

LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS, FEBRUARY 11, 2024

What a beautiful sunny week we have enjoyed, yes, that wind was cold to go out for long periods of time. But Thursday through Saturday have been my type of weather, I took my round pointed shovel and broke up the ice on the sidewalk. All melted away. There were a couple of places that were buried in soft dirt..which is now mud, but suppose to freeze up again. Penny and I did our shopping today 2/10 and upon arriving back home, Penny was bringing in the last bag and it thundered, That is a sign of colder weather. I think the sugar makers are making syrup. Right?

2/11. Sunday, been to Church. John Gorton prepared the Service and his Sermon was entitled "Transfiguration." This was Transfiguration Sunday,the last Sunday before Lent, making Christ's transfiguration on the mountain with Elijah and Moses. Yes, the first Sunday of Lent begin February 18. Our Annual Meeting was held right after the Church Service, to go over our 2023 Reports that have been handed in from the Trustee's, Audit, United Women in Faith, Minutes of Administrative Meetings with our District Superintendent, Membership, etc. Our front covers were copied from a painting Veronica de Saint Phalle had done for her Mother and a big Thank You to Linda Carpenter for doing the front and back covers for us. Merle V.G does all the copies of each report and once they are completed his wife Linda and Lois Lumbra help put them together. All done foe another year.

Tonight the BIG SUPER BOWL GAME. We watched Elle P. St. Pierre run another race this afternoon, beating her all record time, in the mile race at The Armory, in N.Y. Penny gets so excited and jumps out of her chair cheering Elle on, very exciting. Congratulations Elle, We are happy for you and love you.

Maggie Elkins has enjoyed her Birthday this week not only on its special day 2/8 in which she and son Clay went to the Lucky Buffet in St.Albans to eat, then Jon and Barbara Walker took her to Newport to eat at the Eastside Restaurant. Maggie's sister's Joanne Kane and Susie Erwin's got together for a visit and enjoyed pizza and other snacks. While talking with Maggie on her B/day she can see up the road in front of her house and three deer crossed the road headed to the field across the road.

On 2/6..I gifted my Wild Animal Quilt to Joe Vallender, I made this quilt by hand in 1988 and had the help of a very dear Friend Connie Cabana Emch, she did the tying for me. I recently was invited to come to the Montgomery Quilting Circle, and I took my quilt that had been put away upstairs for years. Bringing it down to take to the meeting for ShowNTell. A little message came to me on my way to the meeting with Sue Peters. I said to Sue, I know someone I can give this quilt to, I then told her about Joe coming by several times to help out, he has a cabin and wild animals around, this would be a nice gift for him from me and my daughters, to say Thank You! He loves it and was perfect for him and his cabin. Joe's son and family live across the street from me and Penny.

Happy Birthday to: Railynn Marie Wells, Elle P. Pierre 2/20 (Penny and I watched Elle in the race last week, Elle came in second) Barbara Burns 2/22, Morgan Daybell, Gracie Lanphear 2/24.

**Who always has a date on Valentine's Day? The Calendar. ** What flower gives the most kisses on Valentine's Day? TULIPS. ** What did one light bulb say to the other on Valentine's Day? I Love You Watts and Watts. **. This is all folks for this week, enjoy and HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY..M.L.T.A.