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Survey Reveals Increase In Black Businesses

New census data on Black-owned businesses in the United States indicate that larger Black firms are playing a greater role, both in receipts and numbers of persons employed, than five years earlier.

However, the data show only modest overall growth of Black-owned businesses: a 51 percent increase in gross receipts from 1972-1977, a 21 percent increase in the number of firms, and only a six percent increase in the number of persons working for firms with paid employees.

There were 231,203 Black-owned businesses in the United States in 1977, according to a survey conducted by the Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce. The report is based on a survey conducted by the Bureau.

Similar reports, profiling business ownership by other minorities, including persons of Spanish origin, Asian-Americans, American Indians and others, are in preparation.

The total of Black-owned firms five years earlier, the report notes was 190,478. The difference between the totals stems partly from inclusion in the 1977 report of businesses such as those in legal and health services that were not covered in 1972 and partly from an actual increase in Black-owned firms.

The majority of Black-owned firms in 1977 were concentrated in retail trade and various service occupations. These two areas of business comprised 68 percent of all Black-owned retail trade firms and 61 percent of the gross receipts of such businesses in 1977, the report says.

Covered by the Census Bureau in its 1977 survey were 101,706 Black-owned service businesses—an increase of 51 percent over the 67,406 counted in the less extensive 1972 survey. Gross receipts in this area of business increased 104 percent, unadjusted for inflation, over the same period. The additional coverage, the report notes, accounted for some but not all of the increase. A final report to be issued later this year will include sufficient industry detail to determine what effect the increased coverage had.

According to the report, industries sectors increasing their relative share of gross receipts included wholesale trade, manufacturing, selected service and finance. Sectors not growing as fast included retail trade, transportation and construction.

The number of firms in the wholesale trade sector increased from 1,792 in 1972 to 2,211, or about 20 percent. The number of firms in retail trade increased from 54,914 in 1972 to 55,405 in 1977 or less than one percent.

The data show enterprises with 50 or more employees enjoyed greater growth than Black businesses as a whole. The number of firms with paid employees grew twice as fast as the total number of Black-owned enterprise (46 percent in 1977 against 21 percent). The number of firms with paid employees rose from 1,792 in 1972 to 2,211, or about 20 percent. The number of firms in retail trade increased from 54,914 in 1972 to 55,405 in 1977 or less than one percent.

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Corporations Increase In Partnerships, Gross Receipts

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- the number of partnerships rose 16 percent from 7,786 to 8,915 with gross receipts of these firms going from $591 million to $957 million; and,

- the number of corporations increased 51 percent from 2,545 to 4,238 with receipts going from $1,368 million to $2,876 million.

The percent increase for corporations is more than twice the percent of either sole proprietorships or partnerships. As one would expect, this development leads to a disproportionate increase in receipts for corporations. And, this phenomenon is particularly noticeable in the most important sector of the Black economy, retail trade. Of equal importance are similar increases visible in the transportation and public utilities, and wholesale trade sectors.

In summary, the preliminary results from the 1977 Black-Owned Business survey point to three generalizations that characterize the structure of the Black business segment of the American economy: (1) these firms concentrate in the retail and service sectors; (2) those with paid employees accounted for a substantial amount of receipts, though few in number; (3) businesses with paid employees are small, i.e., 97 percent of them have fewer than 20 employees.

Transportation Provides Experience

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He said that, after serving this internship, these persons will be qualified to fill positions as managers or planners with small or specialized transit agencies.

Benjamin added that, in addition to the experience at an agency, each apprentice will receive additional training from the State Department of Transportation. The interns will periodically return to the campus to share their experiences with other students.

The first A&T apprenticeship program has been Initiated with the Greenville Agency for Transportation (GATE). Russell Keeney, director of GATE, said the interns will assist in providing a complete overview of GATE operations and also assist in several key management areas. The A&T program will be housed in the Department of Economics, chaired by Dr. Basil Coley.

Buildings Receive New Titles

By Florina G. Byrd

There have been several changes in the names of some buildings at A&T State University. The new gymnasia has officially been named the Ellis F. Corbett Health Physical Education and Recreational Center. Corbett, a deceased alumnus, was the successful proponent of the CIAA Basketball Tournament. He was also the organizer of the Boosterettes and the Aggie Club. Corbett devoted 20 years to A&T, promoting all phases of the university's program.

