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Newsletter of

INDIANA CHI PHI ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, INC.

and

IOTA DELTA CHAPTER OF CHI PHI FRATERNITY

January, 1981

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ALPHA'S REPORT
by RANDY McNUTT '81

NEWS OF BROTHERS EVERYWHERE

Iota Delta currently is in a position it has not experienced in over 10 years. With a capacity of 55 men living in the chapter house & 3 "outside" pledges, the overall position of Chi Phi at IU is second to none. Combining scholastics, intramurals, social, and campus involvement, no other IU fraternity can boast the current credentials that Chi Phi possesses.

Scholastically, Iota Delta ranked 8th (and the pledge class was 5th) out of 33 fraternities with a 2.74 house GPA.

Evans Scholars, fraternity winners the last 3 years in intramurals, lead Chi Phi by only 6 points, 1,936 to 1,930, with the spring semester sports remaining. The 3rd place team, Delta Upsilon, is an even 300 points back at 1,630.

Chi Phi's social program, despite the recent crackdown on alcohol by IU officials, is alive & well. Through a serenade put together by Brother Jon Hammond, requested encores are a common occurrence from such top sororities as Tri-Delts, Kappa Alpha Theta, Delta Gamma, Alpha Phi, Kappa Delta, etc. What, you say? Tri-Delts asking Chi Phi for an encore? That's right! We even had them dancing on the furniture. These serenades led to a pairing with our neighbors, the S.D.T.s, for IU Sing.

Through campus involvement Chi Phi has continued to bolster its reputation. Positions held include secretary & rush director of IPC, chairman & committee members of IU Student Found-

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STEPHEN S. PHILBROOK '76 was married on 9/20/80 to Karen Smock. The newlyweds are residing at 902 Centennial Dr., Champaign, Il. 61820.

GARY L. McNUTT '79 & Sherry Estridge exchanged wedding vows on 8/30/80. This month they purchased a home at 6250 Harbridge Rd., Indy 46220. Gary, who was Alpha in the '78-'79 school year, is a sales rep for McLean Trucking Company.

ROBERT G. GRANT '69 & Cheryl became the parents of a daughter, Allison, in early April, '80. The Grants reside at 5215 Will Scarlet, Indy 46208. Bob is an attorney with the firm of Ecklund & Frutkin in Indy.

Five senior citizens alumni of Iota Delta took the opportunity to have a reunion in Lexington, Ky. on 9/20/80, & attended the IU-UK football game. Those attending were RICHARD D. CLOUSE '61, who lives in Versailles, Ky., WILLIAM F. MAHL '61, from North Vernon, In., OTTO L. LINN (Iota Delta's first ever pledge) of Brownsburg, In., DONALD L. MEYER '60 & JOHN D. CRAFT '61, both of Indy.

MICHAEL P. CHERKEZIAN '72 and wife, Sally, are the proud parents of a daughter, Megan Christine, who was born in mid-Sept., '80. "Chico" & family live at 300 Elkwood Ave., New Providence, N.J. 07974. Mike is employed by ABC-TV in New York City & is involved in the production of the weekly TV show, "Animals, Animals, Animals".

W. BRADLEY COPPEDGE '75 & Verra Zaphiriou were married on 12/29/79. Since that time they have purchased a

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ation, chairman of Student Athletic Board, Union Board members, & many others.

Through the support of our active alumni, the chapter has received new dining room tables and chairs. It is only through this much appreciated alumni support that Chi Phi can continue to grow and excel. Chi Phi no longer is on its way back at Indiana University. WE ARE BACK & want you to be a part of it. If you are in the area, please stop by and visit with some of the brothers and let us show you around the house. Otherwise, drop us a line to assure us we still have your support.

Looking forward to seeing or hearing from you in the near future.

NEWS OF BROTHERS EVERYWHERE
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home at 4015 Alsace Ct., Indy 46236. Brad is employed as Ass't. District Sales Manager for Stokeley Foods in Indy.

