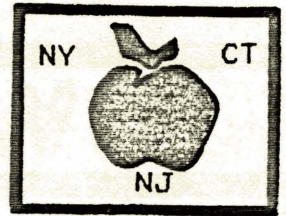


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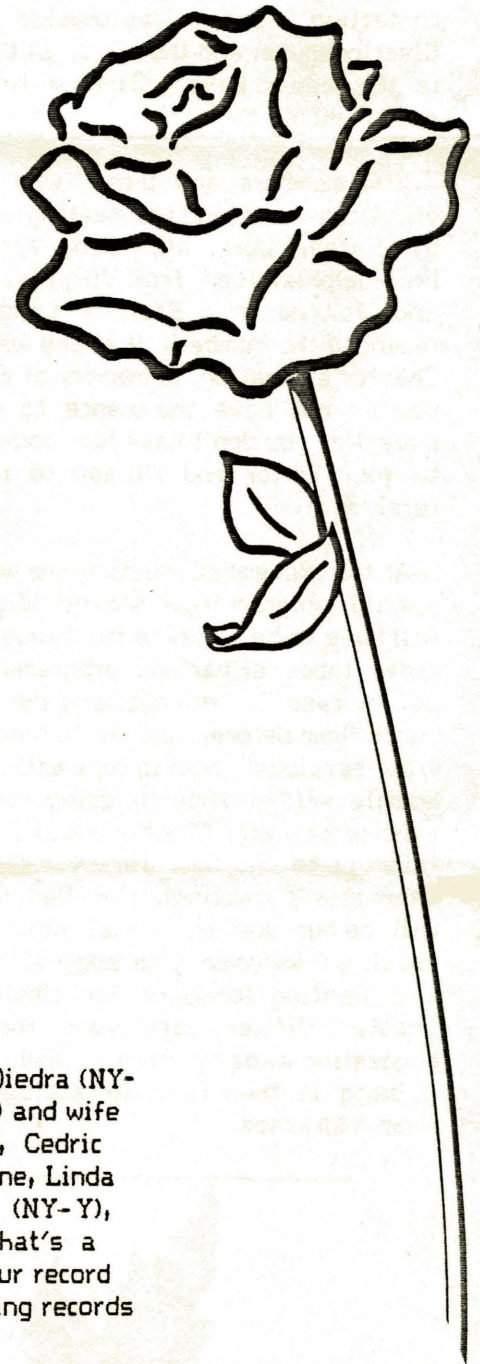


Tri-Ess Sorority



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***** CHI DELTA MU *****
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Attending October's meeting were: (seated, L-R), Camile (NY-1550-Mc), Judy Ann (PA-1347-L), Carole (NY-1323-S), Karen (NJ-1305-K), Brandy (NY-1677-H), Dorothy (NJ-1286-G), and Frances (NJ-1289-B); (second row), Renata (CT-1116-W), Joan (NY-1316-F), Lora (PA-1392-W), Leslie (CT-1713-A), Fran (NY-1610-B), Robin Ann (NY-1675-S), Marlene (NY-1335-B), Eve (NY-1676-H), Arlene (NY-L), Barbara (NY-F), and Hollis (NY-K); (third row), Mary Jane (NY-1322-M), and Jean (VA-1472-D). (Photo: Karen)

Also attending the meeting were: Isabelle wife of Leslie, Diedra (NY-D), Jean (NY-1600-E), Bev wife of Dorothy, Ed (NY-1558-G) and wife Kathy, Carol bride-to-be of Brandy, Valerie wife of Eve, Cedric friend of Hollis, JoAnne (NY-Mc), Agnes wife of Mary Jane, Linda girlfriend of Robin Ann, Carolyn sister of Renata, JoAnne (NY-Y), Stephinie (NY), Maratza (NY), Erica (NY), and Vicki (NY). That's a total of 39 folks attending a very nice Saturday evening! Our record attendance of 44 was in March of 1984. How's about breaking records at _____ the _____ November _____ meeting?



WHAT'S GOING ON

...The meeting was opened by Karen, our Vice President, who was substituting for Patricia who was on vacation.

...Renata is pursuing the Chapter ID Card by contacting the Westchester Self-Help Clearinghouse, and the A. C. L. U. Our problem is the need to have a 24-hour telephone contact source should the card be used for verification.

