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TORONTO retail grocers are preparing for a mammoth pionic to be held one of these summer davs.

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THE New York Chamber of Commerce held its one hundred and twenty-fourth annual meeting on the 5th inst.

THE Western Investment Savings and Trust Company, with a capital of \$1,000,000, has been incorporated at Vancouver, B.C.

ALTERATIONS and enlargements on the Bank of Montreal's building in Guelph have been commenced. Four stories will be added at a cost of about \$5,000.

TEN and a half tons of oranges shipped from Los Angeles, Cal., on April 28th, reached Hamilton on the 5th inst., which the Spectator thinks is a quick rail transit.

THE North American Chemical, Mining and Manufacturing Company is making application for permission to change its name to the Owen Sound Portland Cement Company.

THE reduction of postage on merchandise packages from one cent per ounce to one cent for two ounces, seems likely to be actually accomplished at the present session of United States Congress.





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mercantile Summary.

On the 3rd May a Cobourg firm made what the Star says was one of the largest and best shipments of cattle to England ever made from that place. The lot composed sixtytwo head, which averaged \$65 each.

LONDON seedsmen were in an angry mood on Saturday, owing to the invasion of that city by a Toronto peddler, who disposed of all sorts of seeds on the market square at a cent a package, the usual price of which is five cents.

A CHATHAM man has received a sample order for sole leather for export to Germany. The order is said to be the result of communications which have been opened direct with commission houses in Germany, under solicitation of a Canadian tanner.

THE annual returns as to accidents and casualties reported to the Board of Trade by the several railway companies have been issued. The total numbers of both killed and injured last year considerably exceeded the numbers in recent preceding years. There were fewer passengers killed, however.

THE Ottawa Journal of the 7th, speaking of lumber, says: Shipping is going on briskly at the Chaudiere docks. A number of barges from Montreal have arrived up and a number more have passed down the locks to load for



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Burlington, Whitehall and other points. It is rather early yet, however, for a full tide of shipping.

TENDEBS are asked by the municipality of North Vancouver, B.C., for the purchase of debentures to the value of \$20,000. They bear 7 per cent. interest, and are repayable in 30 years. The town of Alliston, through its mayor and treasurer, also desires offers on consolidated debentures representing a par value of \$3,750, interest 41 per cent., repayable in 20 years.

"THE man," says Freedley, "who aims to succeed in business must aim at these two points : First, to be sure that he can satisfy the demand for the articles he deals in; secondly, that everybody within the proper scope of his business is made aware of his ability to do so. These points attained, he has oaly to do his business properly and his fortane is secure."

AFTER doing a small business in jewellery about a year in Welland, G. B. Knowles has made an assignment. So has Matthew Ambler, who is a dealer in shoes, harness, etc., at Wingham. About two years ago Ambler sold his farm and invested about \$750 in this trade. In this case the shoemaker knew nothing about his last, and it is no surprise to hear that the farm has gone.



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