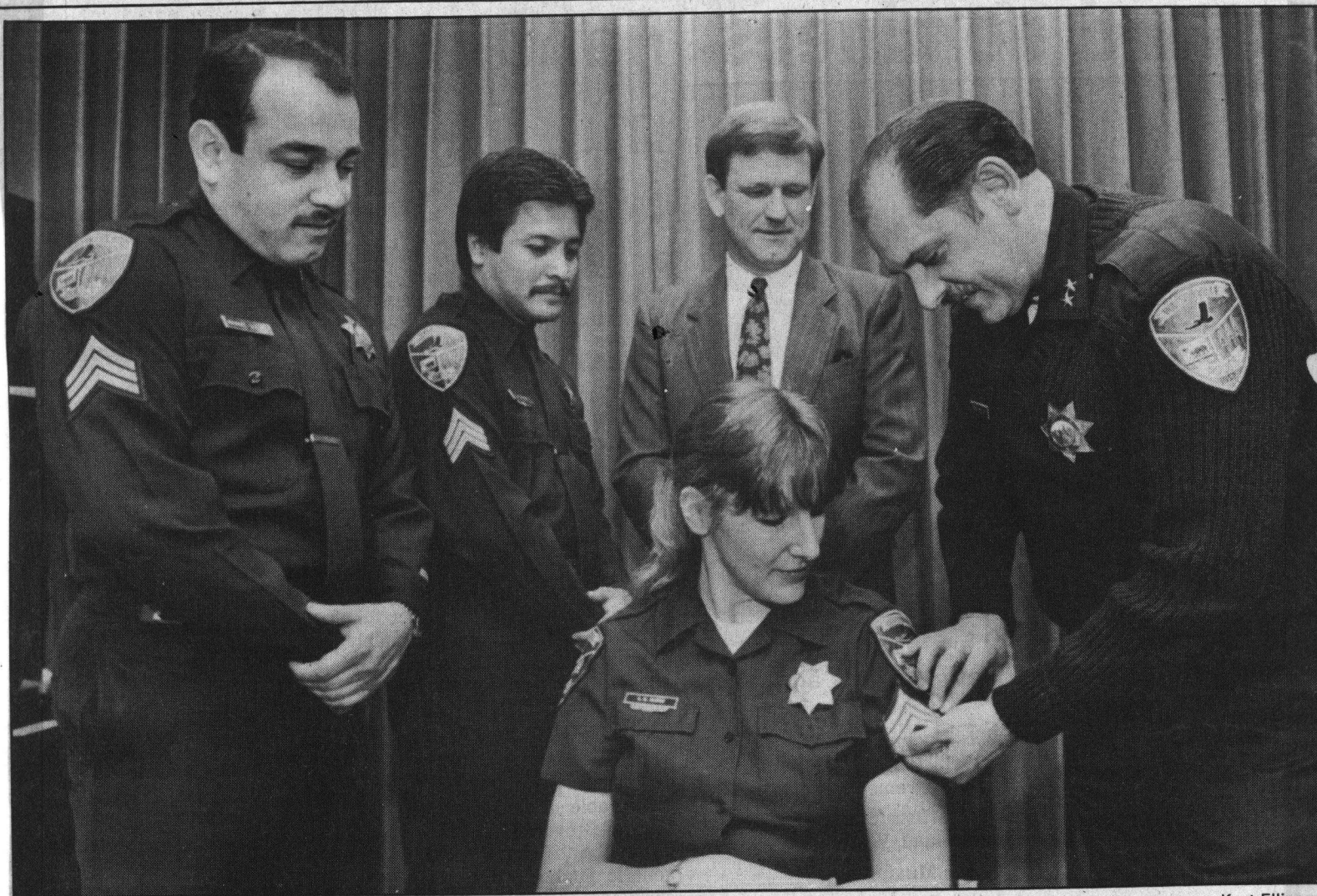


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Sergeants three

History was made in more ways than one this week when three Watsonville police officers were promoted to sergeant, the first time such an event had occurred. Also a first was the fact that one of the new sergeants — Kim Austin, receiving her stripes from Police Chief Terry

Medina above — is a woman. The other two new sergeants are Manny Solano, left, and Eddie Rodriguez, second from left. That's District Attorney Art Danner looking on at center. All three were detectives before their promotion.

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