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which are then printed in the Record for the edification of the blockhead's constituents.

It is said that some enterprising residents of Newmarket and vicinity are determined to try the best sugar experiment.

Does Nathaniel Nix, or G. G. S. L., or Bohemian, or Daniel Wilson, or Pelham Mulvaney, or Eric, or the University poet, or The World's belligerent, or any other of our Toronto sagittars know that the Montreal Witness will actually give one hundred dollars for the best and most appropriate winter carnival poem not exceeding one hundred and fifty lines?

John G. Eno won a gold medal in a Montreal billiard tournament the other day, and the Buffalo Telegraph is charged to think that so brilliant a player positively refuses to give exhibitions of his skill in his own country.

It is by some considered sound liberal doctrine that, while the powers of national government should be confined within the narrowest possible limits, those of state or provincial governments should be extended to the utmost.

But the greatest democracy in the world furnishes in our own day a case in point, which does not seem to tell in favor of the extreme states rights view.

Mr. Manning and the Volunteers. Manning took in 1860 during the fenian excitement. He was one of the men who administered the funds raised to pay the keep of those families whose breadwinners were in the army.

The Illinois republicans are in a most hopeful mood. A democratic state senator is expected to die, which would mean that Gen. Logan would go to Washington.

There is no disease in the presence of which medical men seem more helpless than diphtheria, concerning the cause and cure of which medicolence has made little progress that is satisfactory.

There is a general agreement of opinion that unsanitary dwellings are the chief not the sole propagators of diphtheria, which is more amenable to prevention than to treatment.

year. There is no reason why the owner of a prairie farm should be dependent upon the outer world for anything save clothing and, in some instances, fuel.

The Ottawa Free Press boasts that the completion of the Canadian Pacific railway will centralize the Dominion capital, bringing it as near to Winnipeg, for instance, as Toronto is.

The United States are not to be left behind in the race of preparing for war. General Sherman is advocating a scheme to raise a national militia.

The spirit of economy instilled into the people by depression manifests itself in many ways, and in none more markedly than by the falling off in the patronage of the theatres.

Editor World: I wonder if the volunteers remember the position Alexander Manning took in 1860 during the fenian excitement.

The Mayor's Election. Editor World: It appears by last evening's Telegram that it is considered a foregone conclusion that Mr. Manning will retire in favor of Mr. Withrow, but I do not think the majority of ratepayers will think so.

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city in which I had passed my schoolboy days, and which was, consequently, endeared to my mind by many youthful associations.

There was a sound of revelry by night, And Belgium's knell rang as 'twere to bid adieu to the brave and true.

It has been generally asserted and believed that the ball was given by the duchess in the grand hall of the stately Hotel de Ville in the Grande place, and when in Brussels I heard the assertion repeated by many people, though denied by others.

The Kingston Whig, speaking of the tax exemption movement in Toronto and Hamilton, mildly says, "A good many at Kingston can sympathize with the Hamilton agitators, and hope for an extension of their movement."

Young Men—Read This. THE OREGON BELT, of Marshall, Mich., offer to send their Electro-Voltaic Belt and other Electro-Apparatus on trial for thirty days.

New York Markets. NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Cotton nominal. Flour—No. 2, 22 1/2c; No. 3, 22 1/4c; No. 4, 22 1/2c; No. 5, 22 1/4c; No. 6, 22 1/2c; No. 7, 22 1/4c; No. 8, 22 1/2c; No. 9, 22 1/4c; No. 10, 22 1/2c; No. 11, 22 1/4c; No. 12, 22 1/2c; No. 13, 22 1/4c; No. 14, 22 1/2c; No. 15, 22 1/4c; No. 16, 22 1/2c; No. 17, 22 1/4c; No. 18, 22 1/2c; No. 19, 22 1/4c; No. 20, 22 1/2c; No. 21, 22 1/4c; No. 22, 22 1/2c; No. 23, 22 1/4c; No. 24, 22 1/2c; No. 25, 22 1/4c; No. 26, 22 1/2c; No. 27, 22 1/4c; No. 28, 22 1/2c; No. 29, 22 1/4c; No. 30, 22 1/2c; No. 31, 22 1/4c; No. 32, 22 1/2c; No. 33, 22 1/4c; No. 34, 22 1/2c; No. 35, 22 1/4c; No. 36, 22 1/2c; No. 37, 22 1/4c; No. 38, 22 1/2c; No. 39, 22 1/4c; No. 40, 22 1/2c; No. 41, 22 1/4c; No. 42, 22 1/2c; No. 43, 22 1/4c; No. 44, 22 1/2c; No. 45, 22 1/4c; No. 46, 22 1/2c; No. 47, 22 1/4c; No. 48, 22 1/2c; No. 49, 22 1/4c; No. 50, 22 1/2c; No. 51, 22 1/4c; No. 52, 22 1/2c; No. 53, 22 1/4c; No. 54, 22 1/2c; No. 55, 22 1/4c; No. 56, 22 1/2c; No. 57, 22 1/4c; No. 58, 22 1/2c; No. 59, 22 1/4c; No. 60, 22 1/2c; No. 61, 22 1/4c; No. 62, 22 1/2c; No. 63, 22 1/4c; No. 64, 22 1/2c; No. 65, 22 1/4c; No. 66, 22 1/2c; No. 67, 22 1/4c; No. 68, 22 1/2c; No. 69, 22 1/4c; No. 70, 22 1/2c; No. 71, 22 1/4c; No. 72, 22 1/2c; No. 73, 22 1/4c; No. 74, 22 1/2c; No. 75, 22 1/4c; No. 76, 22 1/2c; No. 77, 22 1/4c; No. 78, 22 1/2c; No. 79, 22 1/4c; No. 80, 22 1/2c; No. 81, 22 1/4c; No. 82, 22 1/2c; No. 83, 22 1/4c; No. 84, 22 1/2c; No. 85, 22 1/4c; No. 86, 22 1/2c; No. 87, 22 1/4c; No. 88, 22 1/2c; No. 89, 22 1/4c; No. 90, 22 1/2c; No. 91, 22 1/4c; No. 92, 22 1/2c; No. 93, 22 1/4c; No. 94, 22 1/2c; No. 95, 22 1/4c; No. 96, 22 1/2c; No. 97, 22 1/4c; No. 98, 22 1/2c; No. 99, 22 1/4c; No. 100, 22 1/2c.

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Life Insurance.

Business of all Companies in Canada Last Year: Premiums received, \$3,837,200; New insurances issued, \$1,073,900; Total business in force, \$12,740,015.

Business of the New York Life Insurance Co. Last Year: Premiums received, \$10,948,480; New insurances issued, \$2,735,064; Total business in force, \$19,746,015.

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THE JAPANESE IN NEW YORK.

Only a Small Colony of Them Adopt Our Customs Readily. Unlike the Chinese, the Japanese living in New York have completely adopted American manners and customs.

The Japanese living in the city are, with few exceptions, the sons of well-to-do merchants in Japan. The Japanese Consul has a list of the names and addresses of the Japanese in the United States, residing in New York City.

In this city there are two silk manufacturing establishments, branches of the Doan and the Yamato Companies, and four firms which deal in porcelain Lacquerware, playthings, and other similar articles, which they import.

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