

## A DISTURBANCE.

### Two Jewish Families Air Their Troubles and Arrests Follow.

Morris Alpert and John Davis, two Jews, who live on Front street, had an altercation last Friday which resulted in a general family row and the outcome was the arrest of Mrs. Alpert and Davis for assault. This is the first time any trouble has arisen among the Jewish colony in this city and today the participants are sorry that it occurred.

From what can be learned of the affair Morris Alpert purchased a "sucker" from a little boy who had been out fishing and threw the fish into Davis' doorway. The two men are in the junk business and have had little spats before but have never come to blows. Davis came out on the street and for a while the neighborhood was disturbed by a conversation in which the family record was made public. Davis brought the argument to a close by striking Alpert a blow. He remained where he fell and sent forth cries "I am killed! I am killed" which could be heard blocks away.

His wife who has a dry goods store down the street heard his cries and started to her husband's assistance. She went through the crowd like a shot and on seeing his prostrate form on the sidewalk, didn't wait to make any inquiries, but made a pass at Davis' brother who was nearby. Officer Card prevented her from doing any serious injury to the young man and escorted her to the police station. Davis was also arrested, but afterwards released on furnishing proper bonds.

Alpert claimed that he was seriously injured and was carried into Harry Brown's tailoring establishment and Dr. Lincoln called who in a short time said that he could be removed, to his home in safety.

He was conveyed home in a baggage wagon. This morning it was claimed that he was not able to appear in court, but his testimony was not needed as Davis and Mrs. Alpert both pleaded guilty to the complaint of "assault" before Recorder Glidden. They departed after paying the sum of \$20.67 in fines and costs.