

**Cold in  
Twilight**

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Weir, of Newark, N.J., are the guests of Mrs. James Wear, Alfred street.

Mrs. Edward Kenny is to be matron of honor at the marriage of her sister, Miss Kathleen McFarland, on September 20th, and Miss Frances Sullivan is to be the bridesmaid.

Miss Julie Horsey is now visiting Mr. W. B. Ferguson, Union street, and will later spend a little time with Miss Grace Martin.

Mrs. J. Sherman, Johnson street, gave a pleasant and unique little party last night for Mrs. James Adams of Brantford, and Miss Katie Stewart, of Toronto, her visitors. The tiny little steamer, Eelwater, was chartered and the party eighteen in number, were taken about the moonlit harbor and heard the strains of music coming from the band in MacDonald park. The night was ideal for the outing and the hour for shipping ashore came all too soon. Supper at Mrs. Sherman's followed.

Mrs. G. Henderson, Bagot street, entertained a number of Miss Vera Henderson's friends at the tea hour yesterday, in honor of Miss Edith Elliott, of Montreal. Miss Reid, of London, and Miss Asquith, of Toronto, were also among those present.

The engagement is announced in Chatham, N.B., of Alice Ethel, elder daughter of Mr. R. A. Lawlor, judge of probate and Mrs. Lawlor to Joseph Patterson Quigley, M.A., M.D., M.R.C.S., Eng., only son of Mrs. Quigley and the late Mr. Joseph Quigley, of Kingston. The wedding will take place in Chatham on Sept. 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. George Low, Elm street, Ottawa, have left for Brockville and Kingston to visit friends.

Mr. E. B. Leeks, of Winnipeg, has as his guests Mrs. J. S. and Miss Helen Maclellan of Calgary.

Mrs. E. J. Bidwell will come to town about the first of the month, and in the meantime the Dean of Ontario will be getting settled in his new quarters, 49 King street.

Mrs. C. W. Lane and daughter are visiting at Cressey. Mrs. Lane went up in the yacht Eldred to spend Sunday with them.

Miss Loretta Swift, King street, will leave early next week for Halifax, and will be there on the eighth of the month.

Mr. James Simkins, of New York, who is on a motorcar tour spending a day or so with Mrs. James Weir, Alfred street.

Mrs. George Smith, of Boston, spent some time, last week, with Mrs. R. J. Carson, Brock street. Miss Laura Gibson, Gananoque, was also Mrs. Carson's visitor for the week-end.

Mrs. Archibald Young, Sydenham street, is home from Picton.

Miss Claire Kirby, of New York, is home for a short vacation in Picton.

Dr. James Kirk and wife, of New York, are spending a week with friends in Kingston and at Trenton Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Pitts, of Cornwall, spent the weekend with Miss C. S. Parker, Brock street.

Mrs. A. E. Wilkinson of Moncton, N.B., is the guest of Mrs. W. J. McLeod, 42 Frontenac street.

Mrs. J. L. Gord left, to-day, for her home in Montreal.

Miss F. J. Barry, Division street, is visiting her sister, Mrs. George MacLellan, Stratford.

Mr. Joseph Jackson, New York, visiting his relatives on King street.

Dr. F. H. Birmingham and Mrs. Birmingham, Brooklyn, N.Y., are with Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Birmingham, Barrie street.

Miss Hazel Haycock, King street, has returned from Montreal, where she has spent the month of August with Mrs. R. D. Martin.

Miss Ethelyn Mackie, 230 Sydenham street, left, to-day, to visit her sister, Mrs. R. J. Clark, Adolphustown.

Miss Jessie Montgomery, University avenue, is spending a few days with Miss Margaret Campbell, Macdonald's Cove.

Mr. F. McFarland is going to Halifax, on Saturday, and will be one of the guests at Miss Edith Drury's wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. R. McCann, Queen street, and Miss Jessie, are all home from their summer outing, which has been very pleasant.

**THE NEWS OF WORLD OCCURRENCES RECOUNTED IN BRIEF FORM.****Matters That Interest Everybody**  
—Notes From All Over—Little of Everything Easily Read and Remembered.

On September 26th, Hon. W. Pugsley is to be banqueted at St. John, N.B.

Women in Sweden are imploring the king to bring about a settlement of the strike.

A unanimous finding has been reached by the conciliation board on the Fort William strike.

The Alpine season is now in full swing and is bringing the usual toll of death and disaster.

