

THE CITY.

Matt Carroll was fined \$25 yesterday for threatening to assault his step-father. Charles F. Tuttle, assistant ticket agent at the Union Pacific depot, was admitted to the Douglas county bar yesterday. Charles F. Cohn is missing from his home at 1104 Street, Thirtieth street. He is eighty years of age and is supposed to be detained. The slippery and dangerous condition of the stone steps leading into the post-office has necessitated the covering of the same with planks. John Schaefer, of late assistant secretary of the Young Men's Christian association, left for the field of labor in Georgia yesterday afternoon. Tickets for Bishop Newman's lecture on Sunday evening next at Boyd's opera house can be had at the Paxton hotel and Max Meyer & Bros. store. Mrs. Mayor Cushing received a telegram yesterday from Diego, announcing the death of her brother-in-law, Edward Morearty, aged fifty years. The remains of Frank P. O'Meara, a former employe of the Union Pacific shops, who died at the hospital Wednesday of Bright's disease, were forwarded to his old home at Cold Water, Mich., yesterday by Drexel & Maul. Omaha Union No. 1, of the Nebraska National association of stationary engineers will hold an open meeting at Kaufman's hall, 134 Douglas street, on Saturday evening, February 15, at 8 o'clock, to which the steam users and stationary engineers and the public are cordially invited. Debate, "Resolved, that it would be to the interest of steam users to use modern devices for consuming smoke, and thereby abate the smoke nuisance." Affirmative, Bailey and George Brush; negative, William Austin and J. Welzenbach. Personal Paragraphs. L. F. Cheney of Tilden is at the Casey. J. G. White of Kearney is at the Paxton. J. R. Walker of Lincoln is at the Millard. D. D. Daniel of Norfolk is at the Murray. N. C. Myers of Somerset is at the Paxton. C. H. Kretzger of Fairmount is at the Casey. J. H. Culver of Milford is stopping at the Casey. L. D. Fowler of Sutton is stopping at the Paxton. J. S. Tate of Grand Island is a guest at the Millard. M. C. Harrington of Mason City is at the Murray. J. W. Love of Fremont is registered at the Murray. F. W. Lester of Rising City is a guest at the Casey. F. W. Sears of Ravenna is registered at the Casey. M. E. Harrington of O'Neill is stopping at the Casey. J. T. McKinley of Minden is stopping at the Casey. H. H. Robinson of Kimball is stopping at the Paxton. E. W. Hayes of Beatrice is registered at the Millard. T. M. Frause of West Point is registered at the Paxton. Mrs. Henry Sheild of Hastings is a guest at the Paxton. Mr. Fred Henner of Hastings called upon The Bee last evening. W. R. Wilson and wife of Fremont are registered at the Murray. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gibson leave today for a trip through Florida. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lau and Miss Nellie Lau are guests at the Murray. Zack T. Lefschick and wife of St. Paul are among the arrivals at the Paxton. C. R. Glover of Long Pine is in the city on business connected with his flour mill. Mr. C. P. Walter, vice president of the Richardson drug company, has gone to St. Louis via the Wabash. Judge J. W. Fitzgerald and son, Mr. C. W. Fitzgerald and wife of St. Marys, Kan., where the former is principal, are en route riding over the mountain. That same night five of a party of six tourists were killed by the Goajira. I visited five villages where there is no one but Indians. The women are at work spinning out the wild cotton on home-made looms and the men wear long, narrow, pointed shoes. There is no excitement and only small amounts change hands. They seem to play for the pleasure there is in it than for money. "The soil is fertile and, in my opinion, there is vast amount of undeveloped wealth in this country, and it is near, especially in the Cordillera mountains. But the Goajira (Wahira) Indians are there and are savage. Our little company of men and women, some of them riding over the mountain. That same night five of a party of six tourists were killed by the Goajira. I visited five villages where there is no one but Indians. The women are at work spinning out the wild cotton on home-made looms and the men wear long, narrow, pointed shoes. There is no excitement and only small amounts change hands. They seem to play for the pleasure there is in it than for money. "The soil is fertile and, in my opinion, there is vast amount of undeveloped wealth in this country, and it is near, especially in the Cordillera mountains. But the Goajira (Wahira) Indians are there and are savage. Our little company of men and women, some of them riding over the mountain. That same night five of a party of six tourists were killed by the Goajira. I visited five villages where there is no one but Indians. The women are at work spinning out the wild cotton on home-made looms and the men wear long, narrow, pointed shoes. There is no excitement and only small amounts change hands. They seem to play for the pleasure there is in it than for money.

