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## COORDINATING BOARD STAFF TO VISIT CAMPUS OF TEXAS EASTERN UNIVERSITY

The staff of the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System, will visit Texas Eastern University on Monday, Nov. 17, for the purpose of reviewing the role and scope of the University.

The principal purpose of the visit will be to discuss institutional projections for the next five years and proposed changes for the institution's role and scope.

This visit is being made in accordance with the charge given to the Coordinating Board by the 64th Texas Legislature which requires the Coordinating Board to study the role and scope of each state institution of higher learning in Texas.

Data has been compiled and reports have been forwarded to the Coordinating Board as a first step in the role and scope review.

## GOV. BRISCOE APPOINTS TYLERITE TO SIX-YEAR TERM ON COORDINATING BOARD

Ralph Spence, a Tyler resident and a director of the Texas Eastern University Foundation, was one of three men appointed to a six-year term on the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System this week by Gov. Dolph Briscoe.

Spence replaces another Tylerite, Watson W. Wise, on the 18-member board. Wise's term expired on Sept. 1

"We appreciate the years of service Mr. Wise has given to the Coordinating Board and higher education in Texas and his assistance as a member of that board to Texas Eastern University during our formative years," President Stewart said.

"Ralph Spence is keenly interested in and very knowledgeable about higher education and I know he will be an asset to the Coordinating Board and will contribute immeasurably to the college and university programs of our state," Dr. Stewart added.

Other appointments to the Coordinating Board announced Tuesday by Gov. Briscoe include John Fainter, Jr. of Sugarland and L. F. Peterson of Fort Worth. They were named to replace Robert Baker of Houston and Dr. James Hollers of San Antonio, respectively.

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## 1 DRAMA PRODUCTION SET FOR NOV. 19-20

Dates for the first presentation of the TEU drama department have been set for Nov. 19-20, according to John Callahan. "The Lesson" by Ionesco will be presented. Original plans were to present "The Bald Soprano" but rehearsal times for a large cast could not be arranged.

The performances will be at 12 noon on Nov. 19 and 8 p.m. on Nov. 20 in the University auditorium. There is no admission charge.

Callahan said the one-half hour, one act play is a comedy and drama with a PG rating.



## STAGE VIOLENCE DEMONSTRATION SLATED

A demonstration in stage violence will be held from 4 to 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 5, at the South Campus. All Texas Eastern University personnel, students and faculty are invited to attend.

John Callahan is seeking volunteers to participate in the demonstrations. The stage violence will include judo, karate, falls, rolls, slaps, and stunts for stage and screen.

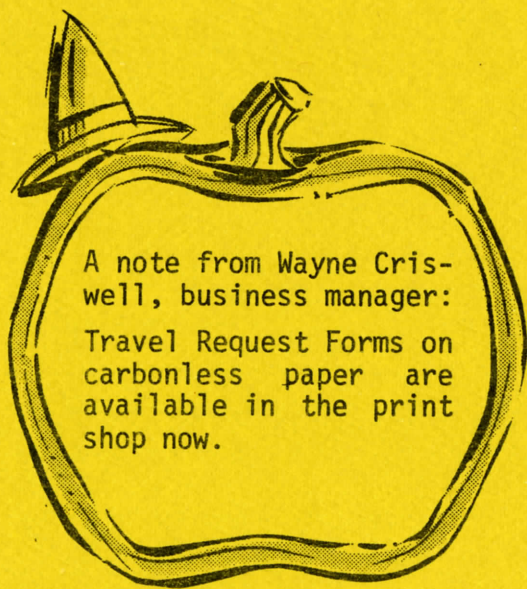
Callahan has taught stage violence at Kent State, College of Steubenville, Ohio and Meramec Community College. He has given demonstrations this year at Lon Morris, Tyler Junior College, and Panola Junior College and has one scheduled Nov. 4 at Kilgore College.

## MEETINGS FOR NOVEMBER ANNOUNCED

The Administrative Council meeting and President's Hour will be held in different weeks in November.

The Administrative Council will meet at 2 p.m. Nov. 11 in the Conference Room on the North Campus.

A change from the normal meeting date has been made for the President's Hour, which is open for all faculty and professional personnel. The President's Hour will be held Nov. 20 at 4 p.m. in the Conference Room on the North Campus.





## TEU WOMEN'S FORUM TO MEET NOVEMBER 7

The Texas Eastern University Women's Forum will hold their monthly noon meeting Friday, November 7, in the conference room.

J. B. Smith of the Tyler Police Department will present the program entitled "Women's Protection and Home Security."

Julia Davis, president, invites all members and other non-academic women employees of TEU to attend.

Smoked turkey is on the noon menu.

## WANTED: INFORMATION FOR INTERCOM

All Texas Eastern University personnel are invited to submit matters of general interest to the faculty and staff to the Public Information Office for use in Intercom. You are encouraged to use this vehicle for communicating. Information may be presented in story form or on a data sheet.

