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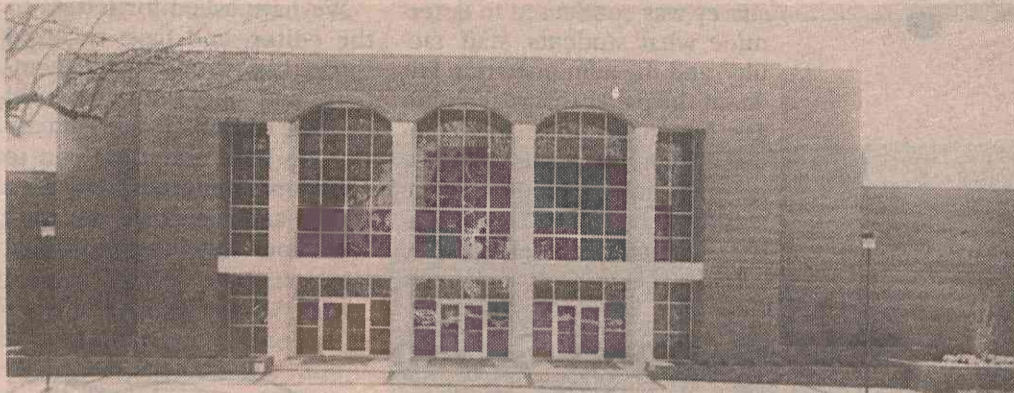
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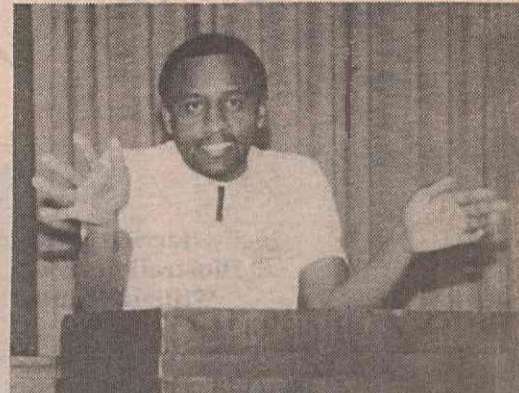


Helen Thomas, UPI  
White House Bureau Chief



The new Auditorium/Arts Complex

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Brotherhood and Unity Week

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## A Year In Review

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The 1988-89 school year at Louisburg College brought the students many learning experiences as well as some pretty hard times. Although I am guilty of complaining about the lack of events occurring on campus from time to time, as I looked over the past year, I realized that there were many important happenings that the students were a part of.

Probably one of the most exciting experiences for me was meeting United Press International's White House Bureau Chief, Helen Thomas. Thomas visited the Louisburg campus on November 29, 1988 where she answered questions at a press conference and delivered a speech to the faculty, student body, and visitors.

Also, one of the most popular groups on campus was formed in October of 1988: the Peace Group. Since this group was formed, they have delivered canned goods to the Department of Social Services, held a debate on Capital Punishment as well as a debate on U.S. Intervention in Latin America, and sent postcards and letters to prisoners of conscience during the Christmas season.

One of the saddest occurrences, was the death of Steve Pendergrass on October 21, 1988. The Louisburg College family will miss him for a long time to come.

Major changes were made in the visitation policy. The SGA has worked very hard over the past months to help give students more freedom in their dorm rooms. Obviously, their

actions have made fantastic progress. Now, students have a visitation schedule with many more hours than before.

Another of the many experiences Louisburg and its surrounding area have undergone is the opening of the new auditorium and theatre. The twelve-hundred-seat auditorium and one-hundred-and-eighty-seat theatre have already been put to great use with art exhibits, a performance of the North Carolina Symphony, and the *Grease* performance held on April 17-22. Good luck to the auditorium's continued success.

The Lady 'Canes basketball team took the Region X title and Pam Gorham was selected as the tournament's MVP. Her twin sister Phyllis, Carolyn Brown, and Lisa Lang were also chosen for the all-tournament team. Coach Mike Holloman was selected Region X Coach of the Year. Way to go ladies!

And last but certainly not least, Black History month was celebrated at Louisburg College with a Brotherhood and Unity Celebration which included a commemoration of the birthday of Martin Luther King, Jr. and a month full of other activities to inform students about Black History and race relations.

So as you look back at your days at Lou-U, remember all of the activities that you helped to make possible.



Steven Pendergrass



Coach Mike Holloman



The restoration of Main was swift and sure.

Photo by Bob Johnson



The NJCAA Women's Basketball National Tournament in Tyler, Texas.



Grease

Photo by Bob Johnson



The Peace Group made an ambitious start.

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