ACLU criticizes York High drug search

ties Union is criticizing state and local said was neither a gun nor a knife. police for a surprise drug raid Wednesday at York High School.

Police used drug-sniffing dogs to search lockers and vehicles for 45 minutes Wednesday morning as school officials kept students inside classrooms.

The search turned up a few marijuana seeds, ashes and empty drug-re-

ARMED ROBBERY

Go, 2711 S. 48th St., was robbed

Wednesday night by a man carry-

the store's office at 10:18 when a

masked man entered, Lincoln po-

forced her to the floor and de-

lice Sgt. Ann Heermann said.

ing a revolver.

said.

A manager at a Valentino's To-

The 25-year-old manager was in

The man pulled a revolver,

chapter of the American Civil Liber- concealed weapon that school officials

search, especially since a student at the

The Nebraska State Patrol and York school died last year after using drugs. "We are not in the business of hassling kids," principal Scott Koch said. "The message we want to send is first of all drugs are illegal, they are not acceptable and they won't be tolerated in school.'

But Executive Director of the Ne-

YORK (AP) - The Nebraska lated containers, as well as one small braska chapter of the American Civil said. Liberties Union, Matt LeMieux, said the message being sent to students is School officials defended the that they have no personal rights.

"This is a classic case of where stu- law," he said. dents lose their rights as soon as they enter the doors at school," LeMieux said.

or violation of school policy, LeMieux crackdown on drug use.

"I highly doubt they had reasonable suspicion that all of those students were in violation of school policy or the

Koch insisted the search was legal

Last year, 17-year-old Kory Sierp The courts say that before police collapsed at the prom and later died and school officials can search a locker from heart failure caused by methamor vehicle they need reasonable suspi- phetamine use. Community meetings cion that there is evidence of a crime that followed the death called for a

Barnett pleads not guilty to 1992 Bush slaying

Sheets is still awaiting preliminary hearing in November.

OMAHA (AP) - One of two men charged in the death of a 17-year-old Omaha woman said Thursday that he first look at the evidence, said Douglas was innocent of the crime.

in Douglas County District Court to a first-degree murder charge in the 1992 later in rural Washingtor County. slaying of Kenyatta Bush.

coveralls and sandals, had to sign a document with his hands cuffed.

Jeremy C. Sheets, 22, also is charged with first-degree murder and use of a weapon. He was arrested in Maine, where he was stationed with the Navy. His preliminary hearing is scheduled for Nov. 13 in Douglas County Court.

The preliminary hearing will be the County Attorney Jim Jansen.

Bush, a North High School honor Adam S. Barnett pleaded not guilty student, was reported missing Sept. 23, 1992. Her body was found 10 days

Jansen said prosecutors would like to try the cases against Barnett and Barnett, 21, dressed in orange jail Sheets at the same time. The decision will depend on what happens in pretrial court proceedings, he said.

Combs aims to overcome incumbent

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party politics or special interest money.

One thing Combs said he would do if elected is invest in the future of young people. This year Congress passed a bill cutting studentloan money, he said.

Combs said he had a friend in Washington, D.C., who went to George Washington University because she got a federal loan. Now, she's an attorney making six figures, and in just a few years has paid back in taxes more than three times what she received from the government for college, he said. Politicians should look at loans as an investment, he said.

"I'd rather see money put into student-loan programs than new Star Wars programs we don't even have the technology to make hap-

pen," Combs said. "I'm ready to make votes for young people."

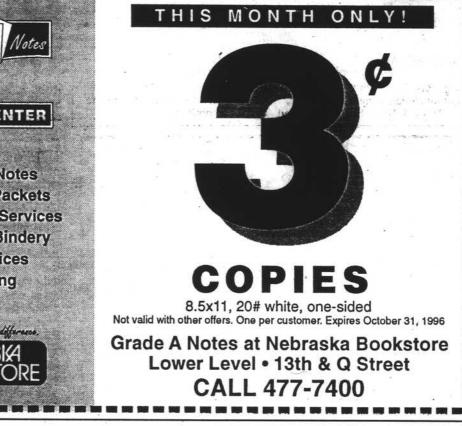


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Devida Jones was working the night Jonas Cruz allegedly robbed T's Fast Stop at 3291 Holdrege St., Lincoln police Sgt. Ann Heermann said.

Cruz entered the store and held a knife to Jones while ordering another employee to lie down,

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Cruz was arrested for armed robbery and use of a knife to com-

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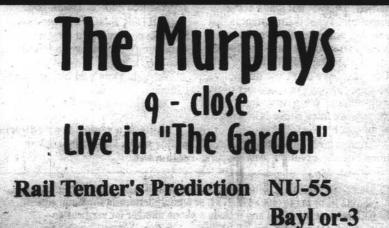
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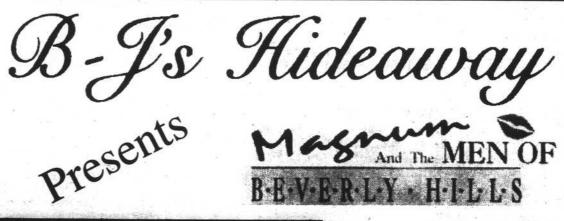
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