to have a commercial value in a side show, a beard is far from being a desirface. Whiskers, mustaches and hairy moles have always been, and probably reaks have ever made them popular, even for a time. Yet they have existed, in all lands and in all ages, upon feminine cheeks of every class, from queen to slave. Depilatory nostrums have been among the adjuncts of the toilet since the memory of woman runneth not to the contrary, and, startling as the revelation may be to many, myriads of fair hands are deft in the use of the razor, their cunning gained by stress of personal necessity in strife with nature. As sonal necessity in strife with nature. As sonal necessity in strife with nature. As a rule women depilate or shave in secret, relying upon their own skill; but of late years, professional practitioners have come among us, introducing European customs, treating superfluous hair with consenting superfluous hair with special professional practitioners have come among us, introducing European customs, treating superfluous hair with special professional practitioners have come among us, introducing European constants, treating superfluous hair with special professional practitioners have come among us, introducing European constants, treating superfluous hair with special professional practitioners have come among us, introducing European constants, treating superfluous hair with special professional practitioners have come among us, introducing European constants, treating superfluous hair with special professional practitioners have come among us, introducing European constants, treating superfluous hair with special professional practitioners have come among us, introducing European constants, treating superfluous hair with special professional practitioners have come among us, introducing European constants, treating superfluous hair with special professional practitioners have come among us, introducing European constants, and the professional practitioners have come among us, introducing European constants, and the professional practitioners have come among us, introducing European constants, and the professional practitioners have come among us, introducing European constants, and the professional practitioners have come among us, introducing European constants, and the professional practitioners have come among us, introducing European constants, and the professional practitioners have constant and put me to decide the professional practitioners have constant and put me to decide the professional practitioners have constant and put me to decide the professional practitioners have constant and put me to decide the professional practitioners have cons

mong the wealthy.

A Sun reporter interviewed one of A Sun reporter interviewed one of these practioners, a bright vivacious little woman with a strong foreign accent, who carries on her business in a great brown-stone front house on West Thirty-eighth street. She said: "I have been engaged in the removal of the control of the Thirty-eighth street. She said: "I have been engaged in the removal of superfluous hair some twenty-two years, eight or ten here in New York, and before that in London and Vienna. In Europe I did have a very great success.

Lattendal the ampress of Austria, and Europe I did have a very great success. I attended the empress of Austria, and have from her a certificate to the good ults of my skill. I also attended, with ike success, many ladies of the Austrin court. In Europe it is not as here. There reliance is placed upon the skill of a scientific practitioner. Here, ladies generally are prone to treat themselves, often with terrible results. The drug stores are full of nostrums which women use as depilatories, quack stuffs in which are poisonous acids and corrosive sub-stances, arsenic, aurum, sulphate of lime, and other dangerous things. Often the nostrums destroy the beauty

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vogue among the ancient and mail-clad For once in the night when I was awake

muffin tournament," as it is called, the deep blue sea, with the waves dashwithout historical precedent in the aning over it by day and night, this wonderfulcrop, that never fails from drought, grows and ripens, and yields such great crops that there are two "cuttings" every year; the first begins in February,

SUMMARY OF NEWS. he thinks increased appropriations would be good economy.

Eastern and Middle States.

Abraham Voorhees, president of the broken State bank of New Brunswick, N. J., and three other directors of the institution, were arrested upon the charge of conspiracy to defraud the depositors by misappropriating the deposits.

Considerable curiosity and speculation is aroused concerning the wonderful case of Miss Fancher, of Brooklyn, who was severely injured thirteen years ago, since when she has lain in a trance-like condition muon of the time, eating scarcely enough food in all these years to last a healthy person forty-eight hours. She is reported to have developed extraordinary powers, resembling what is known as second sight or clairvoyance, reading with ease the contents of sealed letters, describing articles in hidden packages and perusing books while absolutely blind. Many clergymen, physicians, men of letters and of intelligence have visited her, and all pronounce her case one of the most extraordinary on record.

