

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. Letoff's glasses fit. Stocker's cigars. The Faust cigar. Peterson, gun and locksmith, 220 E. 7th.

NEW COUNCIL RUSHES WORK

Holds Special Meeting to Approve Bond of Fire Chief Nicholson.

RECORD AS A BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

Completes the Work at Two Sessions, Making Only One Change in the Returns of City Assessor.

The city council held a short special session yesterday afternoon for the purpose of acting upon the official bond of Charles Nicholson, the newly appointed chief of the fire department.

Some changes in the department are looked for although it is declared they will not be for political reasons.

Chief Nicholson, in discussing the subject of contemplated changes in his department, said yesterday: "Members of the department are not supposed to take an active part in politics, the department having been constituted one of several of the new city officials have promised to be present for many years."

Quick Work on Equalization. The new city council is believed to have established a record by completing its work as a Board of Equalization in two sessions.

Although the totals have not been entirely completed, Assessor Everett stated at the close of the meeting of the Board of Equalization yesterday afternoon that the assessment of personal property for the city amounted to a little over \$2,000,000 or an increase of between \$125,000 and \$150,000 over that of last year.

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of determining the improvements needed. The board will meet next Tuesday night.

WEST ENDERS SEEK CONCESSIONS

Will Present Their Claims to the Officers of Motor Company.

The West End Improvement club is agitating the question of reduced motor fares between Council Bluffs and Omaha, and the motor company will be asked to make certain concessions.

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that a joint committee be named to report on it to the next legislature.

Consider Adjournment.

The house reconsidered the resolution to adjourn at noon today and fixed the date for noon of next Saturday, but it is now regarded as certain the legislature cannot adjourn at that time.

Senate Makes Appropriations.

The senate today devoted itself largely to appropriations and succeeded in spending about \$1,000,000. The following were among the bills finally passed in that body: For state institutions under the Board of Control, \$8,000,000; support of the Iowa National Guard, \$75,000; state agent for Orphans' Home fund, \$1,000; shelving and interior fittings for state schools, \$5,000; visiting committee expenses, \$1,215; bill approving printing \$3,540 for purchase of permanent camp ground for National Guard.

The senate passed a bill to regulate automobiles and a bill for regulation of life insurance policies.

Parson Cases.

The pardon matter is not quite settled as yet. Today the senate took up the application of Frank Hall of Pottawattamie county, passed on favorably by the house yesterday, and acted upon it. The pardon will be granted. The house took up the only remaining case, that of Sarah Kuhn of Keokuk county, and a spirited debate followed. The committee had divided 7 to 11 on the case. The case was stated by Chairman Cummings and addresses in favor of the pardon were made by Representatives Delano, Geneva, Mott and Hamilton, and the pardon resolution carried 99 to 28. It now goes to the senate and tomorrow the senate will be asked to reverse itself on the question of pardoning the young woman.

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the coal mines will be open for any kind of labor that is offered and that union rates will no longer govern. This is believed to be a part of a strong play by the operators to force a conclusion of the case at once and to prevent the continuance of the waiting game. The miners in this district declare they will not stand for the "open shop" principle at this time and will not return to work with non-union men. The local labor troubles continue in the building and other trades and it is expected there will be a continuance for some time if the attitude of the operators is continued.

Death Due to Hat Pin.

After but one week of happy betrothal Mr. Abel Battles of this city received word that the young lady of his choice was dead. Two weeks ago Miss Georgia Anderson came to this city to meet her lover and then she left Des Moines with the assurance that at Christmas time the wedding bells would ring right merrily at her home in Chicago. The two young people looked each other affectionately goodby at the Rock Island depot on her departure for her home. In taking off her hat an hour later Miss Anderson nervously pricked her finger with a hat pin. She thought nothing of the incident until she arrived at Joliet, Ill., when the pain and swelling of the injured finger caused her to seek the advice of a physician. He dressed the finger and assured her that it was only a slight infection. On her arrival home she grew rapidly worse and before her lover could be telegraphed for she had passed away.

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