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generation if the conditions to its progress are provided. The movements instituted within the past year or two having for their object the creation of a general public sentiment favorable to pushing western development, of which the congress now in session in this city is representative, have been fruitful of good results.

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