

LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS, SEPTEMBER 10th, 2023

9/10..It is Sunday and I missed Church today, I have a bad cold. a good day to stay inside with all the rain that keeps coming in. John Gorton came with a prepared bulletin and Sermon. God Bless him as he has blessed us for many of Sunday's. Thank You John! Also Merle Van Gieson and our Organist Patrick Evans a very special THANKS for your Talents.

9/4..Someone had hit the big rock i had near the entrance of our driveway, took it out of the dirt and ran on the hosta plants. I heard Randy St. Onge over at his property past the post office, a big tree had fallen down and he and son Alex were cleaning it up. I asked if they could come and take the rock away for me and it was done. All Gone!!! Now will have more wok done and level it off.

Mayhew Reunion; The 50th Mayhew Reunion was held Sunday September 3, with 107 in attendance, all at St.Isidore's Parish Hall, in Montgomery Center, With Aaron Cummings officiating as president. A Pot-Luck meal followed by a business meeting. There elections of officers took place, Linda Dean from Intervale, N.H., was voted in as president, and her daughter Abbey was voted in as vice-president, for the next two years. Then there was a raffle drawing for two beautiful handmade quilts, made by Debbie Poulin from No. Hyde Park, VT. There was also a children's raffle with donations from all that attended. Then onto a fun afternoon at the Dairy Center in Enosburg Falls where many had camped out in the big field behind the buildings. A beautiful day, weather-wise to play games of corn-hole, volley ball, and a fire pit going on in the dark, to make S'more's for the kids. Then we went to the bowling alley to enjoy a pizza party with live music by "Deuces Wild,"Family members came from Florida, Virginia, and Oklahoma. It was a wonderful 3 day celebration of the amazing Mayhew Family.

On Sunday 9/3, the Family of Gerald and Ruth Jewett held their Annual Reunion at the Richford Playground with 40 plus members coming and bring pot-luck for the meal. The eldest fellow being Wayne Jewett, and Sis Reed being the eldest lady. The youngest were Grand children of Robert and Donna Jewett, Chloe Johnson and Willy Smith. Robert and Donna were blessed by having the most family members present (12). Lenny Jewett traveled the furthest to attend. During their gathering they acknowledged in memory the loss of Family members in the last year, and closed with the Lord's Prayer. It was a wonderful gathering and look forward to our 2024 gathering.

9/9..The winners of the QUILT drawings was held Saturday night at RICHFORD KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS AFTER BINGO WAS DONE. FREDERIC SNIDER pulled the winning tickets, Quilt was won by Emily Fournier, \$100..Carmen Scott, \$50. Sharon Perry. \$50. Diane Gadue, Tote Bag. Connie McFarland. MANY THANKS TO ALL THAT PURCHASED TICKETS AND CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE WINNERS.

Reminder of the VARIETY SHOW THIS COMING FRIDAY & SATURDAY NIGHT AT THE TOWN HALL IN MONTGOMERY CENTER, DOORS OPEN AT 6 P.M.

Happy Birthday to: Roberta Baker, Kristen Bowen, 9/17, Skylar Paradee 9/18; Zina Houle 9/19; Caitlin Smith, 9/20; Debby Malloy, Joanne Lanphear, Landen Ryea, Misty McCartney 9/21; Joy BOsley, Ankara Bosley 9/23.

Anniversary Wishes to: Thomas & Whitney Nelson.

**A husband calls for his wife on his death bed. He tells her after he passes away, he doesn't want her to be alone. Six months after I pass I want you to marry Don. Don, his wife asks, I thought you hated Don? I do the man answered. THIS IS ALL FOLKS, HAVE A NICE WEEK. M.L.T.A.