The British Columbia canner's request for an extension of the salmon season cannot be granted.

The late A. H. Campbell, Toronto, left \$493,000; \$6,000 goes to charities and \$3,000 to McMaster University.

Divers have located a sunken wreck near Alpena, Mich., in two hundred feet of water, an unprecedented diving feat.

Spain's army of 35,000 men in Morocco cannot advance for a fortnight, because of lack of transports.

R. Z. Hall has been officially notified of his appointment to the Orono post office, in succession to the late Robert Moment.

Elias Stonehouse, Gravenhurst, guilty of thefts from summer cottages on Gulf lake, was sentenced to three years in penitentiary.

A brisk blaze at the Rubber Tire Wheel company's premises, Toronto, on Wednesday, did about \$2,000 damage.

A meeting of the newly-organized Canadian Fire Chiefs' Association of Ontario will be held in Toronto during exhibition week.

An airship that has attained a flight of about a mile at times, has been seen crossing lately.

Attorney LaRue had a talk with Capt. Walter Visger and Walter Visger, Jr., as well as with members of the crew, while the yacht Castanea was at her dock preparatory to a continuation of her morning ramble. Later on the lawyer and Walter Visger, Jr., were to be seen about the dock conversing with several who are known to have seen the affair.

Capt. Walter Visger discreditfully, the rumor that he lost a couple of teeth in the fracas by to-day exhibiting a mouthful of teeth as firm and sound as ever. The only mark he has is a small cut near the mouth, but Capt. Visger, Jr., carries a black eye as the result of his mix-up with Apple's lists.

**INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.****Newspaper Paragraphs Picked Up By Reporters On Their Rounds.**

"A" Battery and Army Service Corps will leave Petawawa for Kingston on Sunday. The corps will likely be here on Monday morning.

A Grand Trunk cartage wagon came to grief, on Princess street, near Carson's wholesale—today. The cart struck a rut and a right hand front wheel came off, letting down the wagon.

The Grand will open on September 9th. There will be numerous big attractions during the coming season, and vaudeville will also be put on during the interregnum between the big attractions. The vaudeville will be a good type.

Three entries have been received for the Labor day Marathon. Robert O'Brien and W. Nelson Gananoque, have entered, and W. E. Cole, winner of the five-mile race at the grocer's picnic, has also sent in his entry. Many entries are expected from the city.

A large number visited Artillery park, this morning, to see the members of the R.C.H.A. put on the musical drive. The men will put on the drive at the Toronto exhibition, and no doubt it will be a big drawing card.

Any visitors to the city who have seen the men at practice are greatly taken with the affair.

John Lapage, night watchman, arrested for stealing from his employer, the Heintzman Piano company, Toronto, pleaded guilty and was sent to jail for six months.

Nikolous Ipenchuk, an employee of the Toronto General Contracting company, was killed, Wednesday, as the result from a fall on a hoist at the exhibition grounds, Ottawa.

The United States navy experts are convinced that the time is not far distant when the American battleship fleet will be propelled through the water by means of gas engines.

It may be that the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation company will shortly become the owners of the Yonge street wharf property, Toronto, which has been put on the market.

At Niagara Falls, Ont., John Osterholm, financial secretary of Clifton Lodge, No. 44, A.O.U.W., was arrested charged with misappropriation of the lodge funds to the amount of \$702.

J. A. Murray, Toronto, seeks injunction to prevent the Hydro-Electric Commission, arranging for Niagara power. The river there he claims is not one the province has control over.

London had a miniature postal strike, on Tuesday, when 150 employees quit work for several hours. The men evidently thought they would force a general strike movement, but they were disappointed.

Ontario is shortly to erect a monument to the memory of the late Hon. John Sandfield Macdonald, who was premier of the province from July 16th, 1867, to December 19th, 1871. Walter S. Alward, designs the monument.

The steamer Collingwood, sunk in the Detroit river, was built by the Collingwood Shipbuilding company, in 1907, and is one of the biggest of the lake freight steamers. She is valued at \$325,000.

Western homestead entries during the past month totalled 4,295, an increase of 958, as compared with June 1908. For first nine months of the year entries were 17,314, an increase of 3,565 as compared with last year.

Troops were sent out, Wednesday, to investigate the damage done by a severe earthquake in Italy. The quake is believed to have extended generally throughout the province of Sicily. Telegraph and telephone communication is interrupted.

