

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Greetings, y'all. The 'Grip' is back, again. Please, allow me to express my sympathy to those Brothers anticipating a September '83 edition of G.D.P.'s finest, the 'Grip'. Due to my return to college, sporadic working hours, and numerous social distractions, I have, unfortunately, been unable to put forth as much effort into the newsletter as is necessary.

However, I am most certain that, with the assistance of Brother Bill Michelin (IBC Editor), the 'Grip' will definitely be published on a regular (monthly) basis. Incidentally, Bro. Michelin's new column, 'Editor's Notes' is being featured on page three.

Once again, the Board has been victimized by yet, another seemingly unnecessary resignation of a prominent officer. On August 20th, Bro. Shawn Stewart informed me of his intention to immediately resign (read: 'Quit') from his position of Northern Vice-President.

I firmly believe that Bro. Stewart's irrational decision to 'resign' was the direct result of the many heated arguments which had transpired between us following last Convention. Let it be known for the record that, any or all personal conflicts and/or differences which have come between Shawn and I are both irrelevant and unrelated to Fraternity business matters.

As for the ol' I.B. of C., well, we kicked off the 1983-84 Fraternal Campaign with our first monthly meeting on September 25th in St. Catharines. At this time, I would like to re-assure the Fraternity that this year's edition of the I.B.C. will be one of the most productive and organized in recent memory.

Remember Convention '83? Right; how could one possibly ever forget? I would like to take this opportunity to extend a most deserving note of appreciation and gratitude to Grand Brother Stockdale, whom served admirably as Convention Chairman, and Bro. Skeeter Reelitz for his many unselfish efforts in making Convention '83 a great success.

On the lighter side of Convention '83 ramblings is, well, the rather excessive socializing by all the Brothers in attendance during the weekend's varied activities. Undoubtedly, the most entertaining and memorable event can be attributed to a one, Bro. Doug (I Just Can't Keep My Pants On While Dancing To The Rolling Stones) Johnson

Echoes of 'BU-DHA BU-DHA BU-DHA', still ringing in my ears. Brothers Curly and Johnnie Smith receive 'dishonorable' mention for their coersive, but amusing antics which raised me up to some undesirable situations. Enough said.

Does anyone ever recall what became of our ill-fated annual publication, the 'Garnet & Silver'? Well, for the past ten years, the 'G & S' has been nothing more than wishful thoughts of many past Boards gone by. In 1984, Bro. Michelin and I hope to make the 'G & S' a reality. The possibility of having our first annual publication becoming an actual entity, will be tremendously enhanced with your co-operation and active participation.

Reminder numero uno: 'Support the 'Grip'; your contributions are greatly needed and appreciated. Also, see 'BREWSKI-MANIA' on the back page. I shall return

Michael A. Kuch - IBC President

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" GAMMA QUIZ #8 "

1. What is the difference between the 'Official Grip' and the 'Ordinary Grip'? Under which circumstances are they appropriately used?
2. When was our traditional "Who's Who" committee report first started?
3. State the Noman Clature of Gamma Delta Psi Fraternity International?
4. For which honor is the Alpha award presented?
5. True or false, Greek letter societies are also known as Fraternities?
6. Which purpose(s) does a District Deputy serve?
7. What was our Fraternity better known as prior to 1954?
8. How many chapters are currently active in the 'Grand Crescent of Gamma Delta Psi'?
9. What is the reasoning or logic behind the design of our Fraternity's coat-of-arms?
10. True or false, our annual publication was last published in 1982?

EDITOR'S NOTES

After finally re-cooperating from a long and hard summer of elbow raising, it is time to go back to the daily grind of work and school. This year, I would like to make my presence felt on the Board by getting out the first in ten years, our annual publication, the 'GARNET & SILVER'.

It has been a long time since the last one, and to us, seeing a great organization fall; this may be a stepping stone to a better thing which makes this Fraternity a great one to be part of.

