LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS 7/30/2023

Here we are the last weekend of July, been a hot, wet month. 7/30. Just got home a little while ago from Church. Sat out on the front porch enjoying the sunshine and the freshness of this cool air that came in overnight, removing all the humidity and rain. Merle Van Gieson planned the service for today and we had to make a few changes to get through it. Our organist called in sick and therefore Merle got our CD player to have our hymns played. He had his hands full that is for sure, going from the pulpit to the back of the church to change the CD. There were little minor problems but we all got it done. Merle's message entitled 'Preserve-Prayer-Judgement." Thanks Merle!!

Sincere Sympathy is extended to the Family and Friends of Sheila Jewett Dragoon. God Bless the Families and Friends of Sheila's.

What's going on around town? It has been a busy week with huge trucks and their equipment. The biggest equipment moved out of Town this week was from Contractor's St. Onge moving their gigantic crane, my daughter Veronica and her friend were here visiting when they went by, WOW, that was a huge piece of equipment. The other very interesting piece of equipment came into town Wednesday afternoon, Rosen Marine from Colchester was here to get the boat for owner Morgan Powell, the pickup truck had a long long hydraulic trailer, to come and tow the boat away. That was amazing to witness. it was done with the greatest lack of manpower, as the driver got under the boat that was up on blocks, and the hydraulic pulled it aboard, it was hitched down and away it went to its new location. The other heavy equipment have been pretty much the usual log trucks and log skidders, gravel trucks and farm equipment.

The Town Library held its Annual Silent Auction at Phineas Swann B&B on Friday night July 28. There were many people in attendance, some that have come year after year and many new comers this year. This has been a wonderful fun filled event for the past few years, many donations of useful items, and Gift Cards for dinners, sporty events, from local business's, etc. Thanks to all for their time of. Volunteering in putting this event together, it sure is a great fundraiser. It is very very nicely done. TO EVERYONE THAT DONATED, THAT COME TO BUY, THANK YOU!!!

BOOK SALE, Hosted by Friends of The Montgomery Town Library, this Friday Aug 4 & Saturday Aug. 5 held at the Grange/Town Hall from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. All proceeds to benefit the new Library expansion fund.

I AM mentioning this for my Friend who reads my news weekly; The Annual Multi-Families in Montgomery Center are scheduling their Lawn Sale for this

coming Saturday and Sunday from 10-4. This will be held on Main Street in front of LUTZ Garage. (August 5 & 6)

Happy Birthday to: Charlie Carpenter, Adeline Tryhorne, Sharon Youland 8/9; Marley Pratt, Liam Walker 8/11; Connie McFarland, Allen Sheltra 8/12; Kate O'Neill 8/13; Ellen's Wells 8/14.

Anniversary Wishes To: Quenten and Susan Jones 8/12.

***Now That I am older here's what I have discovered:1. I started out with nothing and I have most of it left. 2. These days, I spend a lot of time thinking about the hereafter.....I go somewhere to get something, and then get there and wonder WHAT am I here after. **. SO TRUE!! Well, to most of my readers of the Montgomery News. I am blessed by your thoughts, prayers and Love during my recent sickness, I am SLOWLY getting better, just hanging in there one day at a time. Thanks to ALL of You, it's greatly appreciated. my Love right back at YOU. LL