

**LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS, JANUARY 19, 2020**

1/19..What a snow storm that came in over night and gave us at least 10 inches of new snow, more on the higher elevations. So happy for the ski areas to get this new snow just in time for the holiday weekend. That made for a lot of shoveling again. I wasn't sure if we would have Church Service again as our Pastor has a long drive coming up from Milton..But she made it ok. She and her husband saw a beautiful deer on their way and admired its beauty. Yesterday, Sonny and I went on the Perley Road to visit our Sister-in-law and family on Butternut Hollow Road and there are many big open fields and I mentioned to Sonny, there are no animal tracks in the fields. We drove just a little further and there were two deer in the field and they took off running. When we go out that way we usually always see deer. I have lots of birds coming to the feeders again. For awhile I was wondering , Where are all the birds? I had lots this past week. Maybe with all the apples still hanging on in the trees they can still find food on them. You think?

1/14..The 500 Card Club met at the Dairy Center Restaurant at 11 a.m. to have an early luncheon and then play cards. Lorraine Gillis was our hostess. We had three subs, Rita St.Onge, Roberta Morin and Anita Woodward, playing for Carmen Scott, Debi Chauvin and Sue Peters. The Restaurant was beautifully decorated with hearts and flowers. It was very busy as Chicken-n-Biscuits is very popular and therefore we will have to pick another day if we want to go there. We started playing cards about noon time, so we could get our 8 rounds in and still have some day light time. We were therefore completed about three o'clock, and the high score for the afternoon went to LOIS LUMBRA 3000, I was shocked but it is nice to win now and then; second high was Lorraine Gillis 2490; and low score was Connie McFarland with 260; and most horses was Therese Begnoche with 7. Therese B. will host the February play at her home.

Therese Begnoche left on January 6 to visit her sister and family in Florida and returned on the 13<sup>th</sup>. She had a lovely time.

1/17.. Jim and Ruth Smith came from their home in Barton to take her mother Gila Domina out for her Birthday dinner, they went to Bernie's Restaurant in the Center. Gila turned 89 and one would never believe her stamina, she is out shoveling snow and sometimes need her neighbors help and I do like to help out. She is a wonderful neighbor!!

Happy Birthday to: Tim Murphy, Clair Pratt 1/26; Wyatt Baker, Nord Hovermann 1/27; Todd Elkins, Lynn Locher, Whitney Nelson, Abbie Levine,Suzanne Bedard 1/28; Jim Cota, Sophia McAllister, Jim Townsend 1/31.

Anniversary Wishes to Rocky and Lori Elkins 1/30.

**\*\*When the fog lifts in Los Angeles..U.C.L.A.\*\*A dentist and a manicurist got married. They fight tooth and nail. \*\* This is all for this week..if you have news to share..Lois has a place for it in her Montgomery News Column. Enjoy every day that we are blessed to be here.. M.L.T.A.**