

## LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS, FEBRUARY 27, 2022

Does it seem possible, here I am writing the last News Column for February 2022, the month has flew by and not the most pleasant weather to endure. Today the weather predictions were for Snow starting around noon time and it has snowed here since breakfast time. Luckily nothing too serious, and John Gorton came from Sheldon to do our Church service for us. Most the regulars were there to welcome John and enjoy his wonderful Sunday Messages. Thank You John!!!

This is the day 2/27, that my sister-in-law Roberta Martin celebrates her 80<sup>th</sup> Birthday. She had received many beautiful cards and most have been a surprise; as her daughter's wanted to surprise her. So I could not put that in the paper and seeing Roberta does not go on Facebook very often; which her daughter's and cousin's all do, they got the word out early.

I received an email from my dear friend Kate O'Neill and she has been going from one daughter's home to another in the past month or so and is now back home in Montgomery Center. Before coming home she and her daughter 's Eileen and Amy went to the Governor's House in Hyde Park, for an afternoon High Tea, accompanied with small sandwiches, cookies and other desserts. They had an amazing good time with lots of Tea, laughter and so much fun just being together, mother and daughter's.

We have enjoyed visits from our daughter's this week, Veronica came on Wednesday to meet up with friends Barbara Burns and Nancy Martinson, they were going to Bernie's Restaurant for lunch to celebrate Barbara's Birthday. When Veronica called Nancy to see what time they were meeting there, that's when the plans changed, AS Bernie's is closed on Wednesday. Nancy backed out, and Veronica and Barbara were calling around to find a place to go and enjoy a luncheon. The place over Jay opened at 4 p.m. so they ended up going to Enosburg and had a wonderful luncheon. The girls have all been friends for years and they celebrate each other's Birthday's by going out. Penny came in Thursday bringing her own sandwich and sat down and enjoyed eating while we ate our dinner and stayed for awhile and visited in the afternoon. Our Son Frank called, as Penny was leaving and we had a wonderful afternoon chat with him on the phone, always nice keeping in touch.

Friday was the day of our big snow storm, it sure was wild and several white outs during the day even here in the Village. We must have gotten 8 inches of the fluffy stuff, very easy to handle. But today Saturday going to the Center, noticed how icy the road were just going that short distance. The News of the 30 vehicles crashing on interstate 89 was a shocker to me, as that rarely happens here in Vermont. But knowing how furious the storm was here at times, and driving in that blinding snow storm did not take long for a pile up of vehicles. That kind of an accident is very rare here in Vermont, have often read of this happening on the big highways elsewhere.

Happy Birthday to: Hudson Baker 3/6; C.J. Caforia, Isaiah Snider, 3/8; Kevin Scheffler 3/11; Petra Vogel 3/12.

\*\* An elderly man lying on his death bed, asks for his family to come as he wants to reveal a secret to them. He was advised by an friend years ago to get married, as when he gets old and is lying on his death bed he would have someone bring him a glass of water. He said he took his advice and gave up his pretty girls for a wife, his booze for baby food, sold his Ferrari and invested in a college fund. And now here we are and you know WHAT? What one asks? He said, I'm not even thirsty!!\*\* The seven ages of humans are spills,drills thrills,bills, ills, pills, and wills.\* \* The snow stopped for 2 minutes and the sun peeked out and now gone back to snowing hard and with the wind blowing. This is all folks and enjoy the last part of the week.. Share your News with me, Please. Signing off and sending ...M.L.T.A.