...New members and those who traveled great distances to attend the meeting were recognized by Karen. Lora and Judy Ann came from Philadelphia, Jean from Virginia, Eve, Valerie, and JoAnne from Eastern Long Island...Karen reminded the members that she was collecting the Chapter's donation in memory of Eileen (NJ). If you did not have the chance to donate, write Karen; if you don't have her address, send it on to your Editor and I'll see to it that she receives it.

...At the November meeting we were to have a special program from Alexis' Wiggery, but this will have to be delayed till January. We'll have video tapes of various programs of interest to us, in case you did not have the opportunity to watch them before, and we plan on having several "rap" sessions: how to cope with an unknowing or hostile wife/girlfriend, going out in public experiences, etc. The November 10th meeting will take place in New Jersey (same spot as September's meeting). Our December 8th meeting will be our annual, formal Holiday Party...As usual, we welcome your suggestions for programs and meeting locations for 1985. Contact a Chapter Officer with your thoughts. One suggestion made by Carole would be for everyone to bring in their favorite catalogues and we can swap addresses.



...The Susskind program was repeated on October 7th. This time the TRI-ESS address was on the screen for a longer period of time. Several inquiries were already received by Carol Beecroft, who in turn sent them on to me. I've provided a Chapter brochure and forwarded the note on to the appropriate GAL for follow-up. All GALs are thanked for the help they provide in meeting potential members.

...Karen and the membership thanked Renata and your Editor for our work on the newsletter. Thanks, its appreciated. Nora Helene is no longer able to produce and distribute the newsletter due to personal and business needs. As Editor, I'd like to thank Nora Helene for all she did in this tedious but necessary job. Many a snowy Saturday morning she drove several hours and spent a lot of time in doing the newsletter for us. Work for the Chapter; this produces success for all!

...The membership approved the budget adjustments suggested in last month's newsletter...With no further business matters to attend, the business meeting was closed, dinner had, and set-up for the Pink Elephant begun.

...The activity recently experienced with the "Dear Meg" letter and the inquiries from the second showing of the Susskind program have postponed the VILLAGE VOICE recruitment effort for a while, but we plan on getting to that shortly...No definite plans yet about dinner with wives/girlfriends - no dressing - in N.Y.C. in early 1985; also to be pursued (by Lynda ?), is a Spring Weekend in the Poconos.

C. D. M. Classified

Many of you ladies know of shops that not only accept our business but welcome it. Perhaps these merchants would be interested in advertising in the newsletter with their business card?

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Pink Elephant

...Those attending the October meeting really had a FUN time at the Chapter's first Pink Elephant sale. Many "goodies" were sold, and when the price finally reached .25 cents for three items, no one could resist! The Chapter's Treasury benefited considerably...The Chapter Officers want to thank all who participated, especially you ladies who donated items for sale...This is a sure to be repeated event in 1985. Don't miss the next PINK ELEPHANT!

Rates are \$30.00/year (standard size card) for 12 issues, \$15.00 for 6 issues/months, and \$7.50 for 3 issues/months. Have interested merchants contact our Treasurer, Lynda, with their card and payment. This effort benefits: merchants, members looking for places to spend their money, and the Chapter's Treasury. Please support it.

Joy's Greatest Hits (Vol. 9)

Side I

- 1) Mrs. Brown You've Got a Lovely Son/Daughter
- 2) Two Different Worlds (We Live In Two Different Worlds)
- 3) Has Anybody Seen My GAL?
- 4) (You Can Wear Em, You Can Share Em) At The Shoppe
- 5) Nice N' Easy (Does It All the Time)
- 6) A Sweet Old Fashioned Girl

Side II

- 7) Stranger In Paradise (for new sisters)
- 8) (We're Off To See) The Wizard Of Bras
- 9) Roll Out The Apparel
- 10) Venus In Blue Jeans
- 11) My Favorite Things
- 12) Brassiere (to the tune of Brazil)