To get this book out, I'm going to need full participation from everyone out there (Yeah, that means you chapters). Pictures and reports from most civic projects would be greatly appreciated. Ideas are also welcome for helping out on the structure of the 'G & S'.

To anyone who has any ideas or information to contribute, if you could contact me or send a letter, and I'll get back to you as soon as possible. I would like to accomplish this goal and I think something like this is what we need to regain our great strength.

Advertisements are something we really need, and while it spreads the Fraternal name, it also differs some of the cost and possibly we could make money off of this for other years to come. So contribute and make this thing work.

Final prices for Ads have not been settled on as yet, but will be out in the next 'Grip'. So, start thinking about ideas and make the 1984 'GARNET & SILVER' a successful one.

On a lighter note, I'm glad to see many of the Brothers in high Fraternal spirits and that some of the chapters already in full swing of things with pledges and parties.

Oh, yeah, another thing is that I'm helping Mike out with this year's 'Grips' and if possible, please send any letters or info to me. Your support can make this a very prosperous year.

Maybe my next column will be a little more on the humourous side of things, but I needed to state my point.

"But now it's time for me to go,
The autumn moon lights my way,
I've got to ramble on."

Bill Michelin
IBC Editor

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- In order for the IBC to update and maintain a decent record of contacts, we require your co-operation in assisting us.
- Send all contributions, articles, and new addresses to Bro. Michelin in C/O the 'Grip'.
- A detailed contact list will be presented in the next edition

C O M I N G E V E N T S

On behalf of Gamma Delta Psi Fraternity International in association with Xi Gamma Rho Sorority, the Brothers of Gamma Eta Chapter cordially invite all Delts and Friends to their first social function of 1983-84.

So, come out and support Gamma Eta in what promises to be one of the year's finest dances.

EVENT: GAMMA ETA - XI GAMMA RHO 'SEMI-FORMAL' DANCE
DATE: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1983
TIME: 8:00 PM 'TIL 1:00 AM
COST: \$7.00 COUPLE - \$4.00 SINGLE
PLACE: THE 'DOWN UNDER' - ST. CATHARINES, ON.
LOC'N: LINWELL RD. (NEAR NIAGARA ST.)

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The year's first Northern Rally will commence on Sunday, November 6, 1983 in Rexdale, On. Chapter attendance is compulsory and fines will definitely be levied upon those Chapters that are not fully represented.

Also, Chapter dues along with delegates' fees of \$5.00 per chapter will be collected. Chapters should also be prepared to present and submit a 'written' report detailing your activities for the first quarter.

In a determined effort to save the I.B.C. treasury from any unnecessary expenditures, the Board has been fortunate enough to acquire the basement of Bro. Tim Weeks' (IBC Treasurer) household.

However, we do anticipate a rather high-spirited and enthusiastic turnout of active and Alumni Brothers.

Be there

EVENT: NORTHERN RALLY
DATE: SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1983
TIME: 11:00 AM
PLACE: BRO. TIM WEEKS' RESIDENCE
LOC'N: 8 CAULFIELD DR., REXDALE, ON.

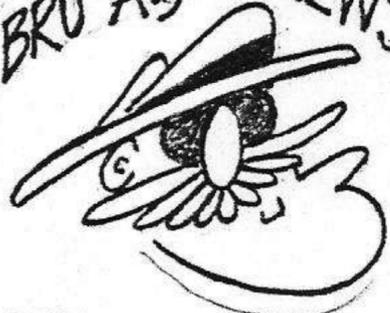
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I.B.C. CHRISTMAS DANCE

Although, the festive season is some two months ahead, the I.B.C. has made tentative arrangements to host a Christmas Semi-formal Dance in mid-December.

Exact details concerning date, location, time, and the like will appear in the next issue of the 'Grip'.

