





### THOUSANDS WILL ATTEND DISTRICT INTERSCHOLASTIC CONTESTS AND AVALANCHE AUTO SHOW FRI.-SAT.

Lubbock has no little job on her hands in arranging entertainment and accommodations for the more than three thousand boys and girls and men and women who will be here Friday and Saturday for the interscholastic League contests and the Morning Avalanche automobile show.

Prof. M. M. Dupre stated Tuesday that more than five hundred contestants will compete for places in the district meet. The "A" grade school students to contest Friday afternoon at the fair grounds, while the "B" grade schools will be represented by contestants in the afternoon of Saturday.

The track at the fair park has been put into fine shape and the tennis courts near the Methodist church and at the high school are in first class shape for the racquet stars.

It is no little task for Lubbock, with her already overcrowded hotels and eating houses, to take care of so many visitors, yet it must be done and Prof. Dupre has called upon the home owners of the city to make room for just as many of them as possible, and to entertain them in a manner fitting to Lubbock's position as a hospitable city.

There will be debating contests, oratorical and declamation contests, etc., at the schools and churches of the city on the evenings of both days and these will be attended more especially by the parents and friends of the contestants than any other feature of the meet, and it is Lubbock's responsibility to take care of them.

#### DR. HOLLAND OF DALLAS IS HERE PROSPECTING

Dr. L. B. Holland, of Dallas, is here prospecting this week, accompanied by his father from White Wright. Dr. Holland is looking over Lubbock and the South Plains section with a view of locating here. He is at present house doctor in the Baylor Hospital, which position he has held for the past two years. He is well pleased with this part of the country and with Lubbock, and will very likely decide to locate in our city. His father, W. L. Holland, has for a number of years owned land in the Shallowater community, and has a number of improved farms in that section now, which he is looking after on this trip.

They stated that they made their trip in an automobile from White Wright a distance of about 425 miles in one day, which is pretty good driving considering the amount of rough road they are likely to have encountered in that distance.

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#### CHURCH SERVICES TO BE CONDUCTED AT JAIL REGULARLY

Methodist laymen conducted services at the Lubbock county jail Sunday afternoon.

There are twenty-seven men and two girls at this time, and while the girls are about sixteen and eighteen years of age, the men average in ages from 18 to 28 years, and there are two of them past forty.

Due to the rapid influx of a number of criminals inclined to Lubbock, officers are beginning to wonder what steps can be taken to care for them, as the present jail will doubtless prove inadequate if the number of arrests being made daily are continued.

Deputy Sheriff U. L. George stated Tuesday that the various churches of the city will be invited to conduct services at the jail from time to time, and he is confident that at least two Sunday services each month will be conducted there.

#### ELMO WALL UNDERWENT APPENDICITIS OPERATION

Elmo Wall, secretary of the Lubbock Mutual Aid Association, underwent an operation at a local hospital Saturday, and is reported to be resting well at this time and will in all probability be able to be about his work in due time.

Mr. Wall's many friends in Lubbock have shown much concern over his condition and are in hopes that no complications will arise that will hinder his immediate recovery.

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#### TAX COLLECTOR URGES PAYMENT OF SCHOOL TAX

J. B. Mobley, tax collector for the Lubbock Independent School District urges all property owners to pay their taxes immediately and insists that property is rendered on all tax roles in order to prevent future trouble.

Mr. Mobley has reported a great many delinquencies in tax payments.

#### ODDS AND EVENS OF KIWANIS CLUB IN BIG CONTEST

Turkey, turkey. Who gets the turkey?

This is the question with the Kiwanians of Lubbock, as several weeks ago the club was divided into two groups, one of which is captained by Louis F. Moore and designated "Evens", while the second group is captained by Herbert Stubbs and known as "Odds."

The "Odds" are said to be even worse than the "Evens", and the "Evens" claim they even know more about getting out a big attendance than the "Odds", but just now the "Odds" have a five lead on their fellow Kiwanians and there has been some talk about this lead being permanent.

The contest will close after four more meetings at which time the "Odds" will feed a big turkey dinner to the "Evens", else the "Evens" will preside over the spoon and bowl, and will fork over the price of the turkey in honor to the "Odds", this of course depending on which side has the best attendance record.

