

person with whom the candidate or his agents deal is also liable to be snmmoned as a witness, and must also divulge everything or commit perjury for which he may be punished, and that the penalty for disobeying the law is prosecu-

"But the man-arr, such she asked. "We shall take him with us. He will need my skill and your nursing for some days to come." It was two weeks later when the sheriff opened his eyes and saw Molle Davy seated near his bedside. The old claim had been left a hundred miles bobind and the abandoned cabin of a And then there is tobacco. ODD THINGS ABOUT WORDS.

When the Word "Lunch" Was First A "lunch," etymologically, is just a

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tion, fine and imprisonment and loss of office, and the case is such that only the hardened villain or the customary criminal would venture on filing a false statement. The plans which the practica

politicians are conceiving by which the law may be evaded will which the law may be evaded will come to grief and the inventors to disgrace. The law was de-manded by the people, and the people, tired of being sold out by the boodler at convention and election, are in favor of enforcing this law

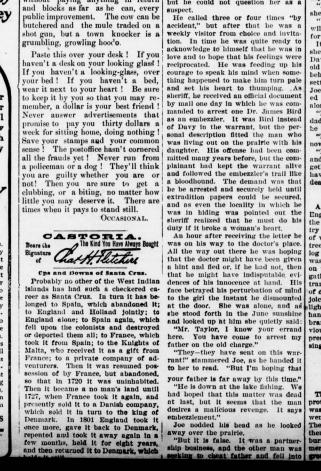
The immunity that has attended violations of the bribery laws in the past have been due to the fact that the offense was always known only to the giver and the taker, and neither could be forced to tell. The new law meets that situation by compelling all per-sons to testify. If a witness re-fuse he will go to jail for con-tempt of court and be released when he testifies and not before.

We hail the dawn of a better day in Pennsylvania politics. All over the United States the public attention is directed to the cor rupt use of money in politics and legislative bodies. Men high in finance and society are under in-dictment for that offense, and in danger of condign punishment. It is high time. The people can-not afford to sell themselves and their liberties to the plutocrats. If the corrupt use of money in politics is not checked free governMA.

Thousands of boys all over this country, who never had much money to call their own, are happy now at the merry jingle of cash in their pockets, made by selling

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Friday afternoons and Saturdays. They have no better chances, they are no brighter than you. It's just this—instead of draming about the good times to come, they got right down to business and hustled for what they wanted. You can do the same. Don't lose any time about it. Write a letter to day asking us to send you our hand-some booklet about boys who make money, also the complete outfit for starting in business. With this will come ten free copies of *The Post*, which you can sell at 5c each. After this you buy as many copies as you need at whole-sale prices. As an inducement to do good work we give, among other prizes, watches, sweaters, etc., to boys who sell a certain number of copies. And in addition \$250 in Extra Cash Prizes EACH MONTH THE CURTIS PUBLISHING COMPANY 1728 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa.



behind and the abandoned cabin of a settler had been taken possession of. Joe Taylor had been nursed and tend-ed through fever as the wagon rolled

along. "Mollle, I take it that it was betwixt dad and me?" he said as she saw that be had come back to earth again. "It was, Joe," she replied. "But, now"-

"But now it's betwixt you and me, and as soon as I can shake myself together I'i' fix things so that you won't have to do any more moving. Thanks, dear, that you shot a little too high!"

Lighting the Yule Log.

Lighting the Yule Log. A custom at one time prevalent in England and still observed in some of the northern districts of the old coun-try is that of placing an immense log of wood, sometimes the root of a great tree, in the wide chinney place. This log is often called the Yule log, and it was on Christmas eve that it was put on the wide hearth. Around it would gather the entire family, and their en-trance was the occasion of a great deal of ceremony. There was music and re-jolcing, while the one authorised to light it was obliged to have clean hands. It was always lighted with a

hight it was obliged to have clean hands. It was always lighted with a brand left over from the leg of the prs-vlous year, which had been carefully preserved for that purpose. A poet sings of it in this way:

With the last year's brand Light the new block, and For good success in his spending On your psainfes play, That sweet luck may Come while the log is a tending.