C. MICHAEL RACER '62 was married on 3/1/80 to Linda Berg. They live at 606 Turtle Creek Dr., Apt. 9, in Indy 46227. The "Bear" and Linda are expecting the arrival of a "Lil' Bear" next spring.

MICHAEL R. DENSON '78 recently moved to Chicago where he is an agent for Great West Life Assurance Co. His business address is 135 S. LaSalle St., Suite 1030.

MILTON C. McCONNELL '76 recently purchased a home at 5842 Primrose, Indy 46220. Milt is employed by KISS 99 radio station in Indy as a salesman.

ANGELO A. KOSTAS '64 and his wife, Jane, are the parents of twin sons, Robert & William, born on 12/1/80. The twins had a combined "tag team weight" of 16 pounds at birth. "Ang" & family reside at 8800 Spring Mill Rd., Indy 46260, & he is an attorney for Indianapolis Life Insurance Co.

MARTY PIERATT '79 is employed as sports editor of the Dearborn County Register in Lawrenceburg. In 12/80 he received 2 awards from the Hoosier State Press Association. He was recognized for having the best sports reporting of all newspapers in his division in the state. Further, he

received the 1st place award for the best news photo in the state. These awards take on added significance when it is taken into consideration that there were over 1,700 entries submitted by 88 newspapers - and Marcy only has been in the newspaper business for slightly over one year.

TIMOTHY H. SMITH '80 is a staff assistant to Guy Vander Jagt, U.S. Congressman from Michigan. Several months ago Tim sent to the undergraduate chapter a US Flag which had been flown over the US Capitol Bldg. in honor of Iota Delta. Tim's current address is P.O. Box 1206, Arlington, Va. 22210.

WILLIAM T. DUCKWORTH '61, his wife, & family recently have moved to 3720 Perencsa Circle, Anchorage, Alaska 99502. After serving for 13 years with the U.S. Forest Service in Idaho & Montana, he accepted the position of Regional Personnel Officer for the Alaska Region of National Park Service. Bill is the first individual named to this newly-created position.

Our sympathy goes to JERRY R. OHRBERG '63 and his family. Jerry's brother, Jack, a 19 year veteran of the Indy Police Dept., was fatally shot while attempting to apprehend a group of bank robbery suspects in early December.

Our information has it that RAY PRIVETTE '60 recently has moved to 3000 Camino DeLaSierra, N.E., Albuquerque, N.M. 87111. Ray, what does one do in Albuquerque? Let us hear from you.

PHILIP M. FRANK '61 and his family recently travelled to Hawaii over the holidays on vacation to see IU's basketball team in the Rainbow Classic. Phil is employed as the southern California credit manager for Carnation Co. & Joann is an elementary school teacher. They live at 23641 Bessemer St., Woodland Mills, California 91364.

DANIEL A. BOWDEN '76 is employed by Merchants National Bank & Trust Co. in Indy as a commercial loan officer. The Bowdens live at 4024 N. Desmond Ave., Indy 46226.

WILLIAM D. NUSS '68 & family moved in Dec. to 3691 Bridger, N. Drive, Carmel, In. 46032. Bill is an agent for State Farm Mutual Ins. Co. in Indy.



Time Out

by Marty Pieratt
Sports Editor

This one's for Doc.

We first met Dr. Tom at an Indiana University pre-football game gathering at the fraternity where we were a pledge some four years ago.

We talked to him for a long while before learning he was a doctor. He didn't try to flaunt long words, he seemed interested in the person he was speaking to.

Being accustomed to men of the medical profession placed on a high pedestal, it seemed rather unique to meet such a fellow that immediately seemed like a friend.

He was rather rotund, with a dry sense of humor. He appeared to be the epitome of success.

Throughout the 22 years of our fraternity's existence, Doc has been a financial and spiritual boost to the young men living within.

More than anything, Doc enjoyed life and other people.

He and his wife would come to the house Friday night for a Saturday game. He would rather spend the weekend with us rather than be ostensible with his bucks with the other prominent alumni at the university.

