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THE NEWSLETTER OF TRANS - WEST VIRGINIA

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HIGHLIGHTS

- > Christmas Party Scheduled
- > New Book For TWV Li-bra-ry
"To Be A Woman"
- > Library Directory To Be Published
- > Hair & Make-up Experts Attend Meeting
- > Kay Attends Halloween Party At Polo Club As A Pregnant Clown
- > Jennifer Fox To Write For The "Lace"
- > Election Of TWV Officers At December Meeting

YOU CAN BE BEAUTIFUL!

Thanks to our two guests, Patty and Rick, members of TWV were treated to professional make-up instruction and hair care. Patty demonstrated, on several members, the tricks of the trade in making make-up work for you. After Patty finished with several volunteers, there was a magical metamorphosis. Rick put us in pure glory by transforming dull mundane hair-do's into works of art. Beauty reigned supreme among the women of TWV. By the time Patty and Rick were finished, one could easily see that the most beautiful girls in the world are TWV members.

ALICE IN WONDERLAND

BY: ALICE [REDACTED]

> I am sorry to report that none of the local girls placed in the Miss U.S.A. Pageant. The pageant was held in Dallas, Texas, this year from Nov. 18th - Nov. 21st. The West Virginia contingent, nine strong, had a great time but no

cigar. Please support all of our local pageants.

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> When in Huntington, visit the Culosity Cafe at 3rd Ave and 16th. The food is fabulous and inexpensive. You will find the entertainment unique. Local performers from poets, bluegrass musicians to impressionists are part of the cafe's entertainment menu. Going En Femme is A.O.K.

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> The Task Force is sponsoring a Christmas Dinner on Thursday, December 3, 1992, at 7:00 P.M. Call Dave or Wes at 525-7873 for the location. A gift for Toys For Tots or PWA would be appreciated.

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> The following appeared in a local gay publication. Maybe Doris wrote it?

Dear Miss Greenup Dam:

I don't know why I am writing to you because I am a straight woman married to a wonderful man. My husband works in construction, but he likes to dress in woman's clothes when he gets home. Lately, he is always going to gay bars in drag, and sometimes he takes me along. My friends tell me he must be gay, but he says he likes woman, not men, and he just likes to wear woman's clothes. What do you think?

**Confused**

Dear Confused,

Don't be. Your husband is not unusual. Like many other crossdressers, he is actually a lesbian trapped in a man's body. Enjoy!!

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Until next month, dress for fun and fulfillment!

JENNIFER IS BACK!

Great news! Jennifer Fox has agreed to write for Mountain Lace on an occasional basis. Jennifer's recent account of her experiences in a relationship with a male friend in "My Story" was well received. She told her story with truth and honesty that gave us all some insight into the feminine experience for a transgendered person. Jennifer will share some more about that experience and later will offer up some fictional writings. I know that many of us are looking forward to reading Jennifer's stories.



LEG LOGIC



There has been a recent revival of the satin and lace garter. Wear it just above or below the knee with an evening mini or slit skirt. You will love the effect it causes.

ROLL CALL!

Present for the November meeting were: Connie, Tabetha, Debbie, Kay, Jenny, Renee, Mary, Beverly, Susan, Alice, and Doris. We also had two guests in attendance - Patty and Rick. See you at the special Christmas meeting on December 19th at Alice's house.



*** CINEMA MAGIC ***

BY: JENNIFER [REDACTED]

It is true that one can find magic at the cinema. One of my fondest memories of dating David was our one and only trip to see a movie. It was David's idea and one that I felt very insecure about. As you may have deduced, I ended up being talked into going.

We decided that I would go to David's for dinner and dress at his place. It had become my practice to ask David for his suggestions on what I should wear. My suitcase contained most of the feminine finery that David felt would be appropriate. I did not bring everything he wanted -- just because.

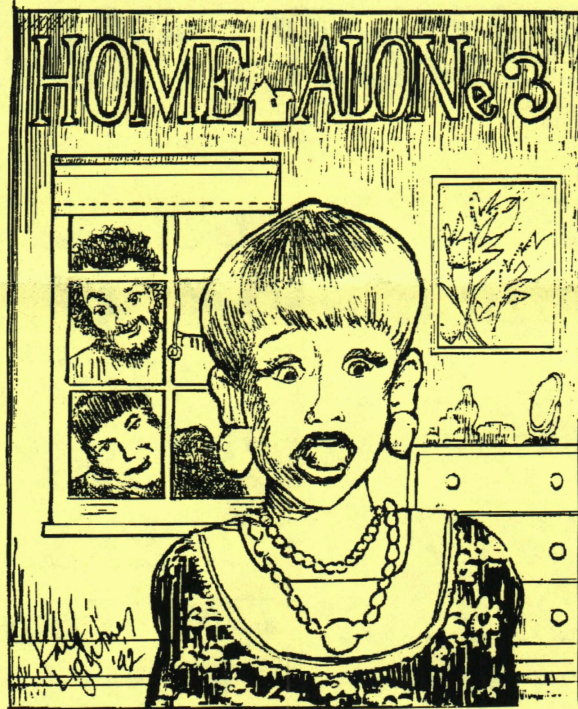
David fixed chicken and rice for dinner and it was pretty good. After we ate, I retired to the bathroom to get ready. I filled the tub with lots of very warm water and bubble bath. As I sank into the velvet smooth liquid, I was embraced with a sweet fragrance and soft pink bubbles. I proceeded to shave my legs and underarms then soaked for a while. I finished with a quick shower to scrub my skin to a satin like texture. After drying my hair, I left the powder room and retired to the bedroom. Out came the cosmetic mirror, make-up and perfume. Then I went to the closet to get the outfit I was to wear and my suitcase with its treasure trove of special lingerie. David poked his head in the room and said he was going to take a shower. There I was in robe and panties and a wink from David's eye. I said O.K. and David passed from view.

I now turned to the task of preparing for this special evening. As I mentioned earlier, I felt very insecure about going to the movies, because of being out in public. But David assured me that we would go to the last showing when few people would be there and he would take care of everything. I told him that I might need to use the restroom, then what would I do? David suggested using the ladies room and not to worry about it. I decided that I would make every effort to go to the bathroom as often as I could before we left for the movie.

TO BE CONTINUED...

THE PASSING SCENE

BY: KAY [REDACTED]



Coming Soon!

Lace Island Dreams

Lace Island is a very special place where one's dreams come true. A place where you can be who you want to be. Look for the first installment of Lace Island Dreams this January in Mountain Lace.



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DECEMBER MEETING

**WILL BE HELD ON SATURDAY
DECEMBER 19TH AT ALICE
JACKSON'S HOME. THE REGULAR
BUSINESS MEETING PLUS
ELECTION OF OFFICERS WILL BE
FROM 2:00 P.M. UNTIL 3:00 P.M.
A CHRISTMAS PARTY WILL
FOLLOW THE MEETING.**



**OUR CHRISTMAS PARTY
WILL FEATURE:**

**GOOD FRIENDS, GOOD FOOD, GOOD
FUN, PRESENTS, PLUS PROFESSIONAL
HAIR CARE, MAKE-UP APPLICATION
AND MAKE-OVERS.**