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When Babies feet, and cry by turns,
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### Adobes as a Building Material.

The early settlers of the Far West, although fresh from the woodland regions of the Mississippi Valley, and the New England states, were not slow in abandoning the log cabin, and adopting instead the sun-baked adobe houses of their Mexican neighbors. The old Mexican adobes are large and clumsy, being twenty-four inches long, twelve inches wide, and six inches thick, and so heavy that both hands of the mason are employed to lift and place them, thus requiring the trowel to be laid down in handling each piece. This was too unworkmanlike for the brick layers, who demanded a more convenient size, and adopted a dimension which is still in use. A brick-shaped piece of molded earth or clay, baked in the hot sun, two and one-half inches thick, five inches wide, and ten and one half inches long, is now the common adobe of this country. There are blue adobes, white saleratus adobes, and common adobes (pronounced "doby"). Both the white and blue adobes are made from beds of clay found in the lowlands. These clay beds are more or less impregnated with an alkaline salt. The common adobes are made from any loamy or clayey soil with sufficient adhesive properties to permit the piece being handled when dried or baked. Formerly adobes were made at the clay beds, thus forming the adobe yards to be found everywhere near the towns and villages. These "doby yards" bear some resemblance to the country brick-yards of the Middle states, but lack the debris of the kiln, the kiln stacks, the piles of fuel, and the sheds of the yards that were made in rainy climates. In some of these adobe yards the common pug-mill of the old-fashioned brick-yard is occasionally seen. The adobes made from clay mixed by these mills, are not considered nearly as strong as those made in the more primitive way of treading and mixing the material with the feet.

Adobes are made at the yards as follows. Selecting a place on the bed of clay convenient to water, or where water can be obtained by a small ditch reaching to the nearest irrigating ditch, the top soil is shoveled away where the clay is to be excavated. A space is cleared of the salt grass and rabbit-brush, and levelled for a drying floor. The "doby" maker, with a boy to assist, digs out one or more yards of clay, forms a mound so shaped as to soak up water, throws or runs water upon it and leaves it to soak over night. In the morning this clay is mixed by treading into it a stiffer mass than can be worked through a mill.

The "doby" maker then commences to mould by forcibly throwing double handfuls of the mud into the moulds, leveling them off with a sweep of the hands, and pushing the mould to the boy who empties it on the drying-floor.

Another mould is filled while the carrier is emptying the first, and so on. An average day's work is five hundred adobes, but from eight hundred to a thousand are frequently made by rapid and skillful workers. After being partially sun baked, they are turned up on edge, and when sufficiently dry are placed in convenient piles. It takes these adobes in summer weather, about one week to dry.

The loading, transportation, and unloading of these adobes made at the yards, damages a large number by knocking off the corners and edges, and it is now customary to have them made where the building is to be erected. The clay is piled at a convenient place, and water procured by digging out a small temporary ditch.

Common adobes are always made on the site where they are to be used, frequently from the earth excavated from the cellar. These are made either by foot or machine, according to the quantity required. They are used either for the inner side of walls or for division walls, where they are not exposed to the weather. In the order of durability, when exposed to the weather, the "white saleratus doby" is all that could be desired.

In examining carefully the wall of a house erected twenty-nine years ago, this variety shows no appreciable wear, while the blue adobes intermixed in the same wall are more or less weather-beaten and worn. This wall has a southern exposure, and has stood the beating rains from the south and west since first erected. In the same dwelling the walls facing east and north show no marks of weather wear, appearing smooth and in as good order as if but recently constructed.—*American Agriculturist.*


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### LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WEBSTER county, Nebraska.

Joan Agnes Guellow
against
William Elden Guellow.

The defendant, William Elden Guellow will take notice that on the 9th day of January, A. D. 1885, the plaintiff in the above entitled cause, Joan Agnes Guellow filed her petition against him in the district court of Webster county, Nebraska, charging you, the said defendant with being her lawful husband and that you have abandoned her without cause or provocation for two years last past, also charging you with having cruelly abused and mistreated the plaintiff and also with failing to support plaintiff and her minor children, the issue of said plaintiff's inter marriage with you, the said defendant. The object and prayer of her said petition is to obtain an absolute decree of divorce against you and also for a decree awarding her the care, custody and control of said minor children, Walter Elden Guellow, Minnie May Guellow, and William Robert Guellow and for such other and further relief as equity and good conscience may suggest. You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, March 16th, 1885 or your default will be taken and decree rendered against you as prayed for in said petition.

Dated Red Cloud, Nebraska, Jan. 28th, 1885.

JOAN AGNES GUELLOW,
Per her attorneys, Case & McNeny.

### LEGAL NOTICE.

WHEREAS DEFAULT HAS BEEN MADE in the payment of a certain chattel mortgage dated January 24th, 1884, and filed on the 28th day of January, 1885, in the office of the county clerk of Webster county, Nebraska, executed by Chester W. Fuller to W. E. Jackson to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of even date of said mortgage given by the said Chester W. Fuller to W. E. Jackson and by him assigned to the undersigned, for the principal sum of one hundred and fifteen dollars, with ten per cent. interest from date thereof. The principal and interest now due and unpaid on said note amounts at this date to the sum of one hundred twenty-six and 50-100th dollars. Said mortgage was given on the following described personal property to-wit: One red cow, no marks, crumply horns, 9 years old, one red cow 4 years old, one red roan cow 4 years old, one red roan cow 4 years old, one red and white spotted cow, red neck and 4 years old, two roan yearling calves, one red yearling calf, together with the increase of all of the above described property. Now, therefore on Saturday, the 21st day of February, 1885, at 1 o'clock P. M. in front of Red Cloud National Bank, on Fourth Avenue, in the town of Red Cloud, Webster county, Nebraska, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the property above described, together with the increase, costs of taking, keeping, advertising and selling said property.

