LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS, JUNE 13, 2021

6/8,,The Montgomery 500 Card Club met at the home of Carmen Scott, they are meeting at a new time to enjoy dessert before playing. Carmen had made rhubarb squares and she had an ice cream cake shaped like a watermelon, plenty of lemonade, iced tea and snacks for the afternoon. The play went to only 7 rounds as it was getting a little late and a few had to leave. It was a wonderful afternoon to play and chat. The subs for the afternoon were Sue Wilson in the absence of Jeannette Sylvester, and Rita St.Onge was playing for Lois Lumbra and she also had high score, second high went to Marge Cummings, low score was Carmen, and most horses went to Therese Begnoche. The July hostess will be Sue Cherrier.

6/11.. Ellen Libby came by this week and invited Sonny and I to come to the Kindergarten Graduation at the School as Ada will go into first grade this Fall. We went up to see their little entertainment for parents and friends.. It was so cute and well done. Their teacher Mrs. Jessica Tandy wrote down all the names of the children that received a pin and award..for being polite, friendly, considerate etc.. Ada Libby-Elsa Award; Arlo Jackson-Genie Award; Jude Dennis-Baymax Award; Kylan Gendron-Remy Award; Natalee McGinley-Jessie the Cowgirl Award; Tommy Townley- Sarge Award; Ellery O'Shea –Piglet Award. Principal Sandra Alexander took the microphone and announced that Mrs. Tandy would be leaving her position here at the School and thanked her for her years of service here in Montgomery.

This is beginning to feel like an Old Home Week, had a curbside visit with Jim Mayhew and his Mom Anita. We had just returned home from the Center and Jim stopped by to say Hello and we had a nice chat and remembered a few good times of long ago. I worked at the Village Store for Gordon and Anita While they owned the store. Today, Saturday when I came home from watering the flowers, Sonny was talking with someone and she said to me as I got closer do you remember me? Sorry to say, I did not. She was daughter to David Dennis and Yes, I did remember then. She and several members of her family were here from N.H. to attend a wedding . The wedding was held at Phineas Swann B&B in the Center. I was hoping to get more details to share but nothing has come to me as of this hour.

From the Wildside... Joe Vallender was bringing his grandson Hudson home Friday afternoon and Again I was on my way down to water flowers and he had just witnessed a big bear in a field coming into town and he wanted Hudson to see it and others were stopping that had spotted it also. There have been many sightings!

Happy Birthday to: Lindsay Snider, Brenda Cardinal, Linda Green, Wyatt Stanley 6/20; Linda Carpenter, Scott Joyal, Michael Domina 6/21; Jessica, Lila Elkins, Billy Baker sr.6/23; Sonny Lumbra, Judy Sorrell, Lisa Greco, Henrik Bennett 6/24; Ruth Smith, Natalie Royer, Abigail Paradis, Dylan Baker 6/25; Joshua Potvin 6/26.

Anniversary Wishes to: Robert and Roxanne Tanner 6/20; Morgan and Beth Crane-Daybell, Tim and Sam Murphy 6/21; Frank and Karen Lumbra 6/24; Randy and Stacey St.Onge, Bobby and Patti Anderson, Eric and Bethany Remmers, Mike and Linda Carpenter 6/25.

Have you ever been surprised with noticing something new on your daily routine. Well this actually happened here in town a week or so ago. My neighbor had asked me for things for a scarecrow for her garden, I did not have what she actually wanted but looking through my Fall things I found a cute clown one piece suit, a straw hat and a stick that we had used for a scarecrow. This was given to my neighbor and she and her son stuffed it, and put a head on it and the straw hat making a very adorable little creature. A lady that walks daily for exercise, happen to notice something different and was shocked at first, thought it was a real person, leaning up against the fence, or perhaps it was holding on, anyhow to her it looked like someone needing help. She even thought she should call 911. That was so funny when she said call 911. It sure is a gorgeous brightly colorful scarecrow. **Husband says I've always wanted to drown my troubles, just can't get her to go swimming. Hope you all have a wonderful week ahead.. M.L.T.A.