LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS, DECEMBER 12, 2021

I am late getting started today, just the way it went for me. But here I am ready to type away for a few minutes. Had a restless night with that wind howling around here but have to be thankful, it was nothing compared to what happened in the States just the West of us. It is so horrific and so fast to destroy every thing in its path. I cringe just seeing the pictures. But the Pastor they talked with had so much faith and expressed himself so well. 12/12 Our Church Service was led by John Gorton from Sheldon, we are very pleased with his messages. Thank You John!!! Please note that there will be no Christmas Eve Service at the United Methodist Church here in Montgomery.

12/4.. Patricia Backman finally came down from Montreal after being unable to come down because of Covid. She has missed coming down to the Backman Home here in the Village across the Fuller Bridge. She has sold the home and a new family will be moving in soon. Patricia said she will stop in now and then as she loves Burlington to go shopping and will drop in to say Hello to us. Sonny has been a handiman for the family for many years as others in the town. Now I think they are the last on the list that we check up on for in their absence. Now I guess he can fully retire.

12/10. Maggie Elkins accompanied her sister Susie and husband Dick Ewins to Burlington where they went out for lunch before going to visit their Sister Grace and Bill Jones in Essex. They enjoyed some early Christmas cheer before returning home.

12/11. The 7th Craft Show held at the Elementary School Gym had a wonderful turn out of people attending this event with several vendors coming to sell their things. The day was perfect for people that wanted to get out and do something as the morning started off with rain and wind. All our snow and ice has vanished.

This coming Saturday, December 18 the Horse drawn wagon will be coming at The Historical Society property at 11 a.m. – 2 p.m. Free rides. The building will be open for warming up and you must wear a mask. There will be cookies and candy canes given outside to the children. DRESS WARMLY!!!

Happy Birthday to; Louise Celentano, Denise Baker, David Burns, Phillippa Coville—She turns 90 and she would love a card from her friends and neighbors .. P.O. Box 118..Montg. Center 05471 on 12/19; Kim Smith 12/20; Mary Richardson, Everett Libby 12/21; Nathaniel Robtoy, Pat Boucher 12/22; Jennifer Kennison 12/23; Noella McGroarty 12/24. Jesus Our Lord and Savior 12/25.

Anniversary wishes to Klaus and Ann Voos 12/19; Charlie and Patricia Carpenter 12/20.

**1. After returning from a trip from the Sunshine State, a man tell his friend all the things he's seen. Did you know in Florida they use alligators to make handbags? His friend says in amazement, WOW, its crazy what they can make animals do these days. 2. What's the worse part about sitting in traffic? Getting run over. ** Hope everyone has a nice week and God Bless us all.. M.L.T.A.