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**Clarence Darrow In His Own Defence**

Los Angeles, Cal., July 30.—Clarence S. Darrow, on trial for alleged jury bribery, took the witness stand in his own behalf yesterday. In the brief time he was on the stand, Darrow contradicted the testimony by George Behm and Bert Franklin, which had been considered damaging to his case. Mr. Darrow gave his age as 56 next April, and said he had been practicing law for 36 years. He gave a brief history of his various important employments and a brief account of his record as a representative of organized labor. Asked about his relations with George Behm, uncle of Ortie McManigal, Darrow said that Behm and Mrs. McManigal had visited his home in Chicago, where Mrs. McManigal complained of the manner in which her husband had been treated by W. J. Burns, the detective. "I had no conversation at any time in reference to getting McManigal to change his testimony," said Darrow emphatically, "and I never gave him any money for that purpose." "Did you hear Franklin say," asked Darrow's counsel, "that the first time you ever spoke to him concerning the bribery of jurors, was on October 5, and that on the succeeding day, October 6,

**WINNING A BRIDE.**

**Mark Twain's Wooing of Lovely Olivia Langdon.**

**NOT HELPED BY HIS FRIENDS.**

They Seemed to Agree That He Would Make About the Worst Husband on Record, but Miss Langdon's Father Took a Different View.

In Harper's Magazine Albert Bigelow PaINE, the authorized biographer of Mark Twain, tells how the great humorist first met Olivia Langdon, who afterward became his wife. They met in New York. Young Charles Langdon, who had been on the voyage of the "Innocents," brought them together.

"At the old St. Nicholas hotel which stood on the west side of Broadway between Spring and Broome streets, there were stopping at this time Jervis Langdon, a wealthy coal dealer and mine owner of Elmira; his son Charles and his daughter, Olivia, whose pictured face Samuel Clemens had first seen in the bay of Smyrna one September day. Young Langdon had been especially anxious to bring his distinguished Quaker City friend and his own people together, and two days before Christmas Samuel Clemens was invited to dine at the hotel. He went very willingly. The lovely girl of the miniature which he had first seen in her brother's stateroom had been often a part of his waking dreams. For the first time, now, he looked upon its reality. Long afterward he said: "It is forty years ago. From that day to this she has never been out of my mind."

"His was not an untroubled courtship. When at last he reached the point of proposing for the daughter of the house neither the daughter nor the household offered any noticeable encouragement to his suit.

"There was only a provisional engagement at first. Jervis Langdon suggested, and Samuel Clemens agreed with him, that it was proper to know something of his past as well as of his present before the official parental sanction should be given. When Mr. Langdon inquired as to the names of persons of standing to whom he might write for credentials, Clemens pretty confidently gave him the name of the Rev. Mr. Stebbings and others of San Francisco, adding that he might write also to Joe Goodman if he wanted to, but that he had lied for Goodman a hundred times and that Goodman would lie for him if necessary, so his testimony would be of no value. The letters to the clergy were written, and Mr. Langdon also wrote one on his own account.

"Clemens was in Jacksonville, Ill., at the end of March, 1869, and in a letter to his publisher states that he will be in Elmira two days later and asks that proofs of the book be sent there. He arrived according to schedule, anxious to hear the reports that would make him, as the novels might say, 'the happiest or the most miserable of men.' Jervis Langdon had a rather solemn look when they were alone together. Clemens asked:

"You've heard from those gentlemen out there?"  
 "Yes, and from another gentleman I wrote concerning you."  
 "They don't appear to have been very enthusiastic from your manner."  
 "Well, yes; some of them were."  
 "I suppose I may ask what particular form their emotion took?"  
 "Oh, yes; yes, they agree unanimously that you are a brilliant, able man, a man with a future, and that you would make about the worst husband on record."  
 "The applicant for favor had a forlorn look."  
 "There's nothing very evasive about that," he said.  
 "There was a period of reflective silence. It was probably no more than a few seconds, but it seemed longer."  
 "Haven't you any other friend that you suggest?" Langdon said.  
 "Apparently none whose testimony would be valuable."  
 "Jervis Langdon held out his hand. 'You have at least one,' he said. 'I believe in you. I know you better than they do.'  
 "And so came the crown of happiness. The engagement of Samuel Langhorne Clemens and Olivia Lewis Langdon was ratified next day, Feb. 2, 1869."

you gave him a cheque for \$1,000 for such purpose?"  
 "Yes."  
 "Was that true?"  
 "I had no such conversation with Franklin," said Darrow, "nor did I give him any cheque on October 6, for any purpose. I did give him a cheque for \$1,000 on October 4, and I think I gave him the next cheque about October 15. These cheques were for the expenses of his office."  
 The defence promised to produce at the resumption of the trial, to-morrow morning, the cheque for \$1,000 given Franklin on October 4.

