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Agnew Is 'Bitter' Toward Press

NEW YORK, Nov. 22 (AP)—Former Vice President Spiro T. Agnew is reportedly making \$100,000 a year from one business venture and might have another six-figure income from commissions, but he is still unhappy.

"I'm bitter," Agnew is quoted as saying in the December issue of McCall's magazine.

"I'll never get over the distortions and inaccuracies in the press. I don't like 90 per cent of the press. I don't need the press," Agnew adds in the article.

Following his conviction on

a tax evasion charge and resignation as Vice President, Agnew began a career as a business broker. Now he "could be well on his way to becoming a millionaire," says Nick Thimmesch, author of the article.

According to the magazine story:

- Agnew has used an unspecified advance on an uncompleted novel to finance Pathlite Inc., a land-owning, managing and consulting firm.

- He also has a four-year contract with Midwest land developer Walter Dilbeck that pays \$100,000 annually, plus one third of profits.

- He is negotiating a potential \$5 million or \$6 million deal for the rich Kuwait International Investment Co. that could bring in a six-figure commission for the former Vice President.

But Agnew remembers the disgrace in which he left office.

"What more can they do to me?" he asks. "I am not a public person any more. You people in the press are always arguing for the right to privacy. How about letting me have mine?"