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The yield of gold in Nova Scotia for the month of June was 1,599 ounces, valued at \$28,796. The weight of quartz crushed was 2,409 tons.

ADVICES from Moncton show that new buildings continue to be contracted for, and the coming autumn will, it is said, be the busiest ever known in that busy town.

THE Central Bridge Works at Peterboro are being enlarged. A new L-shaped building is under construction, 150 x 150 feet, with a span of 80 feet.

HERE is Senator Wm. M. Evarts' definition of a contingent fee: "It is a very simple thing. I can explain to you what a contingent fee means in a few words. In short, if I lose your suit I get nothing; if I win your suit you get nothing."

IN two hours the people of Maitland, N.S., subscribed \$10,000, their share of the bonus to the Hants Central Railway. This is not a voting of debentures or an assessment, but a regular subscription list of a certain number of men, to be paid in cash out of their own pockets.

THE people of Magog, Que., are stirring, and propose to themselves to have a town hall, a market, and a fire engine. Says the St. John's News: "We want waterworks badly in this little factory town, and any company who will

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undertake to supply the same will find the investment a profitable one. Nature has done her share of the work. Copious springs are located on Pine hill."

A PROPOSAL to build an oil warehouse in the south end of Halifax, near the edge of the harbor, for the storage of petroleum and other inflammable oils, is meeting with determined opposition from the citizens, who fear a repetition of the waterside conflagrations that have wrought such damage at Hunter's Point, Long Island, and other localities.

To those who cannot visit the Rockies and the Selkirks it is something to be supplied with views of them. Some of the grandest features of Rocky Mountain scenery are a theme for artist and writer in the last number of the *Dominion Illustrated News*, which also gives a picture of the Kolapore Cup to remind Canada that her sons are doing their duty in the Old World. The letter-press is very creditable.

FROM the Leavenworth & Burr Publishing Co., of Detroit, comes a handy 25-cent pamphlet of ninety pages: *The Indicator's Pocket Chart of Regular Legal Reserve Life Insurance Companies*; showing their business and the condition for the five years ended with 1888. This is the first of what is intended to be a yearly series. The same company publishes *The Pocket Chart for 1889 of Co-ope-*

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port of their many friends during the Spring trade.

Now that the representatives are withdrawn from "the road" to enjoy a brief and well-earned holiday the most careful and prompt attention will be given to **Letter Orders**. In view of attending still more efficiently to the commands of our friends, we are now engaged in making additions to our machinery and appliances. Nothing will be wanting to thoroughly meet every requirement of the trade. No delay. Prompt despatch.

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tive Life Insurance Associations, giving the income, membership, business for five years, and condition of 400 associations, with a summary of the A. O. U. W. since 1884. This is an extremely interesting publication, as we stated in previous years, and we purpose giving copious extracts from it in a future issue.

THERE has been a meeting at Sandwich of the Grape Growers' Association of the County of Essex, which has a membership of over forty. It is said to be the intention of the association to arrange for an autumn exhibition of grapes and wines. That admirable wine can be made and is being made on Pelee Island and elsewhere in Essex is well known, but it is known only to the few that this remarkable county produces also tobacco, sorghum or sugar-cane, and Indian corn, besides the ordinary variety of large and small fruits and grains. The officers of the Grape Growers' Association are:—President, P. Beneteau, Windsor; 1st vice-president, Mr. Fournier, Sandwich; 2nd vice-president, Mr. Guindon, Windsor; secretary, Ernest Girard, Sandwich; treasurer, Luc Montreuil, Walkerville. Among the honorary presidents are the members of Parliament and of the Legislature for the county. "Essex!" exclaims the enthusiastic Windsor Record, "Essex is going to be the Maryland of Canada, and Windsor its Baltimore."

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