

# On the Plains

## Haigler News

### Easter Services

The Haigler park saw many folk from the area attending sunrise worship services on Easter morning.

The Haigler Lutheran Church celebrated a sunrise service at 6:30 Sunday morning with around 70 in attendance. Following the service, there was a tasty breakfast prepared by the Church Council.

An impressive service portraying the final scenes in the life of Christ on earth was witnessed by Dale and Dode Faylor at their church Sunday morning. It was entitled "We Were There." The pastor presented a short sermon explaining that in fact we were all represented there. The program included a mixed choir of nine women and six men, vocal solos and a cast of five players in costumes representing people at the cross. The program was enhanced with pictures on the screen and two sign language performers.

The home of Carol and Jay Flaming in Yuma was the scene of a lot of celebrating on Easter Sunday, April 16. The sixth birthday of their grandson, Logan Klein, and the 83rd birthday of Carol's mother, Laura Pearl Wall, received top billing. Heather Klein and Randy Perila also received mention for their April birthdays.

Those attending the bountiful dinner at the Flamings included Heather, Greg and Logan Klein; Wendy Lee; Dwight Wall; Dusty, Christy, Sydney and Gracie Wall; Bob and MerryLu Simmons; Randy, Laurie, Spencer, Madison and

Laura Perila; Richard and Laura Pearl Wall. Carol had labeled special baskets for each of the children for the wild Easter egg hunt that followed the dinner.

The Flamings, Kleins and Wendy Lee attended the United Methodist Church in Yuma and were pleased to have the Simmons, Perils and Richard Walls as visitors.

### Haigler High School Alumni Celebration Planned

Kay Kamla informs us that there will be an Open House at the Legion Community Building on Saturday afternoon, May 27, from 1:00 to 5 p.m. followed by a dance from 8 a.m.-12 p.m. On Sunday, the 28, at the same location there will be a pot luck dinner.

Please try to attend and enjoy visiting with old and new friends.

The Nifty Red Hatters met at the Haigler Cafe Saturday at noon. Hostesses were Lois Zuege and Jean Moore. Those attending were Belva Olson, Deloris Zuege, Esther Erdman, Doris Tecker, Veda Douglass, Joan Webster and Iona Maupin. They all had a good time visiting and left at two o'clock.

The family of Opal Collicott has asked our readers of Opal's tribute to please add these additional survivors: brother Gerald Myer and sister Grace Adams of Haigler and sister Velma Neville of Sterling Care Center, Sterling, Colo.

Out-of-town family members who attended the visitation and/or celebration of life services for Opal Collicott on March 28 included the following: grandchildren: Skip

Mulligan of Saginaw, Mich.; Richard Mulligan of Charleston, S. C.; Daniela Webster of Iowa City, Iowa; Mitchell and Matthew Collicott of McCook, Neb.; sister in law DeVeta Redfield and husband Dwaune of Palisade, Neb.; daughter in law, Melissa Rosenfelt of McCook, Neb.; nieces: Barbara Neville and Linda Kielian of Denver, Colo.; Sharlene Baker of Brighton, Colo.; Kaylene Luedtke of Columbus, Neb.; Shanon Myer of Wray, Colo.; nephews: Ed Neville of Fleming, Colo.; Roger Myer, Tom Myer and wife, Charlotte of Wray, Colo.; Keith Redfield of Palisade, Neb.

Visitors this past week of LaVoine Collicott at the Hillcrest Care Center included his three daughters, LaNeta Carlock, Myrna Mulligan, and Galena Webster; sister-in-law Grace Adams; friend

Laura Pearl Wall; and Pastor Anne Gatobu. His daughters joined him for lunch on Thursday and daughter LaNeta and husband Stanley joined him for supper on Friday evening.

Galena, Stan and Darrell Webster were hosts for Easter dinner on Sunday, April 16. The honored guest was Galena's father, LaVoine Collicott. Other guests present were Charlie and Myrna Mulligan. Galena and Myrna traveled to the Hillcrest Care Center in Wray to pick up LaVoine after church services and bring him to Haigler.

LaNeta Carlock was a later guest in the Webster home for dessert and visiting. Late afternoon, Galena, Myrna and LaNeta returned their father to Hillcrest in Wray. While in Haigler, LaVoine enjoyed touring the Village in his

By Floy Ruggles



golf cart and stopped to visit with several relatives while on his tour.

Charlie Mulligan returned home late Friday evening from a two-week visit with family in California. While there, he enjoyed visits in the homes of his father, Charles Mulligan, Jr., and sister, Pat Petersen, in Anaheim, California; brother and wife, Mike and Danielle Mulligan in San Diego, California; and his Aunt Rosemary and husband Bob in Pasadena, Calif. He also surprised his aunt, Rosemary Boochever, for her 86th birthday celebration and saw cousins from California, New Mexico, and Alaska.

Richard and Laura Pearl Wall visited in the Robert and MerryLu

Simmons home on Saturday afternoon. The Randy Perila family of Westminster were weekend guests of the Simmons.