The new social science building has been named the Warmouth T. Gibbs Sr. Social Science Building. Gibbs, who dedicated fifty years of service to A&T in which he was dean of the School of Education and Science, director of summer school, and president of A&T in 1956. In 1961, he was selected president emeritus. Gibbs Hall dormitory has been renamed Alma I. Morrow Dormitory. Morrow, who is deceased, was head librarian at A&T. She was appointed head librarian after serving two years as an assistant.

The computer science center is now the Arthur F. Jackson Computer Science Center. At A&T, Jackson was the professor of guidance and psychology. He was also director of guidance and established the guidance center in 1952. In 1977 he served as professor in the Department of Sociology and Social Services until his death.

Race, Creed, Color Not Considerations In Advertising Area

By Trudy Johnson

Advertising has a way of expressing equal employment in several ways. Each tells you that employment opportunities are not supposed to be denied because of race, creed or color.

Several years ago, a male first grade teacher or a female architect would be frowned upon, but not today. The all
Detergent.
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The Days Of Our Lives are filled with appointments, stress and deadlines to meet. Only until The Edge Of Night that we prepare ourselves for relaxation. We enter Another World, one of music and lights. Here we find our only relief in the dance.

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Secret Storm.

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Have a clean and safe weekend.

Prince Of Peace Pastor

By David Puryear

About four year ago, Earleen Miller was an office secretary. About four weeks ago, she became the new pastor of Greensboro's Prince of Peace Lutheran Church.
The Reverend Miller, age 43, found the change quite natural. "When I was asked to enroll in seminary, it didn't seem strange to me," Miller recalled. "It seemed the answer to prayers. It seemed like the right time. I wanted a full-time religious vocation and I really didn't think about being a woman."

Those prayers, answered by an invitation in 1975 to attend the Lutheran School of Theology in Chicago, had been growing in fervency for 11 years. The church had become a larger and larger part of Rev. Miller's life ever since her divorce in 1964.

"At that point in my life, when my life came apart, it was a church that put me back together," said Miller. "It was a time when people really showed their love for me and I knew God loved me."

So she dedicated her life to showing others what she perceived to be God's total love for everyone. By day, she worked as a secretary for various social service agencies. In the evening, she would rush back to her community to help with church outreach programs. At night, the minister-to-be would read her Bible and pray.

While Miller's interest in aiding others and in scriptural study was rekindled by the well-timed encouragement from friends, neither activity was anything new to her. "Miller said she loved studying the Bible even as a child. And, as a child, little Earleen was the sounding-board for her playmates."

"All my friends always came to me and told me their darkest secrets," Miller said. "They knew I was a good listener and that I wouldn't tell anyone else."

Now the Miller listens and responds to the human condition on a professional basis. At Prince of Peace, her first ministry, she was called to serve one of the few racially integrated churches in the city. "I really wanted a call to an interracial church," Miller said. "I really believe that a congregation can remain integrated without one group or another becoming dominant."

"Some people tell me I'm idealistic, but I really long for the day when people can live together and love, when it can be equalized." Miller does not, however, believe race is a major problem within her congregation. She said family crises and loneliness are the greatest difficulties faced by most people today.

"Isolation is all around," she said. "People want to know. 'Am I accepted? Am I loved?' And parents need to know that they're doing the right thing. It's a hard job. They think 'Am I wrong?'

Helping people find answers to these questions can be tiring work, according to Miller. She said that listening to others' emotional outpourings can be an emotional drain on her. But she said she enjoys her new job.

"If the person I talk with is suffering or hurting, then I do too," Miller said. "But it feels good to help them."
Reporters Where Are You?

This semester the A&T Register began what was believed to better allow more exposure to campus organizations, while at the same time, compensating, to a certain degree, for the lack of communication on this campus.

Every organization, social club, sororities, and fraternities on campus were asked to establish the position of organizational reporter. This designated person is to act as a liaison between the organization and the A&T Register, submitting articles of upcoming and present events of the group.

This person, however, is not supposed to write editorials concerning viewpoints on particular issues to the A&T Register. The reporters’ objective is to report activities of the organization. Opinionated views may be submitted in a letter to the editor.

If the articles you submitted did not appear in this edition, you should check to see whether you submitted news or opinions.

Though we try hard to accomplish the task of reporting news of the entire campus, this is sometimes difficult to achieve. Should each organization establish a representative to report its events, the A&T Register may be better able to expand its coverage further on campus.

Everyone should realize that the A&T Register is comprised of A&T students, and we all need to work together and support each other.

