

Report of the Vice President
for Institute Relations at the
close of his term: March 1973

During my term of office,
the house has related to the Institute
with unparalleled effectiveness. Furthermore,
the recurrence of bullshit in
officer's end of year reports has
been drastically reduced.

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SKYE THE WONDER DOG MEETS THE FIRE HYDRANTS OF NEW YORK!!

From Pairofpants Pictures comes another liverwarming story of Skye, that amazing English Setter that dumbfounds the myriad opponents of law and order and elm trees with his subtle command of the ancient Oriental discipline of BOF (Bumblng, Overwhelming Friendliness). Starring Laurence Olivier as the angry streetcleaner, Dustin Hoffman as Skye, and Brigitte Bardot as the third fire hydrant. Coming soon to a bridge railing near you.

RECYCLE THIS TRASH

EXECCOMM MEETING MINUTES

Jan. 28, 10:00 P.M.

Meeting started off with Avi Ornstein..Avi designed the poster for the Christmas Party. We had initially paid him \$20 for his work but Avi said the total bill came to \$33.45. There was a long discussion on how come the actual cost was so much more than what we thought it would be and how the misunderstanding had come about. It was finally moved to pay him the additional \$13.45..Passed 8-0

Neil Kaden asked for an additional \$35 to go with the \$50 we had already appropriated for the 3rd West Ice Cream party on Sat. It was hoped by some that he didn't spend all of it, Passed 7-1

Moody asked us to appropriate \$50 to pay for booze he'd already bought for the next party. Passed 9-0

Todd asked for about \$98.46? for supplies. Passed 9-0
Andy expressed disgust and disapproval for Jim Smith and his presence at the party with his rating charted. "The showers is too good for this guy. Let's hang him upside down with his head in the toilet and keep flushing."

We had a discussion of Foosball. We decided to raise the number of balls to 15 and lower the price to 10¢. With this deal, the house will receive 25% of the take over and above \$10 a week.

Moody began talking about, or trying to talk, the commons situation and his negotiations with the administration on the subject, as well as rent, etc. Everybody expressed resentment towards the \$85 dining hall fee. We started screaming about the idea of the seven day compulsory commons idea. It might be nice if it was just the incoming freshmen who had to take it. After all, it's an experience. "I think the meal I spent on commons was very rewarding." Then Avi made it all clear: "If everybody on seven day commons were in Baker, would that mean we'd go co-ed?" Cheers and hysterical applause. It was generally agreed that this might be an acceptable compromise. There was more badmouthing of the dining hall fees. Substitutes for this outrageous levy were suggested. One of the more equitable means suggested was a tax on toilet paper. "People on commons use twice as much toilet paper as people not on commons." Lance wittily replied: "Barooch Atah adoshem ellokenoo melech ha olam asher kidishanoo b'mitsvotav vitzivanoo la'hadlich ner shell chanukah."

Bret needs someone to be darkroom chairman. I need someone to be silkscreen chairman and agenda secretary.

TODD

RECYCLE THIS TRASH

ARTHUR AND MARY DEVELOP A MEANINGFUL RELATIONSHIP!!
(Did I spell meaningful wrong?)

Arthur walked with Mary to her door, a careful 18 inches to the left and half a pace behind. "Thus," he concluded, "I feel the meta-physical defects of Dante are far less important than Engels' support of Rousseau's Discours sur l'origine et les fondements de l'inegalite parmi les hommes." There, he thought to himself with satisfaction, that ought to really impress her! Just like it said in Amy Vanderbilt's book, "Decent Rules for a suitable courtship of Young Women."

"Arthur," said Mary, "You're awfully intelligent, but you aren't too smart. This is the fifth time you've asked me out. Don't you think it's about time you kissed me goodnight. Haven't you even thought about it?" Arthur reacted in shock. "Why, n'no, wha-i-wha, I mean, m-my parents have known each other a lot longer than that and I've never seen them do anything like that." "Well, think about it!" Mary suggested. Arthur did so for several minutes. Suddenly, he spoke up. "Did you ever think about the little old man at the top of the old John Hancock building who sits there every night turning on and off the weather beacon and aircraft warning light?"

EXECCOMM MEETING MINUTES

Feb. 4, 1973

RECYCLE THIS TRASH

First off, we appropriated (by a vote of 6-0-1) \$140 for the Waltz Party on Feb. 10.. \$50 for instruction, \$45 for wine, \$10 for publicity, \$15 bread and punch, \$20 for misc. Girls will be coming, but if you don't come downstairs and dance, they'll be really ticked off and may never come back. So come! This is your chance to hold your body to a girl and get away with it.

Willy ~~Sh~~ Shih asked about holding a 30 hour stereo sale in the lobby with the house to make a profit out of it if sales are good enough. We discussed the legality of the situation and whether we could get away with it anyhow. We decided not to vote on it, but individually, we felt that it might be nice.

Moody made an interim report on the rent review committee. They have come up with another proposal as follows: All incoming freshmen in Baker would have to make a choice from three options. 1. Sign up for 5 day commons. 2. Sign up for 7 day commons. 3. Sign up for Club plan, whereby you pay \$100, app., and buy individual meals at a price considerably less than what they are now. General revulsion was expressed at the entire proposal. The following was moved and passed to be read at the next meeting of the rentreview comm. This is a rough first draft. The decision of the Executive Council is the following: That no change in the existing commons plan aside from the elimination of the \$85 dining hall fee be accepted unless the Rent Review Comm. meets with a full Baker House Meeting to discuss it.,.

Charlie Bruno wants \$40 for two more pages in Technique. He would be willing to round up the other \$35 dollars himself, through contributions. We discussed whether we could do it and whether we would be right in doing it. We finally decided no and suggested Charlie try to get 1 page for \$35 or thereabouts.

COME TO THE WALTZ PARTY!! MAYBE BETTER THAN A MIXER

TODD



COMMITTEE ON EVALUATION OF FRESHMAN PERFORMANCE

TO ALL UNDERGRADUATES:

ROOM 7-133, X6771

The results of an intensive survey taken by this committee in conjunction with INSCRAPCOMM (Institute Screw Application Comm.) have initiated the following changes in the Institute educational structure.

1. In order to ensure that all students get an equally raw deal, students living in the Charles River must pay a luxury tax to be used to pay for the refrigerator permits of Baker residents. In addition, all transfer and graduate students must take 8.01 from Prof. French.

2. From now on, each upperclassman must teach at least one class while the faculty devotes its time defense research or to writing textbooks to bring in enormous royalties for the Institute. It is felt that the educational levels of the students will rise greatly under this system.

More exciting innovations are in the planning. Consider, for example the idea of distributing weekly

EXECCOMM MEETING MINUTES

Met Feb. 11, 1973

Andy wants to have the house decide on a change in the constitution so that if a Judcomm chairman resigns in the future, the president can appoint a temporary replacement from the ranks of Judcomm. He (Andy) would also like to have the date for appointment of the Soph. room assignment comm. member moved up to December.

There will be a House meeting on Thursday, Feb. 22

Moody gave an extremely brief report on the non-progress in the rate review committee. He made the mistake of expressing empathy for the deans, eliciting an outraged response from Andy, "Moody, I don't believe you. You're about as naive as my armpit!" Moody has been charged with the responsibility of bringing the committee to the House meeting next Thursday.