*Thanks,
Diane
(NY)*

Autumn Favorites

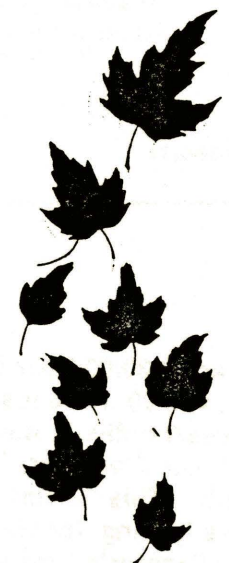


GAL Organization

The Chapter covers a large area. In fact, Chi Delta Mu is the only organized Chapter in the Northeast. To provide better management of the group, the Chapter is divided into Geographic Areas, with Geographic Area Leaders (GALs), having certain responsibilities. Below is a listing of the GALs and areas. If you have not made contact with your GAL yet, please contact me and I'll put you in touch.

The responsibilities of the GALs are basically two. 1) To meet potential members and to insure as best as the GAL can that the potential member is qualified for TRI-ESS membership. Meeting locations are usually provided after a successful "screening". I think that everyone appreciates this security method of the group. 2) To get an estimate of the numbers of members coming to the meeting. Better food planning results. The GAL also serves as a contact point should bad weather require the cancellation of a meeting.

Area	GAL(s)
1 So. N.J. - Iris	Dorothy *
2 No. N.J. - Lily	Lynda & Wilma *
3 Orange/Rockland - Gardenia	Fran
4 Ulster - Impatiens	Robin Ann
5 Bronx/Westchester/Connecticut - Violet	Renata & Patricia
6 Balance N.Y.C. & Long Island - Rose	Edie
7 Balance N.Y. State - Daisy	Eileen
8 All Other - Mum	Mary Jane



* from a line drawn from Linden N.J. to Easton PA., North are Lynda & Wilma, South is Dorothy

GALs are encouraged to organize social affairs in their area so that regularly attending ladies and mates, and those who can't make the Saturday meeting due to distance, inconvenience or whatever, will have the opportunity to periodically enjoy themselves. Seven or eight attendees should reasonably cover the cost of a motel and refreshments. Of course, if someone is generous enough to open their home, the money problem diminishes considerably. Special consideration should be given to these hostesses. Your Editor understands that some of the ladies in the Rockland/Orange area met at the end of October in such a setting. We'd like to hear how it went. Enjoy!!

The GAL structure changes as the need demands. For example, Edie covers a large area and probably could use some help in the Nassau/Suffolk area as we have gained a number of new members there recently. That decision is up to Edie and the members of that area...The larger question of additional chapters of the organization becomes more "addressable" as our ranks grow. As your Editor and one of the founding members of the Chapter, I ask for your patience in this matter. Remember, there's "strength in numbers". No one is ruling out the formation of additional chapters, but this restructuring, should it be deemed necessary to occur, should be done in an orderly way for the benefit of all members of TRI-ESS.

In Case You Missed Them



House-sitting is a drag

DEAR ABBY: Recently I went away for a week. Before leaving, I hired a neighbor's 17-year-old son to look after my dog, plants and mail.

I've known this boy and his family for about 10 years and felt that he could be trusted with my home and possessions.

When I returned home a day ahead of schedule, I got the surprise of my life when I walked in and found my house sitter all decked out in my best clothes — high heels, makeup, wig, the works!

He explained that he liked to dress up in women's clothes, and he didn't think I'd mind.

I not only "minded," I was furious! He was even wearing my underwear, including a brand-new slip I had never worn.



DEAR ABBY

I ordered him to get out of my clothing immediately, then I phoned his mother.

When I told her about her son, she made a joke of it. I demanded that she pay to have my clothes cleaned, but she refused and said I was making too big a deal over a small thing.

Abby, this is no small thing to me. I feel that my privacy has been invaded, and I can't bear the thought of putting those clothes on until everything has been dry-cleaned or laundered.

As for my neighbor's 17-year-old "Tootsie," I

think he needs counseling. Am I wrong?

— ANGRY

DEAR ANGRY: No. The boy or his family should comply with your demands.

And if "Tootsie" has trouble accepting himself for what he is (a transvestite), he needs counseling.

Agreed! Abby.

Ann's had impact

Dear Readers: Several weeks ago I printed a letter from a generous reader who told me how I had changed her life. When I thanked her for the kind words I asked readers who had profited from my advice to drop me a line and let me know how I had helped them. I was unprepared for the avalanche that followed.