#### LEAGUE CONTESTANTS TO GET TICKETS TO THEATRES

Three hundred contestants' tickets, which will admit the holders to all athletic and literary events of the Interscholastic League contests of the Lubbock district to be held here Friday and Saturday have been printed by the officers of the league and will be distributed among the contestants.

These tickets also will admit the

contestants to the picture show of Lubbock on Friday evening.

### MORE THAN 400 LOTS MAY BE ON SALE

C. W. Harkrider, of Harkrider & Company of Fort Worth, is here looking after the interests of John Scarbrough, owner of between four and five hundred lots in the Wheelock Second Addition to Lubbock.

While no definite statements were made by Mr. Harkrider, it was intimated that these lots would be placed on sale in the very near future, and that announcement of a number of improvements to be made there would be made in a few days.

Mr. Harkrider is one of the well known real estate men of West Texas and has found a hearty wel-

come from the men of that profession here.

#### STATE OF TEXAS FIGHTING TO PREVENT CATTLE DISEASE

By United Press

HOUSTON, Texas, April 15—The hoof and mouth disease which has caused heavy losses to the cattlemen of California and which has spread to Colorado, will not reach Texas, is the opinion of Dr. F. C. Palmer, head of the bureau of animal industry here.

The bureau is spending large sums of money and is maintaining 150 men in the field attempting to combat the disease, Dr. Palmer said.

He expressed the opinion that the first infection in California came from Japan. The disease has been prevalent in many foreign countries for several months.

The state livestock commission has placed an embargo on all cattle coming from the infected areas.

### ROTARIANS TO MEET TODAY AT ARMORY

Members of the Lubbock Rotary Club will meet for their regular weekly luncheon at the Armory today.

The program will be given over entirely to a discussion of the trip to the Brownwood convention and the Rotarians will be urged to assist in putting over a big delegation.

"On to Brownwood," will be the central theme of all talks, with Dr. Paul W. Horn, president of the Texas Tech as one of the speakers.

We will pay 17 cents for heavy hens the rest of this week. Lubbock Poultry and Egg Company. 145-4

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# STORE NEWS

Mr. W. A. Minter of this firm and of the Minter Dry Goods Co., of Abilene, is now in New York City buying Spring and Summer Merchandise. On this trip Mr. Minter will look after our interests and make such purchases as will meet a hearty welcome—his experience and association in buying places him in the front ranks as a buyer and user of large quantities of merchandise.

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SPORT NEWS

MAJOR LEAGUE SEASON OPENED TUES. WITH BANG FEATURED BY WALTER JOHNSON'S SHUT-OUT

With violent attendant hubbub, baseball was resumed Tuesday afternoon along a staggered battle line of cities extending from Boston to St. Louis. When the days' ructions were finished, some of the humbler teams found themselves sitting high on the dizzy eminence of the perfect average of 1.000.

7 widely distributed hits and beat them on their own lot after the Giants flag-raising ceremonies at the Polo Grounds. The score was 3 to 2. Jack Hendricks, successor of the late Pat Moran as manager of the Cincinnati Reds, beat the Pittsburgh Pirates before the home crowd in Cincinnati. The score was 6 to 5, the winning run coming in the last half of the ninth.

the party in the midst of a hot inning to dedicate the Arizona stone in Washington monument. Were he a wild fan, President Coolidge might have uttered something about the injustice of a president being unable to sit through a baseball game without having to leave to putter around some official dedication.

PLANS FOR MEET WELL UNDER WAY AT AUSTIN

AUSTIN, Texas, April 16.—Plans for the Interscholastic Meet, which is to be held at the University of Texas, May 1-3, are well under way toward completion. According to Roy Henderson, of the Interscholastic League, all county meets have been held and some of the district meets are being held this week.

represent in the junior boys division. Both are from Austin schools. Other representatives are: Fanny Pizer and Ben Guill high school, senior declamation; Allen Swindler, and Remy Hudson, high school, boys debating; Alice Sparks and Barbara Goslin, girls debating.

RALLS TAKES CROSBY CO. TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP

RALLS, April 15.—Ralls' Jack-rabbits made a clean sweep of the Interscholastic League Tennis for Crosby county here Saturday. Westberry and Watkins took the doubles from Jones and Martin of Crosbyton 6-4; 6-2; 6-1; winning the first three of the five. Jones then lost the singles to Westberry 6-3; 6-1. Ralls won girls doubles 6-1; 6-0. Walker Watkins had a close run with Buck of Crosbyton for junior singles but won 6-4; 6-3.