Jim also asked whether it would be okay to have the house subsidize the upcoming social function in the Master Suite. He said it might cost about \$100. When asked what he wanted so much for, he said he might want to buy booze and potato chips. And maybe bananas.

Pete Kurnik asked for \$50 for a party in 5th East. Passed 6-0-2

Jim Thompson wishes to announce that he has in a new shipment of "Facilities" for 20¢ each. Says Bret, "You better buy them, so I won't have to use them for teabags at the end of the year."

TODD

We are considering other innovations such as setting up a bar in the Building 7 lobby and having a cover charge for the various shows put on there and/or having pause for "commercials" from such subjects as 18.03 or 5.41. If you have any suggestions in this line, please contact this office.

Dean Dong
C.E.F.P.

cc:JBW 2/12/73

THE EDGE OF THE KNIFE

Welcome, friends, to another stirring episode of your favorite soap opera, "The Edge of the Knife.", that heartwarming drama of the travails and minor crises of 'just folks' like you and me. As we open today's story, you will remember that Jane Crosshatch was in her kitchen, trying to decide whether to make cookies or fresh butterhorns to send to her oldest son, who was in the state pen for manslaughter, public immorality, and flagrant jaywalking. Suddenly, Mark, the youngest, bursts in upon her.

"Mommy," he cried, "look what I done!" It was obvious that he had been busy dissecting the family cat (a prize specimen of long-haired Persian, dearly loved by the entire family), for in his gory little hands he held the liver, entrails, patches of skin, and the little heart, still beating feebly against all odds of recovery. Brave little thing!, even as they watched, it slowed and stopped in mid-jerk. "I'm proud of you, son," Jane replied. "You certainly have a good hand with a knife."

"I used the rake," Mark said matter-of-factly.

"Well, go wash it off," she scolded, "and go tell your father that its almost time for his transfusion."

EXECCOMM MEETING

TUESDAY, FEB. 20, 1973, 10:00 P.M.

DINING HALL

AGENDA

1. \$45 for 2nd West party, to be appropriated - Duane Finello
2. Appropriate money for Noah to buy donuts for the House meeting, a duty I'm sure he will be more than happy to relinquish soon.
3. Joe Abeles will give an interim report on the client team.
4. Discuss buying a 3-hole paper punch for the house, about \$6.
5. Discuss change of meeting night for Execcomm.

Jane heard a rustle in the doorway behind her. She whirled around and cried out impulsively, "Oh, John, John, what's happening to our marriage?"

"If you expect me to admit I've been having an affair with your sister and taking her to a motel every Tuesday afternoon between 2 and 5:30 and losing myself in wild abandon, you've got another think coming," he sneered.

"It's no use, John," she sighed, "you can't patch it up so easily. I've decided to elope with the T.V. repairman."

"What T.V. repairman?" he queried. "We've never needed one."

"I just called for one. He'll be here soon."

"I wouldn't advise you to go with him," he said.

"Why not?" she asked.

"I don't know why not. That's in the next episode and it hasn't been written yet."

Tune in tomorrow for the next exciting story of John and Jane Crosshatch. Will Jane panic when the repairman naturally doesn't arrive for two weeks? Will she tell John that she doesn't have a sister? Will Mark wash the rake off? Will his brother ever get his butterhorns? Will you even recognize the story the next time it comes around? Will I wear the question mark right off the hammer of my typewriter?

TODD

ARTHUR AND MARY HAVE IT OUT!!

"W-ELL, (bad mistake there, what?) "Well," said Arthur, as he faced Mary at her door at the conclusion of another of their wild unrestrained dates, "I guess I'll be going home now."

"Oh, wait, Arthur," replied Mary, "won't you please come in for a little while? I promise not to keep you too long. It's not like you were living at home and you might get in trouble for staying out late."

Arthur uneasily agreed. He had come into Mary's house once before, and it had been very upsetting for him. Mary had acted so strangely, slouching around on the sofas and seeming to find excuses to touch him. Also, he was uncomfortably aware of the almost full Glad bags under his armpits. If anything funny happened, they'd probably overflow.

Once inside and seated on a sofa, Mary said, "Arthur, you've been taking me out quite a while, and so far, you've never touched me. I find that pretty irritating. Is there something wrong with you?"

Arthur turned a deep red. Then he turned orange, then blue, yellow, gray, purple, green, and then suddenly disappeared, having successfully matched the exact color of the sofa and merged into the background. "As a matter of fact, I was forced to leave home because I was normal," he finally managed to reply. "My parents, John and Jane Crosshatch, threw me out because they said I was too disgustingly normal to live with them."

"Oh, poor Arthur!" said Mary, "No wonder you're so shy about girls. It's because of your mother. But, Arthur, you should go back to your parents. I'm sure you'd be welcome again," she assured him. "Because you're certainly wierd now. You're the strangest person I've ever met."

EXECCOMM MEETING MINUTES

FEB. 20, 1973

1. Appropriations:

\$45 for 2nd West party- at which they'll have no liquor.	10-1
\$30 for House Meeting refreshments	10-0
\$75 for 6th East	9-1
\$30 for Elections Buttery	10-0
\$50 for 2nd East party	10-0

2. Joe told about the findings of the client-team comm. in their efforts to find ever greater common space. They're thinking about moving House Comm, E-Lab, and T.V. Room. There ensued discussion of the effectiveness or otherwise of client-team and a general round of complaints about lack of progress. It finally resulted in a decision to start a more effective committee with a different, more positive philosophy. It is headed by Bill Blum and is known as A.A.S. (Give the Administration Shit) If you feel you could be productive in such an enterprise, contact Bill.

3. Joe Abeles got appointed by acclamation APR for Baker. Academics Projects Representative.

Andy read some stuff about safety rules that noone paid attention to. We then adjourned.

TODD

TODD

Arthur perked up right away. "Do you really think so?"

"Sure," Mary replied. "And even if I', wrong, you could just disappear again by blushing." Whereupon Arthur merged with the oxygen and flowed out the door.

AN UNPUBLISHED ARTICLE IN EGO'S (WHOOPS) IT ERROR'S (WHOOPS)
YOU-KNOW-THE-ONE'S CONTINUING
SAGA OF UNREASONABLE COMMENTARY
ON THE BIAS IN THE (fill-in-the-blank)
DEPARTMENT

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PHYSICS AT MIT

In recent weeks it has been growing exceedingly obvious that a definite, oppressive bias is present in MIT's Physics Department. This heavy bias in the department in favor of a certain invidious philosophic viewpoint--the flow of electrons from positive to negative--can only be detrimental to the education offered by this institution. This effect will no doubt be evidenced in the upcoming

EXECCOMM MEETING
Sunday, March 4, 1973 10:00PM
BAKER HOUSE DINING HALL
AGENDA

1. Screening of all residents who desire to be candidates in the upcoming Judcomm election
2. Proposal to change meeting night - Todd
3. Election of Treasurer and Secretary
4. Voting on change in By-Laws - Todd
5. Overhauling mimeograph (and maybe Hektic)
6. Appropriate \$200 for the Casino Party -- Moody

The increasing popularity of the correct view on this issue requires that the department agree to include a forward-biased electrical engineer on the faculty as soon as possible.

