

LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS, OCTOBER 3, 2021

GOOD BYE TO SEPTEMBER AND WELCOME OCTOBER; WE ARE NOW IN THE BURR MONTHS WHEN ALL KINDS OF WEATHER CAN OCCUR. SINCE THE FIRST OF SEPTEMBER WE HAVE FELT THE CHILL IN THE AIR; MANY PEOPLE WERE ENJOYING THE TEN BEST DAYS OF SUMMER AT THE CHAMPLAIN VALLEY FAIR. IT'S THE TIME OF YEAR WHEN THE MAPLE LEAVES GET THEIR COLORS OF YELLOW AND REDS; THE BIG HARVEST MOON HAS RAISED IT'S GORGEOUS BALD HEAD. THIS IS THE MONTH FOR HALLOWEEN AND TRICK OR TREATING FOR THE CHILDREN TO HAVE FUN; JUST HOPE COVID DIES OUT AND HAS NO PLACE TO RUN. THIS PAST WEEK WE HAVE SEEN SO MANY PEOPLE TAKING PICTURES OF OUR COVER BRIDGE HERE IN TOWN; MANY ASK FOR DIRECTIONS TO WHERE OTHER'S CAN BE FOUND. This is a short little memory from a grown up that was once a child on the village park with older children, someone had brought in eggs to throw at vehicles along with tomatoes and cucumbers things that kids found in local gardens. The sheriff came into town and stopped his car came onto the park to investigate who had eggs, this child saw the sheriff coming toward him and dropped his eggs and stepped on them; when the sheriff got to him and asked do you have eggs young man, he was so scared he just said NO. That was so scary he said I never threw eggs ever again. I know we used to have lots of fun when we had a big witch that had blinking eyes, that was hanging on our porch with spooky music playing.

This is a short email from my friend Catherine O'Neill. She writes I am exhausted but happy. My sister Hanna was here from Ohio last week so we were road runners. She is gone now so the roads are now safe again. I haven't seen her in about eight years. My son Jimmy and wife Virginia were here from Ohio, and guess what..there was more road running going on. We went to Derby Line, and the views on the mountain ranges, was just so spectacular coming back, the trees are getting their beautiful colors.

Sincere Sympathy to the Family and Friends of Wayne Potvin, his brother Sherman was recently a visitor here in town, coming from Florida at that time to attend a wedding. So Sorry For Your Loss..God Bless You All!!

Happy Birthday to: Calvin Smith, Jon Ramey 10/10; Gary Martin, Tracey Brown 10/11, Maureen Patterson 10/12; Paul Fernald 10/14; Faith Reed 10/15.

Anniversary wishes to: Kevin and Karen Scheffler 10/14.

\*\*1. There are three faithful friends, an old wife, an old dog and your power chair. 2.Don't eat onions and bean at the same time..You'll get tear gas.\*\* This is all and hope you are enjoying the rain as it is much needed, as several springs have gone dry around Northern Vermont. M.L.T.A.