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BANKS AND BANKERS.

THE CITY NATIONAL BANK
Of Fort Worth.
Paid in Fund, \$180,000.00
Surplus, 80,000.00

Directors: J. W. LOMAX, C. B. MAGGETT, JOHN NICHOLS AND G. R. NEWTON.

FORT WORTH NATIONAL BANK.
Successors to Tidball, Van Zandt & Co., Fort Worth, Texas.
Stock Paid Up, \$125,000.00
Fund, \$15,000.00

Directors: T. A. TIDBALL, N. HARDING, J. P. SMITH, J. J. JARVIS, E. J. SEALL.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
Houston and Second Streets, Fort Worth, Texas.
Cash Capital and Surplus, \$430,000.

Directors: H. B. LOYD, J. D. REED, ZANE CETTI, D. O. BENNETT, GEORGE JACKSON, S. B. BURNETT, E. S. HARROLD AND E. F. IKARD.

THE TRADERS' NATIONAL BANK
Fort Worth, Texas, Second Street, between Houston and Throckmorton.
Capital Paid In, \$125,000. Surplus Fund, \$10,000.

Directors: J. Y. HOGGETT, H. C. EDINGTON, G. W. HOLLINGSWORTH.

Smith's Texas Financial Agency.
Smith & Jarvis Block, 511 Houston Street, Fort Worth, Texas.

FRANCIS SMITH & CO.,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

U M B E R,
Fort Worth, Decatur, Weatherford, Gordon, Baird, Abilene, Colorado, Big Springs and Pecos.

MONEY TO LOAN.
\$5,000 and upwards, on pastures or large farms, for a term of years.

BATEMAN & BRO.,
Wholesale Grocers and Commission Merchants

M. CAMERON & CO.,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

U M B E R,
Fort Worth, Decatur, Weatherford, Gordon, Baird, Abilene, Colorado, Big Springs and Pecos.

J. P. SMITH, President.

FORT WORTH GASLIGHT CO.
511 Houston Street Fort Worth, Texas.

WHOLESALE DEPOT FOR NORTHWESTERN TEXAS FOR
FIXTURES, PIPE FITTINGS, ETC.,
COKE AND COAL TAR.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
PIPE, GAS FITTINGS, ETC.

LEWIS BROS. & Co.
345 HOUSTON ST., FORT WORTH, TEXAS.

CLEARING SALE

—OF—
\$50,000 Surplus Stock!

Ten days spent in taking stock reveals the fact that we have \$50,000 worth of goods that must be sold in the next 60 days.

WATCH THE WEEK'S OFFERINGS.

FIRST DEPARTMENT—\$2,000 worth of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Woolen and Merino Hosiery, at 50c. on the Dollar. Discount taken off at time of sale.

THIRD DEPARTMENT—One lot of Silk, Satin and Velvet remnants in lengths from 1 to 10 yards, at 25c. per yard, reduced from \$1. Another lot at 50c., reduced from \$1.50.

FIFTH DEPARTMENT—251 Blankets from \$1.50 for a 10-4 to \$15 for a 12-4 California Blanket at 1-3 off. Discount to be taken off at time of sale. 193 Comforts, worth from \$1 to \$5 at 1-3 off. Discount to be taken off at time of sale.

EIGHTH DEPARTMENT—The remainder of our stock of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Wraps, as follows: 64 Children's Cashmere Cloaks, worth from \$1.50 to \$5, will be sold at from 75c. to \$5.

36 Misses' Cloaks, Havelocks and Newmarkets, worth from \$5 to \$20, will be sold at from \$2.50 to \$10.

84 Ladies' Russian Circulars, Newmarkets and Dolmans, worth from \$5 to \$50, will be sold at from \$2.50 to \$25.

5 Plush Suits, regular price \$30, \$40 and \$60, will be sold at \$15, \$20 and \$30. Discount made at time of sale.

We will fill orders C. O. D. with the privilege of examination. All goods not satisfactory can be returned at our expense.

SEND ALL ORDERS FOR GOODS AND SAMPLES TO
TAYLOR & BARR.

FORT WORTH CHINA COMPANY.
WHOLESALE

CHINA, GLASS AND QUEENSWARE.
THE LARGEST STOCK OF

Avalon, Calvertine and Bisque Ware
EVER OFFERED IN THE STATE.

Ornamental Goods, Chandeliers and Lamps in Great Variety.
Fort Worth, - - - - Texas.

MAX ELSER.

Pianos, Organs and Musical Instruments!

WEBER'S & POND Pianos, the standard of excellence.
WEBER Pianos, strictly first-class.
HALE Pianos, the best medium-priced piano made.