**Salmon Fishing In The St. John River**

Fredericton, July 30.—The first salmon caught in the St. John River this season with a fly were killed at Hartt's Island pool yesterday. A number of local fishermen were at the pool, there being a fine run of salmon on, and Mr. R. N. MacCumm, secretary of the John Palmer Company, got no less than four grills.

A fine run of salmon is reported from Springhill, and some good catches are expected within the next few days, the pool being only about five miles above Fredericton.

**Died From Swallowing His False Teeth**

FREDERICTON, Aug. 1.—Thomas Weeks, aged 55, a resident of Taymouth, died at Victoria Hospital to-day as the result of having swallowed his false teeth while eating his breakfast at his home on Monday morning. He was hurried to this city after a doctor had been called and found an operation necessary, and was operated upon at Victoria Hospital, the teeth and piece of plate being removed from his throat.

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**Big Salmon Caught With Fly In St. John River**

FREDERICTON, Aug. 1.—What is said to be the largest salmon ever caught in the St. John river with a fly was captured last night by R. N. MacCumm, secretary of the John Palmer Company, who killed it after an hour's exciting play at Hartt's Island pool, at Springhill, last evening. The fish weighs about sixteen pounds.

Customs returns given out show an increase of over \$11,000 in amount of duty collected here for July, as compared with the same month last year.

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**Brief Items of Interest to Women**

More than 1,100 women are enrolled at Berlin University this year, of whom sixty are from the United States.

Kansas has more than sixty women lawyers and more than a hundred women physicians.

For the first time in the history of Budapest, Hungary, three women have been elected to the school board, the law prohibiting the election of women to such office having been repealed.

Miss Mabel Kelso, of Seattle, has passed the examination as wireless telegraph operator, receiving one of the highest marks given at the United States Government's naval wireless training school at Puget Sound navy yard. She was assigned to the steamer Mariposa, which sailed for Alaska July 1.

Miss Clara A. Jess, who was recently appointed recorder of Daly City, San Mateo county, has the distinction of being the first woman magistrate in California. Under the city charter she has judiciary powers in addition to those of recorder. She will preside over the police court.

Mme. Rachel Vuille, of Switzerland, was recently admitted to the bar at Geneva amid the cheers of all the lawyers present. Mme. Vuille, who has entered into partnership with an eminent lawyer of Geneva, passed her legal examinations within three years and was graduated with honor.

Miss Flora Dunlap is the first woman to be elected a member of the board of education at Des Moines, Ia. She has been engaged in settlement work for several years and her record was such that the women of Des Moines decided to put her forward as their representative in school matters. On election day she ran more than 2,000 votes ahead of her nearest competitor.

**Tour of the Duke of Connaught and Party**

NEW GLASGOW, N. S., Aug. 1.—H. H. R., the Duke of Connaught and Princess Patricia arrived this morning from Pictou, and were given a warm welcome, and buildings along the route of procession were gaily decorated, and, in fact, the whole town was ablaze with bunting. One hundred men from the 78th Regiment formed the escort for the vice-regal party. Addresses of welcome were presented to the Governor General by town and court officials, to which His Royal Highness responded. The Duke inspected the plant of the Nova Scotia Coal and Steel Company, and afterwards left by train for Truro.

TRURO, Aug. 1.—Truro is gay with flags and bunting, and when the Duke of Connaught and Princess Patricia arrive there this afternoon Truro will be a veritable fairyland along the route of the procession. The committee have done hard work, and everything is in readiness for the Vice-Royal party.

The official programme will require two hours for fulfillment. Excursion trains on the I. C. R. and D. A. R. are expected to bring in thousands, and if the day is not favorable for haying, the countryside will contribute as many more. Already the town is full of visitors.

The special train with the Vice-Royal party will arrive at 2.45, and depart at 4.30, and in that time the Duke will receive and reply to an address, unveil a historical tablet to Colonel McNutt, lay the corner-stone of the new civic palace, and visit the experimental farm.

**A Useful Hint**

Mrs. Yeast—"I just love to shut my eyes and think."  
 Mr. Yeast—"Why don't you try that with your mouth sometime, dear?"