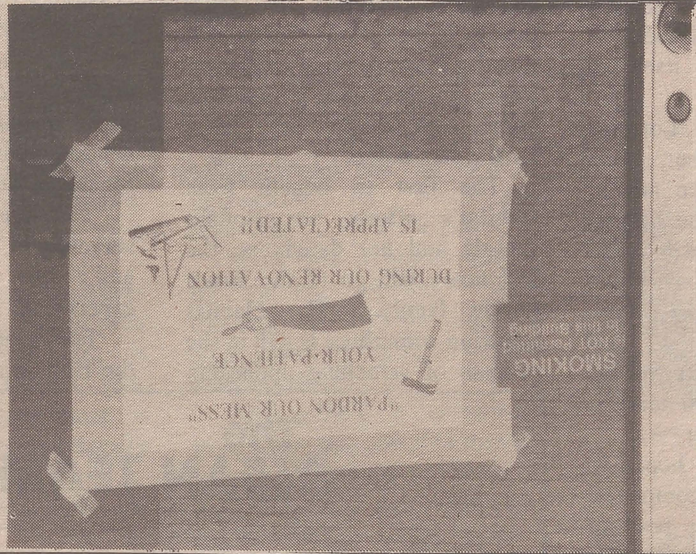


Makin' it through the mess...



THIS "friendly" sign became very familiar to campus staff this summer

For all students and staff this became a familiar sign around campus this summer. And everyone seemed in good spirits about it even when it required walking around boxes, parking in a unique spot or feeling the hot breezes blow through an office or classroom from windows that weren't there. A bit of confusion existed the first couple of days of classes as students tried to find that English class which seemed to have disappeared into space -

Now, looking around, it all seems worth the effort.

ACC's summer 1990 renovation project involved moving the learning skills center to Van Lare Hall and the English department offices to the Natural Resources building. This was done to give the LSC much needed room and to make it more accessible to students. All student services are now located in VLH which includes financial aid offices, registration areas, the Dean's office and counseling areas.

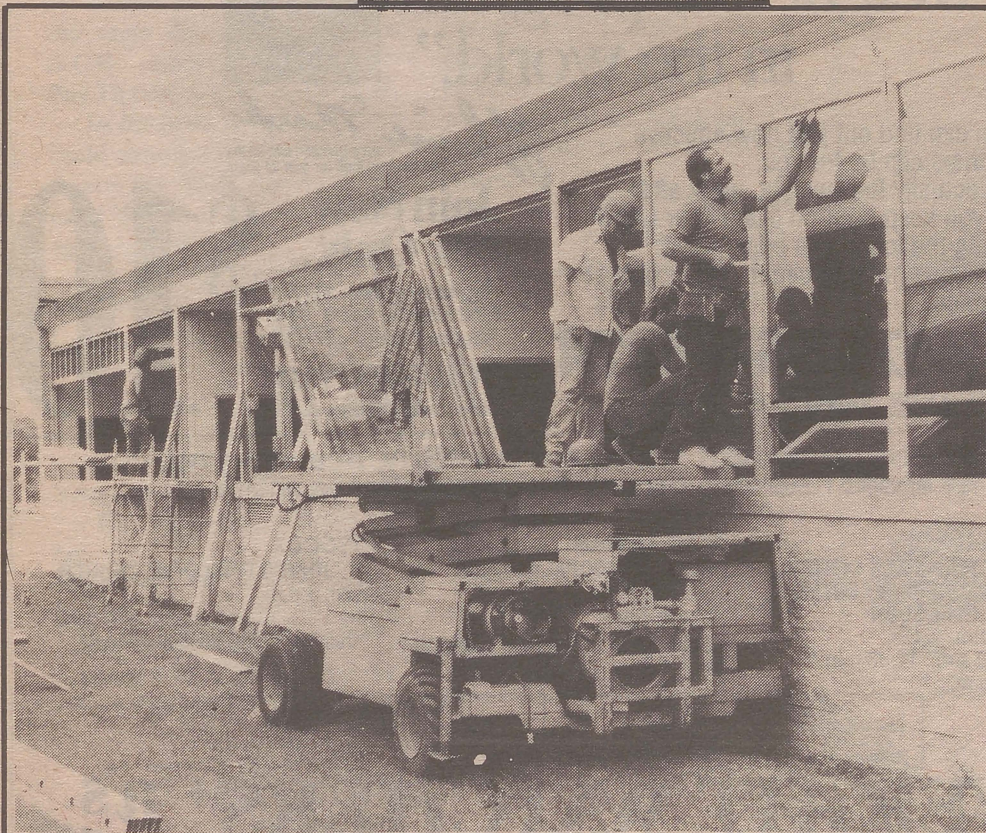
VLH also had changes made to the reception area, energy efficient windows installed and redesigned office space.

