

may be out of the game for the rest of the season. His shoulder was hurt in yesterday's game with Brooklyn. The loss of the red-topped catcher would be a hard blow to Moran's chances.

Pittfeds climbed by spanking Kaws twice. Konetchy, Oakes and Mowrey batted hard.

Brooklyn made it three straight over Newark, Finneran allowing three hits. Reulbach was hit hard.

### ONE WAY THE POLICE ARE ON THE CLEANING OUT JOB

A social worker said the police force of Chicago got hysterical on Sunday and remained that way on Monday and this is what she based her opinion on.

From the elevator on the 9th floor of the city hall the corridor to the boys' court was almost a solid mass of men and women and boys and girls. Inside the courtroom there was not much less of a crowd, but there must have been a lot of cops missing from their beats because a good proportion of them were hanging around the court waiting to testify against boys ranging from 17 to 20.

Without picking out any particular cases a Day Book reporter made a memorandum of these in rotation after hearing the remark of the social worker.

Boy, 17, arrested for vagrancy. Worked up until a month ago and lives with his parents. Three police officers testified against him; one to the effect he had seen the boy in company with thieves; the other to the effect that he had seen the boy in company with boys he believed to be thieves, and the third that he had seen the boy in bad company.

"It has been argued that a minor cannot be held under the vagrancy law," said Judge Trude. "The parents are responsible."

"Well, couldn't the complaint be changed to larceny?" asked one of the officers who had given no testi-

mony of larceny. Case continued a week.

Four boys on gambling charge, one as look-out. Two officers. First story of one officer that he had found boys gambling and one boy had put 50 cents in his pocket. Later amended by officer to fact that he saw dice and money in the alley, but did not see anyone handling either. Discharged.

Case of assault, 5 arrested, including girl accused by police of hiding boys. One boy fined \$10 and costs. Others discharged.

Two boys arrested charged with larceny on police complaint. Actual crime taking auto for ride without owner's permission. Leave to file complaint denied.

Four boys charged with rioting because they were in a crowd. No evidence to hold boys on charge. Discharged.

Seven boys arrested charged with shaking dice in barn in which they worked. City prosecuting attorney recommended that they be discharged. They were.

Two boys arrested on riot charge. No evidence to support charge. Leave to file complaint denied.

One boy no wagon license. Officer later discovered he had. Discharged.

One boy no wagon license, no vehicle tax. Vehicle tax charge proven untrue. Withdrawn. Boy discharged on securing peddling license.

There were nearly 200 cases, but the reporter left at the end of these. The police are cleaning up Chicago.

### HER GUESS

Ester—Why did Wagner compose such terribly loud music?

Cora—Perhaps his wife was deaf and he did it to annoy her!—Yonkers Statesman.

A Sheffield steel firm has recently evolved a new product which is called stainless steel, which when brought to a bright, polished finish is proof against rust, stain or tarnish.