Larry L. Jenkins
News Editor

Leading editorials are written by the editor of the A&T Register. Such editorials will not necessarily carry a byline and will not necessarily reflect the opinion of the University or the entire staff. Staff members are free to write dissenting opinions.

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Is It Worth It?

By Florina G. Byrd

In today’s society several people are being encouraged to do many detrimental things against their will. Students, how many of you are victims?

There are some individuals who possess no qualifications of striving to make something of themselves. They usually try to stifle the goals of others who wish to establish a decent status in life for themselves.

If you feel that this article is somewhat pointing a finger at you, then you should take it upon yourself to refrain from this class of non-motivated and destructive people because they are no good for you. You should not let anyone deter you from trying to be successful. Nor should you let them entice you to do anything against the law or against your moral standards.

There is reason to believe that there are students at colleges and universities who aren’t really concerned with obtaining an education. It seems as if they are in school wasting their parents’ money and the state’s money if they are not truly interested or making some type of financial aid. These students really do not need to be in school. They should be at home working.

Students, remember, before someone persuades you into doing something you feel is wrong, think about how your career will be jeopardized.
misconstrued had the above noted truth been formally conveyed to personnel in the Greensboro news media. No mention need be made concerning The Record's negative handling of University news releases. However as communicators and because of our sincere love for the University, we chose an innovative form to work from within the family. Our only goal was to upgrade living conditions by shaming those guilty of defacing University property.

In response to the grammatical criticism, the paper was constructed in satirical form to draw attention to the actual content. I'm sure the learned English instructors immediately recognized the form. However, if you were not truly concerned with the content, then the grammar could serve as an irritant. In light of the recent topic of discussion of "Black English", further clarification must be made in our choice of style.

We do not wish to serve as competition to The Register, we would rather formulate an alternative that will reach a reading public that is less formal in its leisure time, saturated with a strong inflection of truth and reasoning.

Black students in the art of communication must learn to exercise versatility in their comprehension of classroom theories. You wouldn't converse in the exaggerated overtones denoted in the Headhunter in job interviews or in other formal speech processes, and it doesn't take a high intelligence quotient to determine that fact. Now is the time to masterfully practice a command of the usage of standard American English but it is also important to be able to relate with clients, business contacts, or whomever in their level of communication. Credibility and trust must be exhibited to...

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**The gold bars of an Army officer.**

The earning of a second lieutenant's gold bars is a proud moment for a man and his family. They represent not just the symbol of his achievement and rank, but also his responsibility.

That responsibility is to lead. And today, in an Army of better educated and highly motivated young men and women, the demands on a young officer are tougher than ever.

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**PRE-REGISTER ON NOV 12-16 FOR ARMY ROTC.**

**LEARN WHAT IT TAKES TO LEAD.**
Kodak Announces Grant To A&T

Eastman Kodak Company today announced grants of $4 million to 312 colleges and universities throughout the company's 1979 Educational Aid Program. A&T State University received $2000.

Kodak noted that Kodak is in a "growth spurt which includes tuition aid, academic assignments, and master's and doctoral awards. Walter A. Fallon, chairman and chief executive officer, noted that Kodak is in a milestone period marking the company's centennial and the Educational Aid Program's 25th year.

He said, "During the quality assurance history of the Educational Aid Program, Kodak has contributed $70 million to more than 900 educational institutions. Education is the foundation for progress and educational institutions are the instruments for progress. That was true the year Kodak was founded and it is true today. With our 1979 commitment, we reaffirm Kodak's respect for quality education and invest in the future of higher learning for the benefit of all."

Kodak's 1979 Educational Aid Program includes the following grants: employee/alumni grants, research grants, special grants, educational association awards, and scholarships. In recognition of the contributions made by college and university graduates to the company's business success, Kodak employee/alumni grants-$650 to privately supported schools and $150 to state supported institutions—are awarded to accredited institutions for each undergraduate or graduate year completed by those who graduate and join Kodak within five years of employment, are made on behalf of those employees who are utilizing Kodak's academic training in the performance of their job duties.

Recipient schools are requested to distribute the grant dollars in the department indicated by an individual's degree. The departments are asked to use the money for scholarships, grants, undergraduate or graduate financial aid, undergraduate or graduate independent study, or undergraduate or graduate special projects.

The Kodak employer/alumni grants program extends to two-year colleges offering an Associate of Arts degree and to two-year programs within the framework of a four-year college.

