We want to see what happens if the reverse occurs," notes the team.

The project is to run from mid-June to mid-August.



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Editor:
This is the only way I can think of to get a message to all the tenants at Monaco and Posada Apartments as I know your paper is very popular with them.

Last Sunday night we had the misfortune of being flooded. When the flooding started and all of the management was in the middle of it, I fully expected to be "tarred and feathered" by the tenants. They reacted completely in the reverse. All the tenants joined in and helped us push the water until the water became too high. When we were cleaning up the apartments the following day, we had very few gripes even though the tenants were highly inconvenienced. Their attitudes were fantastic.

I will always be proud that these young people are truly going to be the "leaders of tomorrow."

My thanks and my respect go out to the tenants of Monaco and Posada Apartments.

Lisa Goggans
I.R.E. Investments
Bobbie Dorough
Manager

TAMU vice president Calhoun chosen for honorary degree

COLLEGE STATION — Dr. John C. Calhoun Jr., Texas A&M University's vice president for academic affairs, received an honorary degree Sunday from Ripon College.

The prestigious award was pre-

sented at the 109th commencement exercises of the private Wisconsin school.

The college awarded five honorary degrees this year. Other recipients include Sen. William Proxmire (D-Wis.) and Alvin Toffler, author of "Future Shock."

Dr. Calhoun is a nationally recognized authority in the fields of natural resources, particularly in

marine resources, and petroleum engineering. In addition to being TAMU's vice president for academic affairs, he directs the university's broad-based Sea Grant Program.

He is a former assistant and science advisor to the Secretary of the Interior and has served on several federal committees, including presidential appointments to the National Council on Oceans and Atmosphere and Task Force on Oceanography. Additionally, he received a presidential appointment to chair the Santa Barbara Oil Spill Panel in 1969.

Dr. Calhoun joined TAMU in 1955 as dean of engineering and later served as vice president for programs and dean of geosciences. He was appointed vice president for academic affairs in 1971. He also holds the rank of distinguished professor of petroleum engineering.

Prior to coming to TAMU, he taught petroleum engineering for four years at the University of Oklahoma and was later head of the Department of Petroleum and Natural Gas at Pennsylvania State University, where he previously earned B.S., M.S. and Ph.D. degrees.

Study reveals most favor mercy killings

COLLEGE STATION — More than half the people responding to a national survey said they favor some form of legalized euthanasia, or so-called "mercy killing," states a Texas A&M University sociologist and analyst.

Dr. Jon Alston says the answers from the survey demonstrate no difference along sex lines. Fifty-four percent of both men and women responding remarked they would favor such a law. About a third of those answering were in opposition.

Blacks showed significantly more opposition, with 56 percent being against legalized euthanasia and about 40 percent favoring it.



DR. JOHN C. CALHOUN

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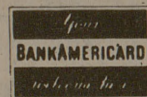
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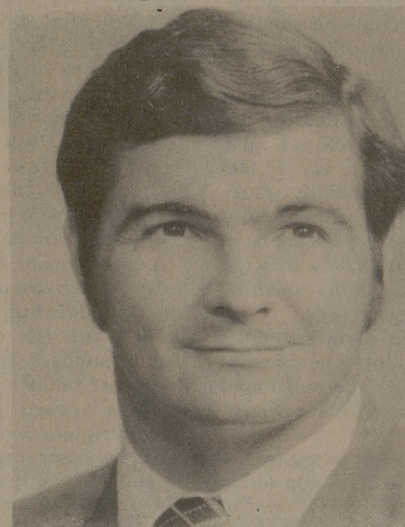


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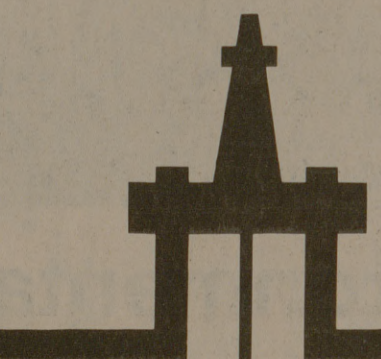


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