Jim

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THE EDGE OF THE KNIFE!!!

As you remember, in our last episode, Jane Crosshatch was left in the kitchen waiting for the T.V. repairman, to elope with him. John Crosshatch, politely hiding his indifference, has wandered off to the living room to break the television, just in case. He then settles down to listen to the Jungle Bob show on the radio. Suddenly, the kitchen door opened. "Who are you?" breathed Jane. "Repairman, lady," he replied. "Where is it?" "Oh, I just love repairmen," she moaned, her lips quivering. "They're so good with their hands," she added suggestively. The repairman swallows his lighted cigarette in his shock and begins to breath smoke as Jane Crosshatch begins to twine herself around him. (Fadeout to station break, brought to you by

EXECCOMM MEETING MINUTES

MARCH 4, 1973

First, the old Execcomm appropriated \$200 for the Casino Party, 6-1. Then they decided to let Todd call in A.B. Dick for overhaul and repairs of the mimeo and hekto, 7-0. They also appropriated \$20 for a filmfest on first west 7-0.. On the motion to adjourn sine die or whatever the term is, Abeles and Moody for, Camann, Moser, Bersack against, and Mendelsohn, Kurnik, and Celentano abstained.

New Execcomm: Judcomm screenings. The following tried out:

Charlie Merrill	Rick Stadterman	Jarvis Middleton
Jim Rutt	Andy Chestnut	Nelson Chu
Jules Halpern	Dan Swanson	Joe Abeles

All of the above were passed to run for Judcomm member. In addition, all but those in the last column were voted eligible to run for chairman, if they so wished. Also Bill Hambrun is also running for chairman, but he didn't need to be screened.

The meeting nights for Execcomm have hereby been changed to Monday nights at 10:00 P.M.

We appropriated \$25 for donuts for the House meeting. Len talked about the practical E-lab course being offered in the house. Sign up on the social pole if you want to take it. The next house meeting will be on March 21st.

Jeff Broughton and Todd Moser were probationally elected Treasurer and Secretary, respectively. It will stick if no one quickly objects to not having a chance to run.

Moody says you must come to the Casino Party Sat. night.
TODD

"Hey, lady, what are ya doin'?" cried the repairman as Jane began to fondle his earlobes. "Take me away with you," she murmured into his armpit. "I want to go where you go." "No way," cried the repairman. "If my old lady saw me now, my gluteus maximus would be cattle fodder. I want to bug out of here."

Suddenly, the kitchen door opened once again. "Mother?" the figure asked. "I'm Arthur, your long lost son. Arthur Crosshatch."

The repairman screamed, "Aren't you Mary Goodworthy of 'Daze Of Our Lice'? Oh, no, I'm supposed to be on channel 7 fixing her sink!!"

Will the repairman make it to the right show on time? Will the real repairman ever show up? Will Arthur ever make it with his family? Will John ever get over his 'thing' for Jungle Bob? Or is it actually for his radio? I don't know. Do you? If so, will you ever tell me? Will I ever know who you even are? Take the next to the last word in the last sentence and insert it between the third and fourth words and it will make a lot more sense.

The S P O R A D I C R E A M E R

rumors. that In recent weeks Have been circulating wildly through the house, that some JERK in baker house politics has been sending messages to the mit administration are totally false. if these agendas had been infiltrated, we certainly wouldn't announce the upcoming

EXECCOMM MEETING

MONDAY, MARCH 12 10:00 PM
BAKER HOUSE DINING HALL
AGENDA

1. Appoint parliamentarian -- Noah
2. Appropriate \$18 for a new APL typeball -- Jeff Broughten
3. Discussion of band in dining hall
4. Budgets!!
5. Whether or not prophylactics should be sold at the
Snack Bar -- Thompson
6. Discussion of Hekto -- Todd

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BY golly, the trust that is lacking in some people that they would accuse this prestigious publication of such a thing. we were turned down for the job.

ARTHUR MEETS HIS MOM!!!

(and other random people)

"Gosh, Mother," said Arthur, as the repairman hastily left, "Why were you holding on to that man like that?"

"He was helping me adjust my contact lens," she responded calmly, with only a slight twitch of her elbow betraying her lie. Arthur thought it very odd to wear contacts and glasses, but said nothing. "So you're my long lost son Arthur? Well, it had to happen sooner or later, I suppose. Come into the living room and meet my husband; in all probability, your father." Arthur followed her in confusion, wondering what she meant.

In the next room, John had decided that the Jungle Bob Show was so good that he just had to share it with someone. He lowered the radio into the goldfish bowl and was gratified by the immediate response of the inhabitants. As soon as one would jump out, he would impale it on a tongue depressor and put it in the freezer for later.

EXECCOMM MEETING MINUTES

MARCH 12, 1973

Jeff asked for a new typeball but we decided to try using a used one someone acquired before deciding.

Thompson complained about the volume of the band. After discussion and talking to Daryl about it, we decided to ask the band to cut the volume rather than being hardnosed about it.

We voted to allow Thompson to sell prophylactics at the snack bar. 5-2-2

Todd will try to get the hekto fixed in the near future.

Those who will be on the Tutor Selection Committee will be:

Craig Latham	Joe Arthur	There will probably
Mike Kennedy	Mike Komaromy	be one more appointment.
Jules Halpern	D.J. Hyun	

We put the subject of the piano on the agenda and moved to pay \$600 for it when it is finally repaired. Passed 8-0-1

Moved to pay 2nd West \$15.75 for its ice cream party. Passed 9-0

Moved to pay 5th West \$20.00 (approx.) for its spontaneous brunch. Passed 9-0

Jeff reported on the financial situation. We have a reserve of \$840, less after tonight's appropriations, not counting the piano appropriation. We are expecting \$4050 by the end of the week. So we knew we'd have to limit our budget. Just giving totals, here's what we came up with. A more complete list will be given in the next agenda:

Athletics:	\$500	\$325	Treas :	\$30
Fac.&Serv:	\$800		Pres. :	\$100
Judcomm :	\$50		Social :	\$1100
Frosh :	\$1200		Inst. R:	\$350
Secretary:	\$100			

We appropriated \$40 for 6th West.

I GOT TO GO TO BED!!! KISS FROGS, MY CHILDREN

TODD

BIGGEST BARGAIN EVER!!

For this week only, at an incomputably small fraction of the previous price, truly an exorbitant fee for what you're getting, you will receive TWO, yes, TWO(!) sets of minutes from our exciting, and, if I do say so myself, provocative meetings, where all the cares, woes, and common sense of the outside world are left far, far behind, in the green jar by the door. This bargain could only be received elsewhere by sitting on the second stool on the right and ordering Vaseline with malt. So why waste precious body fluid by getting thoroughly nauseated at the trash I would put out for two editions of this when you can get it over with now?

EXECCOMM MEETING MINUTES, Mar. 19

1. Appropriations:

- \$20 for Donuts for House Meeting 7-0
- \$24 max. for bowling (they're in the tournament) 7-0
- \$15 for piano Mandel says followed him home one night 3-2-2
- \$25 for flowers for Fred Sugarman's funeral

- 2. Jeff reported that our income for house tax came only to \$3825
- 3. Pinball machines are missing because our supplier lost his contract with M.I.T. on the urging of Stud Center. New supplier has only enough machines for Stud Center.

