

Haigler News

By
Opal Collicott



Jennie and Jason Elmore

Couple married in June at Oklahoma

United in marriage on June 14, 2003, were Jennie Lee Schlepp and Jason Royce Elmore. The ceremony was held at Bethlehem Baptist Church in Waukomis, Okla., with Reverend Tom Donaldson officiating. The bride is the daughter of Russell and Linda Miller and the late Rodney Schlepp. Grandparents of the bride are Erna Schlepp of St. Francis, Harold and Harriet Brunswick of Haigler, Neb., and Ron and Pat Miller of Arnett, Okla.

Groomsmen were Jeremy Hall, Wiley; Matt Sims, Edmond, Jeff McPeak, Webbers Falls, Mickey Bullis, Drummond; and Brad Clarkson, Stillwater.

The flower girl was Tyree Jones of Lamar, Colo., cousin of the groom. Ring bearer was Christian Schlepp, Hays, nephew of the bride.

Ushers were Jason Duggin, Stillwater; Dustin Layton, Welch; Rick Jones, Lamar; Ty Jones, Lamar and Tom Hardcastle, Miami.

Vocalists were Rodney Knowles, Mustang and Alex Drenning, Mustang. Guest book attendants were Dee Millbran, aunt of the groom, and Darci Lingle.

Gift attendants were Sandy Magley, aunt of the bride, and Mary Ann Rittenhouse, aunt of the bride.

Reception host and hostesses were Ernie and Marlene Lebfrom, uncle and aunt of the bride.

A reception and dance was held following the ceremony at the Pollard Showbarn.

The bride is a graduate of Oklahoma State University and is teaching fifth and sixth grade science at Enid, Okla.

The groom is also a graduate of Oklahoma State University and is the show and sale cattle manager for Pollard Farms.

After a honeymoon to Negril, Jamaica, the couple will live at Waukomis.

Trick or Treat for UNICEF

Come ride the Hayride for UNICEF. Meet at the Haigler Zion Lutheran Church at 5:30 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 31. Join in family fun for everyone while you trick-or-treat for UNICEF. All ages are welcome. Soup and sandwiches will be provided afterward. Any questions, please call Leslie at 297-3263 or Carol at 297-3459.

Death notice

Harriet Carlock Brunswick died Sunday, Oct. 26, 2003, at the Greeley medical Center in Greeley, Colo. Funeral services were held at the Zion Lutheran Church in Haigler on Wednesday, Oct. 29 at 2 p.m.

Girl Scout Troop 598

Girl Scout Troop 598 met on Oct. 21 in the Haigler Park. Jessica brought snacks. The troop discussed the upcoming peanut delivery, celebrated the birth of the founder of Girl Scouts, Juliette Lowe, and finished working on the Brownie Elf. The craft was a Halloween pumpkin and cat

magnet. After the meeting, everyone enjoyed playing on the park equipment. The next meeting is Nov. 18. Kortney is in charge of the snacks.

Richard and Laura Pearl Wall accompanied Heather, Greg and Logan Klein and Carol and Jay Flaming of Yuma to Greeley on Saturday to attend the wedding of Kimberly Clark and Andrew Biegger at First United Methodist Church. Kim is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark and the granddaughter of the late Mildred Woods-Waters. Other members of the Woods family attending included Royal and Helen Woods of Wray, Marcia Guspun, Colby; Woody, Stephanie, Austin, Morgan, Megan Woods of Akron; Bruce, Valerie, Brianna, Shelby, Seth Woods of Haigler; Quentin, Robert, MerryLu Simmons of Wray; Randy, Laurie, Laura, Madison Perila of Westminster; Amber Simmons of Loveland; LuAnn Wall of Cheyenne, Wyo.; Wendy and Blaine Lee of

Wray; Dustin, Christy, Sydney, Gracie Wall of Wray; Ronald and Jeannine Waters of Harrisonburg, Va.; Don, Phyllis Woods, Jeff, Diane, Joshua, Jacob and Jenna Woods, all of Cheyenne, Wyo.

