

## Truant Girl Coming Home.

Frances Gould, the sixteen-year-old girl who disappeared from her home at No. 621 2d street nearly a month ago and was afterward arrested in Cincinnati, as heretofore published in The Star, is soon to return home. Her father has sent her a ticket. As she has expressed a desire to return, no one was sent west to accompany her.

She is a daughter of Max Gould, the tailor, who is well known in Northeast Washington, where he lives.

When arrested in Cincinnati the girl was dressed as a boy, and she gave her name to the officers as Charles Kaiser. In her pocket she carried a package of cigarettes and a mouth harp. These she carried for the purpose of concealing her sex, if possible. At the central police station she cried, and said she did not want to return home. She had changed her costume, she said, because she thought she could make her way through the world as a boy easier than as a girl.

Several days ago the child wrote a letter to her parents, with a request to her mother that it should be answered.

Inspector Mattingly was consulted, and the girl's arrest followed. It is expected that she will reach home tomorrow.