

THE POPE'S REPORTER.

Mgr. Ducey Watching Lexow Proceedings on Orders from Rome.

LEO XIII. HAS HIS EYE ON TAMMANY.

The World's Story of His Interest in New York Politics Confirmed by St. Leo's Pastor.

TO PROTECT THE CHURCH'S GOOD NAME.

Over His Own Signature Mgr. Ducey Explains His Constant Attendance at the Police Investigation.

To the Editor of The World: I cannot refuse to oblige a journal that has taken so deep an interest in the Lexow Senate Committee's efforts, and that has emphasized so correctly and persistently the grave obligation...



FATHER DUCHEY, FROM LIFE. (Engraved white reporting Lexow for Rome.)

that rests upon the shoulders of every honorable citizen, irrespective of party, to give every help to this body to purify the cesspool that poisons the moral atmosphere of New York City.

The work done by the Senate committee and its counsel, Messrs. John W. Goff, William Travers Jerome and Frank Moss, during the last few days is wonderful in more ways than one.

Remarkable as were the revelations before the committee in its first sessions, still more astounding and wonderful is their work since Monday last. The facts presented to the public during the present week must appeal to every well-disposed person and make each and every honest citizen of this community, be he Tammany Hall Democrat, Independent or Republican, ask: "What is my obligation before God and man in view of the evidence before me?"

I do not think that any father of a family, any brother who has a sense of his obligation to the purity of his family, can rest in peace and claim that he has any idea of the obligations to family purity unless he shows that he is roused to indignation and action to preserve the good name and honor of this fair city.

It is true that our good Mayor, Mr. Gilroy, thinks, if he has been reported correctly since his return from Europe, that the angel which watches over the interests of this city is an angel of such infinite purity of vision and clothed with wings of such infinite dimensions that he can cover, and has covered, with his protecting pinions all the children of this vast city and saved them from the blight and stain of infamy.

Paris and London, in the judgment of our good Mayor, have neither the moral nor material cleanliness of this pure city that is protected from contagion by its guardian angel—Tammany Hall.

NO ANSWER IN BERNERS. One cannot discredit facts supported by cumulative and confirmatory evidence given by men of honor and irrefragable character simply by sneering at the unfortunate or criminal.

architectural creations of that municipality. There seems to be no prospect of the material destruction of our great city, but certainly if things go on as we have them there will not be a line of moral beauty left in the figure.

Money is a great power if rightly used, a great power for great good; and wrongly used, as we see it before the Lexow investigation, a great weapon to destroy every sentiment of right and good and endanger the personal security of every decent citizen in this community.

I see that since the adjournment efforts are being made to cloud and destroy the wonderful evidence given by this unfortunate youth. I think the efforts will prove vain and serve as a boomerang. Of course, I shall be delighted, as will every citizen, if the Police Department can prove beyond a doubt that this miserable lad, whose life is crime-stained, did not tell a word of truth, as some officials assert. I am sorry for the boy's criminal life, but I would rejoice to see the Police Department prove how criminal he is, and that he is a perjurer.

Better to know that young Applegate is not this an appalling crime and a disgrace to the community? I trust that the police authorities will immediately make every effort to detect every person, high or low, directly or indirectly connected with this crime and wrong against a poor and simple woman—a crime which has aroused the indignation of the community.

The World asks me if the religious bodies in New York should not make every effort to arouse the various congregations to a sense of the danger to which this great city is exposed, and it further asks me if I believe the statement made in The World a few days ago that the Vatican had taken a deep interest in the proceedings of the Lexow committee and its disclosures, for the reason that the fair name of the Church and Catholic morals were endangered by the asserted affiliation with the name of Tammany.

I sincerely hope that all ministers of religion will see the necessity of safeguarding, more vigorously and vigilantly than ever, the peace and morals of the city and the nation. The World of this morning, in the editorial introduction to the story of the Lexow investigation, has shown that the Vatican has been interested in the proceedings of the Lexow committee and its disclosures, for the reason that the fair name of the Church and Catholic morals were endangered by the asserted affiliation with the name of Tammany.

I know the truth of the statement made in The World, that the Vatican had looked into the reported condition of things in New York, and I am delighted to find that the Vatican has taken an interest in the proceedings of the Lexow committee and its disclosures, for the reason that the fair name of the Church and Catholic morals were endangered by the asserted affiliation with the name of Tammany.

His ORDERS FROM ROME. "A few days ago," says my correspondent, "I had a long interview with Cardinal Gibbons and had to go into details about the Lexow investigation and its disclosures, and the history of Tammany."

The second letter has the following passage: "The communication that has reached the Vatican in relation to Tammany etc., have certainly produced a deep interest in New York, and I am delighted to find that the Vatican has taken an interest in the proceedings of the Lexow committee and its disclosures, for the reason that the fair name of the Church and Catholic morals were endangered by the asserted affiliation with the name of Tammany."

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EX-CAPTAINS HAD NO CONFEY. Stephenson, Cross, Doherty and Devery Have Not Met. They Say to Plan Their Appeal. Ex-Police Captain John T. Stephenson denied last night a rumor that he and ex-Capt. Devery, Cross and Doherty met in a hotel in Hoboken to consider what action to take to bring up their cases on appeal as speedily as possible.

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BUCHANAN FOR CONGRESS. Sixth District Populists Promulgate Their Doctrines and Name Their Candidate.

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