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Your talent and gifts are widely known and much appreciated. We want to thank you for all that you do, and hope you might be able to spare a moment to offer us your support for the Monroe County (Indiana) Volunteers In Tutoring Adult Learners (VITAL) program.

VITAL, sponsored by and housed in the Monroe County Public Library and active since about 1977, is an enormously successful program, with over 250 volunteer tutors working on a one-to-one basis with adult learners. We are currently preparing to hold our annual fund-raising event, the VITAL QUIZ BOWL from April 8 - 11, 1991. Each year, the VITAL program hosts this increasingly popular trivia competition in which teams from all over the county compete. Each team donates \$100.00 to participate and telephone donations are solicited throughout the locally televised competition. The funds raised are used to sustain the tutoring services of VITAL and to support literacy throughout the community.

We are seeking letters of support for our literacy program. A brief note from you with your signature would be a most valuable tool in our efforts to publicize the QUIZ BOWL and promote community awareness of VITAL's efforts to increase adult literacy. I hope we can count on your help.

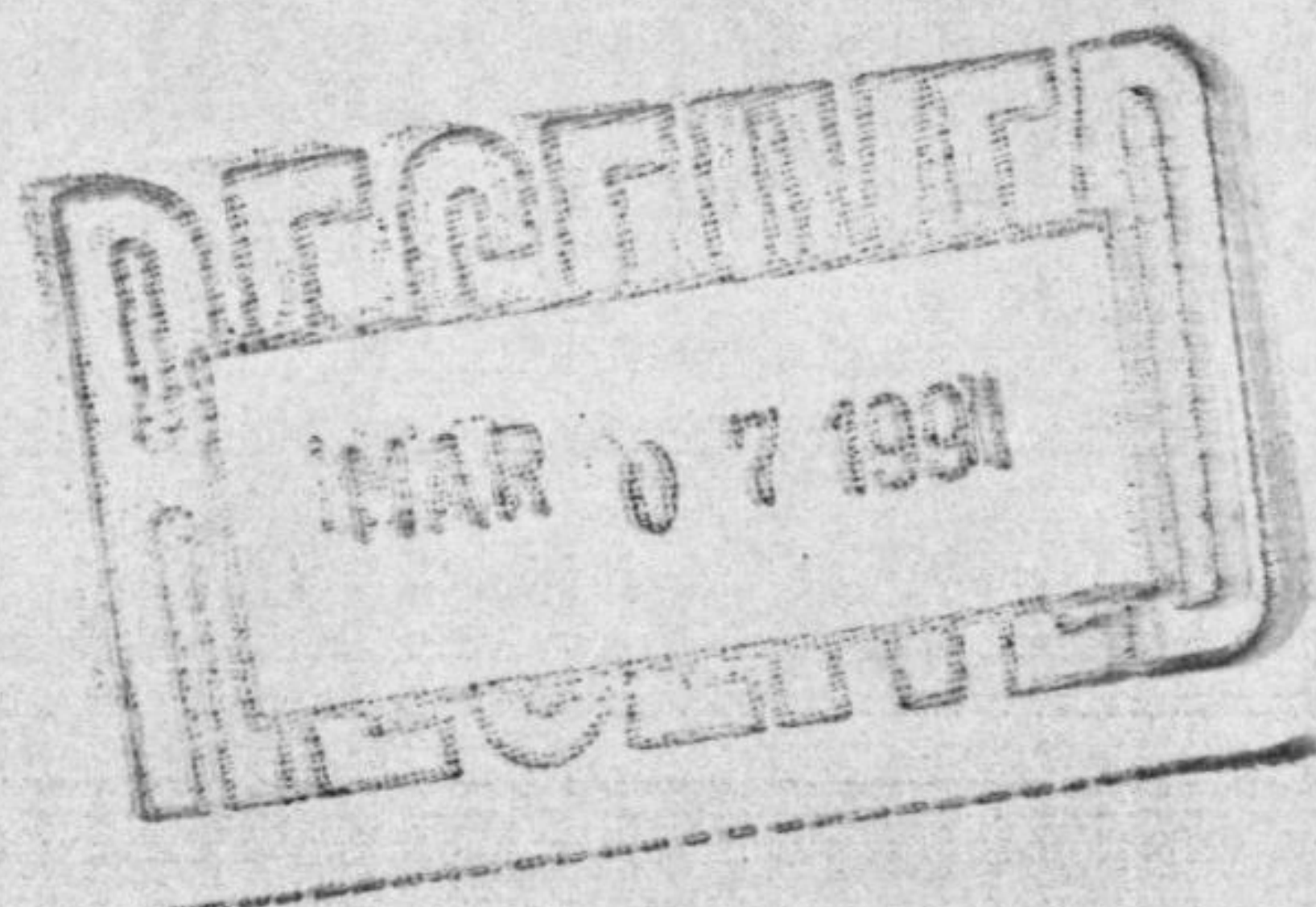
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