

LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS, AUGUST 31, 2025

8/25. Monday, usually started off with our washing, and in the afternoon Blouins had scheduled to come and hitch up our new propane cook stove, a converter had to be applied for use. That was quite a job. All these new appliances have to have something done to them. The refrigerator had a left door opening and we were used to right side..it has been done to open on the right side. It's what one gets used to. Tuesday, Penny and I went to St. Albans, first of all we went to the DMV, I intended to get an ID update, the place was packed, so I walked out not before we said Hello to Robert and Diane Gendron..they are doing great. Penny had some shopping to do before going back to school. We went to Walmarts and did some shopping and came back home. Wednesday..Penny was up early and ready to get on the bus and get the kids to school. She leaves the house at 6:45. I was up early also and I decided to make me some hot oatmeal, and I did, came in the living room and sat in the recliner chair..not knowing it was now plugged in again, I must have sat on the remote as it took off, the back part went back so fast and my feet came up, I tried to get the damn thing down so I could get out, I tipped the chair forward and I came sliding out so fast, and I landed hard on my knees, OMGOODNESS did that ever hurt..I crawled to the Big Couch and pulled myself up..stood up and could not believe what I just went through. But that happened once before when the carpenters were working upstairs, I shouted HELP and one of them came down and helped me out of the chair..it's because I am so short.. Later after I got a hold of the situation, Sue Peter's called and wanted me to accompany her to Newport..to deliver a quilt to be quilted. ON our way..a mother bear and 3 cubs crossed the road in front of us, what an amazing, exciting sight for us. The cubs were so precious, running fast to keep up with Mommy..their little feet were like, they were prancing..that's the best I can explain it. That's the best wild life story..I have seen several wild geese and their little ones in the fields near Enosburg, and turkeys large and small.

Thursday, the last Thursday of the month is "The Quilting Circle" meets at the lovely home of Sue Peter's. There were 10 ladies that came, some had their lunch to sit around the table and eat and chat. Several bring something to share with one another, delicious zucchini bread by Theresa Begnoche, date-nut bread by Elizabeth Duffy, blackberry dumplings by Lois, candy bars, watermelon and grapes by others. When Sue Cherrier and Theresa Begnoche came to the meeting they had boxes and bags of donated material given to the Quilting Circle, NOW there were all kinds of material, large pieces, square pieces, diamond shapes, and guess what many small postage stamp sizes that do not need any more cuts..there were many piles of them ready for use. I was told the person had made doll size quilts with the small sizes that donated all the material. This kept the ladies busy searching the materials, what could they use and many took what they could use. Then it was ShowNtell..that was a wonderful showing of what all the ladies have been working on since the last meeting. After ShowNtell..there were four ladies that got busy sewing these beautiful pieces of material making a big square; Debbie Chauvin and I were doing the pressing. I do not know how many squares were needed to complete the Quilt, but we did lots, we were busy and we completed the afternoon a little after 3 p.m. (It was 5 O'clock somewhere). It's a wonderful group of ladies that take this job of Quilting seriously..No Kidding....Love You All..LL

IT'S Sunday..our last day of August 2025, it has been a busy month, a dry month. The last couple of days we had much needed rain showers that came mildly, not to pour down as the ground was getting dry and hard, this rain soaked in a bit. Our Sunday Service was prepared by John Gorton, his sermon entitled "Love One Another." And we do!!! Merle and Linda Van Gieson receive the print-out of the service and make the bulletins for everyone. Merle and Linda are settling into their new environment.

Our new neighbors moved in over the weekend, Mr. & Mrs Elliot Cluba and two daughters. That will be nice to have another young family close by. Elliot's parents live in town, just up the street on, Green Mountain Road. UPS always called it the Tryhorne Road. But 911 renamed several Roads.

Events: Monday September 8, at 6 p.m. "The Friends of the Town Library" will host NY Times best selling Author and Co-Author of more than 30 books. Michael Tougas will speak at Pratt Hall on his recent book . "Extreme Survive" learn from those who triumphed against odds. Meet at...Montgomery Historical Society.. right on Main Street Route 118. WELCOME ALL...

Saturday, September 13..Rummage Sale at the Town Hall Montgomery Center from 8 a.m - 4 p.m. to benefit the Heartful Food Shelf.

Saturday, September 13, a Community Lawn Sale on the Governor's Lawn in Hyde Park, Vermont. 9-2..

Happy Birthday to: Jamie Buttendorf 9/8; Stacey St.Onge, Patrick Thomas, Cody Kolva,Tyler Domina 9/10; Brook Boissonneault, Cyndee Pelkey 9/12; Dean Scott, Jackie. Witherspoon 9/13; Sarah Auclair, Danielle Marshall 9/14..

Anniversary Wishes to: Allen & Rita Kalsmith; Barry & Denise Domina 9/11; Andre & Veronica de Saint Phalle; Peter & Lynn Locher 9/13.



*** For Better or Worse: 1. Tell me Mr. Smith, said the marriage counselor, after several sessions. Did you wake up grouchy this morning? No, Said Mr. Smith, I let her sleep. 2. President Eisenhower told this one, three men asked a fourth man to join them to play golf, He declined, saying he had to go home to his wife. Are you a man,asked one in the group Or a mouse? I'm a man said the reluctant one..Mary's afraid of mice.!! 3. The best way for a house wife to have a few minutes to herself at the close of the day is to start doing the dishes. *** This is bringing the News to

an end..hope this finds you all happy and well.



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