

and asked Mr. Carruthers to walk out with me; there was no one left at the station except one of the men of the new force; met Constable Graham on the street; took them both into a store and gave the warrant to the Chief, with instructions to execute it immediately; this was about nine o'clock; the arrest was accordingly made. From my knowledge of Mr. Carruthers I could not say whether he had any complicity with robbers, but do not think he would. Never have seen anything that would cause me to suspect him. He has frequently told me of getting information from Jeffrey with regard to crimes committed and the criminals; he said he had often made use of such information.

MARGARET PALMER, sworn—I have seen Mr. John Peacock; remember hearing about a dress that was stolen; I did hear that the dress was taken to Mrs. Marshall's; never heard whether the dress was found or not; I told Mr. Peacock that I heard it was taken to Jeffrey's; never told Mr. Peacock that intimation had been received at Mrs. Marshall's that a search warrant was issued; I told him he might find it at Jeffrey's; I do not remember saying that the warrant had better not be given to Carruthers; had no reason to do so.

TUESDAY, June 13.

Investigation resumed.

WILLIAM EDGAR sworn—I was foreman of the Grand Jury at the last term of the Recorder's Court. When we visited the gaol, I was the first to enter the cell of Jeffrey. Witness repeated the conversation that occurred on the occasion:—

*Witness*—"Well, Jeffrey, how are you getting along here?"

*Jeffrey*—"Oh, first-rate; but there are some others who ought to be here along with me."

*Witness*—"To whom do you refer?"

*Jeffrey*—"To Alderman Patterson and the Chief of Police."

*One of the Jurors*—"Why, you do not consider them guilty?"

*Jeffrey*—"Well, if I am guilty, they are guilty too."

*A Juror*—"Then you acknowledge your guilt?"

*Jeffrey*—"Oh, no one is going to own up his guilt; but they are guilty if I am."

The prisoner was rather in a jovial mood during the conversation, and smiled when he made the allusion to Alderman Patterson and the Chief of Police.

In consequence of the absence of Mr. Freeman, owing to engagements at the County Court, now in session, an adjournment was asked for until four o'clock this afternoon.

The Court was then adjourned to four o'clock this afternoon, at the Council Chamber.