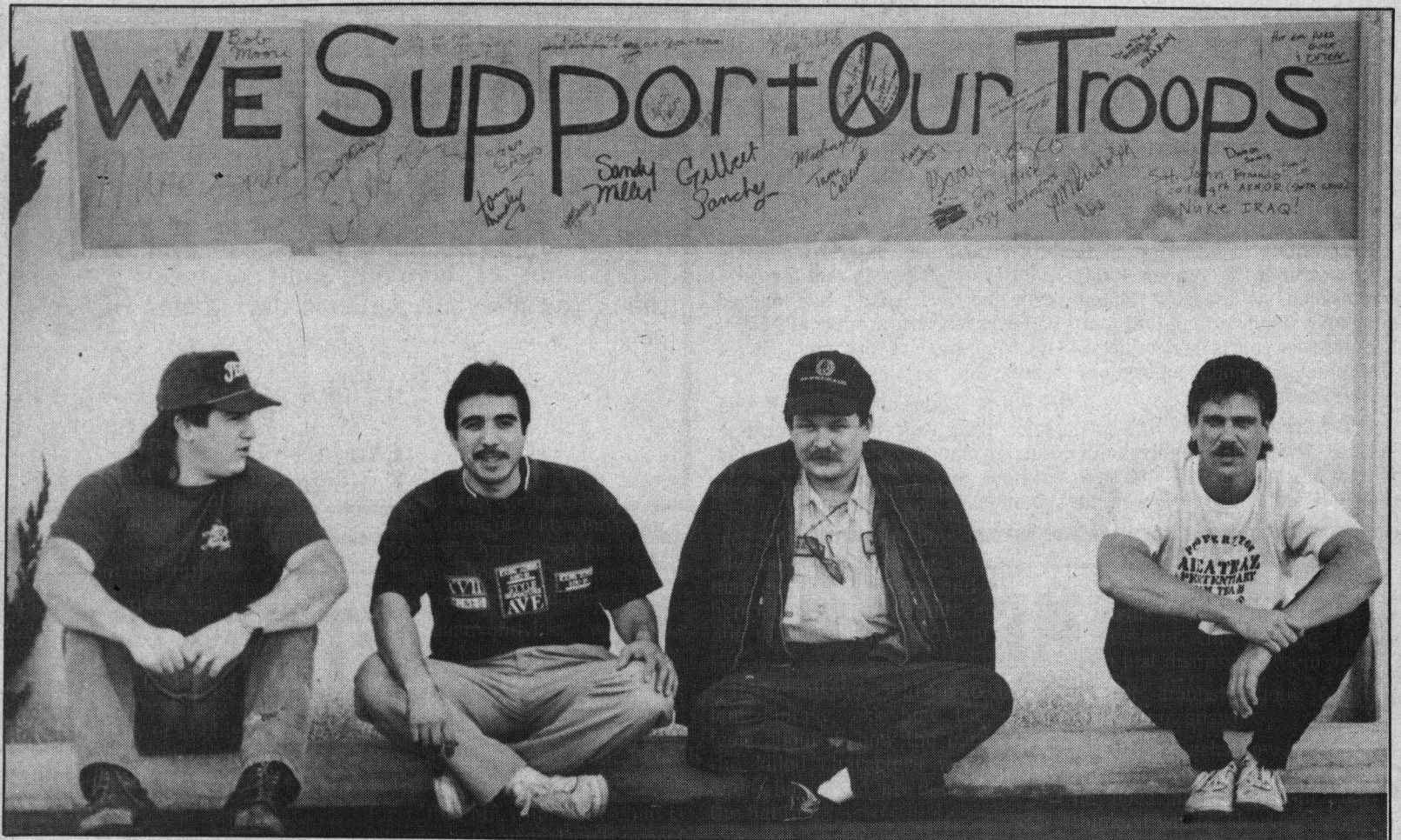


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At Hadco, from left, Jeff Hughes, Mike Romo, Scott Caldwell and Michael Thomas support the troops.



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Kayackers off Santa Cruz pier protested the hostilities by paddling for peace.

Freedom of expression

People throughout Santa Cruz County are exercising their constitutional rights and voicing their opinions about the Persian Gulf War.

Two of the more innovative approaches were found earlier this week by R-P photographer Julie Rogers.

A group of kayackers, calling themselves Paddlers for Peace, situated themselves just off Santa Cruz pier and unfurled banners that read 'Explore Peace,' 'Demand

Alternatives' and 'Eat What You Kill.'

The group later marched to the Town Clock, with their kayaks, to protest the war.

Hadco employees, on Airport Boulevard in Watsonville, said they were tired of the anti-war protests. Employee Dave Ochs, a Vietnam veteran, designed a banner supporting the troops — with a stylized peace symbol included — and other staff members at Hadco signed their names before it was hung up for passers-by to see.