Since today is my 29th anniversary as the author of the Ann Landers column, I ask your indulgence while I engage in a bit of self-serving rhetoric. I print these excerpts at the risk of being arrested for practicing medicine without a license. 10/16

Ann Landers

Syndicated columnist



AUTUMN



"I don't understand it. I kept telling your mother I wanted to dress like a woman, not live like one."

Thanks, Eileen;

TRENDS... IN UNISEX LOOKS Edited by JANE ELLIS

Clip it androgynous for an '80s hairstyle

IF YOUR hairdresser is of the opposite sex, take a good look at his or her hairstyle. It may be what you need.

The androgynous '80s bring the "His and Hers" style. It doesn't look effeminate on him or mannish on her. Somehow it's very safe.

At Bruno Dessange, the French salon on Madison Avenue, it is not rare for a hairdresser of the male gender to cut the hair of a pretty young woman just like his. In the same vein, a lady hairstylist may cut a man's hair just like hers.

"I think it's neat that men and women have the same hairstyle," says Daniel Lambert, a French model with the Click agency who wears the same haircut as his hairstylist Chantal. "It makes the rapport between the sexes easier."

—FRANCE MICHELE ADLER

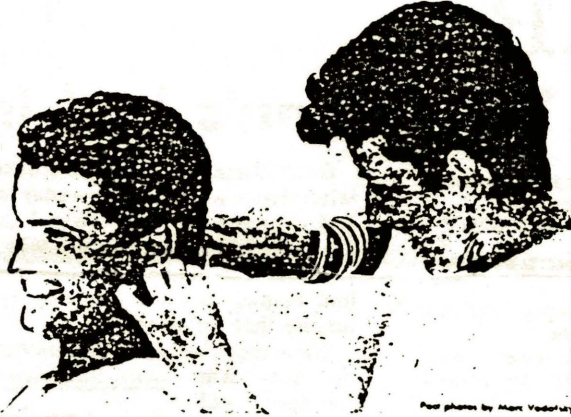
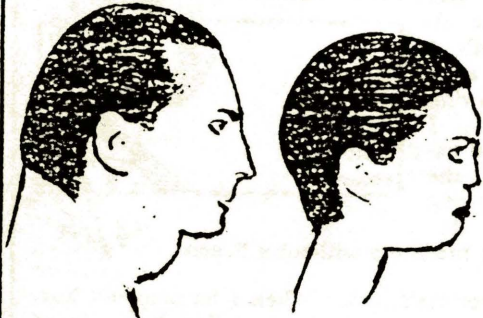


Photo by Marc Voderberg

Above: Daniel Lambert, a Click model, has his locks clipped by Chantal at Bruno Dessange. Both sport the same short haircut. "It's easy," explains Chantal. "You can go from the shower to dinner." Daniel, who is French, agrees. "I love this haircut," he says, adding "Chantal cuts hair well and her hands are very caressing." Ah, the French! Left: Pascal from France and Barbara Nordl from Texas share a slicked-back hairstyle. Barbara, who is a model with Faces, entrusted her haircut to Pascal of Bruno Dessange. "Her face, her classic profile, her personality guided me to this haircut," explains Pascal.



STAGE ★ ★ LIGHTS:
Tap-dancing wonder-kind Lee Roy Reams is ready to return to Broadway as the title character in a lavish musical called *Sylvie*. Like *Cage aux Folles*, it's about transvestites. Tony Charmoll will direct, and producer James Nederlander gets the first peek.

Q What reason have the Russians given for banning singer Boy George from entering the country and entertaining audiences in the Soviet Union? Is it because he's a compulsive transvestite? Are most transvestites gays or sexual normals?—E.D., Muskegon, Mich.

A To date, the Soviets have offered no explanation for banning Boy George and his Culture Club group. Most probably they consider the singer and his musical colleagues unsuitable as entertainers—especially of Soviet youth. Boy George may or may not be a compulsive transvestite. His sex cross-over in clothes and makeup may turn out to be a purely commercial gimmick. He has said on numerous occasions, "I don't think I look like a woman. I mean, I'm a 6-foot guy. I'm very much a man." The prevailing judgment in psychiatric circles holds that most transvestites are heterosexuals and engage in normal sexual relations with women.