EL PASO ANNOUNCES INTERSCHOLASTIC WINNERS

By United News. EL PASO, Texas, April 15.—Winners in the interscholastic league to take part in the state meet at Austin, May 1, 2, and 3 have been announced.

LABOR UNION FAILS OF ENDORSEMENT AMENDMENT

EL PASO, Texas, April 15.—The central labor union, composed of all union organizations in the city has refused to endorse a proposed amendment to the Volstead act, for more alcoholic content in beer. The request for endorsement

SLEEPLESSNESS

Virginia Lady Says That Many of Her Long-Suffered Ills Have Fled Since She Took Cardui. Bristol, Va.—"I can sleep good at night now, something I have never done before in my life," says Mrs. Deala Hawks, of 712 Prospect St, this city, "and it is due to Cardui."

came from the International Union of Soft Drink Workers. The action was taken despite announcement that the proposed amendment had been endorsed by the American Federation of Labor, at its annual convention.

The Johnson immigration bill providing for the admission of aliens on a two per cent quota basis, census of 1890, was unanimously endorsed.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE

Table of baseball scores for the National League, including games between Brooklyn and New York, Pittsburgh and Cincinnati, St. Louis and Chicago, Boston and Philadelphia.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Table of baseball scores for the American Association, including games between Milwaukee and Toledo, St. Paul and Louisville, Kansas City and Columbus.

WESTENERS TAKE EASY VICTORY FROM WILSON

The Lubbock high school Westerners had their inning yesterday, and from the looks of things had their fighting clothes on, as is usual when it comes to hitting and romping away with a listless and non-interesting affair at the Merrill Park 29 to 14, against Wilson.

As will be inferred from the number of runs stacked up by either club, the melee was more or less of a slugfest, with Lubbock carrying the bigger end. Thus the Westerners have somewhat maintained their reputation as being one of the hardest hitting clubs ever witnessed by local fans in the high school realm.

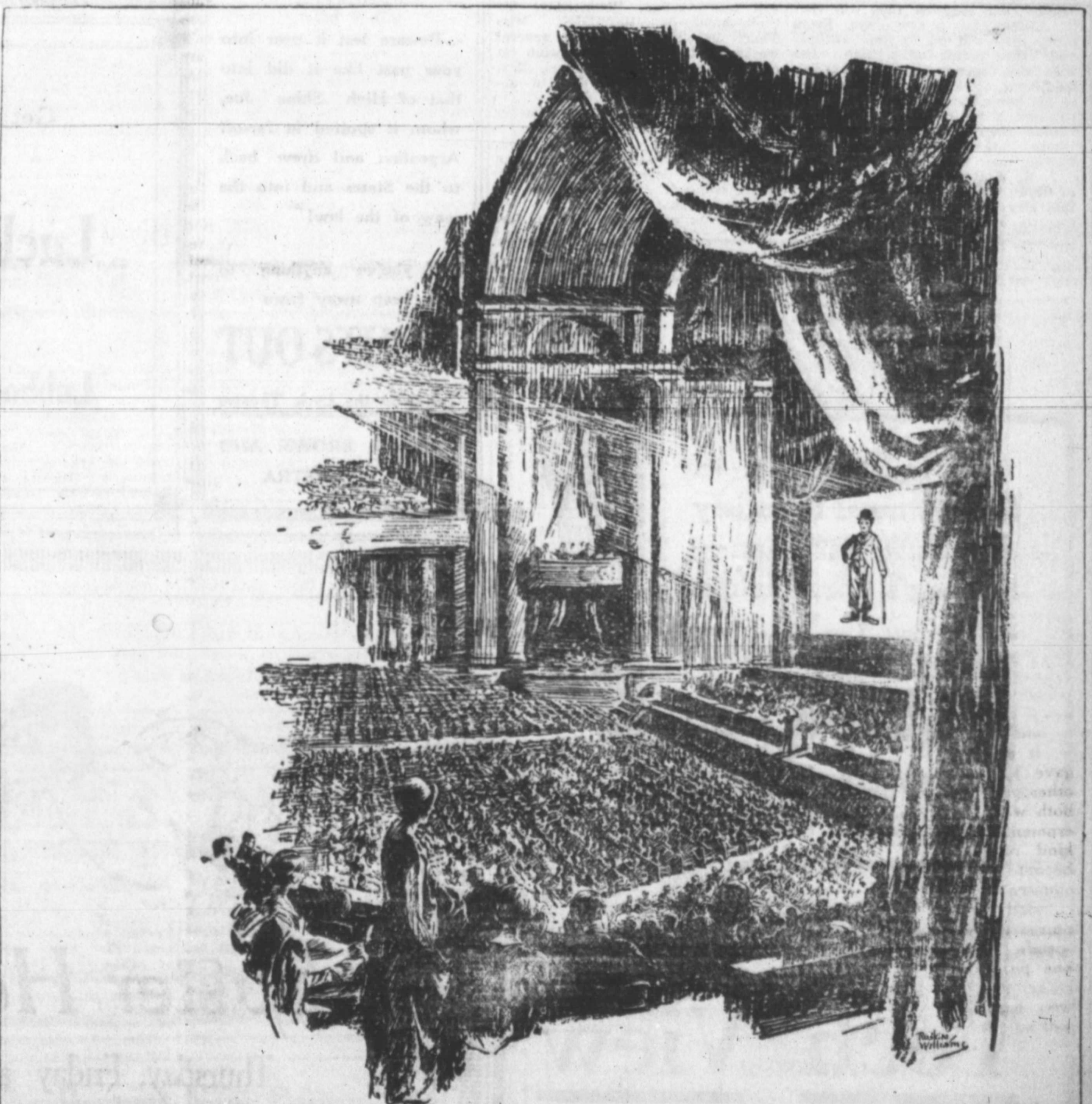
Dualap, although pounded hard at times, had the situation thoroughly in hand at all times. One of the opposing lads, during the process of the fracas, dryly made the remark, "well, they are getting some good hitting practice anyway," and this certainly proved to be the fact.