Less visible changes involved the installation of a new boiler and removal of asbestos.

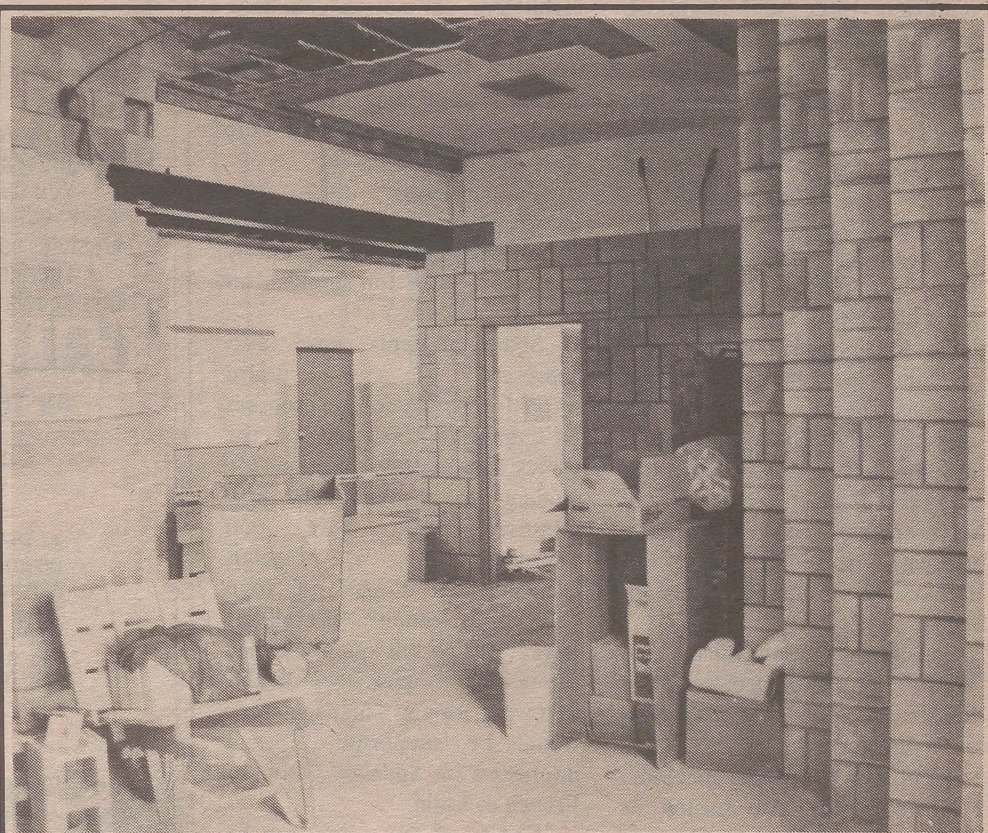
The renovation was partially funded by state grants and a Besser Foundation grant.



SEVERAL staff members were busy "boxing" for the big move



CONSTRUCTION workers make Van Lare Hall more energy efficient with new windows



THE lobby of VLH was redesigned to give a more welcoming appearance to students
photos courtesy of ACC's public relations department