—WALTER SCOTT 1984

Thanks Dorothy ↑

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MARISA: helping mankind
SOME husbands might be a bit shocked if their wives came out with books showing them in vari-

ous states of undress. But lawyer Richard Golub, a sophisticated sort, is taking publication of his wife's beauty book in stride. Besides posing for some photos in unmentionables, Marisa Berenson writes in *Dressing Up: How to Look and Feel Absolutely Perfect for any Social Occasion* (Putnam's): "When you have on some sexy lace tights and a pretty, strapless bra, you move different-

ly, you act differently — you act like a real woman. And when a man sees a garter and a little bit of stocking when a woman crosses her leg, it's a turn-on..." Richard applauds. "It can do nothing but better a man's view of women," he told PAGE SIX. "It's going to advance society."

Dear New Woman

Recently I saw your fashions on androgynous dressing. I think that this is great. As a New Woman, I think that if men wear skirts, they can learn a lot of respect for women. I myself wear pants only since I started dating Tom. I also am not ashamed to admit that I got married five years ago in a man's tux. It was senseless to buy a dress for only a couple of hours. I have worn pants ever since. Now that men have decided to wear skirts, I not only approve but I think that women should promote the idea as well. I've had Tom wearing skirts on a number of occasions and although he hasn't left the house in a skirt, he has admitted to being comfortable in them.

Cindy Smith
Toledo, OH

Contributions Most Welcomed!



by Donna (IL-1148-M)

An Open Letter:

9/18/1984

Dear Ladies of Genesis Chapter and Mates:

I and our chapter are very happy that you folks have started "something beautiful" in the Cleveland Area. We, here, in the metro NY area, had nothing back in 1981. Fortunately there were a number of us who were fed-up being alone in enjoying our femininity, and we started our Chapter. This took work: producing a newsletter, getting a meeting place, buying food, etc. But let me tell you it was worth the effort.

To help another sister who is under the "rock" about crossdressing is one of the most rewarding experiences I have ever had. And, to see that sister in turn help others is just one heavenly experience that you can have on this earth. Our enthusiasm feeds upon itself. Believe me, it works.

One fact that I have observed in our chapter's development is that anything a member does for the chapter, be it folding the newsletter and mailing it, or getting a meeting spot, ultimately benefits ALL members and mates. Keep that in mind. One other, rather negative, fact that I've observed is that being alone in your life situation is the pits!!! I've been there, and now-thankfully- I'm not. So are many, many others thanks to our organization.

So, sisters, I ask you to help Jill as best you can to make the Genesis Chapter the group it should be: to serve you and your wife/girlfriend.

I just can't tell you in words the friendships that have developed as a result of our chapter's growth, and the help our wives/girlfriends have given to others. An experience that is treasured, must be worked on, and never forgotten!

Best Regards,
Your Sister,

Mary Jane
(NY-1322-M)
Editor/Secretary
Chi Delta Mu
Chapter

Thank you, Chi Delta Mu and Mary Jane for your kind letter and encouragement. We appreciate your concern and welcome any and all suggestions that you may have.

***** GENESIS *****

-----A new beginning-----

Jill & Diane Editors

Genesis
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"The Man-Maid Doll" An unusual transsexual autobiography, with a background in New York City of poverty, a sordid home life, prison and prostitution both as a male and a female. Not a "nice" story, but apparently true-to-life. (Rating: 6 of 10)

"April Ashley's Odyssey" A somewhat tedious story, since the author devotes very little of the book to the transsexual situation but instead goes into great detail on "gossip". We are given extensive accounts about the important and famous people she met, where they went, what they did, etc. Also explained at great length are the personalities of the performers she worked with at Le Carrousel in Paris and at other clubs, with rather bitchy comments about Coccinelle, Bambi and others. Illustrated with 30 photographs. Not of great interest to the TV reader. (Rating: 2 of 10)



"Mirror Image" A very well written transsexual experience, presented in a clear and logical manner by a former newspaper reporter who made the "change". We learn of early background, work experience, marriage and divorce, the preliminaries to the operation and the operation itself in non-medical laymen's terms. Then the return to work in the same job as a woman, the reactions of co-workers and the personal and legal problems in learning to live as a woman. An up-beat true story, well worth reading. No photographs, unfortunately. (Rating: 9 of 10)