Publication Identifies

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heighten their communicative process. This communicative versatility is often the key to success. It is irrefutable that, as technicians, we are taught to write articles on level 1. I would like to say that the real identity of the Headhunter is you and I, and all other persons concerned with the upgrading of all positive subordinate forces in operation. The time may not be too distant when the UNC-System administrator is present here on campus again. Remember the auditors? It would not be the first time Blacks have been phased out of positions. Our concern is that the University remain in the hands of the present Administration and hopefully serve as the monumental vestige of pride that will serve as an inspiration for future student bodies. The veil of apathy is beginning to dissipate. Don't hinder the cause.

Mark Hall
President of the Organization of Broadcast Students

Resume Booklets Include December Graduates

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will be sold to Greensboro companies, members of A&T/Industry Chester, and other companies, who visit our campus. Such a class project will serve a double purpose. Not only will it be used as a fund-raising instrument, but it will also help to communicate to interested employers the quality of the student available at A&T State University.

The resumes booklet had its origin from the observation that most recruiters on our campus are seeking engineering and other technical majors too. Many non-engineering-oriented businesses also are interested, and the booklets are completed. "If they aren't coming to us, we will go to them." In order to do this, a representative number of resumes must be received from members of each discipline represented on our campus.

Samples of resumes being used have been left at the desk in the main lobby of each dormitory campus, and are also shown on page 14 of the placement manual, available in the Placement Center. (For those seniors who do not readily have access to these facilities, examples are shown below.) Any other similar form may also be used, however. Many seniors, no doubt, already have resumes in one form or another. Copies of such resumes may be submitted. The Student Government office has been designated as the drop-off place for resumes. All seniors are urged to realize the far-reaching implications of such an endeavor.

"Please help us help you. Take the time to type your resume today!"

Ad Council Expresses Opportunities

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male or female occupations are rarely existing in the presence of future. The Advertising Council has twelve ways to say "equal employment exists."


With regard to this listing, companies or employers are not supposed to advertise job openings for males or females only.

All students being inducted into Alpha Chi Honor Society will meet Wednesday, November 7, at 7:30 p.m. in Merrick Hall Student Lounge. All inductees must be present.

Griot Society (History Club) will meet Monday November 5, at 12:00 in Room 313 Hodgins Hall. All History and Social Science majors, please attend.

Pre-registration will be held November 12-17. Further details will be given later.

Alpha Kappa Mu will meet Saturday, November 3, at 8:30 a.m. in Merrick Hall.

All Students Interested in joining the P.R. Committee come to the next meeting on Monday November 5, at 8 p.m. in the Student Union.

The Greensboro Historic Museum is presenting a mini-version of "The Black Presence in North Carolina" through November 4. Hours are 11 a.m.-5 p.m., and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. on Saturday.

Attention, Mechanical, Electrical, and Industrial Engineers. A representative of Boeing will be discussing opportunities at Boeing, Tuesday night, November 6, at 8 p.m. in Graham Hall Room 104. The Alpha Nu Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi will have a t 6 disco at the Cosmos 1, Friday November 2.

The Scrollers Club of the Alpha Nu Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi will be having a mini step show, and auction Friday, November 2, in front of there plot.

There will be a Women's Council Executive meeting Monday, November 5, at 8 a.m. in Room 309 Vanstory, Hall.

There will be a Women's Council meeting on Tuesday, November 6, at 8 p.m. in Gibbs Hall. All young ladies that are members are urged to attend.

There will be an O.B.S. meeting Monday, November 5, at 6 p.m. in Room 328 Crosby Hall. All persons interested in joining please come and all members are urged to attend.

All young ladies interested in running for Miss Black and Gold 1979-80 of Beta Epsilon Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc., please call 272-4468 or 273-9689 after 10 p.m. before November 15, for further details.

North Carolina Fellows will meet Sunday, November 4, at 5 p.m. in the Memorial Room in the Student Union. Urgent business will be discussed.

The National Society of Pershing Rifles (P/R's) will sponsor a Disco in Moore Gym Saturday, Nov. 3, following the A&T vs. Tennessee St. game, from 9-1 a.m. Admission is $3.50 with A&T I.D. $1.00 with other college I.D.'s.

The A&T Agricultural Extension Program has announced series of workshops in November to demonstrate budget ideas for Christmas. The workshops will be conducted in the assembly room of Coltrane Hall at A&T from 10 a.m. until 12 noon. The public is invited to attend. Monday, November 5 Microwave Cooking Demonstration; Tuesday, November 6 How to Prepare Inexpensive Gift Ideas from the Kitchen.