HOUSE MEETING MINUTES, Mar. 21

- 1. Jules Halpern made a report on the progress of the Tutor Selection Committee. The list of applicants has been pared down from about 65 to about 26. We had discussion on feedback with the committee and some criticism of their criteria.
- 2. Moody is getting two lists of the admitted freshmen for the desk so we can look at it and see who's from our own areas.
- 3. Budget and discussion: We had straw polls on whether to retain the coffeehouse, (it passed) and whether to continue to budget it for a loss (it passed) We discussed freshmen dinners and Jim Rutt moved to get rid of them. Failed, 5-0. We then passed the entire budget as it stood, as reproduced below: 0-1/0

<u>Freshman Orientation</u>	\$1200	<u>Athletics</u>	\$350
Blue Hills	700	Softball	65
Dinners	300	Football	30
Party	200	Soccer	25
		Pool	25
<u>Social</u>	\$1100	Ping Pong	15
Spring Party	200	Bridge	10
Sept. Party	300	Badminton	10
Floors	600	Squash	10
@ 100/floor		Tennis	10
		Misc.	150
<u>Facilities and Serv.</u>	\$800	<u>President</u>	\$100
E-Lab	300	<u>Secretary</u>	\$100
Snack Bar	100	Repairs	40
Stereo	100	Supplies	45
Music Room	100	Silkscreen	15
Dark Room	75		
Lang. Lab	25	<u>Judcomm Buttery</u>	\$ 50
Misc.	100	<u>Treasurer</u>	\$ 30
<u>Institute Rel.</u>	\$350	<u>Total</u>	\$4080
House Meeting	125		
Coffee House	100		
Misc.	125		

We are going to try to get more pinball machines,

TODD

JUNGLE BOB LIVES!!

Yes, folks, you knew that eventually I wouldn't be able to resist the overwhelming temptation to disgust you with another tale of that brave little guy. Little, you say? Why, in the last series, he was 6'4". Yes, but, as you remember, in our last story, he was left in the woods with something gnawing on his legs. We open this issue with Jungle Bob in the streets of New York nobly fighting crime, injustice, and uncurbed dogs from atop his little rolling platform, equipped with Luger, shortwave radio, motor accessories for jungle work, and begging bowl. "It was nothing," he is telling the police captain. "when I saw the bank robber running past, I just whipped out my gun and blew his kneecap to shreds."

EXECCOMM MEETING MINUTES

APRIL 2, 1973

1. Appropriations:

\$17.13 to Sherman for lights for the E-Lab passed 7-0

\$22.85 to pay for a study break last Monday, the money to be taken equally from the Pres. and Social budgets.

passed 6-0-1

\$50 to Mark to buy softballs and bats passed 8-0

2. Discussion of Fred Sugarman Memorial Fund. We counted the amount collected and it came to \$61.22. We will round it up to \$65 from the Pres. fund. We decided to write to his parents and ask without seeming to be in a hurry, what they would like it to go to.

3. Moody announced that the fifth floor piano had been destroyed. He also said he didn't think it was a very nice thing to do. There was discussion on who might have done it. There have lately been some post-adolescent urchins hanging around. We should watch out for such people and call Judcomm if necessary.

TODD

EL MOLTO BRAGGADOCIO

"All the news that fights to be printed"

Extra!! Big News- A team of 14 graduate students at M.I.T., Manufactured Tgloos and Toadstools, Inc., (a wholly owned subsidiary of Workshops for the Handicapped), today announced that after seven months of arduous research, they have unraveled the secrets of time measurement. They claim to have discovered a sequence that tells what day of the week tomorrow will be, assuming you know what today is. Although the derivation is much too complex for the layman to understand, the final result can be memorized for future reference. They also claim to have found how many days there are in each month, and which month it is now! They have encapsulated the information in a verse that begins with the mysterious words, "Thirty days hath September..." In an interview, the leader of the group, Argyle Z. Twonk, said: "It was a real breakthrough. We had been working for 5 months before we came up with our first real fact. Then things came in a flood. It's amazing! No one would expect it, but all these things are inter-related, but to sift through it all, we had to go through historical files, scientific journals, star charts, international population cycles, casual rumors, the F.B.I.Z, Bartlett's Quotations... We're not done yet. Soon we expect to figure out how many days in a year, a regular sequence for the seasons, and perhaps even find out what yesterday was! Or even when was the last

EXECCOMM MEETING MINUTES

April 9, 1973

Once again, we are faced with the spectre of refrigerator permits. Everybody was ticked off because we thought it had been settled. Some suggested fighting it hard. Others felt it would do no good. We decided to restate to the guys at the 'Tute our decision from a previous House meeting. Jim will send them a nasty letter saying we wish to have a bill of \$6/refrigerator divided equally among all the members of the house, with the exception of those who have already paid for a permit. They will be credited with\$ \$(10-(6/refrig.)/(total number of house residents)).

We appropriated \$50 to 6th East for a party at which "everyone will only get 2/3 as drunk as the last one" since they only got 2/3 as much money. Passed 8-0

Noah asked if he should get a gavel for our past president.

We agreed up to \$25. Passed 7-0-1

We appropriated \$50 for the upcoming 4th West Waterfight. 8-0

Al Katz made a proposal to change room assignment prop\$ies to give people transferring into Baker a slightly higher priority in future terms than he gets now. We discussed pros and cons and voted on whether to put it on the House meeting agenda. Failed, 3-3-2

Nelson asked for \$200 for a mixer on the 21st. We batted it around for awhile, and it came out that we didn't think a party w would do so well right now and voted to plan on having a deal like last year's steel drum concert on Kresge plaza.

There will be a House meeting April 26th, 9:30 P.M.

Jim Thompson asks that the one who borrowed the receiver from the soda closet in the dining hall please bring it back quickly.

TODD

The SPORADIC REAMER

"All that fits is news to us."

AGENDA
for the
Baker House Execommm Meeting
Tuesday, April 17, 1973.
10:00 PM Baker House Dining Hall

1. Setting agenda for House Meeting on April 26.
2. Discussion and action on Andy's proposal for a party.
3. Discussion on proposed Kresge party.
4. Appropriate \$50 for third floor party.
--Chu
5. Discussion of Freshman R/6.
6. Appropriation for a lamp for the music room.
--Chisholm

Twas Baker, and the fire doors
 Did wig and wiggle in the wake
 Of Bruno; under the speeding mariah stream
 The scrulsome Charlie scrams,
 For free refrigerators do they wield
 With hands like boneless hams.
 "Coapute thy greggs! you dumb dead baby,"
 The mickle Mandel screams,
 But thicken, o freshmen,
 Or you shall not hear,
 Of the midnight sale of Tech-Hifi.
 When Humanities reigns,
 And all that fnips,
 Are skreaks of talionis lex,
 Remember Sherman and his reminder lame,
 That what really matters on the lips,
 Is the atomic theory of sex.