EARLY MEMORIES

Like everyone else, I was born! Right here in Los Angeles, to a father who became an eminent surgeon and to a mother who was a very capable woman in real estate, investments and other, at the time, rather un-feminine ways. Four years later a sister was born. I don't remember anything of a predisposing nature to my ultimate TV in my early childhood; I was just one of the neighborhood kids, doing my thing and getting into my share of devilment. When my dressing began is a little difficult to pinpoint. All I know was that by the age of 16 it was full blown. The way I can tell that is that in the year, 1929, we went to Europe by boat - that was before the days of transatlantic flights. There was going to be a medical convention in Europe and my father was going to it. The crossing took about eight days. Most of the passenger list was made up of doctors and their wives and families. I got very well acquainted with one of the doctor's wives and when the last night came around and they were going to have a Captain's Party which was to be a fancy dress occasion she was very insistent that I go to the party as a girl and she would fix me up. Why she decided on this I don't know because I didn't give off any evident effeminacy. I was one half of the doubles champions of the ship in deck tennis and I was always tearing around with one of the other sons who was about my age exploring every corner of the ship. Why she picked me I don't know, but I do remember two things very clearly: 1) there was nothing in the world I wanted to do more than get georgeously fixed up as a beautiful young lady and go to that party, but 2) there was nothing in the world that was going to make me do it. I remember both feelings clearly and they tell me that my desires were already very clearly perceived by that age and that my guilt and fear were also well mobilized.

Out & About

This leads me to guess that my first interest must have come about the age of 12. But in any case by the time I was 18 I had accumulated a small wardrobe and when I could assure myself that my parents were going to be away long enough I would go out into the garage and dress there and then sneak out and walk around the block or maybe even get bold and get on the streetcar and ride about six blocks east, get off and take another one back again... Big adventure. Then one Sunday I was home alone and decided to do my big number. I got all dressed in a dress of my mother's. I remember it well - a green velvet skirt and a blouse of very light green with appliqued green leaves on it. I didn't have a wig so I took a switch of mother's and draped it around the inside of a big broad brimmed garden hat so that bits of it stuck out in appropriate places and there I was. With shoes and purse - a perfect lady ready for an afternoon walk.



Our house was two blocks from Wilshire Boulevard, one of the city's principal streets. So I trucked out of the house and walked up to Wilshire as prim as you please - two blocks down Wilshire and then back to the house. I was like a saddle horse from a public stable - you can hardly get him to move on the way out and once you turn around you can hardly stop him from running all the way to the stable. I found that I couldn't get back to the safety of the house quick enough. I'm sure many others have experienced that.



I remember another event of those days. They were the days when rayon was all the rage. One time, operating on the principle that if some is good more is better, I remember that I wore about eight pairs of rayon panties and on top of that four or six of my mother's slips. In those days we had double decked buses like those famous in London and I walked up to Wilshire and got on one and went up top where I could get a good view. Unfortunately when the bus went around a corner the sway on the upper deck was considerably greater than down below. I found that



12 or 14 layers of rayon between me and the seat made things pretty slippery and I could hardly stay on the seat. But wearing all that lingerie at the same time made me feel sort of super-feminine because I was outdoing all the other women.

I also recall buying my first pair of heels. As Charles I went downtown to Broadway which was definitely not the highest class district. I remember going into this little shop which was down a small flight of stairs below the street. I explained to the man that my

aunt had been bedridden for some time and was just now able to get around but that she wanted a new pair of shoes and had sent me to get some for her. Of course it just so happened that her feet and mine were the same size - fortunate coincidence. I got the shoes, all right, but as I think back on it today, I feel embarrassed at the ridiculousness of the story - a woman who has been laid up for some time wants a pair of high heels yet and sends a young man to buy them. I can't imagine what the salesman thought but I think it was good proof of what I have said many times since, namely that shopkeepers are only interested in sales and couldn't care less who is buying what for whom.

