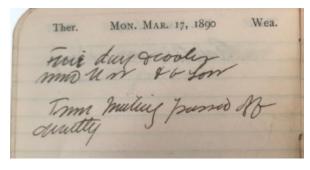
# AHS Class of 63 March 2018 Newsletter

#### Roll Me Over in the Clover Edition

The Northern Maroon Outpost. March 17, still alive after another ripsnortin Nor'easter. We have a little history project in hand, literally...deciphering an 1890 daily journal written by a local judge who was also on the local baseball team... and ran a lobster boat down the Sheepscot. He must've been a real piece of work. For sure, his cursive hides words in loops and squiggles better than an enigma machine...even tho we *know* he's writing about the weather, divining *the actual words* requires devout prayer. But we bring up this little fun history thing because here it is Irish day [we are part irish, after all, which splains all of the attacks of whimsy] and it's the middle of the dark [when wee folk are all over the place] and we have to write something and all we've got going is this journal. Inspiration! Bother! So off we went adventuring through the crinkly pages with our mental witching rod to work out the weather on March 17, 1890 in Wiscasset. "Fine day looploopsquiggle" is as far as we get.

Rather well short of inspiring. Here. You try.



Sigh. We kept thumbing through it thinking this judge would have snorted at our sorta misty feelings on touching history... blahblahblah ...and right about then...Lo & Begorrah...pressed flat as flitters between back pages ...two ancient greenygrey four leaf clovers.

Really...you can't make this stuff up.

Coincidence? Nah. Fairies bin here. Dontchaluvvit.



# Maroon American Gothic...

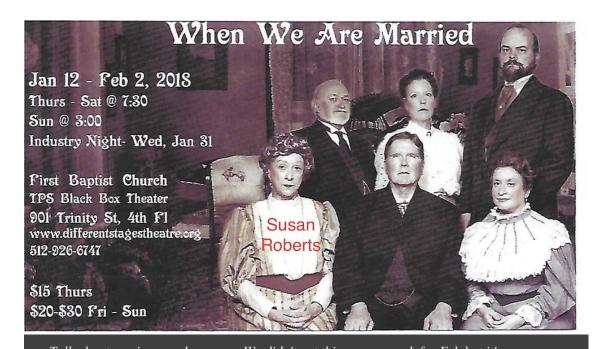
Beautiful. This is the first of many golden wedding anniversary pictures we hope to receive. Actually it was a whole movie, but we were able to get this wonderful clip of **Jim & PKM** [aka Preshuss Kelly Marguerite Jarrell Luedeke...long story] about to lift off on their golden anniversary tour — 50 years ago Feb 21st when they up and got married "Up, Up and Away" was the hit song of the day. This month their theme song came true — in San Miguel, where they have just finished building their second home.

FABULOUS CONGRATS
JIM & MARGUERITE

SO. How about it, the rest of you? Some of us have lived 50 years with the same person, a remarkable milestone—and then some of us have married 3 times and decided to carry on by our own wonderful selves, which can also be rather remarkable. But, there some golden oldies out there we'd like to hear from. Oh come on. It only happens once like that. Send in a wedding day pic-and a 50th anniversary pic ...tempus fugits you dinos! And then the Irish would say,

#### céad míle fáilte

[a hundred thousand welcomes]



Talk about maximum value segue. We didn't get this soon enough for Feb but it's even more perfect here — Susan Roberts, a real live star on and off the Austin stage, in her recent debut as Clara Soppitt. British victorian humor at it's best in the Texas hillcountry. The plot: The Helliwells, the Parkers and the Soppitts are highly respected pillars of their community .... Married on the same day in the same chapel, they gather to celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary. But they discover the vicar wasn't licensed and so they're not actually ... oh deah. Several '63ers went to see it and were heard to hoot and clap wildly. Congrats Susan on accomplishing so much loveliness in real life as well as the fun you bring to life onstage in Austin.

#### SO WHAT'S YOUR STORY OUT THERE?

\*we are relentless, so send us something and we shall sweetly hushup\*

From the MAROON TWITTERFEEL



Austin High Baseball Retweeted AustinHS Boys Soccer

Congratulations on a district championship, boys! #gomaroons

Austin High Baseball added,



AustinHS Boys Soccer @Boys\_AHS\_Soccer

It took every one of those 28 pts to clinch the district championship but we've done it!!! ———AUSTIN HIGH SCHOOL——...2:34 PM - 10 Mar 2018

#### \*GASP\* 28 POINTS?!?!?!

\*lordamercy...surely their little shoes were run slick out of tread\*

So off we went to see what THAT was about. Turns out, in the final district rankings, Maroons edged the Knights 28-27 for the top spot.

Whew. Not a soccer game score but a district point total.

And a continuing note on those kidfilmsters reported on last month: 2 of the 6 films submitted by AHS for UIL contest have moved up to semifinal competition. AWESOME. Go read the article HERE.



And FINALLY, Claudia's little birthday list of leaping Maroon leprechauns:

### MARCH BIRTHDAYS

01 Bonnie (Montgomery) Carol (46)

02 Sidney Brient Lock (46)

03 Mike Bown (45)

03 Carlton Edwards (45)

06 Menota Fields Edwards (45)

07 Cathy Foust Seddon

07 Harper Clark (45)

08 Allan Stark (45)

09 Malcolm Flournoy (45)

10 Judy Cleveland Huppert (45)

12 Scarlett O'Dell Reimer (45)

13 Phyllis Gerloff Guthrie (45)

24 Joe Alexander III (45)

29 Brenda Rogers Warner (45)

21 Sus Dadoon Vosson (45)

You probably know some of these classmates have already "gone before," as the Irish would say. We keep all names on the birthday list, without denotation of passing, because this is a **birth**day list. And it's a way of keeping us all together, no matter what.

And, as usual, if you went looking and didn't find your birthday anywhere, we just don't make those things up ...you gotta send it in. Okay? And if you already sent it in once, but we forgot, then send it in again! We'll get it right one of these years.



MAROONS GO BRAGH, Y'ALL.



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