

of the sticks struck the paper and it came out of the rubbish. They could not believe their eyes but decided to go to a bank and find out for sure. En route they displayed the piece of paper to all who cared to examine it with the result that they will probably never know whether they are soldiers of fortune or not.

Tyson Bound to Grand Jury.

Carl Tyson, a bookkeeper, arrested in Chicago at the instance of Courtenay Dinwiddle of the Associated Charities, and charged with deserting his family, was arraigned in police court yesterday and held to the grand jury in \$500 bail, which he was unable to raise.

The complaint recites that the family consists of a wife and four minor children, Josephine, aged 8; Catherine, 6; Wilhelmina, 3; and Doyle, 2. It is alleged that Tyson left the city and has not contributed to their support during the last six weeks.

Store People Will Appear For City.

Charles Brown charged with stealing a ladies' waist from the National store at 18 West Superior street, was arraigned yesterday and pleaded not guilty. He will be tried today. Bail was set at \$100. The case of the city against him will be supported by G. A. Oreck of the store management and Minnie Goodchild and Rose Plotkin, clerks.

The store people declare Brown put the waist under his coat and ran. The chase was taken up by a patrolman and Brown was not caught until cornered at the Northern Pacific dock No. 6 at the foot of First avenue West. Six revolver bullets were fired at his fleeing form and when he showed fight at the dock the officer used his club. The waist was not recovered.

Young Girl Will Go Home.

Loretta Brown, a 19-year-old carnival snake charmer, charged with being a vagrant was taken in charge yesterday by Miss Poirier, the state factory inspector, after arrangements were completed for supplying the maid with a ticket to her home in Hammond, Ind. The girl was ousted from her job when the show reached Duluth and apparently left stranded by the manager of the troupe.

Yesterday the police reached the carnival company by wire and the manager promised to forward the price of a ticket for the girl so that she can return to her home. She was thrown upon the mercy of a number of negroes who had accompanied the carnival as entertainers. Her visit to their quar-

ters aroused the curiosity of the police and her arrest followed.

Alleges He Lets Chicken Wander.

Felix Jasnoch, charged with permitting chickens to run at large, pleaded not guilty when arraigned and will be up for trial today. He was given his freedom pending trial on \$10 cash bail. He resides at 4010 West Sixth street and the complaint is sworn to by a neighbor woman who alleges her garden was partially destroyed by the Jasnoch chickens.

Brown Escapes From Charge.

Frank Brown charged with burglary in connection with the robbery of a grocery store owned by Frank Tarnowsky at No. 2 West Eighth street, was discharged yesterday at the close of an investigation into the case against him.

The case of the state rested upon the finding of a hat in the grocery which was identified as being the property of the accused man. Brown was able to prove that the hat was not his property and the court declared himself satisfied that Brown took no part in the store breaking.

Raises Money by False Pretense.

Charles Williams went over the hill for 10 days yesterday when he pleaded guilty to having become voluntarily intoxicated. The police reported that their prisoner is in the habit of binding up his perfectly good left arm in a sling and then going about soliciting alms on the strength of his apparent inability to work. Williams did not deny that he had occasionally found it convenient to help out his funds by the method described.

POLICE COURT

Newsboys Flied of Wealth.

"Gee," said Frank Morano, a newsboy, as he walked into police headquarters yesterday. "Gee, ain't that the toughest luck a fellow ever had? My luck changes before I kin crack a twenty-buck cert. Ain't it horrible? What?" And so it came out that Frank had been smiled upon by fortune only to be trodden down by cruel fate.

"Me an' me pal Buck finds a \$20 bill in a ash heap un' the Sixt' avnoo viaduc' and bla... if a big boob didn' reach us for it before we cud make the money store," he cried to the chief. "Lend me a cop an' I'll nail the guy, chief, won't you?" And so an order was sent out to arrest Frank's enemy. The net brought in Andrew Hill and two friends.

Hill was charged with larceny and his friends cleared him when he was arraigned in court and pleaded not guilty. The trio said they were attracted to a crowd of men standing around two newsboys who were displaying what looked like a \$20 gold certificate. The boys said they found it and a short stout man wearing a cap got his hands on the bill and then ran away.

"I am not sure whether it was a bill or not for it looked like paper used in holding the ends of a bolt of cloth," said Hill. "It might have been a bill though, but I didn't get close enough to see for the man who took it from the kids disappeared right away. I wouldn't rob a 'newsie' if he found a diamond mine, your honor." The friends went on record in the same manner and the case was dismissed.

The boys declared they were snooping around beneath the viaduct and pushing sticks into the ash heap. One