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THE LEXOW INVESTIGATION FULL OF SENSATIONS.

Keepers of Disorderly Houses Testify to Paying Large Sum to Police For Protection — Many Police Captains and Wardmen Involved — Serious Charges Against Tammany Officials.

NEW YORK, June 6.—The rumor that the counsel for the police investigating committee had several big sensations on hand caused a crowd of eager spectators to assemble fully an hour before Senator Lexow and his colleagues appeared.

Although Mr. Goff would not say what witnesses he had in reserve, it was understood that he would go on with the startings disclosed which were begun last Friday.

Lawyer Stillwell of Mount Vernon was on hand. He said that he had not seen Gideon Granger for more than a week, and that he knew nothing "as to" his present whereabouts.

Mr. Goff said that the publication in the newspapers that the witnesses would be summoned before the grand jury and the police board intimidated them, and that six of his witnesses had left the state rather than testify.

Angus Theron said she kept a place in Seventh Avenue and Wardman Street under Captain McCullough, called each month and demanded \$10 or \$20 and always got it. Wardman Mehan afterward collected the tribute under Captain Dougherty. She failed to come to time one month and was raided. She was fined \$25.

She testified that she did not resume business till after Captain Dougherty's trial, and then paid Wardman Hook \$5 for himself and \$25 for the captain. Hook threatened to pull her place if she did not give him \$10 instead of \$5, saying that the place was worth \$10 a month.

She said she then went to Senator Roscoe's office and told him that she could not afford to pay so much, and he said that if she could give \$100 to the Tammany Club in that district he thought he could fix it for her, and that a few nights after John May, secretary of the club, came for the money, stating that he came from Rosch, and that she paid him the money in the presence of her husband, and she resumed business the same night.

Then came the most important witness of the day, Katie Schubert, a chemical blonde. She was richly attired. She said she formerly ran a disorderly house at 144 Chrystie street about three years ago. Inspector McLaughlin, then captain, was in command. She testified that he and his ward man, Burns, called on her and demanded \$600 and assuring her protection. She said it, the ward man called every month and got \$20.

Then Captain Cross came with his ward man, Smith, and called at her "house." She told him to call again the next day, and the new captain, fork over the initials "T. C." to the "old" captain. Captain Cross called every month and got \$20. Then came Captain Dever to the Eldridge street station. With his ward man he called and said: "You know, \$200 please?" She told him to call again a few days. He did, and received the money in small bills. The witness in return for this said her house was never raided by the police. She said she did not keep any account books and never asked for a receipt. No witness was present when the money was paid over. Health certificate, signed by Dr. L. P. Faulk, certifying to the girl's health, were offered in evidence.

On cross-examination the witness said she did not care to tell where she lived now. "I am out of the business," said God, since Parkhurst pulled my hotel last November," she said. Captain Cross was present and the witness identified him. The witness said she had paid \$2,000 for protection.

Mr. Nicoll wanted to put Captain Cross on the stand. Mr. Goff objected and was sustained. "It may be necessary to put every captain on the stand and Captain Cross will have his day with the rest," said Counselor Goff.

"And meanwhile the public will suspend judgment," said Chairman Lexow.

Dr. Parkhurst said: "I regard this as a complete justification of my charge."

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