Box score for the game between Lubbock and Wilson, showing individual player statistics for both teams.

COOLIDGE OFFICIALLY STARTS OPENER OF SEASON

WASHINGTON, April 15.—President Coolidge took shore leave from the ship of state long enough Tuesday to worship at the shrine of the national pastime. He went out to the American League Park, threw out the first ball to Walter Johnson, and then walked out on

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## As They Come and Go

HOW, WHY, WHEN AND WHERE

Bob Haynes, editor of the Hockley and Cochran county newspapers went to Levelland Tuesday in interest of his work.

Rev. Jack M. Lewis, H. E. Blocker and W. K. Johnston, of Lubbock, and Rev. Henderlite, of Post City, left Tuesday for Clovis to attend the El Paso presbytery.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Porter returned to their home here Tuesday morning from Llano and Brownwood where they spent the winter visiting relatives and friends.

J. M. Davis and J. M. Humphries, former residents of Hopkins county and who have recently established their homes here, made purchases of tracts of land west of Lubbock recently of Wilson & Stanton.

J. H. Brewer, of Slaton, was a business visitor to Lubbock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Nevels, Mrs. G. E. Lockhart and Mrs. Bob Haynes, of Tahoka, were visitors in Lubbock Tuesday.

J. P. Newson of Lee county, N. M., passed through Lubbock Tuesday on his way to Seagraves. He was returning from a several weeks' visit in Rannels county.

B. Clark, traveling salesman, with headquarters at Stillwater, Oklahoma, spent Tuesday attending to business interests in Lubbock.

T. W. Sharp left Tuesday for Fort Worth, where he will meet a son. Together they will visit home folks for a day or two in Fort Worth. Mr. Sharp's son will return with him to Lubbock the latter part of this week.

T. K. Casey and M. R. Watters, both of Durant, Okla., and who have been in the South Plains section prospecting for some time, left Lubbock Tuesday for Coleman on a prospecting trip.

Judge John L. Ruff spent a day or two the first of this week visiting and looking after political businesses in the Wilson section.

James Burrus left Tuesday for Post, where he will spend the night. Wednesday he will be joined by his brother, and together they will visit in Abilene for a few days. From there they will go to San Antonio and other points on a visit. Jim will also spend a month taking treatment at Marlin before returning to his home here.

Mrs. C. A. Burrus and Mrs. Joe Baldrige accompanied them as far as Belhouse, where they will spend some time visiting their mother.

