

HEADLINES

Around the Globe

Often students found it hard to believe that there was life outside of Walterboro High. Many noteworthy events took place in the outside world during this year. For example:

- Former Governor of Arkansas, Bill Clinton, was elected President of the United States.
- Racial riots occurred in Los Angeles after police officers were acquitted of almost all charges in the Rodney King beating.
- The World Trade Center in New York suffered major damage after being bombed.
- Supreme Court Justice, Thurgood Marshall, died at age 84.
- The Dallas Cowboys won Super Bowl XXVII.
- Alex Haley, the author of *Roots*, died.
- Metallica performed the first

heavy metal concert at the new North Charleston Coliseum.

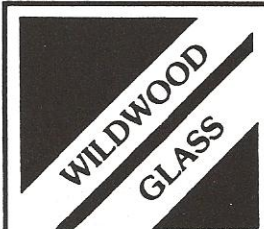
- Jazz great Dizzy Gillespie died.
- Michael Jackson granted Oprah Winfrey his first live interview in over fourteen years.
- Erwin "Magic" Johnson retired from the LA Lakers after he announced he had HIV.
- The US sent food and troops to the starving people of Somalia.
- Cheryl Mosely Braun was the first black woman elected to the Senate.
- Arthur Ashe, the first African-American to win a Glam Slam Tourney, died of AIDS at the age of 49.

The year had its ups and downs, but each event had a major influence on the lives of everyone.

— Natasha Hooper



Tonique Rabb discusses the latest news concerning the situation in Somalia with Kelly Holmes. Both were office helpers and had plenty of time to check out the latest news.




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