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HOPEWELL NOT IN THE RACE

Lieutenant Governor Says He Will Not Be Candidate.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE CHANGES

Railway Commission Considers Complaint Roads Do Not Give Sufficient Notice - Hattigan Worried Over Guard Item.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Lieutenant Governor Hopewell was in Lincoln today on his way home from Excelsior Springs, where he has been for some days, though he said "not to get in running trim for governor."

"I do not expect to be a candidate for governor," said Judge Hopewell. "I have my private affairs to look after, and I have reached that age in life where I would not like to get out and make a fight for a nomination and then a campaign for election if nominated."

"I appreciate the kind words that have been said to me about the matter, and I do not say that under no circumstances would I be a candidate. But at this time I am not expecting to be a candidate."

Judge Hopewell believes the democrats will have considerable trouble over the liquor trouble brought about by the declaration of Mr. Bryan for county option. "It seems to me," he said, "that Mr. Bryan cannot very well stop now that he has promulgated a platform, but that he must select a candidate to run on that platform. When he selects his candidate it appears that Mayor Hattigan will get the democratic nomination unless Mr. Bryan's candidate defeats both Governor Shallenberger and Mayor Dahman. It is difficult to forecast just how such a three-cornered fight would come out. Mr. Bryan is strong with the rank and file of the democratic party and it is very doubtful if the leaders of the party could defeat in convention any proposition that he might propose."

Visit to Soldiers' Home.

Attorney General Thompson and Secretary of State Junkin have returned from a visit to the Soldiers' home at Grand Island, where, according to Mr. Junkin, they found everything in very good shape. En route to the home they stopped at Central City and attended a banquet given by the Commercial club of that city.

Time Table Changes.

The railway commission spent the afternoon discussing informally the proposition of a notification to the public of changes in time tables. At the railroads in the state were represented at the hearing.

The railroad men said they desired to notify the public as soon as they themselves knew when changes are to be made, but it sometimes happens that when a train in Iowa changes its time that requires a change in the same system in Nebraska.

It is then usually too late to notify the people through the country press and the railroad does the best it can. It notifies the agent at each station and he, in turn, posts the changes, not only in the depot, but in the postoffice. In addition to that, the railroad men say that parties, who travel, usually call up the depot, before starting, to get the exact time of the departure of trains. It was the opinion of the railroad men that very few people are complaining in Nebraska.

Carl Wright of the Northwestern said his road does not publish its time table in the country papers. Should a change be ordered on Monday it frequently would be impossible to get the changes to the papers in time for their weekly publication, and the public would be going by the old time table.

The railroad men agreed that it was their interest for the public to know when changes are made in the time tables and they did all they could to keep the people posted, but they could see no reason for an order from the railway commission in the case.

National Guard Item.

Adjutant General Hattigan has wired the Nebraska delegation in congress asking the members to have put back in the appropriation bill the item providing that the money set aside for the encampment of

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Governor Shallenberger said Mr. Crabtree seemed willing to offer his resignation to the normal board, being satisfied with the expression of sentiment since his resignation was demanded.

He said also: "Mr. Crabtree said he did not want to let his hands off if I desired to do anything in regard to the normal board."

When asked if the resignation of Mr. Crabtree would in any way affect his intentions if he proposed to remove the school, the governor said it would "leave Crabtree to the school." The governor said, however, there is nothing before him at this time to base any action against the board and, therefore, he had nothing in contemplation now.

Several of Mr. Crabtree's personal champions have proposed that he be a candidate for state superintendent, while others are suggesting him for governor. That neither of these propositions will take root very seriously in the normal school principal, is not believed. If he made the race for superintendent he would have to contend with Mr. Bishop, who stood by him on the board. If he ran for governor, he would have to fight Governor Shallenberger, who has already lost sleep over his attempt to remove a normal board member, which would have taken care of Mr. Crabtree.

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HULL HELD IN VAUGHN CASE

Physician Much Agitated, but Denies Knowledge of Case.

MRS. VAUGHN MAKES STATEMENT

Wife of Dead Man Says if Strachan Was Placed There After Death.

MONROE CITY, Mo., Feb. 24.—The coroner's jury which investigated the death of Prof. John T. Vaughn, who died at Kirksville last October, returned a verdict this afternoon that Prof. Vaughn's death was the result of strychnine poisoning.

ARLINGTON—At a meeting of the men's club of this city, it was decided to erect a new parsonage to replace the old one. The new structure will be 12 feet wide and 18 feet high. It will be modern in every way. From the amount of new buildings projected this city will experience a building boom in the spring.

PERU—Two Peru girls who are teaching in Scott's Cliff county were married on Thursday last. The bride, Miss Mary was married to A. C. Fitts and Miss Maud Hadwell was married to Claire Everett. The groom was the Rev. J. H. Mitchell, a Presbyterian parsonage at Mitchell and until recently were kept a secret from their friends here.

NEBRASKA CITY—At the parsonage of the Bethel Evangelical church yesterday afternoon, Mr. Louis A. Schrum of Osborn, Neb., and Miss Mary O'Brien of Omaha, were united in marriage in the presence of a large number of guests. They left for the south on their wedding trip and will make their future home at Ashland.

ASHLAND—R. E. Carson, who has been engaged in the meat business here for the last two years, today sold his shop to William Higgins of Omaha, who will take possession March 1. Mr. Carson will remain in Ashland and will continue to engage in the meat and live stock business with his former partner, F. A. Hanson.

HARVARD—The Farmers' Co-Operative Grain and Stock company of this place recently held its annual meeting and gave a showing of a successful year's business. There seems to have been little doubt, its members claim, that the old elevators companies were testing that ability of this organization to stay together by paying higher prices here than at other places.

HARVARD—Last year at the annual city election the referendum provisions of the constitution were adopted and first used in the passage of the electric light ordinance. Yesterday there was filed an ordinance with the city clerk providing for the liquor license for the coming year, so that the vote of license will be settled by the voter this year at the annual election.

ARLINGTON—The slogan, "Test your seed corn," which is now being sent stationery by the Post Office, has already been done this for several years, and in this county it has become a habit. In this county, quite a number of farmers report that a large per cent of the seed corn they have planted has failed. A great care will be taken in selecting seed for next spring's planting.

HARVARD—At the meeting of the President of the neighborhood Tuesday night, Dean Wilson of Hastings college was given a purse of \$100 by his friends in the city. The address of presentation was made by President Turner, who spoke in commendation of the college and its work in the college, both as president and as a student. He recently retired from the faculty after seventeen years of continuous service.

FREMONT—William H. Sweet, an old resident of this city, died at his home this morning after an illness of six years at the age of 75. He was born in Erie county, N. Y., and came to Dodge county, located on Maple creek, 1857. For the last eighteen years he had lived in Fremont. He was in the grocery business with a son for a short time, but was obliged to retire on account of ill health. He leaves a widow and nine children.

YORK—Considerable interest is being taken in the renewal of the franchise of the present water company, which will expire in one year. A new system of purchase of the present plant will probably be an issue at the coming spring election.

FREMONT—The sheriff's office is still receiving letters and inquiries in regard to Fisher, the man who succeeded in obtaining a deed from John O'Conor by