Angela Crouse celebrated her eighth birthday with a party of Strikers in Benkelman. Everyone enjoyed cake, pizza and games, including nine holes of miniature golf. Helping her celebrate were Seth Woods, Natasha Allmer, Susanna and Melissa Dyck, Meg Peterson, Michael, Monica and Rebekah Peterson. Also included in the celebration were Angela's great-grandparents, Ron and Pat DeWester.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simmons and their granddaughters, Laura, Madison and Amber, visited in the Richard Wall home following the birthday party for Lillian Mahon at the Golden Inn on Sunday afternoon, Oct. 26.

Deloris Zuege returned home Oct. 16 following a week's visit in the home of her sister Almada Norris and husband, Ron, in Longmont, Colo.

Beecher Island News

By
Bessie Dent



There were 47 at Sunday school with Ken Lobdell as the morning speaker.

The Beecher Island Helping Hand Club met with Crystal Zion Wednesday. The club will be serving the annual soup supper Oct. 29 for the Beecher Island Association meeting. The next meeting will be Nov. 6 with Mary J. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowe Shively hosted dinner Thursday in honor of Doris Whomble's Oct. 19 birthday. Others present besides the guest of honor were Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Shively, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bowman and family and Carole Whomble. Kelly Shively came from California Saturday to wish his grandmother a happy birthday.

Cake and ice cream were served at Hillcrest Sunday afternoon in honor of Nelson Ekberg's birthday. Attending were Jacque Ekberg, Kris and Laurie Jones and family, John and Karen Willard and family and Ken and Louise Lobdell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Brown and Riley

hosted dinner Sunday in honor of Paul Dent's birthday. Attending were Bessie Dent, Larry, Linda and Dwain Dent. Eric and Grant Brown called to wish their grandfather a happy birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Osmus went to Omaha Friday where they met Andy Bowman from Minneapolis, Minn. They all attended the wedding of Boni's niece, Shannon Salvador to Shannon Ryan Saturday afternoon.

Scot Heath and Sue Harris were married at Beecher at high noon Saturday with the family attending. Chrisina Harris was the maid of honor, Chad Heath was the best man and H.D. Harris was the usher.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Rose and girls had a nice surprise Saturday when Dillon Rose, Darcey Sherlock, Jessie Jones and friend Candace of Grand Junction dropped in for the day.

Harry Ekberg visited Harold Kamla Saturday morning and Melvin and Louise Schlepp called Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Mansfield and

Monte Mansfield were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mansfield.

Laura Perila came home Monday with MerryLu Simmons. Laurie and Madisen Perila came Wednesday and Randy Perila came Thursday night. The Perilas went on to Kansas city for the weekend. They were Sunday night guests of the Simmons on their way back to Westminster. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wall visited the gals Thursday.

Ida Heaton called Wednesday at Norma Ekberg's. Thursday Mike and Marlene Ekberg and friend Steve were Thursday visitors and Carolyn and Clifford Homm visited Sunday afternoon.

Donna Dodge and Violet Brown were Sterling visitors Tuesday.

Cory Jeurink took Harry Ekberg to Denver Wednesday to see his eye doctor Thursday. Marilyn Burffett brought him home Thursday and spent the weekend with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Mansfield visited Jean Brenner in Burlington Sat-

urday.

Norma Ekberg visited Carla Campfield Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bowman and family came Tuesday and visited families and friends, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Osmus and Jacob visited Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bowman and family at the Rowe Shively home Saturday.

Bonnie Blazer visited Doris Whomble Sunday afternoon to wish her a happy birthday.

Mary J. Allen, Judy Shively and Carole Whomble attended the Hermit Basin Retreat Friday through Sunday.

Ken and Louise Lobdell of Alberta, Canada, spent the weekend with Nelson and Jacque Ekberg.

Logan Willard spent Friday night with Judy Willard and Austin Willard spent Sunday night with Judy Willard while their Grandfather Ken was hunting.

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Book Review

Beachers

By John Grisham

High school all-American Neely Crenshaw was probably the best quarterback ever to play for the legendary Messina Spartans. Fifteen years have gone by since those glory days, and Neely has come home to Messina to bury Coach Eddie Rake, the man who molded the Spartans into an unbeatable football dynasty.

Now, as Coach Rake's "boys" sit in the bleachers waiting for the dimming field lights to signal his passing, they replay the old games, relive the old glories, and try to decide once and for all whether they love Eddie Rake—or hate him. For Neely Crenshaw, a man who must finally forgive his coach—and himself—before he can get on with his life, the stakes are especially high.

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