EXECCOMM MEETING MINUTES

APRIL 17, 1973

1. Len presented a bill of \$74.40 for ancient E-lab purchases.
2. Andy C. wants us to have a party soon so we can get lots of girls here before the end of the year and incidentally hire his band to play for \$50. But Jim said that both 5th and 4th floors will be having parties soon and Kaleidoscope is coming up and a lot of people felt that the girls wouldn't come this late in the year. So we voted it down, 0-8
3. We had discussion on the upcoming Kresge party. Not much has been done so far but we decided to have it on the 12th and try to get the steel drum band again to play all day. Also talk to SCC about sharing cost.
4. Discussion of R/O Lenny says he wants all freshman counselors ready by the first Saturday of R/O and he wants a party the same night. We also discussed the Blue Hills picnic and what to serve and when it should be.
5. Appropriated \$50 to third floor for a party, 7-1, Moody objected when he heard there would be no big effort to get girls because "The real need in this House is not for pizza and not for beer, but to meet people of the opposite sex." A spontaneous silence followed this remark.
5. John Chisholm said that the music room needed better lighting. Len is going to try to get a better light.
6. On the House Meeting agenda will be rate review, room assignments, Freshman R/O, and Client team report.
7. Appropriated \$25 for donuts. 8-0

TODD

The BAKER W A I F G U I D E

Special Commemorative Issue

EXECCON* MEETING

Monday, ~~APRIL~~ 30, 1973 10:00 PM

Baker House Dining Hall

AGENDA

1. Appropriate \$25 for an APL typeball (for the last time, hopefully).
--Jeff Broughton
2. Appropriate \$20 for the Third Floor
--Nelson Chu
3. Appropriate \$2.58 for a table tennis net
--Mark Lysne

*Yes, folks Execcon--it is the condensed form of Executive Council. Little wonders like this are all just a part of my "Truth in Packaging" doctrine.

The Adventures of Spaceboy Joe

or

Systematized Reciprocal Contingency, A Few of the Paramount Supplemental Factors Involved with Increasing This and All Neo-Sub Democratic Alliances' policy-Frequency of Attrition in Departmental Allotments within Strategically Controlled Borders, and a Study of Inter-personal/-political Involvements Touching the Synoptical and Illusitory System Sphere

As you may or may not recall, our story left Spaceboy Joe (Jungle Bob's close friend and confidant) wandering about the lonely expanse "beyond the stars" and "over the rainbow" hopelessly lost. The MBI 9000 computer had forgotten what it was doing. (That's MBI for you.) He was dangerously low on fuel (his ship is powered by the molecular energy in an ordinary APL typeball). He had nearly resigned himself to his doom, and was preparing to wait for the end to arrive in the arms of his girlfriend, Libby Doe, when suddenly.....

To be continued...
(should public opinion warrant it)

Items for (or comments on) Execcon Agendas go to Box 5112

JIM

The BAKER W A I F G U I D E
Special Public Opinion Issue

EXECCON MEETING
Manday, May 7, 1973 10:00 PM
Baker House Dining Hall
AGENDA

1. Appropriate \$300.00 to the Social Committee to cover the deposit on the kegs for the Steel Drum Party.
--Nelson Chu
2. Set agenda for House Meeting on 14 May (Monday of next week).
3. Appropriate \$23 for a 2nd west social activity.
--Duane Finello

Reminder: Steel Drum Party --- FRIDAY MAY 11!!!

The Adventures of Spaceboy Joe
or
Toodle-oo Caribou A Tale of the Frozen North

Suddenly Spaceboy Joes ship was grabbed by a high-energy force field. The entire craft shuddered (partly from the fact that our hero's teeth were chattering at the resonant frequency of his magnificent ship). He was hurtled out out of the galaxy at a speed of approximately 12,0000101 times the speed of light. (It should be noted that in this state Spaceboy Joe is effectively isolated from any harm!!) The MBI 9000 kept asking for the verbaa password to begin deceleration. Courageous Spaceboy Joe finally managed to croak out, between fits of sobbing, quis...lw...TIM...

Since this seems to be the time of year for surveys, and due to the underwhelming response to my plea for comments, I have decided to give you another chance to have a voice in the format of these agendas. I would appreciate it if you would take the time to answer these questions. and put the reply in the box at the desk. Thanx Jim,

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- I favor an orthodox agenda which simply details the agenda for the meeting.
- I favor utilizing any extra space AGENDAS for attempts at humor. (Can this be done more effectively through a non-serialized format?)
- My suggestion is an agenda structured -----
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EXECCOM MEETING SSUNDAY DEC. 17 17

Approp. 50 dollars for bowling

Discussion on how 2nd east will spend 70 dollars between tonight and monday night.

Howard Austin still owes us 18.55 for the coke.

At Rafi's Study break (which is financed by Rafi and not the deans office) 3+ cases of coke were ripped off . this is ### definitely not nice.

Approp. 15.50 out of 3rd west for Broken dust cover for house stereo.

next execcom January 10, 1973

Happy New Year:

submitted by m.kennedy for Todd POSER

JUNGLE BOB EXPOSED!!!

As we turn on our genuine Dick Tracy wrist-TVs, (what?, You don't have one? Quick, all you have to do is send in \$786, not in stamps please!, and three boxtops off absolutely anything, who's going to look anyway?, to him, General Delivery, Okeefenokee Swamp. You won't get a TV, but he'll be awfully grateful), we find Jungle Bob sitting on the curb on 42nd street in New York, idly scratching his stumps and wondering where he could get ammo for his zip gun. Suddenly, nothing happened. He hardly noticed. Then, a patrol car drew up, two cops jumped out and threw him into the back seat. He immediately cut the back seat into pieces and threw chunks of foam rubber out the window to mark his trail. When he had thrown it all out, the car left the curb and drove to the precinct station. There, a detective began to grill him mercilessly. "What's your name?"

"No more!" Bob screamed. "I'll tell you anything!"

"All right, Jungle Bob- " "I've got it! My name is Jungle Bob!"

"Maybe, maybe not. We have a clipping here that contains an obituary for Jungle Bob. How do you explain that?"

"Never in a million years will I admit that I accidentally killed my twin brother in a moment of negligent target shooting," Jungle Bob replied.----"What do you mean, under arrest?" he was saying a few moments later.

EXECCOMM MEETING MINUTES

MAY 7, 1973

There will be a house meeting next Monday, May 14 at 9:30 P.M.
On the agenda we put:

Discussion of proposals on subletting rooms in general and for the express purpose of attaining coed living.

Voting on next year's House Tax

Baker House Awards

Officer reports

Refrigerator Permits

Tutor selection committee report

Client team report

After discussion, we decided to appropriate, 8-0, \$200 for the Steel Drum Concert and Beer blast on Friday.