Any Student Interested in the position of Student Government Secretary should come by and sign up in Room 218, Student Union. The deadline is November 9.
A&T will have its hands full this week when it meets Tennessee State University. Pound for pound Tennessee has the athletes and the coaching to be the best Black college football team in the nation.

It is led by Coach John Merritt, who is one of the winningest active college football coaches in the country with a 27-year record of 194-59-9. Also, Tennessee State leads 7-3-1 in the series with the Aggies. The last time these teams met was 1967 when the Tigers ripped A&T 35-0.

Coach Jim McKinley's Aggies have faced a difficult schedule this year, as evident of their 3-5 record. But Tennessee State plays a schedule that would probably drive Coach McKinley crazy. The Tigers have played Grambling, Southern, Florida A&M, Jackson State, Southern Illinois, Cal Poly, and next week Nevada, Las Vegas. They defeated Grambling, Florida A&M, and Southern soundly, but they lost to Jackson and Southern Illinois on long pass plays in the closing minutes.

For the Aggies to win Saturday, they must capitalize early on scoring opportunities and shutdown the Tigers' potent passing attack. It is possible the Aggies can catch Tennessee State looking ahead to next week's game against the University of Nevada in Las Vegas.

Go!

Coach Mel Pinkney's grapplers will wrestle Saturday in the New Gym. The Aggies host a "Take Down" tournament. The wrestlers will be wrestling three minutes, then break for one minute, and continue wrestling three more minutes. If a grappler takes his opponent down, he has 10 seconds to pin him or he must let him up. If you can't make it to the football game, check out the Aggie grapplers. It should be exciting.

Aggies!

Basketball Coach Don Corbett last week received news that one of his more talented players had quit the team. Brian Graham, a 6-4 guard from Baltimore, Md., apparently quit last week. But fortunately for A&T's program Branciandecided to come back. The Aggies already appear to be short-handed and Graham's loss would have hurt A&T's squad even more. Don't forget that the Aggies' season opener is against powerful Alcorn State in A&T's new gym.

Go!!

Getting back to football, it's time for another prediction. I'm about ready to call it quits, while sporting a 4-4 record. The Aggies really let me down last week, but this week that won't happen. I don't think A&T's program is ready for the Tigers. To be perfectly honest, they shouldn't even be on the same field. I know I'll make some enemies this week, but I must say the Aggies will lose big. It may even be a shut out Tennessee State 37 A&T 6.

Hurriers End Season With 21-23 Narrow Win

The N.C. A&T Hurriers concluded their regular season with a narrow 21-23 win over Averett College of Danville, Virginia this past Tuesday.

Finishing first in the competition was A&T's Quill Ferguson with a new course and school record of 27 minutes for the five-mile course. Averett College took the next two places with A&T placing its next four runners 4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th, respectively. This was Ferguson's second record within a week. Last Saturday he ran a 6.2-mile (10,000 meters) course in 31 minutes and 15 seconds at the Hayes Taylor YMCA road race.

"I feel very good about my times thus far and, barring injuries, I should be able to improve on them," stated Ferguson.

With a relatively young team, Coach Tim Abney guided his courageous Hurriers through meets with some of the top cross-country powers in the Southeast. Duke was first on the schedule and the young Aggie team was the victim of a powerful Duke program.

LaMonte Rogers of A&T showed a lot of strength in this race, finishing with a fine time of 33:30 minutes on Duke's five-mile course.

The Virginia State triangle followed with a strong St. Augustine's team claiming victory. Quill Ferguson finished first for A&T, with Mike Whitehead a close second.

The remainder of the Hurriers' season saw competition with schools such as Appalachian State, Marshall University, Virginia Tech., N.C. State, UNC, Wake Forest, Pembroke, Shaw, Fayetteville State and Brevard College, just to name a few.

Overall the Aggie Hurriers won two meets and placed 8th in the state.

A&T offensive line paves way for running back. (Photo by Miller)
Frye Admits

To 'Hedging' When Asked Whom He Will Endorse

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state, Frye has the opportunity to rally more than the Black voters to his choice of candidates, yet he admits to "hedging" when asked whom he will endorse in the gubernatorial and presidential races. And he raises personal financial considerations as a possible obstacle to his own candidacy either for reelection to the house or a try for the senate.

Frye was critical of Hunt's performance in appointing Black's to state court judgeships and said the governor would have to do better in that area to gain his support.

"I'm still waiting for the real breakthrough," said Frye. "He's made a start, that's about it. I've made some suggestions to him and he hasn't come through yet."

