## PITAL NOTES.

ease in Dominion Exports nports During the Month of July.

icton and Osnoyos Railway g the Dominion Parliaent for Incorporation.

Tasse Threatens to go Into osition-A New Light in the Straits.

m Our Own Correspondent . Aug. 26. -The exports shew an a million dollars, last month h Columbia returns of imports are the monthly statement for the

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Davis and Marshall, of Vanave given notice of application to nt to incorporate a company to ilway from Penticton, at the foot agan Lake to the Narrows, Lake

ptric light, hitherto shown at the to the Island lighthouse, in the Georgia, has been replaced by a r dioptric fixed white light with Tasse says that unless the Gov-

A. Aug. 27. - Major Clark is here to England in furtherance of the

ations are pouring in from the difvinces for bottles to hold small the World's Fair. British Cought not to overlook the matter. ector general of the World's Fair oved the plans for the Canadian Construction will be commend

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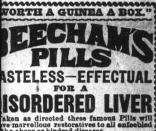
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danitoba.

nnounced that Mr. Van Koughnety
Superintendent General of Indian
is likely to resign, he having been
nealth for some time.
again rumored that C. H. MackM.P. for Ottawa, is about to re-

in the E. B. Eddy Company's lum-ing house at Hull, yesterday, did to the extent of \$4,000, covered by

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oria, B.C., July 1, 1892. Secretary. TEACHER WANTED.

## M. QUAD'S HUMOR.

The Editor of the Kicker Strung up by a Band of Cowboys.

A Stage Driver Hunting for Knowledge-Love Making on the Arkansaw.

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THE ARIZONA RICKER.

EXTRA! EXTRA! EXTRA!—We are not the editor and proprietor of the Kicker. We are not the man with a private grave-yard. We are not the mayor of this town. We are simply the marine editor on a salary of seven dollars per week. For the time being we are in charge of the office, and owing to events which occurred yesterday we have decided to get out this extra sheet and give the full details of one of the most damnable outrages ever perpetrated on a newspaper man in this western country. As this

gone in that direction, knowing what might happen, but he takes great pride in his p. g., and was bound to secure some of that arbutus to trail over the ten

some of that arbutus to trail over the ten graves within the inclosure.

What happened after the editor had dismounted from his mule just beyond Squaw trail we gather from his own lips. He had found the vines he was in search of, when fifteen cowboys dashed in on him and cut off all escape. Before he could draw his guns he was seized and bound and lake on was serviced to a trail. could draw his guns he was seized and bound, and later on was carried to a tree and preparations made to hang him. We do not know what thoughts flashed through his brain as he stood there with the noose over his head and a circle of implacable foes surrounding him. It is not our business to know. We do the marine at seven dollars a week, and are very practical about it. He probably thought of his mother—his p.g.—heaven, the office and other things too numerous the office and other things too numerou

to mention.

The first move of the cowboys was to run our chief up to the limb, hold him there for ten seconds and then drop him to his feet again. He assures us that while the sensation was novel it was also decidedly sensation was novel it was also decidedly unpleasant. He thinks it was this first pull which so stretched his neck that a No. 15 collar now goes almost twice around it. The object was to scare him and make him beg for mercy, but he assures us that he did not lose one jot of nerve, and that as soon as he could get his breath again he defied them to do their worst. There is a yawning gulf between a marine editor and the proprietor tween a marine editor and the proprietor of a great family paper, but we think our chief tells the truth in this particular. When pulled up the second time sparks



soon as he is able to sit a mule and handle

"Go ahead and ask anything you

rages ever perpetrated on a newspaper man in this western country. As this sheet goes to press the office is full of citizens, extending their sympathies and breathing threats of bloody revenge. One word from us would precipitate a massacre, but we shall not utter it. As a marine editor we are calm and calculating.

Sunday morning the editor of The Kicker, who is also mayor, mounted his mule and rode over to Clinch valley to dig some trailing arbutus to transplant to his private graveyard. For a year past the cowboys over there have been after his scalp, and on two occasions have almost secured it. He should not have gone in that direction, knowing what



"WHO WAS SHAKESPEARE?"

"Shakespeare was a great English "He wrote, eh?" "Yes."
"Did nuthin but write?"

"Couldn't stay by a bucking bronche, throw a lasso or handle a gun?"
"I believe not."
"Humph! And people talk about him! All Columbus did was to discover

America and all Shakespeare did was write books! Say, stranger?"
"Well?" "Lemme ask you sunthin else." Go ou.

"Aren't you from the east."

"Hank yo, no, not as I consider to remember. Snaixs dosn' pester me. Reckon I'ze too powerful mean."
"Very likely. What was the question you wanted to ask?"
"Jist this, stranger: How in Halifax do you manage to live in a blamed country what they praise up folks who hav "And that old cayuse and that old

and the thing got old all along the line inside of ten days!"

A ROAD AGENT WHO GOT LEFT.

There were seven of us in the stage out of Austin, Nev., and after we got started we counted up our cish and found we had exactly seventy cents in the crowd. We were a dead broke gang and bound for Eureka. Not a man had a bundle or a gun even. Everything we could rake and scrape had been put up at Austin to your passage in the stage. The seventy conts was that our esteemed contemporary would come out with a double leaded, two column article and lie about him in the usual vein. As near as he can figure, he was suspended for fifeen seconds this time. We law sue doubt that during things he ever did. We say this without or in chief.

When lowered for the second time The Kicker man found that his voice had changed from bass to falsetto, but he assures us that he used it extensively to denoute the crowd as thieves, cowards, assures us that he used it extensively to denoute the crowd as thieves, cowards, assaries with the right hand door and alled out in a brisk and chirky way:

"Now, then, twenty minutes for remaining the next three manutes not a word was utered. Both were twose with their thoughts. He was the first to break the silence. In a voice modulated to harmonize with the song of the whippoorwill in the adjacent swamp he finally said:

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soon as he is able to sit a mule and handle a gun the number of tombetones in his p. g. will rapidly run up to eighteen or twenty.

