

LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS, AUGUST 24, 2025

I omitted some news last week, I forgot to mention Han Gruenig ..son of Cordelia Von Conta and her stepson Peter Von Conta were here doing some house cleaning at her home and they had things they brought up with them to have a huge two day Lawn Sale. Also Theresa Begnoche had her sons and their Families were here for two weeks, Armand and wife Mikal from, Bozeman, Mt. Son Marcel and wife April from South Carolina and their children. Daughter Susan and her daughter Abigail and her son William were visitors also.

Monday Aug. 18..Parma Jewett prepared a luncheon for the Community Senior Citizens,we all started with a salad, she had made three kinds of nice hot Quiche for us, broccoli, ham & cheese, and a seafood variety, Ambrosia for dessert. We are all aware these delicious meals will be coming to an end, as Parma said last Fall..she will be done this year.

Tuesday, I joined with Lois Babbitt to go to Hannafords shopping with her and then we enjoyed freshly baked Pizza at the "Pizza House" there in Enosburg. Lois will be returning to Enosburg Friday and asked me to accompany her..in the afternoon. I told her yes I would go with her. Don't we always need something in Enosburg? It's Friday, Lois returned some medicine at Walgreens & picked up new and from there we enjoyed a creemee, then to Ace Hardware. As we each needed something, then Lois waited for me while I ran into Hannafords for a couple items, then home we came.

Wednesday..another gorgeous day. No rain for us up in the northern part of Vermont, but the southern parts were blessed with some. My rain barrel is about empty. I have had help from neighbors to get water for the flowers around the Village...SOO they have a drink at the end of each day and still looking good. I go out on my porch just about every afternoon to do my game of Word Search in my magazine and enjoy the breeze and visit with neighbors as they stop by. Penny joined in with me as she was just getting home from School for the day. Joe Vallender was in town to pick up the mail for his son Marty & Alysa, as most of us know they took new jobs in Columbia, teaching and their son Hudson is in second grade and loves it there. Thanks Joe... That was a nice visit..getting an update on our neighbors. They plan to come this way during their Christmas Holiday.

Thursday, the 21st..the day our new refrigerator and stove will arrive between twelve and three. Again I was out on the porch when I see their truck go by, it was gone for a long time, finally came back through the Village. Then I thought it had been the wrong truck. About a half hour later two young men came to my sidewalk ..He asked "are you suppose to get a stove and refrigerator today?" I said YES. He said, we have been looking for you for hours. They were looking for a 60 Bridge St. They were now on the other side of Fuller Bridge Road..their truck was too high to come down through, SO using a dolly they brought both items to our house and set them up. They were finally thrilled to find us, had I been inside, the place of business was calling me on my phone but out side could not hear the phone, as they asked what is your correct address. We are in Montgomery but can't find you...They had gone down passed Beaver Meadows and took the dirt



road way up around and came down to Fuller Bridge. Someone must have finally told them where we lived. One of the boys, once here, knew Penny..as he had gone to Enosburg High..they were happy to see one another. The remainder of the afternoon became busy putting things in the new refrigerator, all the things we had on our table got taken care of..we look great again..only better as we have the new kitchen walls, floor and new porch and I have a closet off the kitchen, just got to wait to get the stove hitched up..maybe Monday for that. WELL, the refrigerator door opened opposite of what we were used too, we did not care for that, but knew it could be changed. I asked Frank Elkins to help with that change, it was going ok until we were at the bottom, and that became a nightmare, I felt so bad but Frank kept going, we could have lived with the left opening..had we known what a JOB it was going to be. BUT now it is done and we will ENJOY the change...THANKS TO FRANK.

It is Sunday the 24th and on my way to Church it was sprinkling, when John Gorton came in to Church he said it was raining in Enosburg but drove out of it as it was not raining in Montgomery..but it did rain, as when I came out of Church it was wet. We might get more [later.as](#) we need more. John prepared and Officiated the Service entitled his sermon "Can Not Be Shaken." Beautiful Hymns were chosen a new one was "Since Jesus Came Into My Heart." and our ending Hymn each week is "Near to the Heart of God." All Hymns are wonderful but new ones are nice, and our Organist Patrick plays them all so amazingly beautiful.

Upcoming Events: Rummage Sale at the Grange/Town Hall on September 13, 8 am - 4 pm.
Donations Welcome.

Time to get your act together..Variety Show being scheduled for October 10 & 11, by Montgomery Smiles Production Company. Presently I do not have a contact person.

Happy Birthday to: Marylin Abel 8/31; Derrick Butler 9/3; Allison Bowen, Coyt Zipan 9/4; Asher West 9/5.

Anniversary Wishes to:  Jesse & Karen Soule 9/1;  Marty & Alysa Vallender 9/3.



1. Johnny asked the teacher, how many seasons are there? Johnny answered promptly, two, baseball and football. 2. Some plants said the teacher, have a prefix dog, example..dogwood, dogviolet, dogrose. Now name another prefixed by dog. I can, the little red head in the back row spoke up and said Collie Flower. ** Well its back to School for many this week and some the first time, enjoy and have lots of fun. Love to All