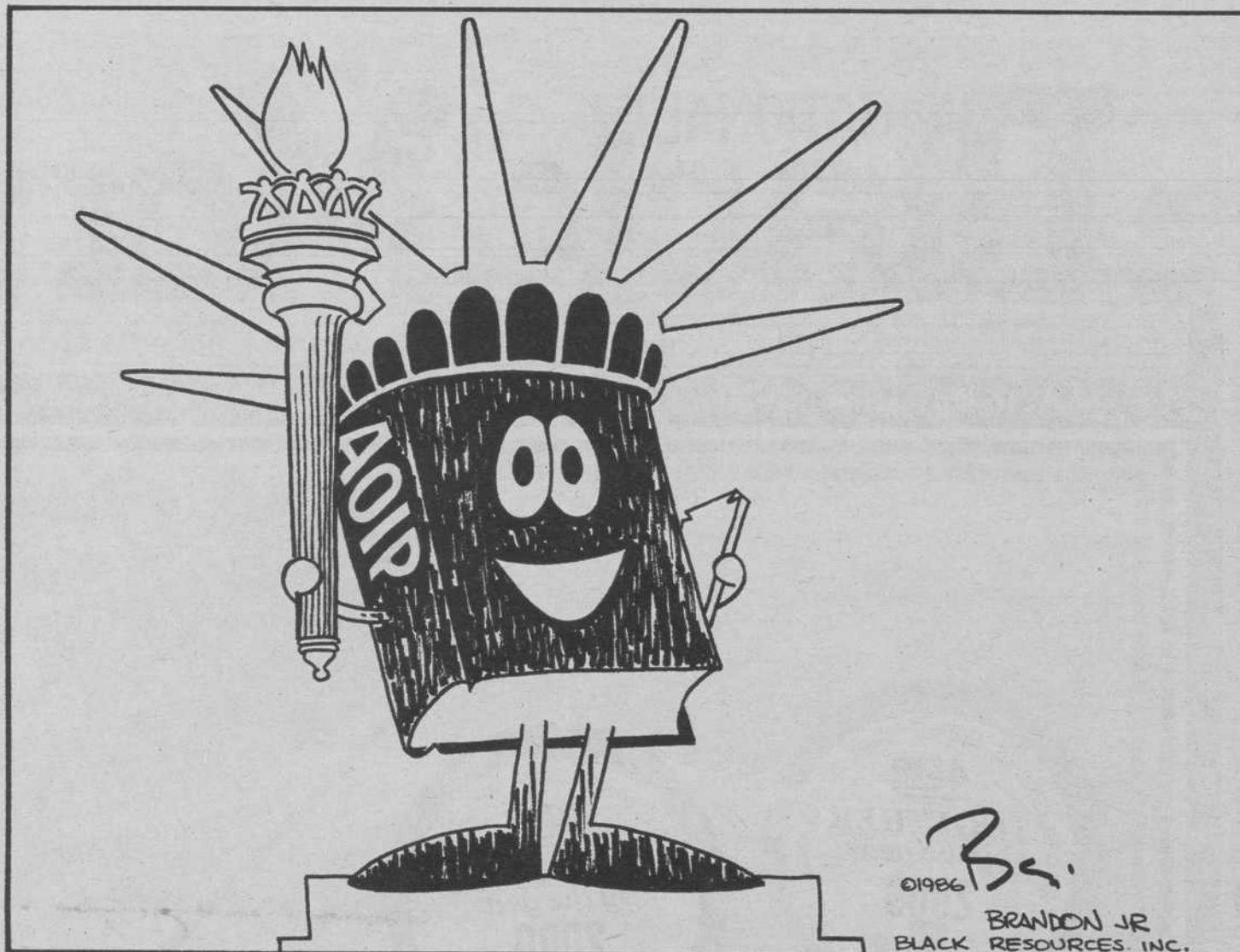


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Editorial Notes

This month we begin to detail how the 88 national Black community-building organizations in the Assault On Illiteracy Program (AOIP) will achieve their Year 2000 Goals in five-year intervals. A major highlight of the article is the introduction of some of the AOIP leaders at the local level, and what they are beginning to do within AOIP.

The August issue will deal with what we can do in immediate terms. The most interesting thing we will be doing is giving strong support to our Black-owned businesses, and seeing that all of AOIP's

motivational tools are used in all of our public schools and other educational programs throughout the country.

In the months ahead, we will continue to detail what AOIP is doing throughout the nation and present further suggestions from AOIP's national planning body. And, we would like to hear from you as to your interest and involvement in AOIP's Year 2000 Campaign.

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