

## BRIEFLY

**Awareness on mental retardation**

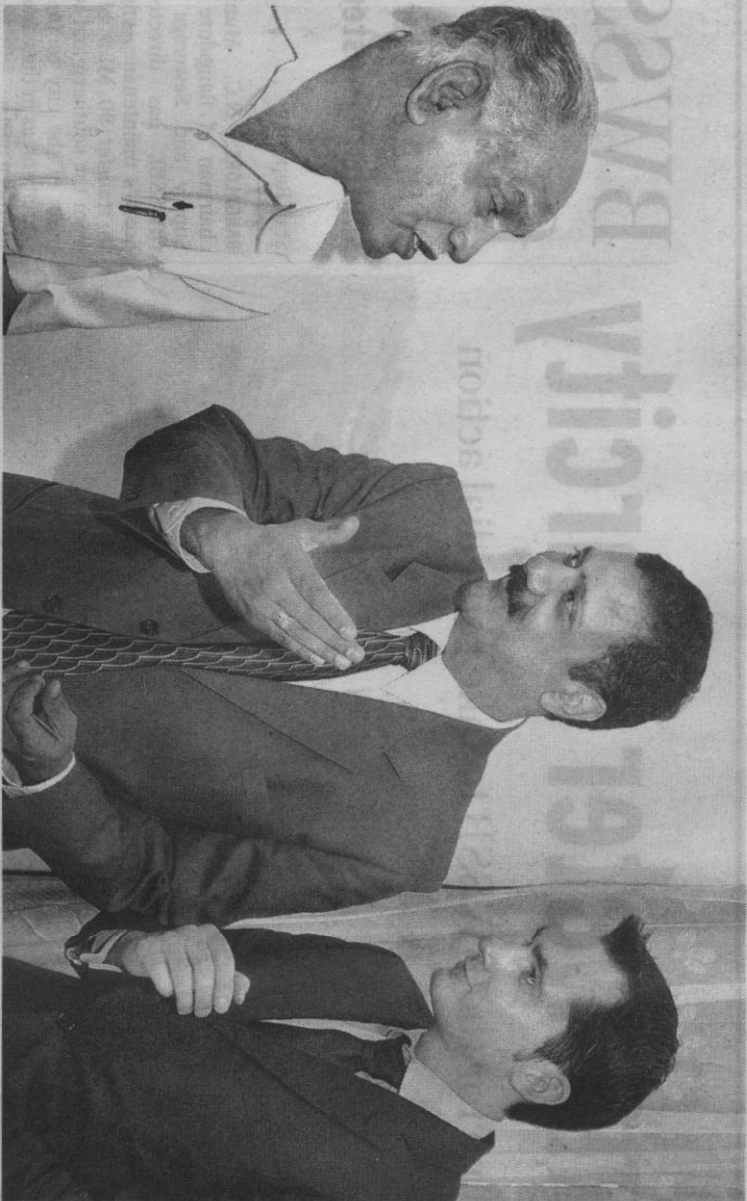
**BANGALORE:** The Karnataka Parents' Association for mentally retarded citizens (KPAMRC) will organise a three-month programme on awareness-cum-training in mental retardation. The programme is designed by the Rehabilitation Council of India and Indira Gandhi National Open University. The 40-hour programme will be conducted through distance education mode. The objective of the programme is to promote all-round development of children and enable their integration and inclusion in the home, school and community. For details, call 26564608 or 26563267. — Staff Reporter

**Eye check-up camp**

**BANGALORE:** The Kamala Devi Sumermal Chhajed Charitable Trust will organise a free eye check-up and operation camp on Sunday at the Government Urdu Model Primary School, New Savar Lane, Mattadahalli, J.C. Nagar (near Bangalore Dooradarshan Kendra). Surgery will be done free of cost at Mahaveer Eye Hospital. For registration, call 9845161941 or 9844318604. — Staff Reporter

**Power shutdown**

**BANGALORE:** There will be no power supply from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Sunday in the following areas: Perenna Motors Road, NTT Road, N.G. Halli, Shivapura, KAPL Road, PIA 2nd Phase and FFI

*Visitors with a request*

**FROM BELGIUM:** Deputy Chief Minister B.S. Yedyurappa (left) speaking to Lorin Parys (right), General Manager, 'Flanders District of Creativity', an initiative of the Government of Belgium, and Jayant Naddger, Trade Commissioner of Flanders, Federated State of Belgium, in Bangalore on Friday. They met Mr. Yedyurappa in connection with the annual conference of the Creativity World Forum to be held in Belgium this November, and requested the Karnataka Government to hold next year's conference. — PHOTO: K. GOPINATHAN

# Further trial of case involving Telgi, two doctors ordered

It will be held for five days from June 12

of K. Siddaraju, the former Su- tion that Telgi allegedly had with

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## Transfer of senic Staff Reporter

**BANGALORE:** Hectic lobbying has begun for the post of Bangalore Police Commissioner though there are no indications of the incumbent Ajai Kumar Singh being shifted from the post immediately.

However, the transfer of the commissioners of the Bangalore Mahanagara Palike (BMP) and Bangalore Development Authority (BDA) has given a new impetus to the lobbying. According to sources in the Secretariat and the police, prominent among those aspiring to be the Police Commissioner are Additional Directors-General of Police Jija Madhavan Harisingh, Subash Bharani, Shankar Mahadev Bidari and K.V. Ravindra-nath Tagore, who was promoted as ADGP only four days ago.

According to the sources, though Mr. Singh was "reluctant" to continue as commissioner after his promotion as Director-General of Police in February, the State Government asked him to carry on for a few