But Frye would not elaborate on what sort of suggestions he had made to Hunt, saying his participation on the governor's exploratory campaign committee, along with former state Democratic chairwoman Betty McCain and state Sen. Jim Garrison, D-Stantly, means that "most of my suggestions were made directly (Gov. Hunt)."

"That's why I'm hedging on this," said Frye. "I'm going to be watching him for the next six months. What he does in the next six months will determine what I do."

At the national level, Frye said, "If I had to vote today, I'd vote for Carter, but my mind isn't closed. I'd have to watch Kennedy too, over the next six months."

The legislator said the basis on which Black voters should decide on a presidential candidate is "the same as for anybody else, who can lead the country into real progress, to a place where people can make a decent living."

"But, from a Black standpoint, it will also have to be, who has a commitment to improving our standards and the ability to carry that out," said Frye.

Frye then questioned Kennedy's ability to work with Congress if elected, pointing to the senator's advocacy of national health care legislation.

"He has not so far shown that he has the ability to get the job done in that area," said Frye of Kennedy. "If he became president, would he get it done?"

But, when it is pointed out that one criticism of President Carter has been his lack of success with passing legislation, Frye said a second term could make the difference.

"Carter is bland, and he's an outsider. He's not the type of person who makes good copy and he's had to almost force his way into the establishment. I think, if he can get reelected, the folks will be forced to deal with him. He was not able to do it in the first term but I think he can in the second term."

But Frye's primary reason for favoring Carter is his electability in a race against the two top Republican contenders.

"I think the worst thing in the world for the United States would be for Reagan or Connally to become president," said Frye. "The question is who would have a better chance of beating Reagan, Carter or Kennedy? At this moment, I think it is Carter."

"If Kennedy runs, he will be painted as a flaming liberal. If Carter runs, he's not as conservative as Reagan, but at least people are not going to think he's going to give the country away."

Looking to his own political future, Frye said he would probably make a second attempt to gain a seat in the state senate. In September, he lost a bid to fill the seat vacated by Kathy Sebo when she was named a White House Fellow. In a vote by county precinct chairmen and vicechairmen, Attorney Jim Turner over­whelmed Frye.

"When I told Jim I was going to oppose him, he told me 'Henry, don't. I've already got the votes.' I told him we would see," Frye recalled.

"Well, I saw." Frye attributed that loss to early campaigning by Turner, then declared he is "leaning strongly toward" running for the senate in the general election. When asked how he would fair in the Democratic primary against Turner and others, Frye said "I would be a formidable candidate."

But Frye said the amount of time his legislative service takes away from his law practice and duties as president of Greensboro National Bank is a negative factor in his considerations.

"I still need to make a living," said Frye. "When you're in a service business, your income is directly related to the amount of time you spend practicing. Every time someone comes in here to talk to me as their representative, that's time I lose from my law practice."

"That's been a going debate in my mind, whether to concentrate on law practice or politics. It's something I haven't resolved."

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which promises excellent pay and a variety of working environments," said Barnett.

North Carolina is one of 22 states which administer its own OSHA compliance inspections at worksites. The U.S. Department of Labor has in recent weeks asked a federal judge to order North Carolina to quadruple its OSHA inspection force from 47 to about 200.

Barnett said that North Carolina has been a leader in staffing its state-run inspection units in the past, and he predicted that state officials would maintain an active recruiting effort to continue that tradition.

The state would have five years to comply. State Labor Commissioner John Brooks has expressed reluctance to ask the legislature for additional payroll funds to meet the federal demands.

Barnett said the public will have to become more aware of worksite safety before the state will be able to support such an increase in OSHA staffing.

"Of equal importance to the necessary support for colleges to train these specialists is the dissemination of information among the general populace as to the need for monitoring our workforces," said Barnett. "As the people become more aware of the role scientific and technological advancement plays in the health of this and future generations, the easier it will be for us to get the kind of legislation necessary to protect ourselves."

Barnett likened the current attention focused on occupational hazards to past scientific investigations which conquered polio and other childhood diseases.

"During the past centuries, we were concerned with plagues wiping us out, but the present and future generations must be concerned with protecting society from its own scientific and technological advances," said Barnett.

The professor said worksite safety and health inspections were only a small part of the task facing OSHA specialists.

"We are still in the process of trying to identify all the toxic substances which the public is already exposed to," said Barnett. "In addition to that, as scientific and technological development continues, new toxic materials are produced; and determining the effect they have on humans is a long-term, never-ending process."