

To Help Develop FSU As Major Un CHANCELLOR LYONS CALLS ON I

2 July 1974 - Dr. Charles "A" Lyons, Jr., Chancellor of Fayetteville State University, called together some fifty prominent and influential citizens of Fayetteville recently in the campus Student Center for the purpose of "planning the role of the University in the Fayetteville community and southeastern North Carolina."

Chancellor Lyons opened the conference by stating that the primary purpose of the meeting was to share ideas

about higher education and its resources as it affects FSU.

"I envision that Fayetteville State University can be developed into a regional university with undergraduate and graduate level offerings. The two main ingredients necessary for affecting change are planning and total community involvement," Chancellor Lyons stated.

Dr. Barbara Zow, newly appointed Director of Institutional Research at FSU,

is directing the planning process for the institution.

FSU, 98-year old institution, will celebrate its centennial year in 1977 and Chancellor Lyons stated that "southeastern North Carolina deserves a fairer share of the higher educational dollar in North Carolina."

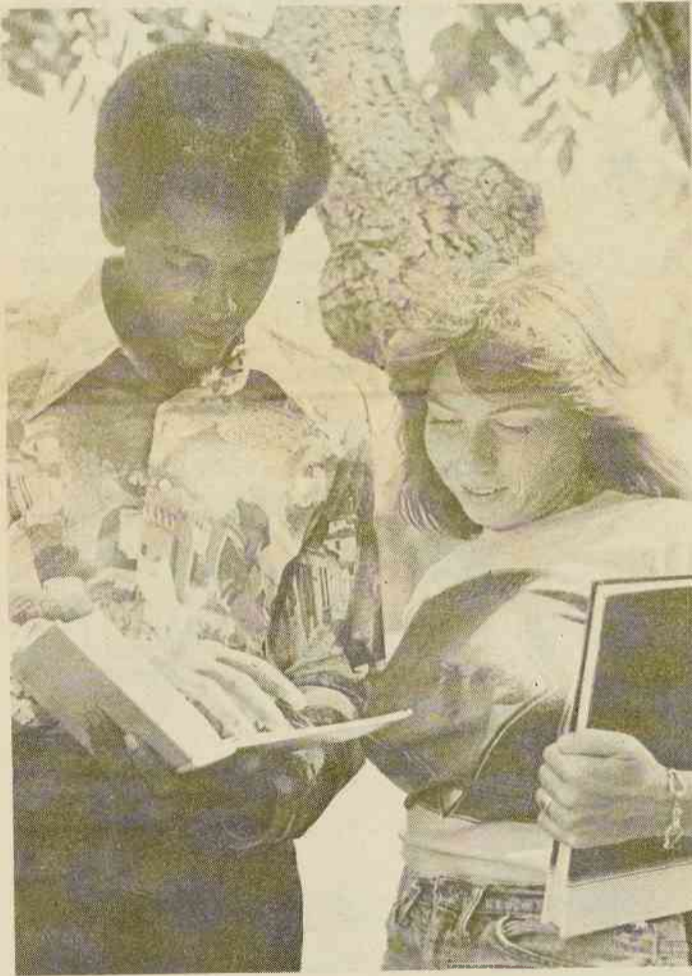
The University of North Carolina Board of Governors is seeking to make the university system more responsive to community and regional needs, and by calling

in a widely represented slice of the business, educational, military, civic leadership of Fayetteville community planning sessions, Chancellor Lyons feels that FSU moving in the direction advocated by the Board of Governors.

In the first session held on the campus, many educational businessmen, and military officials pointed to a number of unmet needs in education for southeast



Alumni Memorial Gate



CENTENNIAL STUDY AT FSU - Fayetteville State University (NC) honor roll students Loretta Fox and Johnny Williams definitely plan to celebrate FSU's Centennial Year by continuing to study and remain on the honor roll. Loretta, a native of Fayetteville, is a junior business administration major. Johnny comes from Henderson, NC and is a senior mathematics major. (FSU Photo by John B. Henderson)



SEEKING AUTOGRAPHS - Students at Fayetteville State University (NC) gather around guest speaker Shirley Chislohm recently when she appeared before a packed audience on the campus as a part of the lyceum program. (FSU Photo by John B. Henderson)

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL HEAD SUCCUMBS

Miss Lauraetta Janet Taylor, successful head coach of Fayetteville State (NC) University and Assistant Professor of Health, Physical Education and Recreation, died Sunday, March 6, in Fayetteville, NC.

She was 60. Miss Taylor, Born April 30, 1916 in Charlotte, later moved to Wilson, North Carolina, came to FSU (then

known as Fayetteville State Teacher's College) in 1944 and served the institution over 32 years chiefly as an instructor and women's basketball coach.

She attended Barber-Scotia College, Concord, NC and received the BS degree from North Carolina A & T State University. Miss Taylor later obtained the Master of Arts degree from Columbia University and did further study at Yale University and the University of Pittsburgh.

She was named CIAA "Coach-of-the-Year" in 1974-75 when her team finished with a sparkling 18-2 mark.

Miss Taylor's teams won over 90 games during her coaching career at FSU while dropping only fifteen.

Although FSU women's team did not participate as a varsity club before the early 70's, Miss Taylor had already guided her teams to a 43-3 record against outside competition.

Her teams participated in every CIAA Women's Tourney (Runners-up Twice) with the exception of the past season.



FAMOUS FSU GRAD RETURNS - Actor-comedian Jimmy Pelham, a '51 graduate of Fayetteville State University (NC) is welcomed back to campus by Mrs. Rosa Lyons, FSU Chancellor Dr. Charles "A" Lyons, Jr., and president of the Faculty Women's Club. Pelham was visiting to help promote a scholarship fashion show program sponsored by the Women's Club. (FSU Photo by John B. Henderson)

Grad Class To Head Jordan May 8

The "100th Anniversary" numbering a record 500 graduates, will head the 100th graduating class at Fayetteville State (NC) University, Director of the Na

UNC BOARD OF GOVERNORS VISIT CAMPUS

April 1977 -- the Board of Governors of the University of North Carolina System made a two-day visit to the campus of Fayetteville State University during April 7-8.

The current Chairman of the Board of Governors is

William A. Johnson of Lillington; Mrs. Howard Holderness, Greensboro, is Vice-Chairman and Dr. E. B. Turner of Lumberton



LEGISLATIVE LEADERS HONORED - Fayetteville State University Chancellor, Dr. Charles "A" Lyons, Jr., (extreme right) rolled out the red carpet recently at FSU to honor President Pro Tem of the State Senate Sen. John T. Henley (3rd from left) and Lt. Governor James Green (immediate right of Chancellor). Others in the photo are Dr. D.T. Holmes of FSU (extreme left) and Ralph Potter, chairman of the FSU planning task force. (FSU Photo by John B. Henderson)



FSU CENTENNIAL HOMECOMING - Everyone at Fayetteville State University recently appeared to be in a festive mood. FSU Chancellor Charles "A" Lyons, Jr., (center) "Miss FSU Alumni 1976" of Goldsboro, NC and "Miss FSU senior physical education major from Cedar Grove, North Carolina" (FSU Photo by John B. Henderson)