Dated, Red Cloud, Neb, January, 24, 1885.

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### Advice to Mothers.

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### LEGAL NOTICE

WHEREAS, DEFAULT HAS BEEN MADE in the conditions of a certain chattel mortgage made, executed and delivered to me on or about March 26, A. D. 1884, by William H. Strohm, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of even date of said mortgage, given by the said William H. Strohm to G. S. Albright and by him duly assigned to the undersigned, for the principal sum of two hundred dollars drawing ten per cent. interest from the date thereof. The principal and interest now due and unpaid on said note and mortgage amounts at this date to the sum of two hundred and sixteen and seventeen one-hundredths dollars; that said mortgage was given on the following described personal property, to-wit: One complete set of surveyor's instruments, one green-hide case, one soft coal heating stove, one town map, one Jim's justice or magistrate's daily companion, one complete set of Wisconsin reports, nearly new, consisting of sixty volumes, one Starr's reference digest "Wisconsin," one practice on courts of Pennsylvania, one McKinney's Pennsylvania Justice, two volumes Bunker's directory, four session laws of Nebraska, two laws of Pennsylvania. Now therefore on Saturday, the 14th day of February, A. D. 1885, at one o'clock, p. m. in front of the drug store of Henry Cook on Fourth Avenue, in the town of Red Cloud, Webster county, Nebraska, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the property above described, or enough of the same to satisfy said sum of two hundred and sixteen and seventeen one-hundredths dollars and the costs of taking, keeping, advertising and selling said property.

Dated, Red Cloud, Nebraska, January 17, 1885.

JOHN J. GARBER,
By his attorneys, Case & McNeny.

# W. DANY'S Gun & Repair Shop

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**Guns, Revolvers, Ammunition, Sewing Machines,**

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*Red Cloud, - Nebraska.*

# Acme" Pulverizer

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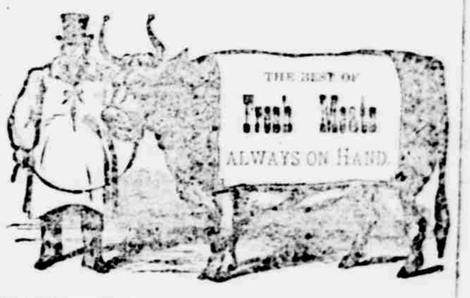


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### Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the copartnership heretofore existing between Wm. Gates and E. G. Bohanan, doing business under the firm name of Gates & Bohanan is this day dissolved by mutual consent, E. G. Bohanan retiring from the firm. Wm. Gates continuing the business will collect and pay all bills due the firm.

Dated the 20th day of January, A. D. 1885.

WM. GATES,
E. G. BOHANAN.

### Dissolution Notice

Notice is hereby given that the copartnership heretofore existing between E. V. Rudrow and E. W. Miller, doing business under the firm name of Rudrow & Miller, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, E. V. Rudrow withdrawing from the firm. E. W. Miller continuing the business will collect and pay all bills due the firm.

E. V. RUDROW,
E. W. MILLER.

Dated the 15th day of January, A. D. 1885.
25-3t.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, WEBSTER COUNTY, ss. Probate.

In probate court in and for said state and county, before Geo. O. Telser, judge of said court, notice is hereby given that claims and demands of all persons against John I. Vance, deceased, late of the village of Guide Rock, in Webster county, Nebraska, will be received, examined and adjusted by the probate court of Webster county, Nebraska, at the regular term of said court to be held in and for said county and state at the office of George O. Telser, county judge in and for said county and state, in the town of Red Cloud, Webster county, Nebraska, prior to the 18th day of July, A. D. 1885, which date is the time limited by the order of said court for creditors of the said John I. Vance, deceased, to present their claims to said executrix, and said court for examination and allowance or rejection.

Dated Red Cloud, Nebraska, January, 19, 1885.

CARRIE E. VANCE,
Jan-23 By Case & McNeny, her attorneys.


# Wells Directory.

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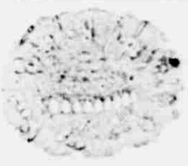

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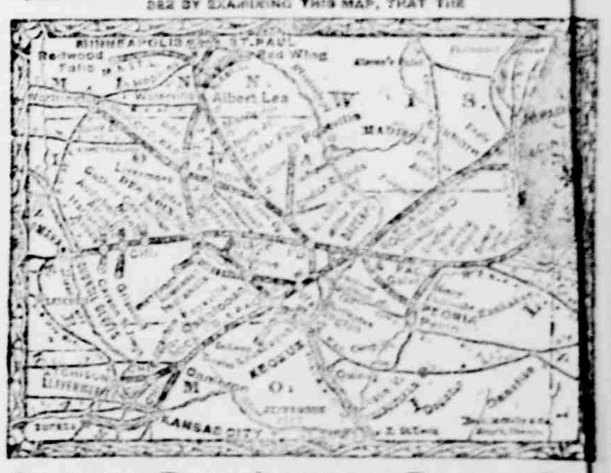


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