The steamer John Bramhall, which sailed from New Haven month ago, has been drown by Haven on the special properties.

The situated men. He is of the opinion that permanent peace in the Indian country can only be maintained by the exhibition of a force large enough to keep hostile savages in subjection. He argues in favor of a repeal or modication of the arm payor of the arm payor of the arm payor of the arm payor of the manufacture of arms. The estimates for the fiscal year ending asks for more money for the manufacture of arms. The estimates for the fiscal year ending asks for more money for the manufacture of arms. The estimates for the fiscal year ending asks for more money for the manufacture of arms. The estimates for the fiscal year ending asks for more money for the manufacture of arms. The estimates for the fiscal year ending asks for more money for the manufacture of arms. The estimates for the fiscal year ending asks for more money for the manufacture of arms. The estimates for the fiscal year ending asks for more money for the manufacture of arms. The

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The steamer John Bramhall, which sailed from Now Haven with \$270,000 worth of arms for Constantinople, some time ago, and went ashore on Little Guil island in a fog. has broken in two parts. Two thousand cases of shot and shell remaining on the wreck will be removed.

The secretary of war, in his annual repor Fashion's Freaks. The graceful Hungarian mantle is one of the most stylish wraps for the winter. Its striking feature is the square Hun-garian sleeve that now forms a part of various mantles, but originally belonged to this shape; these sleeves cover the arm well, and keep the garment down close to the sides in the clinging stylish fashion, and they are cut off straight be-low, the drooping sides that belong to the dolman are avoided. The first is

> two darts without the cross basque seams, and fits smoothly on the figure. draped slightly in connection with the middle forms of the back, The seams of the back taper gracefully, and swell out below the waist line in Marguerite style; then a panier pouf is caught up by means of a drawing string or by pleats; below this the fullness falls in a sweeping curve.
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> The long cloak and full trained skirt is similar to those worn last winter, but

is similar to those worn last winter, but it is now more gracefully fitted on the shoulders and in the seams of the back, and is therefore more generally adopted. and is therefore more generally adopted.

The heaviest cloths are made up by this Othic and Pennsylvania XX. with scollops, fringe, etc. Richly repped black silk, black satin and velvet are used for dress cloaks made in this control of the scollops are not trimmed in the early served are not trimmed in the early

FOR THE FAIR SEX

straight and loose, while the back is sloped into the figure by seams. The plain princesse polonaise and demi-trained skirt has the new princesse polonaise, which is used for velvet, silk, polonaise, which is used for veivet, silk, or fine woolen garments, and is at the same time chosen on account of its simplicity for the plainest alpaca or cash-plicity for the plainest alpaca or cash-Texas 25 plicity for the plainest alpaca or cash-mere dresses. The front is fitted by The side forms begin in the armhole in-stead of in the shoulder seam, and are draped slightly in connection with the

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ment of riding at the ring.

Except to those who have taken part

Ned."

So Jane will hear it and put me to bed.

come among us, introducing guardread constons, treating superfluous hair with scientific gravity, and gradually they are skill in horsemanship, must submit to a course of training that is certainly not course of training that is certainly not source of training that is certainly not course of training that is certainly not course of training that is certainly not course of training the factors.

public festivals, though, of course, never attended with the ceremony and

magnificence of the older tournaments.

Among the more serious accidents which occasioned the disuse of this species of national amusement was the wounding of King Charles IX., the killing of Henry II., and the disabling of Marechal Bassompierre in the lists of

nals of knighthood. During a tilting at the ring in the reign of Henry II., of France, the Duc de Nemours and the

POR THE YOUNG PEOPLE,

knights themselves, and seems to have been a part of the public spectacles of l heard you in the hall, tick, tock! tick, tock!

Neither is the burlesque, or "raga- or harrowing, or sowing seed.