We then appropriated \$50 to 2nd east for a canoe trip. 8-0

Appropriated rest of softball fund for victory party for the A and B teams 8-0

Appropriated \$23 for 2nd West for party. 8-0

TODD

AGONY IN THE PITS or FEAR AND LOATHING AT PALLET AND BIN

It was a Wednesday afternoon. The temperature had dropped drastically to 95 that day, but it was still terrible to realize that, by subjective time, the week was not half over till Friday noon. I had been feeding 20' 2x6's through the bandsaw three days now, with the result that I had completely forgotten what the product of nine and six was, everything relating to my major, my girlfriend's middle name, and what it's like to have blood circulating through my legs. The foreman approaches. Anticipation strikes. "I have something else I'd like you to do for awhile," he screams above the roar. Oh joy! A dream come true! To be rid of this cursed bandsaw and its drudgery! I can anticipate a change in my lifestyle. Once more, I will learn to read, engage in discussions deeper than why I always get baloney sandwiches in my lunch. After all, I pack my own lunch. I will shake off the phrases constantly running through my head, like "parakeet gravel and grit." The foreman leads me to a new station. "I want you to stand in this spot, and every 20 seconds lift a sheet of plywood onto the conveyor belt, and watch it to make sure it goes through the saw. Any questions?" My hopes are shattered. But I must struggle to answer. "Door number two, Monty?"

EXECCOMM MEETING MINUTES

SEPT. 17, 1973

Announcements: The T.V. room will be ready soon, ideally in time for the King-Riggs match tomorrow night.

Thompson announced a raise for snack bar workers. He also asked for tentative Execcomm approval of Jim Smith as the next snack bar manager. Final approval in December. 000 0-1

Tony Zawadski asked if we would like to buy some of his books for the Baker House library. Decided to ask the House.

We then settled on the agenda for the House meeting on the 26th. Agenda to be published soon.

Lenny Schneeman suggested buying a guitar amp for the house. It was pretty clear that just about all electric guitar owners in the house had their own amp, except for Lenny Schneeman. 1-0

We discussed more for the agenda.

Lenny Schneeman suggested buying, etc. ... 1-0

We settled on the proposed budget to be voted on by the house.

Briefly, it included:

Sec.	\$150
Treas	\$ 75
Judcomm	\$ 75
Fac&Serv	\$3955
InstRel	\$375
Athletic	\$500
Social	\$3150
Pres	\$250

The agenda coming out will be itemized so you know where its going to. It's important you come and complain about anything you don't like. This isn't Institute money, it's yours directly.

We then adjourned.

TODD

"HERBY HOOKS ON BRICK" or "RETURN TO INSANITY VIA THE RED LINE"

Our raving reporter, Jimmy Olsen, returned this week with a hot new thesis guaranteed to give artificial ecstasy to any half-witted duck on campus. The working title is: "Study of the deterioration of the analytical mind while working at a summer job at Yakima Pallet and Bin, Inc." Sub-title is: "Finding peace, tranquility, and boredom through the principles of nirvana labor, or Busy hands make me cringe." Occasional excerpts to follow in weeks to come. But first, the news:

EXECCOMM MEETING minutes
SEPT. 12, 1973

Moody announced that meetings would be better this year. Following the entertainment, Jeff reported, approximately, that we had \$3600. It was announced that we will soon be getting gas dryers.

For warmups, we quickly defeated appropriating \$20 for potato chips and trash, and getting an ice machine for the lobby. We then practiced absurdity by appointing Len to get a rod for the laundry room. What happened to my margin?

There will be a house meeting the 26th of Sept., a Wednesday, at 9:00. An agenda will be appearing soon, courtesy of Jim Tittsler, coming back for another amazing year(term) as Agenda Secretary.

There will also be a house election on Tuesday, Sept, 25, for offices like freshman rep, judcomm member, and floor social chairmen. If you're interested, see Bret Bersack.

We appropriated \$20 from Lenny and \$20 from Noah for two freshmen batteries coming up soon.

Appropriated:

\$59 for darkroom 0 - 0
\$66 for athletics 0 - 0
\$300 for party on the 29th 7-1
\$24 for overhauling Todd 0 - 0
\$30 for checking account expenses

After intensive questioning to determine his capabilities and sense of responsibility, during which he curled his hair bravely, Phil Mandel was made Music Room Chairman to keep the pianos in tune and make sure there is no damage like the dampers being broken, 0 - 0
"You mean I won? You fools! Who do you think broke the dampers?"

Meeting adjourned

Poor as it is, this is the only way you can find out what's going on in the house and what we are doing with your money, with or without your knowledge, short of actually going to the meetings. If you want to find out beforehand about what is supposed to be discussed at each meeting as well as finding out afterward what actual was discussed, you need to sign up for Execcomm agendas and minutes. I'll post a sheet shortly.

TODD

EXECCON MEETING

10:00 PM Monday, October 1, 1973
Baker House Dining Hall

AGENDA

- * Moving the college ride board up to the lobby or desk area
--Chu
- * Request for appropriation to buy new cards/holders for duplicate bridge
--Rha jdehyaksha
- * Inquiry into wine
--Moser
- * Discussion of typewriter, possible appropriation
--Moser
- * Library--discussion of buying Tony Zawadzki's books for the library
--Moody
- * Buying Rotator for TV
--Moody
- * Pay telephones for floors
--Moody
- * Cleaning out bike room
**Moody
- * Posting Client Team report
--Moody
- * Should the dining hall be kept open 'til 7?
--MoodyMoodyMoody
- * What to do with the old TV?
--Moody
- * House Meeting Agenda--New TV
--ydoom (unscramble that one folks!!)
- * Apportionment of lounge furniture
--Moody
- * Baker Letter, Songbooks
--for those of you who haven't noticed a pattern --Moody

INTRIGUE AT THE PALACE THRONE ROOM
Subtitle: Execcomm Meeting Minutes, Oct. 3, 1973

King James the Moody (so named by the town criers for the pensive and sometimes puzzled look on his face as he strolled about the corridors of the castle) was indeed in a royal fettle. "Summon my Royal Council," he roared. "I have need of their worthless advice." "Forsooth, even now, many are gathered near the rathskeller in the basement," replied his manservant, Wallman. "They await your pleasure, milord."

First to approach King James in supplication was Lord High Sherriff, Bill of Hambugen. "Mercy, Sire," he cried, "I have overspent the Royal grant on too much donuts and cyder. Sayve me frome Debtor's Pryson!" (Classy Middle English, huh?) "Indeede, thou hast doubled thy faulte by not potting it on the Agendae," replied the King. "Howevare, I shall indeede have mercye onst thou. Consider it payd in full. Council! Dost thou agree in mye judgment? As I thought. Next!"

"Milord," cried the Royal Scribe. "My knavelly typesetter has foolishcrushyd his handes 'neath the village millstone, and I needs muste get a new boye or buye gloves fir the olde." "Buye glaves. 30 ducats."

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The King was now shaken to the core. Mysteriously, he ignored the inexcusable breach. Changing the subject, he cried, "I wish to see the Dinner proceed till 7:00. I cannot seeme to fille my belly in the time now available. Some varlet look into the mattyr. Now what's this about a Royal petition being presented?" "It concerned the location of the magic Box, Sire," replied Sir Paul. "But, the petition was improperly completed and is void."

The King was very uncomfortable. He quickly gave orders to put bright designs on the Royal furniture so all and sundry would know where it came from, to move the ride board showing movement between the various kingdoms to a spot near the drawbridge, granted thirty ducats for the buying of bridge boards, and twenty ducats for the procurement of food for the visitation of nobility the following evening. He then adjourned the meeting.