BRO A.J. BREWSKI



FRATERNAL INVESTIGATOR

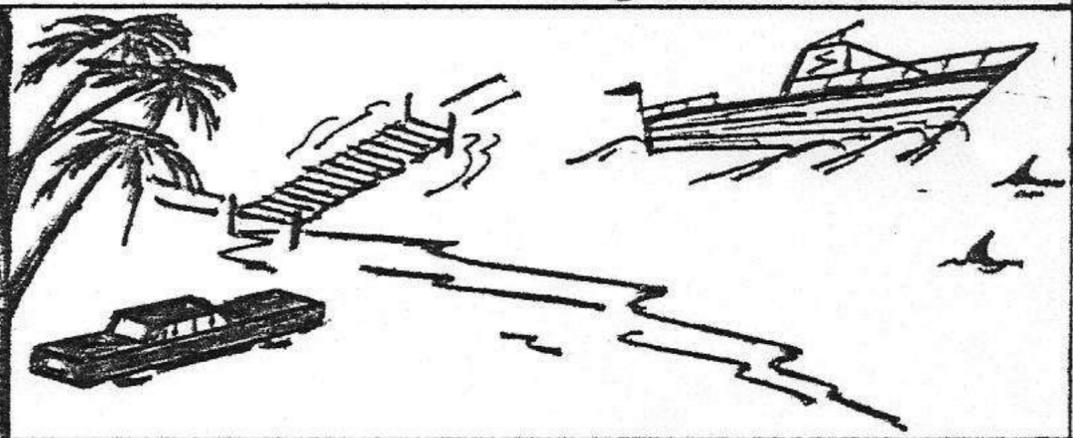
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PRESENTS

Aloha Brew!

PART TWO

EPISODE TWO: WHEN WE LAST SEEN BREWSKI, HE WAS WHISKED AWAY BY A MYSTERIOUS PAIR OF THUGS IN A LONG BLACK LIMOSINE. THE 'BELLY-BLICKING' WORD AWAITS TO SEE THEIR MAN — THE SAGA CONTINUES.



MEANWHILE, WORD HAS REACHED THE PRESS: "A.J. BREWSKI KIDKNAPPED" HOW? WHEN? WHY?.....

UNKNOWN TO THE REST OF THE CIVILIZED WORLD, BRO. BREW IS TRANSPORTED BY YACHT FROM THAT SAME LIMOSINE. DESTINATION: AN UNCHARTERED ISLAND



AT LAST, THAT COWARD BREWSKI, AND, I FINALLY HAVE HIM! ... HA... HA... HA... HA!



HA... HA... HA! ... 'DAT LOUSY 'HORE!



UH, HELLO RONNIE! MY DEMANDS ARE \$10,000,000 AND A THREESOME WITH YOU & NANCY.... BY MIDNIGHT.... OR ELSE BREW IS THROUGH!



OKAY, FERRR SHURRR! SOUNDS LIKE A GOOD BARGAIN TO NANCY & I

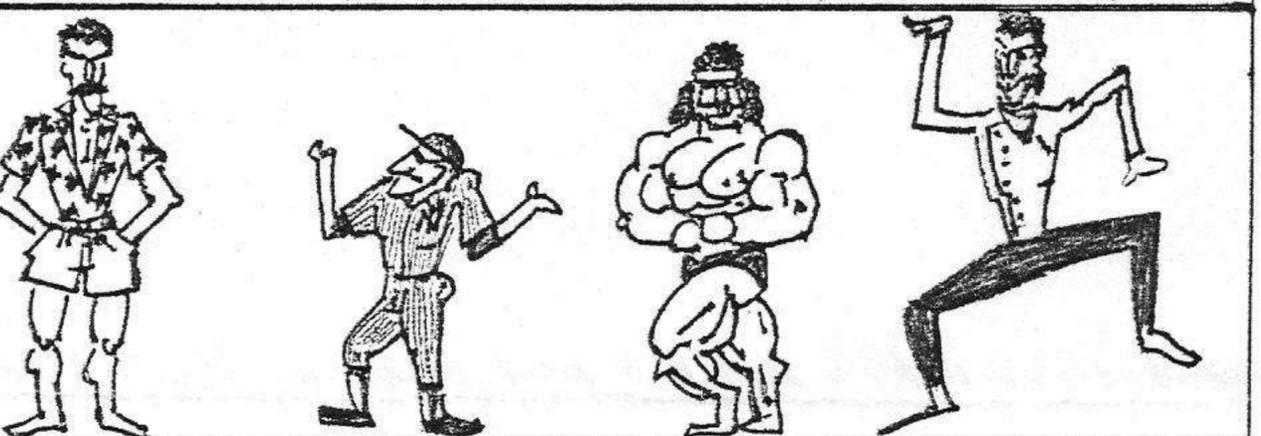
AND, WHAT'S ALL THIS ABOUT??? WELL, BREWSKI IS CONFRONTED BY HIS SINISTER CAPTOR: A.J. HANGS HELPLESSLY, SUFFERING!

