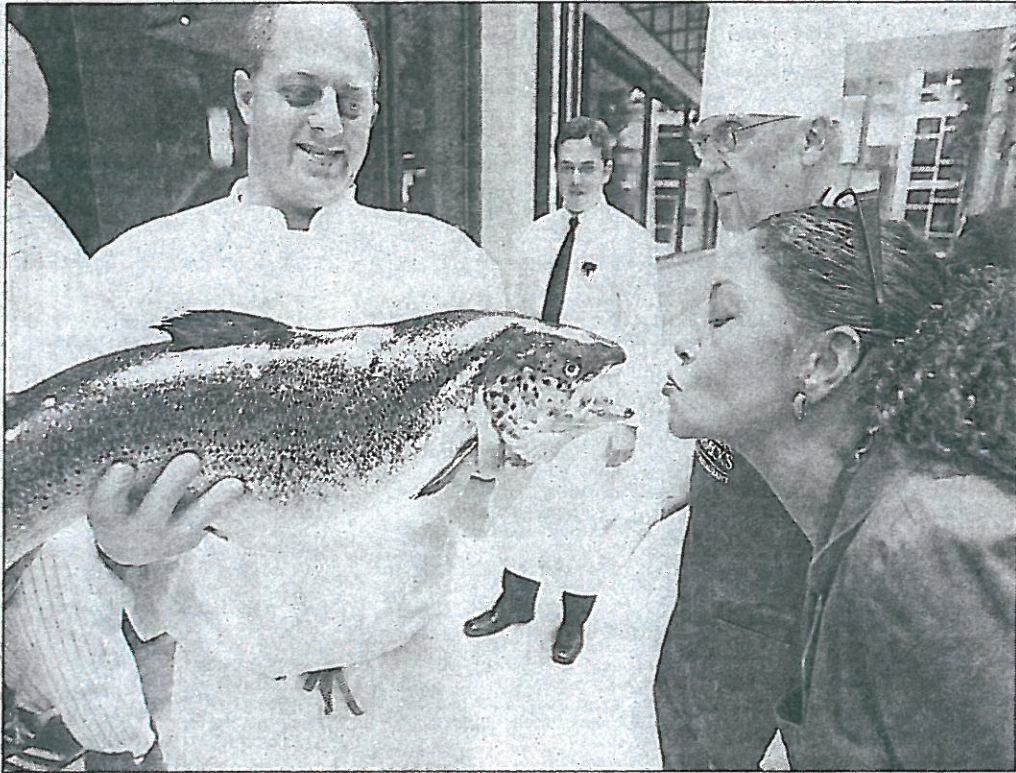


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NICK de la TORRE: CHRONICLE

DQUG Pollard, executive chef at McCormick & Schmick's, holds an Atlantic salmon as Kathryn Griffin, of Councilman Peter Brown's office, pretends to give it a kiss Monday during the grand opening of the restaurant's Houston Pavilions location downtown.