J. H. Whitesides and T. B. Smith of Ryan, Okla., who have been in this city for several days, attending to business left Tuesday for

their home. Mr. Whitesides, while in the city, became a subscriber to the Morning Avalanche and will keep up with the doings about this place. Mr. Whitesides has purchased some valuable property here and will, in all probability, make this place his home in the near future.

C. A. Burrus attended to business in the Wilson community Monday of this week.

J. S. Stone, of Wolffarth, was looking after business interests in Lubbock Tuesday.

Mrs. Aubrey Ashley and children spent the first of the week visiting in Lubbock, going from here to the Spade Ranch, where they will spend some time visiting with Mrs. Arnett, a sister of Mrs. Ashley.

W. F. Hawkins, whose home is in El Paso and who is making Lubbock headquarters at present, left Tuesday for Slaton, where he will look after business for the Great Southern Insurance Co.

J. J. Richardson of this city returned from Farwell, Muleshoe and other points Tuesday where he had been on business.

H. L. Willford leaves Wednesday morning for Abilene, where he will join his wife who is visiting in that city, together they will visit in the San Antonio section for an indefinite time before returning home.

R. Stitze, of Brownfield, is in Lubbock this week taking special treatment for an injured eye.

F. A. Collins, of Greenville, is spending the week in Lubbock visiting with a son and prospecting with a view to locating in this section.

J. W. James, of Thorndale is in Lubbock this week looking for a location.

Rev. J. A. Long, formerly of Hedley, Texas, but now of this city, began a revival meeting at the city auditorium Tuesday evening. Everyone is invited to attend this meeting, which is being held by the Missionary Baptists.

Rev. E. R. Sharp and daughter will leave today, Wednesday, for their home at Hermleigh. Miss Sharp has been here for several weeks, following an operation at one of the local sanitariums. Rev. Sharp came up yesterday to accompany his daughter home.

J. L. Johnson, of Abilene, was in Lubbock Tuesday.

J. J. Vinson, of Ada Oklahoma, was here Tuesday. He has been here several days looking over this great country. He will likely return home this afternoon.

J. A. Jordan of Fort Worth, for-

merly of Lubbock after spending several days attending to business in this city left Tuesday on his return home.

C. J. Hallmark, of the Idalou section was in Lubbock Tuesday, looking after business interest.

C. C. Forbes of the Canyon community, was here Tuesday. He was returning from Brownfield and other places to the southwest of us, where he has been looking after business matters.

James Gambrel, of Canyon, was here the first of the week.

Otis Copeland Stockman of Slide was transacting business in Lubbock Tuesday.

Fat Nix, prominent farmer of the Canyon community, was in the city yesterday, and reports everything coming along nicely in that part of the country.

A. C. Swindell, of Greenville, arrived in Lubbock Tuesday. He called at this office and informed a representative of the Avalanche that he had decided to make this his home.

J. J. Davis, business man of Slide was here Tuesday looking after business matters.

Mr. Sterling of the New Hope community, was here Tuesday looking after business. He recently came to this community from North Texas.

A. W. Cromer of the New Hope community, spent the day here, Tuesday, he was transacting business with Lubbock people, and reports everything moving along prosperously in his section of the county.

**LETTER WRITTEN IN '61 IS PROPERTY OF LOCAL MAN**

A letter written by John Butler, of Prairie City, Ill., Jan. 1 1861, to his son-in-law, Joseph Cone, father of J. M. Cone, of Cone's Furniture Works, Lubbock, was brought to the Avalanche office Tuesday afternoon by Mr. Cone.

The following reference of interest was made in the letter and concerns the early history of plow manufacture and distribution in this country. The letter was written with ink and is well preserved, only the paper showing any signs of its age.

"Please write soon and let me know whether the cultivator plows will sell in your country. It is a patent plow and I have the right for your state. The plow stocks have four plows to each beam. One boy of twelve years can do as

much as two men can with common plows. Write soon and let me know and I will come there."

Mr. Cone who received the letter was a resident of Athens, Texas, at that time.

At the outbreak of the Civil War he entered the ranks of the Confederacy, was in some of the big battles of that war, and after returning home took a place in the ranks of the Texas Rangers, and was active in law enforcement in this state until his death which occurred in 1892.

**AN INCH OR MORE OF RAINFALL AT WILSON**

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