A RETURNED TRAVELLER. Dr. Saville Tells of His Visit to Venezuela. Dr. J. J. Saville, late a member of the board of education, has returned from South America. Early last November the doctor started on his journey for health and speculation. He had had a great deal of that country and he went to explore it in his spare way. Landing at Maracaibo, the capital of Venezuela, the doctor spent all of his time in the western part of the republic at Lake Maracaibo. The latter of the military zone and seventy-five miles wide. The country is a perfect garden of Eden. The climate is delightful. The thermometer ranges, on an average, from fifty to eighty above, the year round. The doctor's traveling after landing at Maracaibo was done on horseback, and his companions were a pack of mules. "The Spanish language," he said, "is spoken everywhere. Among the lower classes are some Negro blood but they all speak Spanish. They are very intelligent. "The immense forests of hard wood attracted my attention at first. They have a peculiar odor and color, and they are very valuable for cabinet work. "The disease of the country is malaria, and is caused by a mosquito which breeds in the water of the mangrove swamps, and is found in almost every variety that are unknown in this country. They are all cabinet woods. "The soil is fertile and it is very rich in what can be raised in Nebraska. It is grown, but the principle one is coffee. This is planted on the hillsides and on the mountains. In the morning, the farmer sows his corn, sugar cane, and other crops, and as they are called there, do not cultivate them. The climate is so warm that the steams heat, when you go into a hotel you are given a cot with no covering but a sheet. Out in the country nearly every one sleeps in a hammock. "No minerals have been discovered in the immediate district which I visited, but I believe they are there. The people are very slow. All they seem to want is enough to barely exist on. The points contract for their crops one and two years in advance. There is no railroad, and the people are too poor to naturally almost crushes out every other business. The heavy dealers are mostly Germans. Very few Americans are in business there. They are all very rich. The Venezuelans are anxious to have capital come in. They are anything but paucity. "While the district is intelligent labor. There is little chance to invest much money unless skilled labor is imported to that country. The natives work for \$5 and \$10 per month. All the produce and articles for use are raised. The latter consist of cheese, salt, meat, eum and plantains. The plantains grow similar, but much larger than ours here. They are cooked and fried and used as a substitute for bread. In fact, a native will refuse bread for a bunch of plantains. Very few are raised in the country. The houses are nearly all built of hard wood and concrete. In the cities, more or less Spanish life is used. The people are willing workers, but must have some one to oversee and direct them all the time. In my travels through the country, I was surprised to find that the natives are very poor and how little ambition they have to make money. They wouldn't let a tourist pay for a horse and carriage. The majority of the people are uneducated. "But their schools are improving wonderfully. I took particular pains to visit several of them. One is supported by the government, one by the city, and the third by the church. The two former are the most successful. There are only a few Catholic churches in the entire republic. Spanish and German are taught exclusively. "Education is according to law, must keep their books in Spanish. "The natives are all great smokers. Men, women and children use tobacco in almost every form. Their favorite article is every form of tobacco. They are not very despatched. They manufacture their own liquors and make good stuff. There are no grocery and cigar stores as well as in our cities. More or less gambling is going on in the various club rooms, but the fellows there are not so excited and only small amounts change hands. They seem to play for the pleasure there is in it than for money. "The soil is fertile and, in my opinion, there is vast amount of undeveloped wealth in this country, and it is near, especially in the Cordillera mountains. But the Goajira (Wahira) Indians are there and are savage. Our little company of men and women, some of them riding over the mountain. That same night five of a party of six tourists were killed by the Goajira. I visited five villages where there is no one but Indians. The women are at work spinning out the wild cotton on home-made looms and the men wear long, narrow, pointed shoes. There is no excitement and only small amounts change hands. They seem to play for the pleasure there is in it than for money.

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