LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS, JUNE 2, 2019

Here we are in a new month and the same old weather pattern..quoted from the weather forecaster on one of the channels. We have had only one day of not using our furnace and that was May 20, I marked it on my calendar, since last Fall. This afternoon the rain seems to have stopped and the sun is peeking out.

5/26.. A 90th Birthday Party for Theresa Perry was held at the home of their Nephew and his Wife in Woodbury, Connecticut. All four of her children attended with their spouses, eight grandchildren, and 10 great grandchildren were all present. She was totally surprised and enjoyed seeing the happiness of everyone coming together from Vermont, New York and Connecticut.

5/30..The Quilting Circle "Nimble Thimble" met at the home of Sue Peters at noon; each bringing their own lunch followed by a short meeting to discuss and prepare for their new project of making "The Story Teller Quilt" there are 12 blocks to be completed and they started cutting and putting together blocks, and each one took home a block to put together and once all blocks are completed, they will have a beautiful quilt. Amazing work!!! To date they have 8 sunshine quilts and 11 lap quilts completed. They have a big quilt that has been completed and will be used for a fund raiser for St.Isidore's Parish, and they will soon be selling tickets.

6/1...I attended the "Northern Bronze Handbell Ensemble" and was well entertained by their talents. Some of the players have several bells in front of them to pick up during one song. After the event was done we could ask questions; I was wondering if she could tell if someone picked up the wrong bell during their playing, Music Director Jerilyn Bergdahl said Yes, it does happen but rarely. Many of the players have been with this group for several years. Thanks to the Historical Society Committee for having this group come to our town.

I have a special request from the Montgomery Elementary School. Mr. Moran is retiring this year, his request in lieu of a gift is to donate money for a future 8th grade math award. An 8th grader at the end of each school year would receive a framed Math Award Certificate with a graphing calculator for his/her gift. Wonderful idea! You can send a check to Stacey Doe, Administrative Assistant, 249 School Street, Montgomery Center, Vt.05471 or a donation can be taken to the School Office. Thank You with our Sincere Appreciation!

Happy Birthday to: Grady Kennison, Tim Pratt, TorahYah Cluba 6/9; Hayden Lande 6/10; Rocky Elkins, Philip Heimbecker, Joanne Giroir, Ellis McAllister 6/11; Carmen Scott, Susan Paradis, Caleb Maynard 6/12; Lisa Patterson 6/13; Ivy Betts 6/14.

You know you are getting old WHEN.. You stick your teeth into a delicious Juicy steak ..and they stay there. And you find out that your back goes out more than you do. Enjoy and have a nice week. M.L.T.A.