Eunice Haskell of Hillcrest Care Center in Wray attended dinner at the Golden Inn on Tuesday of last week.

Kay Kamla enjoyed a visit from her sister, Shirley Weaver, and Shirley's daughter and husband, Julie and Joe Maxson, from Friday until Sunday.

On Thursday, Patti Voeller from St Francis, KS brought Lillian Anderson to the Dode Faylor home. Lois Zuege also came and they went to the cafe for dinner. The afternoon was spent visiting at Dode's home south of Haigler.

Sharna Richardson (Floy's daughter) shared lunch with Floy and Ray Ruggles in their home on Thursday the 13th.

## Idalia News

By Nancy Helling



### St John United Church of Church

Guest officiants of upcoming worship services will be Pam Wisdom of Wray on April 23 and Reverend Chuck Wright on April 30.

### Preschool Enrollment

Little Visions Preschool enrollment for 2006-2007 and free developmental screening for all children ages birth to 5 (who are not entering kindergarten in the fall) will be held on Friday May 5

from 9 a.m. to noon at the Idalia Vision Foundation located next to the Idalia School. For appointments please call Crystal Richards at 354-7298. Physicals will also be available that day.

### Field Trip

Idalia grade 5 and 6 students enjoyed a field trip to Denver on Thursday. Their first stop was the state capitol building, where they took a legislative tour. Besides spending a few minutes watching the State Senate and House of

Representatives, they had a private audience with Senator Greg Brophy. The next stop was the Denver Mint to see how coins are made. Finally, they enjoyed the IMAX movie *Wired to Win* before heading home. Idalia teachers Cyndie Weyerman and Dixie Chamberlain led the group.

### Health Check

Come by the Prairie Vista Café in Idalia on Wednesday April 26. Marlene Miller, Senior Services Coordinator for Yuma County and Denice Baucke, RN Community Case Manager from Wray Hospital, will be on hand to answer questions about programs in our area and check your blood pressure. This is a free service.

### Regional Basketball

Blake Cure, Kevin Lengel, Andrea Knodel and Kaitlin Soehner played in the northeastern region all-star basketball game at Northern Junior College in Sterling recently. Kevin won the 3-point shoot competition and Kaitlin was named MVP of her team.

### Knodel News

Susan and Andrea Knodel and Sally and Robbie Parker traveled

to Hastings, Neb. to spend Friday and Saturday with Angie Knodel and Troy Worth.

Easter Sunday dinner guests of Steve, Susan and Andrea Knodel were Ward and Vaudie Wiley, Joyce Knodel, Ruth Knodel, Sally, Brett, Reed and Robbie Parker.

Susan Knodel attended a bridal shower in honor of Angie Knodel in Hastings, Neb. on Wednesday evening.

Correction: Idalia 5 grader Brianna Stafford played the trumpet at the Liberty music contest.

Robin and Kathy Wiley enjoyed Easter dinner in Wray on Sunday with Kyle and Kelly Kite.

Josh and Julie Morris, Diana and Freeman Morris and Lee Busby also enjoyed lunch in Wray on Easter Sunday. Joyce and Raymond Helling hosted an early Easter dinner at their home with Kevin and Janessa Helling and Kent and Autumn Helling attending.

## Beecher Island

Thirty six people attended Sunday school with Perry Allen giving the special number.

The Beecher Island Helping Hands Club was hosted by Boni Osmus Wednesday. The next meeting will be April 19 with Doris Osmus as hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Allen at-

tended a Cantata at the First Baptist Church in Greeley, Colo. They also met some friends from college days there.

Darnel Strangways visited Nettie May Welton Tuesday.

Jeri Rose and Dallas Madsen went to the track meet in Brush Saturday to watch Chynna and Kinsey.

Kenty Rose went to Burlington to watch Mallory.

Bryan Juranek was a Tuesday visitor of Violet Brown.

June Richers visited Mr. and Mrs. Roger Richards Sunday.

Ida Connally was a Sunday afternoon visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mansfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Kier visited Mr. and Mrs. Rex Shaver Friday. They spent the weekend in Wray visiting his mother, Inez they live in Monument, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Mansfield visited Jean Brenner in Burlington Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Shaver visited Betty Lee Green Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Mansfield and Monte Mansfield were last week visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mansfield.

By Bessie Dent



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Simmons attended the Farmers Union Meeting Sunday evening at the Dean Jarrett home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hurlburt spent Saturday evening and Sunday in Castle Rock, Colo. celebrating their 15th anniversary. The children spent the time with Perry Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wall and Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Simmons were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hurlburt and Ashley attended the All Stars Basketball game in Sterling Friday. Two Idalia players were on the team.

## Public Notice

### Notice to creditors published for estate

Published in The Saint Francis Herald, St. Francis, Kansas, Thursdays, April 13, April 20 and April 27, 2006. (15-17)

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS PROBATE DIVISION In the Matter of the Estate of ELLSWORTH J. WILKENS, Deceased

NOTICE TO CREDITORS THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition dated 3 April 2006, has been filed in this court by Ardene Wilkens, as a surviving heir and as the executor named in the Last Will and Testament of Ellsworth J. Wilkens, deceased, praying for probate of the will, and for the appointment of Ardene Wilkens as Executor of the estate.