INFORMATION WANTED.

I was the only passenger by the stage, the driver, of which was a humble looking man of forty-five. I shared his seat with him, and after we had got well started he turned to me and said:

"Stranger, I want to ask yout three or four questions, and I hope you wou't git mad about it."

"Go ahead and ask anything you

"That's every blamed cent the seven of us kin raise, and you—you"—

"I'm fouled, eh?" finished the agent.

He is a Wonder as a Long Distance Rider.

George W. Coffin, of the Orange Athletic club, is one of the best known bicyclists in in New Jersey. His first appearance in competition was in 1890, when he won the five mile road race of the Atlanta wheelmen, beating the soratch man by six minutes.

In 1891 Coffin still further prov-



LOVE ON THE ARKANSAW. Twilight had come again on both banks of the Arkansaw. It hadn't cost a cent, and the husbandman lighted his pipe and sat down to mentally declare that he'd be dodgoned to catfish if he hadn't struck a

soft snap.

The Widow White stands in her front The Widow White stands in her front door looking out into the gloaming—gloaming is also cheaper than cornmeal on the Arkansaw. Now and then she lifts her plump hand to swat a mosquito nestling on her chin; now and then she rubs her back against the doorpost to agitate the spot where a gallinipper of the Queen Anne style tried to bite her in two

at one mighty effort. As she rubs she

murmurs:

"Durn yo'r pesky hide, but if I had yo' in my hand I'd frizzle yo' to death in in yan skillet!"

The gloaming grows deeper, and that also without extra charge. Widow White has just raised one of her marble feet to has just raised one of her marble feet to kick a yellow pup when her heart gives a sudden jump and she grabs up the splint broom and begins sweeping the puncheon floor. A step—a cough—a he-he-he! A middle aged man of swampy aspect and ague demeanor stands in the door.

"Whyah, Mistah Perkins, but what a

"Whyah, Mistah Perkins, but what a fright yo'un give I'un comin up so soft! Come right is and take a cheer. 'Skeeters around moas' powerful this eavenin. How's co'n agittin ovah yo'r way?'
"Co'ns pore, Missus White—very pore. Bin chillin any lately?"
"Chilled two days ago, thank yo'. Be yo'atill chillin?"

yo' still chillin?"

"Sorter reg'larly. Mighty good y'ar fur chills, I reckon. I'll sot in the doah if yo'un doan' mind."

"Of co'se I doan'. I'll sot with yo'.

Better chance in the doah to slap 'skeeters. Daddy Taylor cum along yere this mawnin, and he'un was atelkin 'bout snaks. He'un says theys powerful thick this y'ar. Yo'un hain't bin bitted, I hope?"
"Thank yo', no, not as I consider to

His heart went tunk! tunk! tunk! It was still tunking when she brought her me It-lian hand down on his factor. try whar they praise up folks who heve bin deader n a dead gopher fur over 300 a years? Why, one of our drivers killed a smash and broke the spinal column of a gallinipper boring for meat. She did not stage robber last summer jist below here, and the thing got old all along the line inside of ten days!"

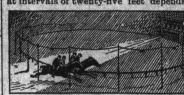
Was still tunking when she brought her with a smash and broke the spinal column of a gallinipper boring for meat. She did not remove it. He'un's paw stole softly down and clasped it and they squoze. During the next three minutes not a word

BICYCLIST GEORGE W. COFFIN

six miles.

In 1891 Coffin still further proved that he possessed more than ordinary grit and endurance when he was fourth to finish in the farma Irvington-





the homestretch is so light that a mouse could not run across it unseen.

To diminish the chances of accidents only five horses run in a race, and as they fly along under the glare of the electric

IN THE LONE NORTH.

BACING BY SEARCH LIGHT.

bunch of four incandescent electric lights, which a supply of ammunition, tea, and tobacco, a blanket or two, and, if he has made a good season's hunt, is perhaps guishable as in, daytime, and they are reenforced by high search lights, which illuminate the turns.

The fences, grand stand, posts and every wooden object on the course are painted white, and this plan aids wonderfully in dispelling the darkness. The grand stand is fairly ablaze with electric lamps, and is fairly ablaze with electric lamps, and the homestretch is so light that a mouse could not run across it unseen.

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ous of Mr. Pike's journeys. He determined to return to civilisation by ascendnecessaries of life; it gives him food, clothing, house, and the equivalent of money to speud at the fort. He leaves the trading post, after one of his yearly visits, with a supply of appropriate the indian with nearly all the mined to return to civilisation by ascending the Peace River to the Rocky Mountains, and, having got through the gap in them, to still ascend the river southward, until, in the neighborhood of Macleod's application for an injunction is because the continued as before until the result of the application for an injunction is because the continued as period to day it was met by Health Officer Praeger and constants. All the passengers were examined and some vaccinated. This will be continued as before until the result of the continued as before until the result of the continued as policition for an injunction is because the continued as policition for an injunction is because the continued as policition for an injunction is because the continued as policition for an injunction is because the continued as policition for an injunction is because the continued as policition for an injunction is because the continued as policition for an injunction is because the continued as policition for an injunction is because the continued as policition for an injunction is because the continued as policition for an injunction is because the continued as policition for an injunction is because the continued as policition for an injunction is because the continued as policition for an injunction is because the continued as policition for an injunction is because the continued as policition for an injunction is because the continued as policition for an injunction in the continued as policities and the continued as polic

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