Lord High Ballot-Stuffer Bersack moved from the balcony railing in ponderous thought. Obviously, the king was losing control. Someone knew needed to take over the direction of the policy of the castle. But how to achieve that short of revolution? Suddenly, the answer hit him, and he started to prepare for the coup.

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10:00 pm Monday, October 8, 1973
Baker House Dining Hall

AGENDA

- * Standing ovation for Todd Moser's Execcom meeting minutes
-- Chu
- * Request for the purchase of a pair of headphones for the House Stereo
-- Moser
- * Appropriate \$25 for darkroom
-- Bob Iannucci
- * House Party appropriations totaling \$545 for the October 13th party
-- Chu
- * Appropriate \$70 for a 2nd East party
-- Ross Gale
- * Appropriation for ice cream freezer
-- Moser
- * Appropriate \$40 for minor renovations to 2nd Central
-- Moser
- * (a n extra **)
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WHAT DOES THE GALACTIC OVERLORD DO WHEN HE'S NOT FIGHTING?

Galactic Overlord James XXVII strode into the control room of his 20-billion ton flagship, "The Moody Brick". He spent a few moments before the enormous viewport contemplating the splendor of the Crab Nebula spread out before him. Suddenly he turned to one of his assistants. "That star cluster on the left destroys the symmetry. Have it removed." As the assistant rushed out of the room, he turned to the group assembled. "First of all," he said to his Minister of Propaganda, a 12-foot lizard from Alpha Centauri named Todd, "you did a good job on the latest rumor sheet. The mob was thoroughly confused."

"Thanks, Chief. I got a new idea. Why not individualize indoctrination procedures by buying some headphones for the Ship Stereo so the ignorant fools can destroy their minds one by one instead of in a group with the 901's?"

"It sounds radical, but I suppose it won't hurt to try, Sherman!" he cried, turning to his Minister of Armaments and Accessories, "Go down to the nearest planet and get some. Here's forty stellars."

Ianucci, the Chief of Celestial Cartography, came wheeling up in his powered aquarium. Using sign language with his tentacles, he said, "Captain, we need 25 stellars for the Ship Darkroom. Without our safelight and chemicals we can't develop our latest star sightings." "Well all right, but is it really urgent enough to interrupt the meeting about?" grumbled G.O... "Well, we're lost sir."

"Your Majesty," said Admiral Nelson, "the crew is becoming mutinous. Can I, through your infinite generosity, of course, well advertised, throw them a party to keep them quiet?" G.O. frowned. "How much?" "I had planned 125 stellars for a band with freaky organ player, 12 stellars for praising your big heart, 100 for booze, and about 63 for random variables, PDF sinusoidal." 00-0-2

"Chief, we have a request from the Psychiatric Division. For therapy purposes they need two ice cream freezers." "I never heard of them. What are they for?" questioned the Ruler of the Universe. "Well, you take liquid from the mammary glands of a large herbivorous animal, heat it up, throw in random materials, and, get this, cool it by rubbing it with solid water!" The Despot of the Milky Way stared. "Those men aren't disturbed, they're perverted," he roared. "Great jumping comets! I want them all court martialed by sundown, and then have them keelhaunched. In deep space."

"With your permission, sir, we would like to remodel the Officer's Lounge. It got melted down the last time we fought the Gray Lensman. It should take about 40 stellars. And while we're at it, how about letting us fix our unicycle? The pedal's broken."

The G.O. groaned. "What a bunch of wierdos I'm surrounded by." He rattled the steel balls in his hand nervously. "O.K. Do it."

Noah, a two foot can opener from Tralfamadore, said, "Sir, the natives from the planet AEP seem to think we shanghaied those crew members we signed on there. And they're upset because their inspectors were not allowed aboard." "Oh, we don't want anyone feeling that way. Destroy their planet. Meetings adjourned."

TODD

Remember, Friday is the last day to sign up for Execcomm agendas and minutes.

EXECUTIVE MEETING
10:00 PM Monday, October 15, 1973
Laker House Dining Hall

* AGENDA *

- * Discussion of emotion control parameters to be administered by
Judecomm
-Hamburgen
- * Appropriate \$50 for Russ Brown
- * Proposal to reinstate raffle tickets for boogie at house parties
-Jean Ward
- * Appropriation of \$35 for minor renovations to 6th East
-Lysne
- * Appropriation of \$70 for 2nd East Party
-Ross Gale
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EXECCOMM MEETING MINUTES
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The magazine rack stays where it is.

We appropriated \$45 for Jim to pay for the wine, etc., he's been using on the Friday night dinners. 6-1-2

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The BAKER W A I F G U I D E

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JALE OLD TING

EXECUTIVE MEETING

Monday, October 29, 1973 10:00 PM
Baker House Dining Hall
AGENDA

-Discussion of the house obtaining a "9 line" (or something similar)
for local calls
Rich Stern

-Appropriation of \$50 for 2nd West ice cream party
Mark Crane

-Todd Moser's resignation
Todd

-Appropriation of \$80 for 4th West party
Bill Rossen

-Request for \$75 appropriation for remodeling 1st West Lounge
T. Yeager & J. Anderson

-Appropriation of \$30 for 1st West study break
T. Yeager

-Appropriation of \$400 for a **HOUSE PARTY** planned for Nov. 10
Nelson Chu

*Yes folks, its Execcon (condensed from Executive Council), not
Execcomm as some second rate publications would have you believe!

The NEW adventures of Spaceboy Joe
or
'Oh no, not this foolishness again'
or
Systematized Reciprocal Contingency

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SPECIAL

EXTRA

SARE OLD THING

EXECCON* MEETING

Monday, October 29, 1973 10:00 PM
Baker House Dining Hall
AGENDA

- Discussion of the house obtaining a "9 line" (or something similar)
for local calls
Rich Stern
- Appropriation of \$50 for 2nd West ice cream party
Mark Crane
- Todd Moser's resignation
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- Appropriation of \$80 for 4th West party
Bill Rossen
- Request for \$75 appropriation for remodeling 1st West Lounge
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BAKER HOUSE
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1. We approved spending \$100 for the duplication and binding of the Client Team report. (Institute Relations Budget 7-0-0)
2. The Client Team report will be presented to the house at this evening's house meeting. (in case you have forgotten there is a house meeting tonight, Monday, at 7:30 pm in the dining hall). Formal approval of the report will occur at the first house meeting after this evening's.
3. We approved \$30 for a 3rd West party (7-0-0)
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5. \$70 was appropriated for an upcoming 3rd East Wine and Cheese party. (7-0-0)
6. First East was given \$75 for a party. (just about everyone-nobody-nobody)
7. \$30 was given to 1st West for a talent show to be held this Wednesday night. (7-0-0)
8. \$50 was appropriated for Friday's elevator party. (0-2, sin π , a few randoms)
9. Charlie Merrill moved that we appropriate a sum of not more than \$1.00 for the purchase of coloring books and crayons to keep loody busy. (6-0-1) I'll bet you can't guess who abstained on that vote.
10. The broken cue stick has been referred to Lysne.
11. Should the house contribute to Phil Mandel's UROC campaign fund (in return for certain political favors that high office would permit)? There will be discussion at tonight's house meeting.
12. \$25 was appropriated for overhauling the sick mimeo machine.