You are further advised that the petitioner in this matter has requested administration pursuant to the Kansas Simplified Estates Act,

and if such request is granted the court may not supervise administration of the estate and no further notice of any action of the Personal Representative or other proceedings in the estate will be given except for notice of final settlement of the decedent's estate. Should written objections to simplified administration be filed with the court, the court may order supervised administration to ensue.

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the estate within four months from the date of the first publication of this notice as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited they shall be forever barred.

/s/ Ardene Wilkens  
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Cheyenne County Treasurer

## AUCTION Public

Friday, April 21, 2006

Storm Date: Thursday, April 27, 2006

10:00 a.m. CST Auction Location from Atwood, Kansas: 7 miles east on hwy 36, then S 1/2 miles south. Signs will be posted

Auctioneer's Note: Mr. and Mrs. Havel are offering at public auction a nice selection of equipment for sale. All items selling from the Havel's have been shedded and are in excellent condition so plan to attend.

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| 2020 JD, Gas, 1722 act. Hrs., S#062030J (excellent condition) | 820 JD, Diesel S#8203014 (excellent condition) | 820 JD, Diesel, S#8206712 (good cond.) | IHC Farmall M w/wide front end | 1971 Gleaner G diesel, 20' Platform | 1953 GMC Truck, 5 windows (restorable) | 1995 Dodge 1/2 ton PU, PS, AC, 4x4, new tires | 1975 Ford F250 Flatbed PU, 4 WD, 390 Motor OH/12,000 mi., New Trans., good tires, new paint, A/C, P.S. (Good condition) | 1990 Audi 200 Quattro, Loaded, 141,900 act. mi. | 1975 100 Honda Motorcycle | 7-30 ft. Telephone poles | Aeration pipe | Aluminum Pickup toolbox | 2-Ford rear ends, (9-bolt) | 6x20 Diamond Gooseneck stock trailer | 2-1947 JD A's (restorable) | 1963 Case utility tractor 12 hp., Model 190 w/ dozer | JD LT 166 Riding tractor mower | Craftsman push mower | 6' BMB pull type mower | 5' BMB 3 pt., Mower | JD #35 Manure spreader | Flex King 5-5' sweeps w/ pickers | IHC 3-8' 150 grain drills | IHC 150 drill 14" | JD #35 tractor loader | Sunflower 1'4' offset disc. 9" | Orthman 7 Shank Ripper | Bix 7 Shank Ripper | JD 8-row #71 planter 3 pt. | Miller 14' Disc | Earth Mover 2.5 yd. | Flex King 3x5 sweeps | 10' Dozer blade | Graham-Hoeme chisel w/ Degelman harrows | Loftis 6-Row 3 pt. Stock chopper | Sprayer w/booms, (good tires) | Miller Rod Weeder | 10' x 30' Donahue Trailer | Gehl MX 100 Grinder | Mixer | Hesston stack mover | 3 pt. Bale mover | 3 pt. Bale unroller | 18' JD one way rake | 6 section spring tooth Pull type harrows | Pull type spring tooth | JD Post hole digger | Lg. Assort Wheel weight | 3 Bottom plow | 5 Bottom plow | Whirlwind Terrace machine | Auger Hopper | 6" x 35' Mayrath Auger, 5 hp. Motor | 13.6 x 38 tractor rims | 3-Sets 18.4 x 34 clamp on duals | New sickle, fits JD mower | 2-Grease packs | Dickey John Grain Loss monitor (new) | 125 gal Propane tank | 15 gal. Propane tank | 1000 gal. Fuel tank | 2-400 gal. Fuel tanks | Grain cleaner | 4-rolls of Barb wire (new) | 6-Rolls of wire | 2-Rolls of sheep wire | MY-D Han-D Portable | squeeze chute | Hay feeder wagon | 4x10 Kelly Ryan feed wagon | 5' x 12 Kelly Ryan manure spreader | 20' Hay feeder trailer | 6' S10 Box trailer | 70 bu. Creep feeder | 35 bu. Creep feeder | 3-rolls Snow fence | 3-Tire feed bunks | JD #35 manure spreader | 8' Stock tank | Stock tank | 2-Mineral feeders | Iron fence posts | Sheets of corrugated tin | Fence insulators | 10 Hay basket 8' teeth | Windmill parts | Cattle oiler | Cattle sprayer | assort. of gates | Assort. of combination panels | 2-Super 100 fence chargers | Ritchie waterer (new) | Wash tub on stand | Antique tub | Trojan tank heater (like new) | Calf puller | Assort. of cattle equipment | Lg. Assort. of hand tools | Drill press | Knipco heater | Assort. of Iron & pipe | Assort. grease guns | Creepers | kerosene heater | 2-Antique vises | Breaker box, square D | Belt driven drill press & grinder | JD 820 overhaul manual Model T Truck parts |
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