The first occasion in which I willingly appeared before others as a girl occurred in 1930. I was active in a church group and of course they had a Halloween party and I was debating what I should wear. Across the street lived a family with a boy and girl about the same ages as my sister and I so we were great friends and often in their house. When I mentioned the party, Mrs. S came up with a great idea. Why didn't I go as a girl - she would fix me up with one of her daughter's dresses. I demurred rather weakly at first but managed to agree in time. I won first prize - and why not, coming events cast their shadows a long way before them. After the party five or six of us drove down to the beach and walked around in public. It was my first trip out with anybody who knew anything about me and naturally it was great. The next day I got dressed all over again before returning the clothes so that I could get some pictures taken of the event and this was my first picture as "Virginia". I was eighteen years old.

Quoted from The Life and Times of Virginia, by Virginia Prince, published in Transvestia, Volume XVII No. 100.

Thanks, Edith Marie. Y O U R experiences "going out" or "early memories", or any other items you would like to share with your sisters is most welcomed.

LIBRARY REPORT

Our Chapter's library now contains 104 items. We have divided the material into two lists. The first is a listing of, mostly, hard cover books of a more or less serious nature, but including some fiction, totalling 54 books and 4 audio cassette tapes. The second list has 46 items which are mostly the typical TV fiction plus some magazines, including a few Transvestia issues.

Many thanks to chapter member LORA, PA-1392-W, for her donation of most of the newly-listed items, including Transvestites and Transsexuals: Mixed Views by Deborah Heller Feinbloom and second copies of A Regiment of Women and Second Serve, Renee Richards' autobiography.

Our "Want List" has 34 items. Two items in particular would be useful additions. They are The Enigma of the Age: the Strange Case of the Chevalier d'Eon by Cynthia Cox, published in London in 1966 and Royal Spy: the Strange Case of the Chevalier d'Eon by Edna Nixon, published by Reynal & Company in New York in 1965. The Hartford, Connecticut public library has a copy of this last item. I only had time to skim through it, but Chapter 16, entitled "Transvestism" (Eonism) appeared to be informative. If any of our members has one or the other version of d'Eon's biography that they would like to donate, we would be very appreciative.

Many of our members, for good and various reasons, cannot take a full and active part in the chapter's social gatherings. The lending library is one of the chapter's services available to all members and should be of particular interest to our "absentee" members. Write to me for a listing of our most current library offerings.

Don Williams
Drawer R
Valley Cottage, NY 10956



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"Sure, my wife accepts, as long as I do the dishes every night".

REMINDER

Upcoming meetings.....

November 10 - New Jersey

December 8 - Westchester

Chi Delta Mu meets on the 2nd Saturday month!y.

SEX ≠ GENDER

Treasurer's Report

A complete account of the report for October is not available yet as Lynda was on vacation. The Chapter collected a total of \$446.00 at the meeting, and expenses amounted to \$165.73. Cash balance as of 10/1 was \$588.61, and net gain from the meeting was \$278.27. This results in a projected end of month balance of \$866.88, subject to adjustments. A complete report will be provided in December's newsletter.

Dues renewals in October are: Janet, Mary Jane, Patricia, Fran and Carole. Dues payments are important for the Chapter's viability. Please be considerate and pay your dues when due. A complete membership listing with dues due date will be published next month. The Chapter has enhanced our information data base on members and will be more current on dues due dates (DDD) in the future. Part of the late payment of dues is because we lacked a follow up procedure, which is now in place thanks to Edith Marie and Lynda.

TRI-ESS Chapter Organization

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Marlene, of California, reports: "New girl in your area - Leslie (CT-1713-A)". Welcome to both the national organization, Leslie and wife Isabelle.

...Below is a listing (according to latest Chapter records), of sisters who are:

- * delinquent on their dues (payable on/before 7/31/84);
- * late with their dues (payable 8/1 - 10/31);
- * dues upcoming (11/1/84 - 1/31/85).

Dues for the Chapter are \$15/year; Lynda, our Treasurer, can be contacted as follows: L. Frank, P. O. Box 9192, Morristown, New Jersey 07960. Make checks payable to L. Frank. Should you have any question concerning your dues situation, contact Lynda.