He would reminisce about his fraternity days and the time he spent in the service. He was known to partake in a cold one from time-to-time.

He had enviable qualities of being able to come up with positive ideas and completing those objectives himself if needed.

He was elected the national vice-president of our fraternity.

Doc seemed to have life by the tail one year ago.

However, it began to take advantage of him...he discovered he had cancer.

The director of a medical center in northern Indiana, Doc began to make preparations for his departure.

He tried to keep it a secret but between fraternity brothers nothing is hidden long.

The saddest of all things about Doc is the young child he will most likely not see grow, and loving wife and other family members who feel helpless.

Doc has been admitted to the hospital for what we believe will be his last time.

He has lost control of his physical abilities, but his mind is as sharp as ever.

What has this to do with sports?

Nothing.

It's just we learned a lot from Doc, and he, and many men like him who believed in a hick kid from North Vernon, are partially responsible for anything this writer ever accomplishes.

Doc's sudden illness will help us to enjoy our friends and family just a little bit more now, knowing they may not be there tomorrow.

He will forever be remembered as a friend, brother, and basically one heck-of-a-man.

This one's for Doc, may God bless him.

Thomas A. Gehring, M.D.

7/18/38 - 11/30/80

Initiated into Chi Phi

9/28/58

The editorial appeared in The Dearborn County Register in October, 1980. The obituary is taken from the 12/1/80 issue of The Indianapolis News.

Dr. Gehring Of Merrillville Dead At 42

Special to The News

CROWN POINT, Ind. — Dr. Thomas Gehring, a Merrillville physician and former president of the Lake County Medical Society, died yesterday in Methodist Hospital, Merrillville.

Dr. Gehring, 42, was a graduate of Indiana University School of Medicine. He was a member of the American and Indiana State Medical associations. He was president of the Lake County Medical Society from 1978 until January.

He was a lifetime member of the Indiana University Alumni Association and also was a member of the I.U. Hoosier Hundred.

Dr. Gehring was a member of Chi Phi Fraternity at I.U. and for the last three years had been a national officer of the fraternity. He was team physician several years at Merrillville High School.

He was a member of St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church at Lake Eliza.

Methodist Hospital, Merrillville, will dedicate its third floor solarium (waiting area) Friday in honor of Dr. Gehring.

Memorial contributions may be made to the I.U. Foundation, I.U. School of Medicine and the American Cancer Society.

Services will be Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. in Geisen Funeral Home, Merrillville, and at 11:30 a.m. in Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church. Friends may call until 9 tonight and tomorrow from 2 to 9 p.m. Entombment will be in Calumet Park Cemetery, Merrillville.

Survivors — wife Carole; daughters Marcia, Michelle, Cynthia Gehring; father Leo; sister Miss Elaine Gehring.

SUGGESTIONS SOLICITED

As most of you know, few, if any, alumnus of Iota Delta have given as much - in time, effort, and finances - to the chapter as Brother Gehring. There has been some informal discussion among a few of our alumni in creating some sort of memorial to Tom.

Should it come in the form of a trust fund set up in his name? Should it be a scholarship which is awarded to an Iota Delta undergrad each year? Should it be available only to pre-med majors? Should it be awarded annually or just in those years when an undergrad has exceptional qualities? If a scholarship is awarded, should it be based solely on financial need? In other words, what criteria should be used?

Should a gift be given to IU in the name of Dr. Gehring? Should a memorial plaque be made and mounted in the chapter house?

The board of directors of our alumni association will be discussing this matter later this year. Prior to discussing what, if any, memorial should be made, the input and suggestions from alumni of Iota Delta are solicited and encouraged. Please send us your thoughts in the enclosed envelope.

MISSING BROTHERS

We have lost contact with several Iota Delta alumni. If you know the whereabouts of any of the following, please forward the current address in the enclosed envelope.

