Excerpts

After much debate in Washington among House and Senate conferees, Congress is putting the finishing touches on the new energy bill. The compromise legislation will have far-reaching effects on the American way of life, according to reliable Congressional sources who are testing the wind before delivering the holiday speeches. The bill would do the following:

- **Eliminate rolling blackouts.** This is one of several measures included to reduce the gasoline consumption of wheelbarrows. The House Senate conference committee considered outlawing all fridges until it was pointed out that such a move would make storing food over difficult.
- **Require mandatory personal insulation.** Local service stations will be required to provide free insulated mugs to end-abuse desire to have their blood drawn by these machines.
- **Increase the fine for cold-blooded murder.** The fine will be raised from $10 to $100,000.
- **Provide a tax credit for sleep.** For every hour beyond eight that an adult age 65 or older sleeps, he will receive credit on his Federal Income Tax. The tax credit will be prorated among those who die between 8:15 and 9:15 a.m.

Last week a group of political science students from Harvard University met with the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity to discuss the possibility of forming a new fraternity, the Delta Alpha Epsilon. The meeting was attended by members of the Delta Alpha Epsilon, the Sigma Alpha Epsilon, and the International Fraternity Council. The meeting ended with the formation of the Delta Alpha Epsilon, which will be the fourth fraternity at Harvard University.

Four Bakerites win programming contest

By Jordan Halverson

The staff of the BU exposure administration has filed suit against Boston University's President and the Board of Trustees, charging them with violating the students' constitutional and contractual rights by attempting to exercise prior restraint over the publication of the newspaper. The Civil Liberties Union of Massachusetts, the volunteer attorney for the plaintiffs, Michael Foster, pointed out the violation in a complaint filed in Suffolk County Superior Court Monday morning for the student group. The suit alleges that the action is an attempt to block the newspaper from publishing an article that the plaintiffs believe is newsworthy.

Michael Foster stated that the suit arose out of the treatment of the paper by the BU administration. As an example of the alleged harassment, Foster pointed out that the BU administration has taken steps to limit the paper's distribution, making it more difficult for students to obtain copies. The newspaper, which is published weekly, is distributed free of charge to students and is supported by contributions from students and alumni.

The BU administration has stated that it is acting to protect the interests of the students and the university. The university has filed a counterclaim against the students, alleging that the newspaper is not a newsworthy publication.

The case was filed in Suffolk County Superior Court, and the proceedings are ongoing.

Four Bakerites win programming contest

By Steve Kirsch

A team of four computer science majors from Baker House won the Northeast Student Programming Contest held last week at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (RPI). The team consisted of: John Sackett, Robert Davis, James McIlroy, and Mark Taylor. The team worked together to develop a computer program that could predict the number of ice blocks that would be used in the upcoming Ice Block Contest. The team's program was the only one that accurately predicted the number of ice blocks used in the contest.

The contest was held at RPI and was sponsored by the Northeast Student Programming Contest. The team won a cash prize of $1,000, which will be used to fund further computer science research.

The Baker House team was one of eight teams from various institutions that participated in the contest. The team was coached by Professor John Sackett, who is also the advisor for the computer science program at Baker House.

The Baker House team's program was simple yet effective. It used a combination of mathematical and statistical methods to predict the number of ice blocks that would be used in the contest. The team's program was able to accurately predict the number of ice blocks used in the contest, which was 1,500.

The team's success was due to their hard work and dedication to the project. They spent many hours working on the program and were able to overcome many challenges along the way.

The team's success was also due to the support of their advisor, Professor John Sackett. He provided guidance and support throughout the project, which was crucial to the team's success.

The team's winning program was selected from a total of eight submissions. The other teams that participated in the contest were from institutions such as Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Boston University, and Harvard University.

The Baker House team's win was a significant accomplishment for the computer science program at Baker House. It is a testament to the hard work and dedication of the students and their advisor.

The team's success will undoubtedly inspire other students to become involved in computer science research. It is a reminder of the importance of hard work and dedication in achieving success.