Everyone left this exceptionxally generous meeting.

Social Announcement: Don't forget to attend Princess'Anne's wedding tomorrow, at Westminster Abbey (or is it the Registry Office, South Balham?)

Editorial Comment: It is our sincere opinion as secretary that the social aura of Baker House has not been served by, in fact has been debilitated by, the closed portals of the populace. We believe it is the Bakerite's privilege to bother everyone else.

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EXECCON MEETING AGENDA
10:00 P.M. Sunday November 18

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#125 for HOCKEY -- LYSNE 6-0-1

Cue Stick -- LYSNE will take care of it
amending Constitution - watch out for 10% table

NEXT EXECCON:
1 Court Amend

execcon meeting minutes

november 18, 1973

the entire \$125 budgeted for hockey was appropriated to outfit the baker house teams. mark lysne will take care of getting a usable cue stick. investigation into the possibility of amending the constitution altering the role of tabling a motion will be undertaken. adjournment.

'low profile minutes' a jwt/620 thing

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10:00 P.M. TUESDAY NOVEMBER 25

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EXECCON MEETING MINUTES

November 25, 1973

1. 5th West asked for \$11.20 to cover a cost overrun from their recent party. There was a good deal of discussion (for us anyway) about the seeming epidemic of party cost overruns. It was suggested that Moody might have given it to the house with his love of buying things. At this point a vote was taken (1-2-5) which failed to appropriate money to the 5th floor. Immediately a fear (or realization) of what had happened swept over us. It hardly seemed fair to screw 5th west when it seemed to have almost implicitly become policy to approve such expenditures. Jeff Broughton commented that party budgets are accepted in good faith and that small innocent over-spending could be tolerated, trying to weed out only the blatant abuse. Despite the questioned legality (but with no objections) another vote was taken (6-0-2) which appropriated \$11.20 to 5th west.
2. The remaining \$700 budgeted for the Christmas Party (Dec. 8) was appropriated so that Doerre and helpers could begin purchasing things, with the proviso that Moody be closely watched.
3. Bill Petro was approved as the new Snack Bar manager, effective upon Jim Thompson's resignation (6-0-2).

Exposing Private Parts

This is a heretofore untold story. It concerns one Pfc. Jeremy C. Parts. (The "C" stands for "Chicken".) During the time in question he was stationed at cold, lonely Fort Dix. In the period from November 1st to date, Private J. C. Parts was observed to have developed a very bad habit. He had begun eating large numbers of chocolate bonbons while on guard duty. His addiction was noticed by higherups. He had printed 4,000 Zero Defxits posters for the Defense Department.

His sarge sent for him. "Come in here Private Parts," he bellowed. Sgt. C. Papers ("C" for "Collected") noticed that Jeremy was still eating when he arrived. "That's enough of those Private Parts," he roared.

It is sufficient to say that Private Parts caused Sgt. Papers a great deal of emotional grief and discomfort. His continued actions caused the psychotic demise of this previously stable career leader. Psychiatrists report that Sgt. Papers has successfully blocked all thoughts of Private Parts from his mind. Rather than undergoing treatment, he is currently majoring in E E at MIT.

A JWT/620 "That's enough of those"
Productions

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DECEMBER 2, 1973

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3. Discussion of appropriation of funds for Christmas presents. Moody
4. Discussion of appropriation of \$75 for IM bowling costs. Lysne

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The meeting got around to getting started at 10:08.

There was a discussion of the legality of our reconsideration of a motion in the same meeting as its defeat. In order to keep the meetings from becoming any longer (by having to vote over and over until the vote agrees with Moody) a reasoned interpretation of Robert's Rules provides a guide to procedure. For the record, another vote was taken. \$11.20 was appropriated (4-0-4) for a fifth west party overrun.

There will be a house meeting next Monday, 10 December 1973 at 7:30 pm. Judcomm, UMOG, the yearbook, Client Team Report, and social budget will be discussed.

\$125 was appropriated for Christmas gifts given by the house.

\$75 was appropriated to cover Baker House IM Bowling costs. Moody rose to a new abyss of presidential credibility by giving us a slightly altered version that seemed to indicate an 18 minute gap (between his ears).

\$25 was appropriated for doughnuts for the upcoming house meeting.

The house will be billed in the future for discharging fire extinguishers unless accompanied by a fire with two forms of identification.

The meeting dissolved at 10:47.

REMEMBER!!! The GREAT SPECTACLE of the term, the CREATIVE MARVEL of the time-space continuum, DAZZLING SENSATION of everyone's social calendar, the ABLATIVE ABSOLUTE of Baker Christmas Spirit, the Baker House Christmas Party is this Saturday, December 8. There is also a fun decoration party on Friday evening in preparation. Food will be there, will you?

EXECCON MEETING AGENDA
10:00 P.M. SUNDAY DECEMBER 9, 1973

1. Discussion to appropriate \$30.00 for a keg of beer and \$15.50 for five cases of coke for last day of school party. Nelson Chu

CONCLUSION OF THE ARREST

The Strand Hotel clerk who was on duty then wasn't on duty Friday night, the day the man with the briefcase entered, but he looked through the registry for me. To my dismay no one registered at the hotel at the time the cab driver told me his passenger entered the alley. I checked with the housekeeper. She seemed to know the man as I gave his description. She nodded when I asked if she saw him with the briefcase, but she refused to answer my questions..

I went to the front desk and inquired if a man left a briefcase in the safe on Thursday night. That, the clerk recollected and after checking his files he gave me the man's name and address.

I telephoned Richards, Tuesday morning. I gave him the address. I arrived at the address first. The address was that of a two-family house. The first one I called upon appeared uninhabited. The second, however, was occupied by the owner, an elderly lady wearing a worn ~~dark~~ dress she bought when her waist was three inches narrower. She informed me that the other flat was rented out by a man who minutes ago paid her last month's and this month's rent and then scurried away in a cab. She took note of the taxi's number. It was the same cab as the one used the night of the murder. I kissed her and rushed to Heathrow Airport. On my way I saw Richards pass me with two cars following his.

Due to my accelerated speed I beat the cab out. I hid behind a porter's stand to observe and follow the cab's passenger. However, the cab driver parked his cab in the taxi's corner and walked out with a briefcase. The cab driver was the murderer. I had not thought to compare him to the description of the murderer which was supplied by my friend with the shoes.

After police questioning and a complete investigation the murderer filled in the puzzle. He doubled timed as a cab driver and a night employee of the Strand Hotel. He had been paid by the owner of the umbrella shop at Clapham Common to murder a woman for 10,000 pounds. He completed this task by using a syringe. He pumped in an air bubble into her bloodstream while she was asleep. The bubble clotted in her lungs causing death instantly. He supplied me with the story earlier because he wished to confess the entire episode, but decided not to. He had hoped, if he gained my confidence and trust, to join him as his accomplice after the crime was committed. Then, suspecting that I had picked up any clues, he was planning to escape to New York where he would start a new life ~~with~~ with a new name.

The owner of the umbrella shop was the husband of the deceased and was simply tired of a nagging wife.

And I got my twenty pounds from Richards.

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BAKER HOUSE MEETING WILL BE HELD MONDAY EVENING AT 7:30