David R. Albright '76

Kent N. Ash '67

Michael D. Clevenger '72

John M. "Chip" DeNigris, III '70

Paul S. DePaulo '63

Emmet N. Ezell '75

Robert C. Paris '78

W. David Goff '70

Dennis V. Harrell '66

Robert C. Helt '63

David H. Hochstetler '72

James P. Kane '80

Mohamed W. Khouja '61

Donn M. King '69

Bruce M. Lafond '78

Scott D. McKinlay '72

James K. Meyer '78

Thomas A. Minnick '62

Steven A. Schepler '72

John T. Smart '70

Grant W. Somes '68

Bradley K. Sorrell '80

Stephen M. Tolle '77

John Wellman '70

W. Terry Whalin '75

Further, if in the future you have a change of address, please advise John Craft or the undergraduate chapter. John's address is 3704 Erin Dr., Indy 46236; the chapter is at 1400 N. Jordan Ave., Bloomington 47406.

INDY ALUMNI MEET MONTHLY

If any Iota Delta alumnus is in the Indy area on the 2nd Wed. of any month, you are invited to join the Indy area alumni for the monthly stag social gathering. Every 2nd Wed. the group assembles between 5:30 and 7:00 pm in the Purple Tree Lounge at the Ramada Inn, located at 1530 N. Meridian St.

During this "attitude adjustment hour-and-a-half" a restaurant site is selected and then the group goes to dinner. The monthly function is strictly social - there are no dues, no speeches, and no business conducted.

IOTA DELTA UNDERGRAD ON GRAND COUNCIL

DOUGLAS GIVAN '82, a junior in the IU School of Business, was selected in Sept. '80 to serve a 2 yr. term as a national officer on the Chi Phi Grand Council.

Ten years ago the Grand Council decided to expand to include 2 undergraduate members. Thus, there could be input from the student level. One undergrad from all the chapters is selected each year. In his junior yr. he serves as Grand Iota & he then moves up to Grand Theta in his senior yr. Doug becomes the first undergraduate representative from IU to serve on the Grand Council.

Having graduated from Indy's Warren Central H.S. in '78, Givan has served as an officer of his pledge class, in addition to Beta and rush chairman of the chapter.

During his first 2 years at IU, Doug was active in campus IFC affairs, especially in the area of rush. He has held several IFC rush-related positions & in the '80-'81 school yr. he is the director of all rush activities for the IFC.

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NOTICE

If you throw this piece of paper away before reading it, a terrible pox will occur on your house. We will have John Craft come and live with you for a month!!!

Seriously, as you may have guessed, this is a plea for money for the CHI PHI "LITTLE 500" BIKE FUND.

Along with all of the other great news coming from 1400 North Jordan within the past year, the Chi Phi team finished 6th in the 1980 Little 500 race. In fact, there was a photo finish for the 4th, 5th, and 6th place positions, since all three teams had identical times. The elapsed time in which the Chi Phi team rode the 1980 race (2 hours, 11 minutes, 24 seconds) would have won 25 of the 30 races which have been run. Only two fraternity teams, Delta Chi (1st) and Phi Gamma Delta (4th) finished ahead of Chi Phi. This excellent Chi Phi performance was accomplished with no financial support from the alumni. Our undergrad brothers were without a number of the items which the first five finishers possessed.

As a result of this superb performance in 1980, eight members of the chapter have been working out on a daily basis since May, 1980. "Working out" consists of some 50-60 miles of road work before they go to the track for another 1-2 hours of practice. When the weather is not favorable, the Chi Phi team can be found exercising indoors.

One of the veteran Chi Phi riders, John Warner '81, entered several amateur bike races throughout the Midwest in the summer of 1980 and fared very well. Another returning rider, Randy Ochs (a sophomore from Indy), was selected for the Rookie of the Year Award for the 1980 race. It is no secret on campus that Chi Phi will field an excellent team in 1981. Word has been received that the Delta Chis (who have won 6 of the last 8 races) feel Chi Phi is the team to beat in the 1981 Little 500.