MASON & HAMLIN, CLOUGH & WARREN and SHONINGER Organs, the best for the least money.

311 and 313 Houston Street.

We are now prepared to enter into contracts for either the
Sale or Purchase of Mixed Lots of Stock Cattle

FOR SPRING DELIVERY.

Liberal Advances Made on Purchases.

We have on our Books a Desirable List of
Grazing Lands, Stock Ranches, City Property, Etc.

GEO. B. LOVING & CO.,

Second Street, Between Houston and Throckmorton, FORT WORTH, TEXAS.

BOREAL BLASTS.

Trains Delayed in Every Quarter and in Some Instances Abandoned—A Business Lull.

Suffering Among Stock General Throughout the State—Reports of Heavy Losses Coming in.

The North Visited by the Heaviest Snow of the Season—Three Inches of Snow in Texas.

FROM OVER THE STATE.

Special to the Gazette.
LANE, TEX., Jan. 16.—Sheep that are well taken care of will not be affected by the northern snow prevailing, but the ill-kept flocks and lambs will suffer seriously. One man has lost over six hundred already.

A Heavy Snow at Waco.
Special to the Gazette.
WACO, TEX., Jan. 16.—The heaviest snow since 1876 fell last night, being about three inches deep on a dead level. It is very cold to-night and live stock will suffer.

Three Inches of Snow at Brownwood.
Special to the Gazette.
BROWNWOOD, TEX., Jan. 16.—The sleet and rain of yesterday were followed last night by a cold blizzard, and snow fell to the depth of three inches. Sheep and cattle are reported dying in large quantities by reason of the severe cold.

At Lampasas.
Special to the Gazette.
LAMPASAS, TEX., Jan. 16.—About one inch of snow fell here last night and is still on the ground. The weather is clear and cold yet. The cattle and sheep are suffering very much.

Trains Delayed at Tyler.
Special to the Gazette.
TYLER, TEX., Jan. 16.—It rained constantly from Thursday evening until midnight last night. The trains are delayed on all the roads. It commenced snowing at 2 o'clock this morning and snowed until 1 o'clock this afternoon. To night a dry norther is blowing and the thermometer is falling.

At Wichita Falls.
Special to the Gazette.
WICHITA FALLS, TEX., Jan. 16.—Everything is frozen up here. We have about two inches of snow. The demand for wood and coal can hardly be supplied, and a great many poor, hungry cattle can be seen trying to shelter themselves from the cold, piercing norther. We have some poor with us, and the town is full of idle men and tramps among the people.

At McGregor.
Special to the Gazette.
MCGREGOR, TEX., Jan. 16.—We have had a great deal of rain within the past few days and to-day it is sleeting and a fierce norther blowing, which renders it very disagreeable out of doors.

Great Loss Among Stock.
Special to the Gazette.
SAN ANTONIO, TEX., Jan. 16.—The cattle and sheep men now in the city report that their losses from the severe cold weather have been very great. One gentleman in LaSalle county is reported to have lost in cattle and sheep fully \$150,000. Among sheep the losses are said to be fully 20 per cent., and in cattle from 5 to 10 per cent. As the intense cold weather in this section continues the loss will be yet greater. Hands are out skinning the dead cattle to save the hides.

At Belton.
Special to the Gazette.
BELTON, TEX., Jan. 16.—The present week is one that will be long remembered as one of exceedingly bad weather. Tuesday there was a norther which was accompanied by a hard rain that lasted until Thursday at noon, by which time it had become too cold to rain, and it began sleeting, continuing it at intervals during the entire night. Friday morning the earth was covered several inches deep with sleet and snow, the thermometer was down to 17° above zero, and the wind still whistling its chilly blasts from the north. It thawed but little during the entire day.

I have not had any report from the stock interests of the county, but I fear there will be considerable loss. This spell of weather has been very trying on them. The grass on the range is not very good and now it is all covered with sleet and snow.

Of course the bad weather has practically stopped business. This has been the dullest week known in Belton for a long time.

At Sherman.
Special to the Gazette.
SHERMAN, TEX., Jan. 16.—The ground is covered with snow, and it is still sleeting, accompanied by a cold north wind which renders it very disagreeable. We have every prospect for a bitter cold night. Business is at a decidedly low ebb, as no one will be out this weather unless absolutely necessary.

At Plano.
Special to the Gazette.
PLANO, TEX., Jan. 16.—Snow fell here last night covering the ground several inches.

At Kyle.
Special to the Gazette.
KYLE, TEX., Jan. 16.—The cold wave struck in here last night, and to-night it is clear and very cold. No severe losses among the stockmen in this community are reported, however.

The International & Great Northern mail train, due here at 4:35 p. m., was three hours late this evening. The

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