The deadline to receive information is 10 a.m. the Wednesday before publication.



## 32 STUDENTS NAMED TO "WHO'S WHO"

The recognition of 32 Texas Eastern University students as "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges" has been announced by Tom G. Turns.

The students represent all six schools within the university and 14 major fields. The majors and number of students recognized in each include: elementary education (6), accounting (5), special education (4), health and physical education, music and management (3 each), business administration, law enforcement, math, sociology, biology, medical technology, art and marketing (1 each).

Students honored, listed by place of residence, include:

ATHENS: Virginia Nell Warhol

CANTON: Sherry A. Thompson

GILMER: Johnnie Charlene Hutson

GRAND SALINE: Billy Ray Hall

JACKSONVILLE: Laura Jayne Wright

KILGORE: Roxanne M. Keelan, Donna Walker

LARUE: Anita Elaine Hood

LINDALE: Cathy Bodiford, Bobby E. McClenny

LONGVIEW: Janet Elizabeth Galvan, Jill Suzette Welty

RUSK: James W. Carrington

TENNESSEE COLONY: Judy E. Satterwhite

TROUP: Donna Karen Richison

TYLER: Raymond E. Blevins, Mary E. Courson, Loyd Nelson Downing, Jessie Thedford Enright, Gary Lynn Faunce, Deborah Ann Guillot, Judith Ann Hall, Ray Vincent Hesse, Janet Nell Landers, Kay Frances Miller, Michael Van Mills, Larry Frank Moore, Horace M. Peters, Jr., Judy Carolyn Pollan, Johnny Lee Ray, Charles Edward Stone, Jr., Norris W. Thompson.



## NATIONAL SECURITY SEMINAR SLATED AT SHERATON INN NOVEMBER 10-21

A National Security Seminar will be held in Tyler at the Sheraton Inn November 10-21. The seminar, a world affairs program of the National Defense University and sponsored by the Tyler Area Chamber of Commerce, is open to the public.

Classes may attend the seminar at no cost when they are in groups and are cleared through advance registration. Faculty members may call Tom Jordan at the Chamber of Commerce to make reservations. He will call back to confirm that space is available. At least one day of advance notice is required.

For individuals, student enrollment is \$5 while all others may register for \$10.

Texas Eastern University has registered for five. Faculty members may use these credentials on a first come basis with coordination in the office of Donald Anthony.

Copies of the two-week seminar schedule may be obtained in the Office of Public Information.

The seminar covers comparative political systems, economics, energy resources, oceanography and other topics related to current events relating to international affairs and national security.

Two members of the TEU faculty are graduates of the seminar. They are John Spurgin and Ronald Robinson.



## YOUTH SEMINARS UNDERWAY AT TEU

Two Talented Youth Seminars are scheduled at Texas Eastern University during the first two weeks of November with Barry Green and W. Carl Roddy presenting the programs.

The first of 24 seminars was held Tuesday with John Spurgin talking to a group of 31 on "A New Constitution for Texas."

Green, representing the Department of Health and Physical Education, will present a talk on "Effects of Drugs on Male and Female Athletes" at the Nov. 4 seminar.

Roddy, representing the Department of Biology, will present a discussion on "Ethology--Man and Aggression" on Nov. 11.

The seminars, conducted in cooperation with the Region VII Education Service Center, are held in the Conference Room on the North Campus from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. on the assigned dates.

Each of the six schools and 14 departments are represented in the 24 scheduled seminars.



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## EMPLOYEES ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN STATE INCOME DEFERRAL PROGRAM

State employees are allowed to participate in an income deferral program through provisions of Senate Bill 872 of the 63rd Texas Legislature.

The employee has the option of several different ways in which to participate in this plan, according to Wayne Williams, director of personnel services for Texas Eastern.

Open enrollment for employees is during the month of November of each year, with deductions to begin in January. Any employee interested in this plan should contact a representative with one of the approved companies.

The Comptroller of Public Accounts, as administrator of the program, has set standards for companies wishing to participate, and has signed Master Agreements with qualified companies. Approved insurance companies are as follows:

Aetna Variable Life, American General Life, American National, Anchor National Life, Hartford Variable Annuity Life, IDS Life, Jefferson Standard Life, Lincoln National Life, Life Insurance Company of North America, Massachusetts Mutual Life, Metropolitan Life, National Investors Life, New England Life, New York Life, Occidental Life, Southland Life, Southwestern Life, Travelers, Variable Annuity Life, Washington National and World Service Life.



## PHASE I BUILDING PROGRAM PROGRESSING

Work on Phase I of the TEU building program is progressing and planning is now underway for the Phase II portion of the campus.

Bob Grubbs reports that the Phase I project is approximately 63 percent complete. Brick work is expected to be essentially complete by late November.

Phase II is in the planning stage. Information has been requested from schools which will be involved in the use of the two buildings to be constructed in this phase. Then, as plans continue to develop the individuals involved will have an opportunity to share more information with the architect.



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