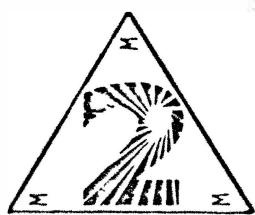


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## SPECIAL GUESTS AT SEPTEMBER MEETING . . . . .

For our meeting last month we had as special guests Carol Beecroft, Co-Director of Tri-Sigma Sorority, and her wife Norma. Carol was really on a "trip," going from Los Angeles to New York City, then to Washington, D.C. to meet with the new Chapter which is being formed there, on to Chicago to meet with CHI Chapter, then to Philadelphia, back to New York, and finally return home to Los Angeles (all in one weeks time!). We were very glad that Carol and Norma made this special trip, to give us an opportunity to meet them. Carol discussed the past, present, and future of Tri-Sigma, and gave us a very effective challenge to "do something," both for ourselves and the national organization. CHI Chapter will be discussing this challenge in the months to come, to determine how we can best be of service.

A large group was on hand to meet Carol and Norma, including some of our Regional members who made a special trip to be with us that night: Jeanette IL-3-Z, Mitzi IL-8-C and GG Phyllis, Donna IL-11-S, Betty Ann IL-17-A, Billie IL-18-H, Elaine IL-22-A, Deanna IL-35-G and GG Marilyn, Cheryl IL-40-K and GG Meg, Kay IL-44-N, Vikki IL-48-M and GG LaVonne, Lois WI-13-V, and Sharon MI-4-J. A number of others intended on coming, and we're sure that only family problems or sickness prevented them.

Many thanks to Cheryl and Meg for opening their home to us for this special meeting, and providing a fabulous buffet for our refreshment. We appreciate the work they put into making it a most enjoyable evening for all.

## NU PI (NIAGARA FRONTIER) CHAPTER . . . . .

Just a few lines to let you know that Nu Pi Chapter still is in existence. I am sorry to report that the August 10th meeting, that we had planned for the girls too far west of Buffalo to attend our meetings, did not take place. The response to our letters was very disappointing. Only one girl did respond, and she could not make it on August 10th. So, we have decided to have that meeting at some future date, when conditions are more advantageous.

Our next Nu Pi Chapter meeting is planned for either September 19th or 20th, depending on which night we can rent the cottage for the meeting. We should know for sure which date is available by the end of August. We are going to try to rent the cottage on a weekend night for October if possible, in the hope that we will get a better turnout for that meeting.

Franny NY-19-F  
President, Nu Pi

## OUR ADS (FINALE) . . . . .

Well, we finally came to the end of our rope on ads in the Chicago area. The Chicago Sun-Times wrote us that their "Advertising Acceptance Committee rules it inadvisable to publish advertising of this nature at this time." The Chicago Tribune just plain ignored us. But, we did manage one ad insertion, through the courtesy of Lois WI-13-V, in the Green Bay News-Chronicle. (See ad copy elsewhere in this newsletter). It seems as though the smaller cities can accept us better than larger areas. All we can do is hope for the future.

CHI TREASURER'S REPORT . . . . .

Balance on hand, August 31st:	\$120.16
Meeting Fee:	+ 52.00
Donations, Carol Beecroft:	+ 30.00
Donations, General:	+ 9.00
Withdrawal, Chapter Reserve Fund:	+100.00
Meeting Room (Refund Fee):	- 4.00
Refreshments:	- 28.00
Postage:	- 10.76
Supplies (Paper & Envelopes):	- 5.38
Honorarium, Carol Beecroft:	-130.00
Lodging and Meals, Carol Beecroft:	- <u>49.05</u>
 Balance on hand, September 30th:	 \$ 83.97

NEW CHAPTERS . . . . .

Our assistant Regional Coordinator, Nancy MI-22-H, has written personal letters to our members in Michigan, Ohio, and western Pennsylvania in an attempt to generate interest in starting Chapters. There are certainly enough girls in southern Michigan/northwestern Ohio and northeastern Ohio/western Pennsylvania to form two good Chapters, and they are needed! But, Nancy reports that there has been little response to her letters. You are out there, and Chapter activities in your areas will benefit both yourselves and potential Tri-Sigma members who will be looking for a "home." Drop a line to either Nancy or Donna, and let us know you will assist in getting a group started. We'll help you in any way possible, but we can't do it all ourselves. How about it?

CHI'S OCTOBER MEETING . . . . .

The next meeting of CHI Chapter will be held on the fifth (last) Saturday of the month, October 29th. Due to a number of conflicts, this was the only practical date. Kay has graciously volunteered to be our Hostess this month, so we will again be able to have our meeting "in the home." Details on the meeting place will be found elsewhere in this newsletter. To assist Kay in preparing refreshments, please return your postcard as soon as possible so she will know how many will attend.

Since our meeting this month will be quite late, and our December meeting must be held early in that month to avoid the Holidays, it is quite possible that we will have to omit our regular November meeting. This situation will be discussed at the Chapter meeting this month, and if it is decided not to hold a November meeting the next edition of the newsletter will be delayed and published the middle of November, with full details on the December meeting.

Hope to see you at the meeting this month!

*Donna*



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