OH, YES. A.J. IS IN THE EVIL GRASP OF LEATHER QUEEN MATRON — THE REPULSIVE 'RHONDA'! — FINALLY, THE WICKED ONE TRANSLATES HER SADO-MASOCHISTIC WORDS TO MR. R.



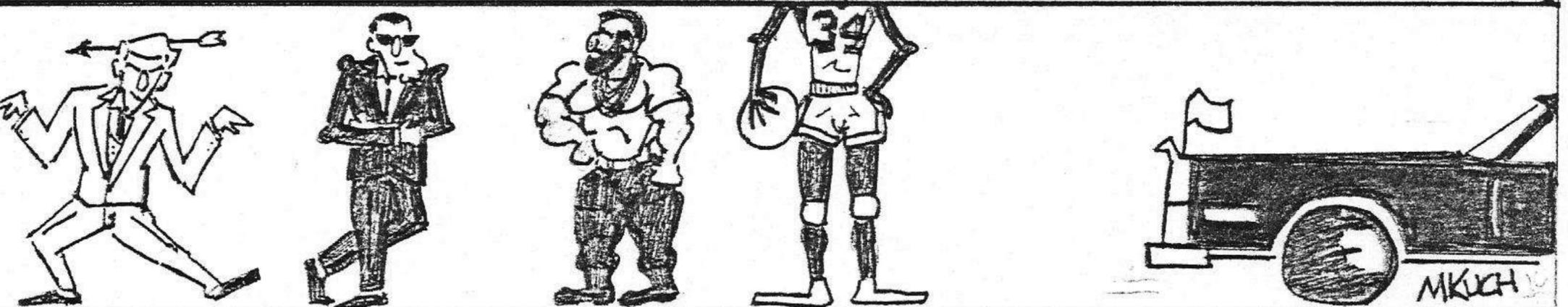
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SPORTS FANS, OBLIVIOUS TO OUR KNOWLEDGE IS THE EXACT WHEREABOUTS OF ONE OF THE GAME'S MOST EXTRAORDINARY PARTICIPANTS THE GIFTED & INCOMPARABLE A.J. BREWSKI! NO DOUBT, HIS TEAM WILL SUFFER A GREAT GREAT SETBACK.....



BACK AT ALOHA STADILIM, A CAPACITY CROWD ANXIOUSLY ANTICIPATES THE ARRIVAL OF BREWSKI. TENSION BUILDS

AND NOW; THE STARTING LINE-UP FOR THE 'BREW CREW' — TOM SELLECK, BILLY MARTIN, JIMMY 'SUPER FLY' SNIKA, AND SLUBBING FOR A.J. BREWSKI MICHAEL JACKSON



KAREEM'S TEAM: STEVE MARTIN, RICHARD M. NIXON, MR. T AND, THE BIG MAN — KAREEM ABDUL-JABBAR. BUT, HEY WAIT... IT'S THAT BLACK LIMO, AGAIN! HAS BREWSKI RETURNED? ALIVE?

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