sereted him:

"Hello Cryer, is that you—glad to meet you."

"Cilad to meet—but who are you?" inquired the merchant.

"Why I am a friend of Mr. Taylor in London."

"If know Mr. Taylor well."

"Of course; I know you well; would you mind taking a parcel to him when you go home?" The merchant said he would be very willing to oblige his old friend. The confidence man then led him to where he had the package, a den in a street off Broadway—just where, the merchant is unable new to tell. As they entered the bunco-shop two men were engaged playing cards; the merchant's alleged friend and down and took a hand at the cards and won. The merchant was saked to take a hand but declined, as he never bet nor played cards. The man who was beaten in the game drew out a ten dollar bill and asked for change; the merchant's friend asked for change; the merchant's friend asked the merchant if he would oblige with change. Saying he would the man in furstook out a roll of 390, and as he was leaving two five-dollar bills his friend unatabled the roll and ran out with it. He got up from his seat to follow the thief when a man rushed in front of him saying: "I am a reporter. What is this; how is this? Tell me all about it," thus delaying Mr. Cryer five minutes, during which time the confidence thief had escaped. Mr. Cryer five minutes, during which time the confidence their had escaped. Mr. Cryer five minutes, during which time the confidence their had escaped. Mr. Cryer five minutes, during which time the confidence their had escaped. Mr. Cryer five minutes, during which time the confidence their had escaped. Mr. Cryer five minutes, during which time the confidence their had escaped. Mr. Cryer five minutes, during which time the confidence their had escaped. Mr. Cryer five minutes, during which time the confidence their had escaped. Mr. Cryer five minutes, during which time the confidence their had escaped. Mr. Cryer five minutes, during which time the confidence their had escaped. Mr. Cryer five minutes, during which time the confidenc

It Should be Generally Known.

Discovery" will, by acting upon the liver and purifying the blood, oure all these diseases.

The Multiplicity of Racing.

Hauley Mark, in the Fortnightly Review.

The curse of the turf at present lies in the multiplicity of racing, whereby horses are run off their legs, fields reduced to a minimum, and contests are made uninteresting. Year by year, too, the extortionate taxation exercised on race course tends to explude the true sportsman, the man who loves horses, and loves to see them pitted against each other, and to support his own judgment of the country meetings more is asked now for entrance to the stand to witness two or three day's racing than is desmanded at ascent to lotte out the stand to witness two or three day's racing than is desmanded at ascent to lotte out the stand to witness two or three day's racing than is desmanded at ascent to lotte out the stand to witness two or three day's racing than is desmanded at ascent to lotte on the best four consecutive enable the legs the world. Anni the direc competition for the patronage of owners of racers. He knows that there for whim or a liking to run try of them go where the lateous the liking to run try of them go where the lateous the lat

well give it them: I have nothing in my hand." And they had told me she could play whise!

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A small capital for a Big Indertaking.

From the New York World.

Edward S. Stokes, Cassius H. Read, Dwight Townsend, Edward Lauterbach, O. A. Lochrane, Elgin Lochrane and Patrick Calhoun are the corporators of the Southern Telegraph and Cable company, which filed its certificate of incorporation yesterday. Its line of telegraph is to run from this oity and throughout the United States and Canada and to any point on the coast of Ireland, to Penzance and to London, to Brussels and to Paris. The capital stock of the company is \$10,000, divided into 100 shares of \$100 each, with the right to increase it.

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WARNING TO THE UNWARY.

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**Warning Central Pete" Believes a Ferest City Man of \$90.

**From the New York World, Dec. 16.

**Grand Central Pete," the best known bunco-man in the city since Hungry Joe's conviction, was a prisoner in Jefferson Market yesterday for indulging in the old game. A country merchant whom Pete had gracefully "steered" into a bunco den was in court to see that justles was done and to get back if possible \$90 which he had lost. The countryman, Mr. John Cryer, dressed in a heavy, fur trimmed overcosk, came from Lendon and stopped at the Astor house. He was walking past the postoffice yesterday, when he was accorated by "Pete."

"You come from Canada, don't you,"
"Idd," answered the merchant, cantiously.

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