July 31st & earlier

- Doreen (NJ-1608-T)
- Dorothy (NJ-1286-G)
- Janine (NY-A)
- Joan (NJ-204-G)
- Lisa (NJ-1304-P)
- Tina (NJ-1243-E)

August 1 - October 31st

- Camile (NY-1550-Mc)
- Cindy (CT-1115-V)
- Jane (NJ-1308-T)
- Jenny (NY-326-B)
- Lora (PA-1392-W)
- Terri (NJ-1307-R)

November '84 - January '85

- Felicity (NY-1318-M), 1/85
- Frances (NJ-1289-B), 11/84
- Jean (NY-1600-E), 1/85
- Joan (NY-1316-F), 1/85
- JoAnne (NY-Mc, Long Island), 11/84
- Renata (CT-1116-W), 1/85
- Sylvia (FCPQ-1523-K), 1/85
- Vikki (NJ-1599-M), 1/85

Thanks for your support of our Chapter!

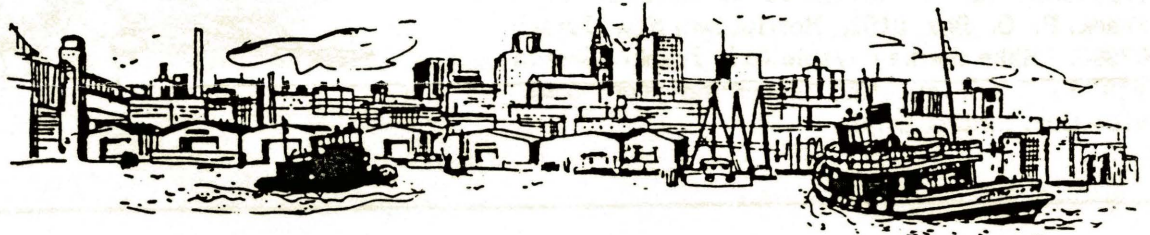
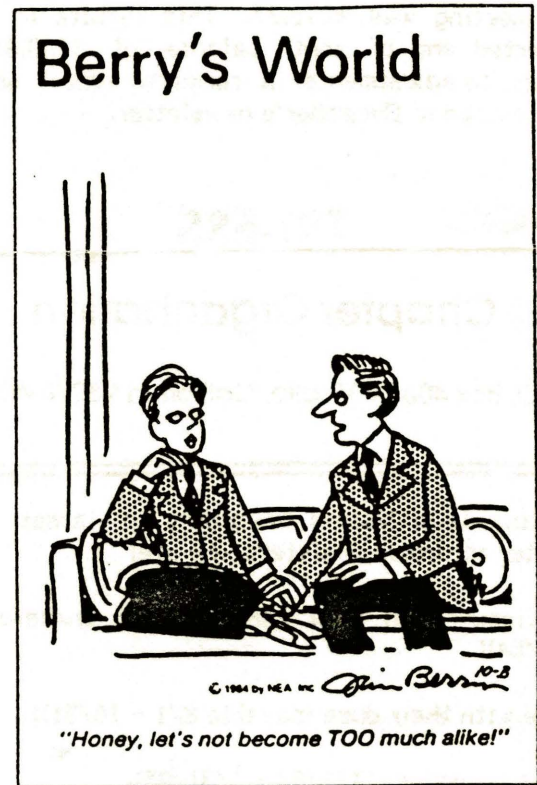
ARE YOU SOMEONE SPECIAL?

You sure are if you are a member of TRI-ESS and Chi Delta Mu! Especially so for you ladies who can not (or will not), come to our meeting. Yes, you have many reasons. Be this the case, the Chapter wants to help you as best it can.

This has been demonstrated in many ways already; what is needed is for your Chapter Officers to hear from you as to how Chi Delta Mu can provide even more services for you.

Our Chapter Librarian, Edith Marie, has told you of one service available to all members - our extensive library collection. The Chapter has a group of wives/girlfriends who are ready to speak with other wives/girlfriends. Those who work on the newsletter certainly do our best to convey the group's activities and concerns. Someone suggested a special column for those of you who are still very much in the "closet". The newsletter's Editor is more than willing to provide same, but those of you in that situation must let us know what you want to see in that column.

Just "sitting back" and doing nothing to change your life situation isn't going to help. A sorority is sisters helping sisters. Let's hear from you!



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