LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERYNEWS, MARCH 13, 2022

3/13..It is now Sunday afternoon, the sun is shining brightly out there, it is only about 25 degrees it has warmed up slowly today. What about our big snow storm folks, we must have gotten a foot and more up on the hills, Van Gieson's on West Hill had at least 20 inches. Friday night it was raining here at 9 p.m. and was snowing when I came downstairs Saturday morning and snowed all day and Saturday night at bedtime it was like a blizzard outside. This morning I shoveled out our sidewalk, driveway and a path to go in the Church, just to check things out down there. No Church service was held today as electricity was off this morning for hours. I had electricity and the St. Onge house had lights on, and most the Village was dark and gloomy, the only lights were from plow trucks. Did not hear what caused the outing..no wonder the trees were loaded with snow. John Gorton was coming here to do a Church Service but that all was changed and we met on Zoom with his Church Congregation.

Deepest Sympathy to the Family and Friends of Therese Demar, she was a very giving person and always so kind to others. She made some of the best Baked Beans and always was asked to make some for special occasions. God Bless!!

2/24-3/7.. Therese Begnoche has returned home after being away for almost 2 weeks, visiting family. She and niece Lise Gates went to Jupiter, Florida. Lise wanted to celebrate with her Mother Cecile Demers and Therese with her sister, as Cecile was turning 89 years of age on 2/27. Therese said she needs to keep busy and she found a few things that needed mending, ironing and she and Lise prepared several meals ahead that could be frozen for later use. From Florida Therese went to Hartsville, So. Carolina to spend some time with son Marcel and family. Lise continue her flight and came home. Therese jumped right in to help her son and family, as Spring comes earlier down that way and there was lots of yard work to do. She came home refreshed and it was short vacation, a wonderful change and always nice to be back home.

2/8.. The 500 Card Club met at St. Isidore's Parish hall, with our hostess Sue Peters. She had several delicious snacks to munch on during the afternoon, and some of the other ladies brought in a few snacks also. During our meeting, it was decided to start the meeting at 1 p.m. now we have daylight longer. Anita Woodward said that she would become a regular as she has been a sub. There were 4 subs today, Anita, Rita St.Onge, Brent Godin and Lois Lumbra. High score went to Rita -4780, second high was Connie McFarland-3870, low was Sue Wilson-990, most horses Linda Van Gieson-5. It was a wonderful afternoon to be inside as the outside was cold with the north wind whipping around. BRRRR! Debbie Chauvin and me were at the head table for most the afternoon, 6 of the 8 rounds we played together...she is a great player. Sue Wilson will host the April meeting at her home.

Happy Birthday to: Anya Libby 3/20; Jim Poirier, Avery Stanley 3/31; Owen Joyal, Melinda Ryea 3/23; Allen Baker, Gordon Rainville 3/26.

One liners..1. What bow cannot be tied? A rainbow. 2. My Christmas fat has gone; now I have Spring-Rolls. This is all folks..enjoy the warmer days that are promised to us. M.L.T.A.