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CHI'S MAY MEETING . . . . . .

We were fortunate again last month to be able to meet "in the home," through the courtesy of Mitzi. Even though it takes a little effort and time to get to her home in Rockford, it was well worth it. We were happy that the following were able to make the trip: Joan IL-6-C, Mitzi IL-8-C, Rachel IL-14-B, Betty Ann IL-17-A, Elaine IL-22-A, Sharon IL-23-Y, Sharon IL-25-H, Kay IL-44-N, Lois WI-13-V, and Ruthann Wi-14-L. Deanna was not able to make it due to work, and our Vice-President, Kay, conducted the meeting. Also, your Secretary/Treasurer wasn't able to attend because of a moderate dental problem (which resulted in a swollen nose which would have turned Karl Malden green with envy).

A special treat that evening (and one that we have grown accustomed to anticipating), was a preview of Mitzi's annual Garage Sale with first choice of the items to be offered (and everything at very reasonable prices). There was a good selection of clothing in both normal and large/tall sizes, and a variety of shoes in the larger sizes. Mitzi's only complaint was that while she had her own tall size clothing and large shoes on sale, not enough big people with fat feet attended the meeting!

For refreshments, Mitzi reported that she served "Sloppy Joes, fresh strawberry pie, and the 'usual junk.'" Knowing Mitzi, I am sure that the refreshments were outstanding as usual. Many thanks to her for inviting us, and we hope that she will have us back again sometime.

"ADOPT A SISTER" . . . . . .

New members are joining Tri-Sigma daily, and are regularly reported in supplements to the Membership Directory (one was just recently issued). When you see someone new added, why not write them a letter of welcome, and perhaps engage in regular correspondence. Remember when you were new to the organization? Did you receive a letter from someone? If you did, you were probably happy to receive it and to learn that there was "really someone else out there." Give it a try. Let's try to get to know each other!

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As a special treat, we expect to have Ariadne Kane (from the Outreach Institute, Boston) visiting with us. As most of you know, Ariadne is very active in T.V. affairs, not only on the east coast but also nation-wide. She has participated in many radio and television interview shows, and promotes the annual "Fantasia Fair" held in Provincetown, Massachusetts, each fall. We're sure that each and every member of CHI will want to meet Ariadne, so make plans now to attend. To accommodate Ariadne's schedule (she will be in Chicago June 8th thru the 11th), our monthly meeting has been moved to the second Saturday of the month, June 9th. Regular and Associate members of the Chapter will find information on the meeting location enclosed with this newsletter. Since we anticipate a large attendance to meet Ariadne, please return your post card right away so we will know how many to expect; Associate members please drop a note to Donna Martin if you will attend.

CHI TREASURER'S REPORT . . . . . .

Balance on hand, April 30th:	$103.90
Meeting Fee:	+50.00
Chapter Dues:	+12.00
Associate Dues:	+ 4.00
Meeting Room (Refund Fee):	- 5.00
Refreshments:	-32.82
Postage:	-13.80
Supplies (Envelopes):	- 1.00
Balance on hand, May 28th:	$117.28

HELPFUL HINTS . . . . . .

Simple Ways to Remove Cosmetic Stains From Your Washable Clothes

Removing cosmetic stains from washable clothing can be a simple task if you follow a few commonsense rules, says the Soap and Detergent Assn. The association offered these tips:

- Non-greasy cosmetic stains (powdered makeup, eye shadow, blusher): Dampen the stained area, rub with bar soap or liquid detergent, rinse and launder.
- Oily cosmetic stains (lipstick, rouge, liquid makeup, mascara): Treat stained area with a prewash soil and stain remover, rinse and launder.

Or, place stain facedown on a paper towel and sponge back of stain with a dry cleaning solvent.

Move fabric to a clean paper towel and repeat to take out more of the color. When stain is removed, dampen fabric with water, rub with bar soap or detergent, rinse and launder.

- Give all stains prompt attention since they respond to treatment more readily when they're fresh.

OUR SLIDE SHOW . . . . . .

Over a year ago a suggestion was made that everyone begin taking some color slides, to form the basis for a slide/tape show which would serve to introduce CHI Chapter to others. Many of our members have now indicated that they have a selection ready for viewing, and Kay has volunteered the use of her projector, so bring your slides to the next meeting and we'll all have an opportunity to see what we have. If there is enough quantity and quality of slides, we'll begin editing them as a basis for the preparation of a draft script. Please mark each slide with your Tri-Sigma membership number, so we can keep track of who they belong to.

Hope to see you on the 9th!

Donna