Our chapter has the spirit, enthusiasm, and muscle. All they need is the money for equipment (such as bikes identical to those used in the race), food supplements, training aids, etc. Our goal is \$2,500 - not a huge amount when you consider the expenses of a bike team. This is one of the few times you actually can see the fruits of a contribution, so send what you can to Greg Murray in the enclosed envelope.

We hope to see you in Bloomington on April 25 when Chi Phi wins its first ever Little 500.

P.S. Following the 1980 Little 500, approximately 30 Chi Phi alumni & their wives met at a Bloomington restaurant for a hospitality hour & dinner. The event was so successful, a similar function is planned for April 25, 1981, following the race. However, in order to be able to make adequate dinner reservations, we need to know how many alumni and wives will be attending. On the enclosed form please indicate if you plan to attend the dinner and how many will be in your party.

The dinner should be concluded by 8:00 p.m., since several alumni will want to return to their homes at a reasonable hour, or visit the undergrad party. There will be no speeches and no program at the dinner - just a casual gathering of Chi Phis. Further, the dress will be casual - no suits & ties or "dressy" dresses, etc. We hope you will join the other alumni for this function, as well as an exciting 1981 Little 500. Let us hear from you in the near future!

IOTA DELTA UNDERGRAD...
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Doug is the third Iota Delta to have served on the Grand Council. John Craft '61 was Grand Zeta in 1968-74, & Tom Gehring '60 was Grand Beta from 1977-79 & Grand Zeta in 1979-80. Thus, from 1968 to 1982 Iota Delta will have been represented on the Grand Council for 11 years.

ALUMNI RUSH REFERRALS SOLICITED

As you have read from the Alpha's Report, the overall condition of the Iota Delta chapter probably is as good as it has been in the 22 years of existence. As an indicator of the high caliber of the current undergrad chapter approximately 200 IU students went through formal rush in Jan., '81, where in they visited all of the 34 fraternities on campus. Of the 200, 48 preferred Chi Phi as one of their top 3 choices. It is felt the chapter should obtain at least 10 excellent pledges to go along with the 7 spring pledges they already have.

But, to keep the chapter in good shape, the assistance of the alumni would be appreciated. Iota Delta, or any other chapter, always needs the names of rush prospects.

If one of your relatives is planning to enroll at IU, or if there is a young man in your area who you would recommend, we urge you to submit his name, address, and any other pertinent information in the enclosed envelope. Each name submitted will receive an invitation to visit the chapter, in addition to an 8 page pamphlet which Iota Delta uses to describe what Chi Phi has to offer at IU.

Thank you in advance for your assistance.

ALUMNI HONOR ROLL

Listed below are the names of those alumni who contributed dues as a result of the last alumni newsletter. All contributions are appreciated and have been used to support alumni association activities. These activities include printing and mailing of the Frangipana II newsletter, Senior Recognition Awards, and projects for Chapter improvement, such as purchase of new dining room tables & additional chairs to

accommodate the increased numbers in the house. Thank you for your continued support.

SCARLET GROUP

- C. Richard Altenhof '80
- Bensen L. Burk '63
- W. Bradley Coppedge '75
- Jon C. Estes '66
- William R. Fawcett '74
- Stephen B. Givens '63
- James W. Greives '72
- Jeremy K. Jones '71
- Gary L. McNutt '79
- Robert E. Secor, Kappa '35
- Larry D. Snyder '81
- John E. Sullivan '76
- C. Toby Switzer '76
- Mark S. Weir '68
- Richard I. Zeiger '73

SCARLET & BLUE GROUP

- Robert T. Barnett '66
- Gary R. Burks '77
- Donald G. Coffey '59
- W. Bradley Coppedge '75
- John D. Craft '61
- Gayl W. Doster '60
- David B. Estes '69
- Joseph V. Goeller '63
- Gordon E. Gouveia '63
- Robert G. Grant '69
- James B. Hill '80
- David W. Millery '76
- Alan B. Krebs '76
- Otto L. Linn '78
- Gary L. McNutt '79
- Gregory J. Murray '71
- David L. Nelson '66
- William D. Nuss '68
- Marty F. Pieratt '79
- Michael A. Shanahan '76
- William W. Spletzer '70
- Richard L. Tandy '68
- Robert K. Walker '70
- Alan L. White '70

NEWS OF BROTHERS EVERYWHERE

JEFFREY T. WALSH '69 reports that he is employed as an organizational psychologist. Jeff resides at 1505 Linwood Ave., Ann Arbor, Michigan 48103.

