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War continues: 507th still going strong

Overall, the unit is still going well. "Our people continue to have a positive attitude and **that's great**," said Lt. Col. Larry Turner, 507th commander.

The unit was tasked with 48 sorties yesterday. "We definitely got 44. And, according to the scenario, we may have also gotten another one or two," said the colonel.

"We are still a little rough around the edges," he said. "Remember the sense of urgency."

"You only have a short time to get your gloves on," stressed the colonel. "Also, don't forget about your helmet. **Keep it on your head.**"

Another area of concern with the colonel is the heat-related incidents. "**Drink your**

water!" he emphasized.

"We really need you and we certainly don't want to lose you because you weren't taking care of yourself out there. It's hot in those suits and your body needs the liquid."

According to Capt. (Dr.) Ron Stevens from the TAC Clinic, we've only had a few minor heat-related incidents. "The primary reason people are getting heat exhaustion is lack of water in their bodies."

"When the weather stays in the 90s, like has been for the last few days, your water intake should be at **LEAST** one canteen an hour," the doctor added. "Even if you think you have had enough, force yourself to drink the water."

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Exercise

NATO's airfields, including the one at Cigli AB, were subjected to heavy and repeated air and ground attacks throughout the day Thursday.

Also attacked were radar and communications facilities, along with command and control centers, throughout Turkey.

Turkish ground forces have done a good job so far of holding back the Soviets and Bulgarian ground forces.

The war is expected to intensify today.

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Turkish customs different than American

Remember we are guests in a country that has customs very different from our own. The following is a listing of some subjects you should be aware of while living in Turkey.

*Most of Turkey is Moslem and their holy book is the Koran. The constitution guarantees religious freedom, however, it's against the law to try to convert someone.

*Mustafa Kemal Ataturk was the founder of the modern Turkish Republic, He is revered, idolized and neither his name nor his image should be treated with disrespect.

*The Turkish flag is a source of fierce pride with Turks. Destroying or insulting their flag is punishable by imprisonment.

*Women are generally kept in the background, as they are in other Moslem countries. Generally, women will not talk to strangers.

Although we are in Izmir and Turkish women dress and behave in modern fashion, it's not always advisable to strike up a conversation a woman unless you've been introduced.

American military women must not become too familiar with Turkish men. Turkish men do not take "no" for an answer very easily.

Although women in Turkey are respected, they are never considered equal to men or boys. There are no women in the Turkish military. American military women will be ignored by Turks when speaking on military subjects.

News from across the nation

Editor's note: Information compiled from "USA Today"

Carlton Fisk dumped by Phillies

Four time Cy Young Award winner Carlton Fisk of the Philadelphia Phillies was released from the team Tuesday. Bill Giles, the Phillies president, said he decided to release Fisk while watching him June 14 against St. Louis. In five innings, St. Louis had six hits, six earned runs and six walks against Fisk.

Fisk's career spanned 22 seasons, 318 victories and 3,982 strikeouts.

News from around Oklahoma

In Norman, University of Oklahoma policeman found human leg standing upright in military-style boot. Other unidentified remains were found.

Stillwater is fighting spreading imported fire ants. The insects' nest get 12 inches tall.

Where we are defending freedom



IG conference period set for Saturday

The 12th AF IG will have a General Conference Period Saturday from 2 to 3 p.m. in the 507th TFG Commander's conference room, building 1043, room 116.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY AFTER NORMAL DUTY HOURS, THERE WILL BE A CQ ON DUTY IN BUILDING 1043, CBPO OFFICE, 734-7491.

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