Come while the log is a tending. The Yule log was supposed to be a protection against evil spirits, and it was considered a bad omen if the fire went out before the evening was over. The family and guests used to seat themselves in front of the brightly burning fire, and many a story and merry jost went round the happy

A "funch," etymologically, is just a lump. In the sitteenth century a "lunch of bacon" meant merely a slice or hunk of it. So Burns speaks of bread and cheese "dealt about in lunches," and Scott records that "little Benjie was ramming a buge luncheon of pie crust into his mouth." While in modern times "lunch" is an abbrevia-tion from "luncheon," the latter was consisting an elongation of "lunch." A

originally an elongation of "lunch." philologist shows how the old "noor shenk," noon drink, came to mean noon

eating, and to appear as "nunsheon," and the development thereafter of "luncheon" from "lunch" was very "inncheon" from "lunch" was very natural. Curious changes of words sometimes take place between two languages. Thus English has borrowed the French "poseur" and has given to France "snob" in trade. Frenchmen have a way of taking a polysylable word and using half of it. Thus of "steeple-chase they have appropriated the "steeple," and now the French sports-man speaks of "mounting a steeple" when he means to ride a race over the customary obstacles. A smoking jack-et is with him a "smoking" and a sleep-ing car is a "sleeping."

reefs on which the Baltic beats. "In spite of their cold climate the Swedes delight in the open air. After the indoor life of English or Amer-

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the indoor life of English or Amer-lean cities its a great pleasure to take one's meals out of doors, although it may sometimes be necessary to dine wrapped in an overcoat. We have seen people dining in the Tivoli gardens beneath awaines and umbrellas in the "REX." ath awnings and umbrellas f . This habit may explain the h vigor of the Swedes." \$35. STEEL AND WAITE FOR

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't Was a Luxury In This Country In the Eighteenth Century. 't Was a Luxury in This Country in the Eighteenth Centiny. The first newspaper notice that an-nounced the sale of cocoa and chocolation in Anferica read: "Amos Track, at his house a little be-low the Bell tavers in Danvers, makes and sells chocolate which he will war-rant to be good and takes cocoa to grind. Those who may please to favor him with their custom may depend up on being well served, and at a very cheap rate." This notice appeared in the Essex Gazette of Massachusetts on the 18th of June, 1771, five years before the signing of the Declaration of Independ. THE ROSS SUPPLY CO.. ANDERSON., IND. ORDER QUICK, BEFORE TOO LATE NOT IN ANY TRUST Many newspapers have lately given currency reports by irresponsible parties to the effect The New HOME SEWING MACHINE CO has assure the public that there is not restrict in source the public that there is not restrict in such reports. We have been manufacturing seving machines for over a quarter of a series to assure the public that there is not restrict in the seving machines that is the envy of all over the seving machines that is the envy of all seven and our machines that is the envy of all seven and our machines that is the envy of all seven and our machines that is the envy of all theres. Our "Arest Mome" machine has public the seven and stands on its ocen merits. The "Acce Home" is the only restrict the seven and stands on its ocen merits. The theorem and the seven merits of the seven and stands on the operation of the seven and the seven merits. The seven the seven and stands on the seven and the seven seven and seven is made to sell regard-seven dyour money away from home; call on a "Acce Home" Declarer, he can all you a seven heme. If there is no dealer near you, write direct to us. THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE CO

Gazette of Massachusetts on the 18th of June, 1771, five years before the signing of the Declaration of Independ-ence. Despite Mr. Trask's assurance that his rate was cheap, chocolate was very expensive and beyond the purse of any but the wealthy folk. Wouldn't they be surprised to see how generally chocolate is sold these days in packages as cheap as a penny? When the Spanish soldier Cortes con-quered Mexico in 1519 he found the people very fond of a drink called "chocolati." This was served to the ruler Montezunna in a cup of sold gold. When the Spaniards went home they introduced this drink into their coun-try, but it remained very expensive. The secret of its preparation was never allowed to get out of Spain. Now it is the cheapest article of food and drink we have. Speed Rates. Few men could tell, if they were asked, how many feet per second they walk. The average man walks four feet a second. A dog, on its ordinary jog, goes eight feet a second. A horse trois tweive feet a second. A reindeer over the ice makes twenty-six feet. A race horse makes forty-three feet. Philadelphia Bulletin. Got the Thorn. Young Thorne (to his ideal) - And your name is Rose? What a sweet name Rose is! Rose-I am glad you like it. But-but-but I do not want to be a rose without a Thoras. What could a fellow say after that?