

RUSH FOR LAND CLAIMS

Many Anxious Farmers Seek to Perfect Their Titles.

BURLINGTON ACRES AGAIN PUBLIC DOMAIN

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(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Dec. 16.—(Special Telegram.)—The restoration of Burlington railroad lands in Saline, Greeley, Otoe, Cass and Lancaster counties today brought many anxious farmers to the United States land office in this city.

Today was set by the government as the time for the return to the public domain of several thousand acres of land once regarded as part of the B. & M. railway grant, which by recent adjustment has been determined government land again.

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Nephew Contest Uncle's Claims.

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Nebraska National Guard.

Adjutant General Colby today issued a list of orders affecting various officers of the Nebraska National Guard.

Salary of H. E. Lee Herdman.

The litigation by which Robert E. Lee Herdman is attempting to obtain the salary for services as supreme court reporter, which he waived during the legislature as an inducement for the defeat of certain objectionable bills affecting the fees of the office, has been argued to the supreme court and briefs on both sides of the state were filed today.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY. Genuine Carter's Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of Dr. J. C. Wood. See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

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the salary claim on the ground that no appropriation for the services was made by the legislature. The decision in the lower court was adverse to the state.

Insufficiency of evidence and error in the instruction that the jury might consider the relationship of any witness to the defendant are the reasons assigned in a plea for the reversal of the judgment given in the case.

Charge of Murdering Gillilan.

The preliminary trial of C. E. Heywood on the charge of murdering John J. Gillilan was begun today in police court before Judge Comstock.

Nebraska State Teachers.

For the information of teachers and others who wish to attend the forthcoming meeting of the Nebraska State Teachers' association.

Charities and Corrections.

A special committee of the State Board of Charities and Corrections met this afternoon to discuss a change in the rules governing the Home for the Friendless.

New Incorporations.

Secretary of State Marsh today legalized the following corporations:

Missouri Against Nebraska.

Attorney General Prout has returned from Washington, where he appeared before the United States supreme court and asked that commissioners be appointed to take evidence in the suit of Missouri against Nebraska.

DEDICATE BAPTIST CHURCH

Handsome Edifice at Hastings Consecrated by Rev. Dr. Rowland of Lincoln.

HYMENEAL.

George J. Coddington and Miss Elsie Baxter of this city were married Saturday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents.

LONG AXELSON.

GREEN RIVER, Wyo., Dec. 16.—(Special Telegram.)—John H. Long and Miss Elsie Axelson, both of Lincoln, Neb., were married at Green River yesterday by Rev. A. D. Dibble.

LABOR AND CAPITAL MEET

Leading Representatives of Two Factions Discuss Industrial Questions.

SCHWAB OPPOSES AND HANNA ENDORSES

Former Declares Principle of Limiting Production Will Fail as Trusts Fail and Suggests Different Methods.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Brought together through the good offices of the National Civic Federation, leading representatives of labor and capital met here today to discuss plans to minimize wage and industrial disputes.

BANK REFUSES TO HONOR THEM

Stranger Passes Checks on Plattsmouth Merchants Which They Are Unable to Cash.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Dec. 16.—(Special Telegram.)—A stranger entered the general merchandise store of C. D. Long in this city and after purchasing 75 cents worth of merchandise gave Mr. Long a check on the Bank of Cass County for \$10, which was signed "A. W. Willis."

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