

DISCOURAGING TIPS.

English Railroad Officials Trying to Break Up the Practice. It was stated recently by several officials of railway companies having terminals in the metropolis that the question of the tipping of porters had been engaging the attention of the respective general managers, says the London Times.

CONGRESS HAS ADJOURNED

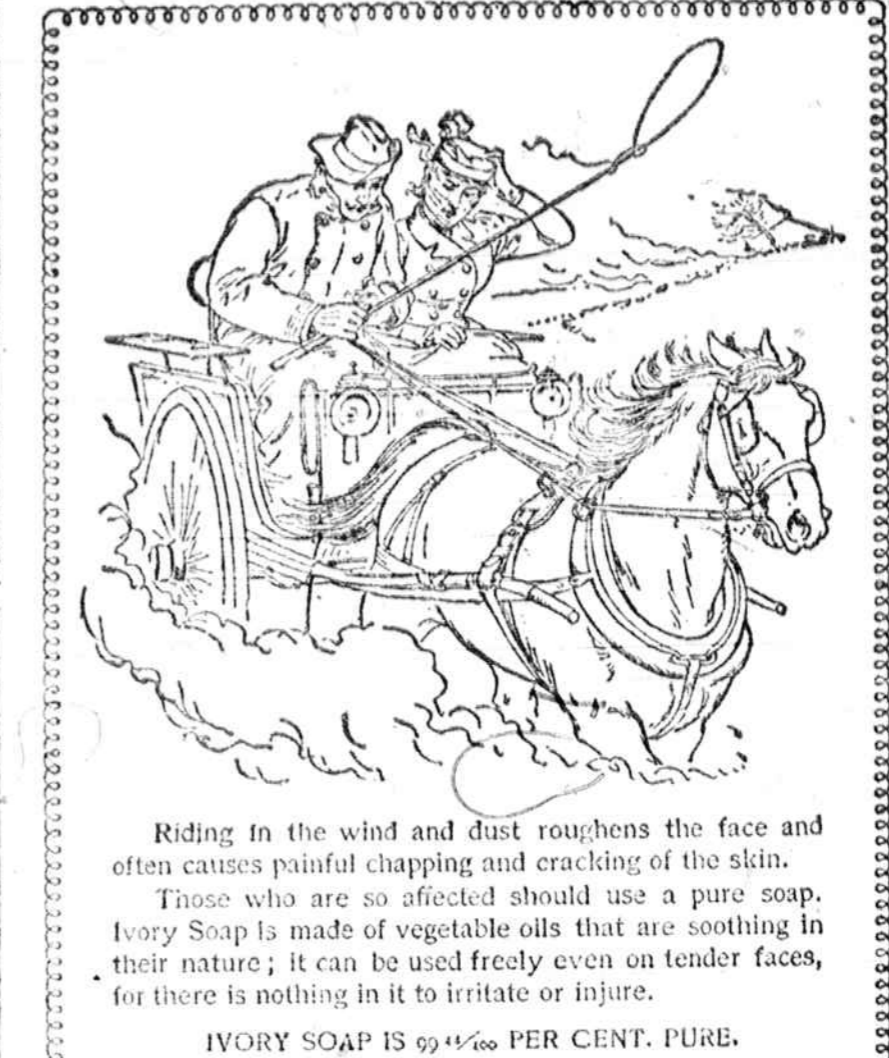
Came to a Close After a Chaotic All Night Session. "MY COUNTRY 'TIS OF THE," Was Sung in the House—Complimentary Resolutions to Speaker Reed Passed—Hawaii Cable Amendment Lost.

A KING'S EXECUTION GARMENT

Vest Worn by Charles I. When He Was Beheaded. From the London Standard: The sum of 200 guineas bid the other day for the "sky-colored vest" worn by King Charles I. on the scaffold is not an exorbitant price for a relic at once authentic and ghastly.

A FORTUNE TELLER'S LEGACY.

Says a dispatch from Old Town, Me., to the New York Sun: Every French-Canadian resident of Maine believes that a miracle has been performed over the grave of Paul Beaupre, who died and was buried in the woods above Grislestone Falls, four years ago.



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Running Sores. After wearing four months I have had Hood's Sarsaparilla and it cured the sores.

Consumptive Cough. Five years ago I had a cough which almost reduced me to a skeleton.

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Angora's Silky Hair. A recent writer on the Angora goat calls attention to the fact that the climate of Angora produces some remarkable peculiarity causing the development of a silky coat on animals of various kinds.

The Smallest Island in the World. Rockall is perhaps the smallest island in the world. It is situated in the Atlantic over 300 miles west of Scotland.

OPEN LETTERS FROM

Jonnie E. Green and Mrs. Harry Hardy.

JENNIE E. GREEN, Denmark, Iowa writes to Mrs. Pinkham: "I had been sick at my monthly periods for seven years, and tried almost everything I ever heard of, but without any benefit."

Mrs. HARRY HARDY, Riverside, Iowa, writes to Mrs. Pinkham the story of her struggle with serious ovarian trouble, and the benefit she received from the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

How thankful I am that I took your medicine. I was troubled for two years with inflammation of the womb and ovaries, womb was also very low. I was in constant misery.

SIXTH DAY.—The Senate passed the naval appropriation bill. It was amended so as to fix the price to be paid by the government for armaments at \$200 a ton.

SIXTH DAY.—The Senate passed the bill authorizing the Governor of States to be reimbursed for expenses incurred in raising and equipping the militia.

SIXTH DAY.—The Senate passed the bill authorizing the Secretary of War to hold a conference with the United Confederate Veterans for their reunion to be held in Charleston, S. C., on May 10, 1897.

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SIXTH DAY.—Exhaustion, confusion, anxiety strain and hard work characterized the last legislative day of the Fifty-fifth Congress in the Senate.

TO INCORPORATE THE NATIONAL White Cross of America as a fraternal organization, and to construct a bridge over the Tennessee river at Sheffield, Ala.; a bill providing a site for the Washington Public Library building.

TO AUTHORIZE THE PAYMENT OF THE legal fees or representatives of the officers or men who have died or may hereafter die in the service of the United States in Cuba, omitting the portion relating to the withdrawal of the United States troops in the island.

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