We learn that DAVID SCHNUR '71 is living at 805 East Orchard in Kirksville, Missouri 63501.

JOHN B. MILLER '64 advises that has moved from Cincinnati to 3204 T. Hillwood Court in Edgewood, Kentucky 41017.

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Scholar" from the University of Illinois College of Medicine this year. Brother Stokes is now a resident in internal medicine at the University of California - Irvine Medical Center.

RONALD J. WERNER and his wife Brenda (The Werners were married March 1, 1975 but, due to a major oversight, this fact has not heretofore been published in the newsletter.) have relocated to DuBois County. Although the Werners presently reside in Huntingburg, they have seen the light - and will be moving to Jasper in January. Their new address will be 1414 Brescher Street, Jasper 47546. Ron is the Assistant to the National Sales Manager, Kimball Office Furniture Company.

WILLIAM S. MONTGOMERY'S new address, effective in January, will be R.R. 4, Box 630, Jasper 47546. Bill and Dee are hoping to host a New Year's Eve moving party - if the contractor and the weather cooperate.

ARNOLD C. APPLGATE received a Master's Degree in Communications from the University of Hawaii on August 25. Now a member of the faculty at the same institution, Arnie is residing at 155 Paoakalani number 201, Honolulu, Hawaii 96815.

As of January 1, JOE GOELLER'S new address will be 6101 N. Sherman, Indianapolis 46220. A pool is included!

DAVE ESTES is now the father of a second son. Dave, Janie and their boys moved recently; see page one.

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BIG TURNOUT FOR HOMECOMING

October 15 was the date, and about forty Brothers were on hand for the good times that Homecoming always spells. We had a wide range in ages, all the way from old-timers such as Don Deganutti and Dick Altenhof, to new alumni such as Toby Switzer - - and, of course, a representation from all the years between.

During the Homecoming weekend, the Directors made a proposal - and a challenge - to the Chapter officers: if there are 44 men living in the house and 8 "out" edges by February 12, the Alumni Association will then finance the construction of a one-half size basketball court. The value of this court is estimated at \$500.

and the court would be a valuable asset during future rush functions. In addition, it would be a welcome feature which would be put to regular use by all the Brothers and pledges.

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CHI PHI PARENTS ORGANIZE

During a break from the good times of the weekend, the parents of the Chi Phi undergraduates took time out to hold a meeting and conduct some business. As a result of that session, new leadership emerged. Leading the Chi Phi Parents for the coming year will be Mel Harlib, President, of 201 Dyson Street, Michigan City 46360. The Vice-President is George Baines, 814 Poplar Street, also Michigan City. Secretary-Treasurer for the group is Jack McNutt, 9807 Lakewood Drive, Indianapolis 46280.

Mr. Harlib donated a fantastic new billiard table to the Fraternity last spring, and it is being enjoyed and appreciated by all the men.

The officers are planning a mailing to all Chi Phi moms and dads in the near future. Dues were set at \$20. annually. The turnout for the weekend was very good, but would have been even better if it had not been for a mailing mixup. At any rate, all actives and alumni join in extending an open welcome to the parents at all times.

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ALUMNI PURCHASE CARPETING

In keeping with the policy of the Alumni Association, your contributions are not used to help finance the current, day-to-day operations of Iota Delta Chapter. Instead, the dollars you so generously donate are used for capital improvements.

