

Employment Male

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Employment Female

NEED EMPLOYMENT? WHY JOURNEY ELSEWHERE? HIGH POINT OFFERS MANY OPPORTUNITIES OF SECURITY EMPLOYMENT WITH BENEFITS UNMATCHED. IN HIGH POINT, ONLY THE LAZY ARE UNEMPLOYED.

A&T Develops Vet Center

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through the Veteran Administration. This group also represents a very high unemployment segment of the population.

There are a number of reasons why the returning Veteran harbors symptoms of bitterness, frustration, alienation, or at the least, a feeling that he has been had. The Veteran finds himself referred to in print and in conversation as a dope addict or trained killer. Often his own peer group tells him what a fool he was to go to Vietnam in the first place.

As the Vietnam Era Veteran returns to civilian life from an unpopular war, immediately he is faced with the decision of what to do with his life -- how to best utilize his talents and training and become a productive member of society.

Realizing that the Veteran is usually older, more mature and serious about his educational endeavors, returning to school may present many problems for the Veteran -- many

unforeseen prior to the first day of registration. The sacrifices that college demands will necessitate the ranking of priorities and the formulating of goals, for there will be times during the Veterans educational training when long-range goals will be the only consolation for his endeavors. There will also be times when institutional obstacles which often hinder a student's progress will appear immovable and the Veteran will question his purpose for seeking an education.

Taking all this into consideration, A&T State University has developed a program which it feels will not only assist Veterans entering and returning to college life to make satisfactory adjustments, but will also enable them to cope successfully with problems of self-discovery and self-direction.

The A&T Veterans Center is a university wide program attempting to involve as many areas as possible. To be most effective, it has developed a totally supportive staff, fully sensitized to the needs, problems and potential of Veterans as valuable, respected members of the college community.

The target group has two levels, one the below high school level or remedial group, and the college level veteran who is not taking advantage of the Veterans Educational Benefits. For the remedial group the program will concentrate its efforts on the minority and disadvantaged veterans. In the low income area unemployment runs as high as twenty percent (201) and if one considers underemployment it would run even higher.

The second phase of their program consists of outreach counseling, a tutorial program, and other supportive services. This part of the program is aimed at recruiting veterans over a wide area to attend

institutions at any level or accommodate the experience location that will meet their needs. Emphasis is also placed on less-than-honorable discharges, drug addiction, disabled veterans, and health care benefits.

There is a total commitment on the part of the school's administration as well as the growing need and awareness of the veterans program. Evidence may be seen of this by the fact of the university's liberal entrance policies. The university has committed itself to waver certain society, then and only then entrance requirements to is the program successful.



Educator Honored For Outstanding Record

Mrs. Ruth Woodson (left), outstanding educator of Raleigh, is presented a gift by Mrs. Prezell R. Robinson, wife of the president of Saint Augustine's College, in recognition of her achievements and contributions to the Raleigh Community and the State of North Carolina as an educator. The presentation was made during the holiday dinner given by Dr. and Mrs. Robinson for the faculty, staff and administration of the college.

To Keynote Conference

DURHAM — Two top Black leaders will be keynote speakers at the annual 1974 meeting of the North Carolina Black Elected Officials Conference to be held in Raleigh at the Sir Walter Hotel, January 18-19th.

Cake Class

The High Point Parks and Recreation Department will sponsor a Cake Decorating Class beginning the last week of January. This class is tentatively scheduled to be held on Wednesday nights at Astor Dowdy Towers.

Anyone interested in registering should call the Parks and Recreation Office at 883-7171, Ext. 247, and ask for Susan Smith. There will be a registration fee of \$2 for the class.

Howard Lee To Speak Here Sunday

Mayor Howard N. Lee, the first Black Mayor of Chapel Hill, will be the guest speaker at a mass meeting which will be held at St. Steven's A.M.E. Zion Church on Leonard Street, January 20, 1974 at 5 P.M.

This program is being sponsored by the program committee of a newly organized group named "Citizens Involved in Community Development." This group is made up of citizens throughout High Point. This newly organized group is not sponsored by any federal programs.

The purpose of this organized group is to

stimulate and encourage citizens to start participating into community affairs, and issues which affects their lives. This organization has the support of Urban Ministry and church organizations throughout High Point.

Lee is a graduate of Fort Valley State College, Fort Valley, Georgia where he majored in Sociology and Pre-Professional Social Work. He served for two years in the U.S. Army. Following his release from the army, he worked for three years in the Juvenile Domestic Relations Court in Savannah, Georgia.

Graduate School of Social Work at the University of North Carolina and subsequently received his masters degree in Social Work in 1966.

Following graduation, he accepted employment with Duke University in Durham, N.C. as Director of Youth Services (1966-68); from 68-69 he was Director of Employee Relations at Duke University, and Assistant Professor of Sociology at North Carolina Central University at Durham and later became Director of the Office of Human Development at Duke University.

Chapel Hill in 1969, re-elected in 1971 for a second term, and in 1973 re-elected to a third term.



Brooklyn School To Desegregate

NEW YORK — U.S. District Judge Jack Weinstein indicated in an oral statement from the bench recently that he will hold the central Board of Education and School District No. 21 to be in violation of the Constitution for operating the Mark Twain School as a black junior high school. The judge's comment followed hearings on a case filed by the NAACP and tried by Assistant General Counsel James I. Meyerson.

"Mark Twain is going to be desegregate under the order of this court," Judge Weinstein said. "I am not going to permit Mark Twain to be shut down. I did not consider that an acceptable alternative."

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After a year with IBM, James joined the Los Alamos Project, earned an M.S. in Computer Sciences and is now at Carnegie-Mellon studying Urban Affairs.

Fred researches solar physics at NASA's Goddard Space Flight Center. Larry will return to his Ph.D. studies in chemistry at the University of Pittsburgh after completing his hitch with Uncle Sam.

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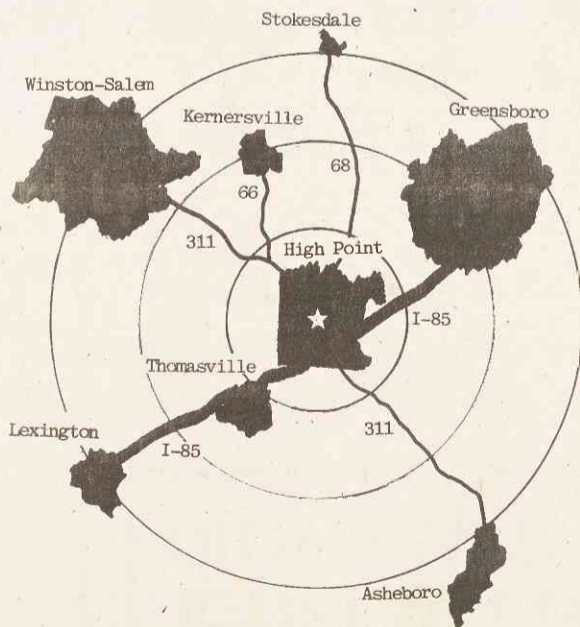
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