Along that line, we are proud to announce that the new living room carpeting now in use at 1400 North Jordan was contributed by Chi Phi alumni, via the Association. It is hoped that as many Brothers as possible will be able to stop by the Chapter and see the great improvements, and get acquainted with the current, outstanding crop of Chi Phis. This is one more step toward Project 20: remember the date: 11/15/78!

MORE THAN THE BUCKET GAME

At the Iota Delta Chapter, there's often one big weekend right after another, and that's the case right now. Following last weekend's initiation, coming up next are the festivities surrounding the traditional Old Oaken Bucket clash. Following the game itself, the Chapter House will be visited by several notables. Among them will be the famous Purdue Pom Pom girls and, who knows - maybe even the Golden Girl, herself.

Another illustrious visitor will be our esteemed Grand Alpha, Dr. J. Darryl McCall, Jr. Brother McCall is Chairperson of the Department of English, University of North Carolina at Charlotte. Ed Spangler, National Field Representative for Chi Phi, also plans to be in attendance, and there is a possibility that additional Grand Council representation will be in Bloomington.

It is hoped that many alumni will be on hand to join the Brothers in meeting and greeting our most welcome visitors.

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AT SEVENTEENTH AND JORDAN

(by Tim Smith, Gamma - October, 1977)

The Sons of Blue and Scarlet have done it again. First and foremost, the Old Chi Phi Mansion is still here and this year better than ever before. In mid-March a unit of about 25 Brothers pulled themselves together and in six weeks doubled the size of the house. Impossible they said. Not for Chi Phis. The Brothers brought the house together and this year Chi Phi doesn't bend a knee to any damn fraternity.

We didn't waste any time starting off the year with a bang. After everyone got moved back in, registered and settled, fraternity life took off in full speed. We had three open campus parties for purposes of rush, Little Sister rush, and public relations. All the events helped spread the news that Chi Phis are back and watch out for them. In addition to the parties, we also had several sorority exchanges. On September 15, our first exchange, we had a cookout with the great group next door. That's right, the Chi Phis had an exchange with the Sigma Delta Taus, and not

only did we have an exchange with them, we were nice to them, too! On September 20, directed by Social Chairman Mike Robison, the Brothers set out on "secret mission." It was 5:00 in the morning when we snook out of the house in the dark and headed for the Sigma Kappa house. It was the premier of the infamous Chi Phi surprise breakfast. The first one ever at Indiana University. We set up the tables, cooked the food and then, escorted by Housemother Mrs. Pennington, went up to the cold dorm and blasted the girls out of bed with "Sons of Blue and Scarlet." The next evening the DZs came over to serenade us. We sang some great Chi Phi oldies back to them, and then they went screaming back down to their house in a panic. Then the Thursday after the serenade we had a super supper with the AGDs. Pledges Snyder and Keen were live DJs for the evening. On Monday, September 26, we had a progressive dinner party with the KDs, splitting the evening between the Chi Phi House and the Kappa Delta House. Also in September was the TKE's annual bed race, in which the Chi Phis and the AGDs managed to lose the wheels on their bed at the height of the suspense and just managing not to even place in the final race. We didn't win any great prize, but we lost with class, as the Chi Phi rescue squad carried the bed, the AGDs and the Brothers off the track. Thanks to Brother Scherschel's family, we again had the annual hayride at their farm. Everyone who went had a great time. October 15 was Homecoming, and in spite of poor weather, it was a great weekend. I.U. tied M.S.U. in one of the Hoosier's better moments. Thanks to all those alumni who made it down to spend Homecoming at the House. Coming up on the agenda are several more social events such as a surprise breakfast with the KDs, a "Great Pretenders" party with the AOPs, a haunted house for the kids of the Bloomington area with the Sigma Kappas and Parents Weekend on October 29.

In sports we are proud to announce that Chi Phi took second in Cream wrestling. Pledge Logan took a second in all-campus and Brother Rankin and Pledge Mendoza were Cream champs and 2nd all-fraternity. AND, THE LITTLE SISTER FOOTBALL TEAM ARE THE

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