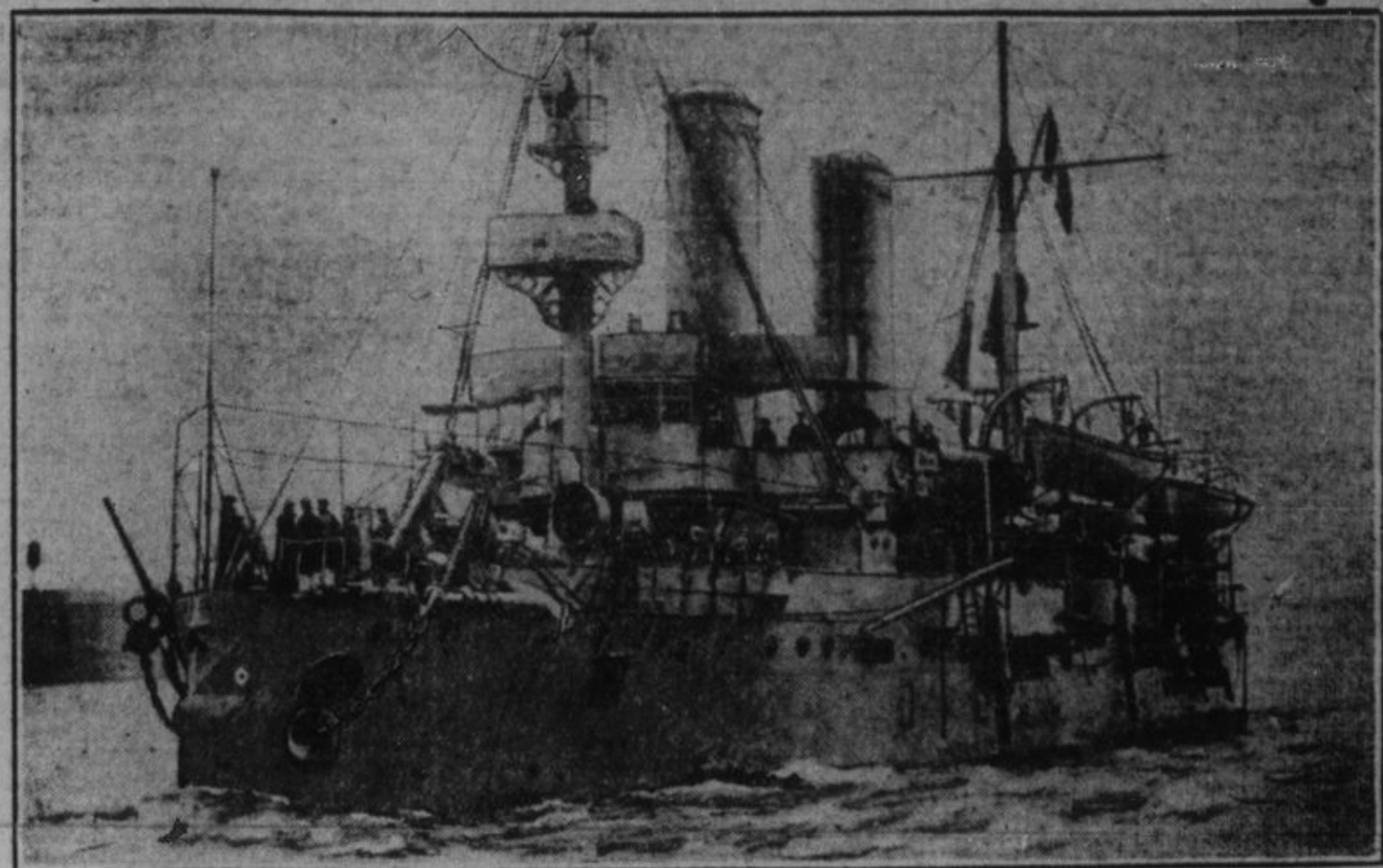
The thirteenth annual convention of the League of American Municipalities was convened at the Windsor hotel, Montreal, on Wednesday, with the president, Hon. Silas Cook, in the chair, in the absence of Mayor Payette. A cordial welcome to the city was extended to the delegates by Ald. Sadler.

**Falls 50 Feet.**

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—A marvelous escape from death took place at Hull, when Mousette, son of the governor of the Hull jail, fell fifty feet from the third storey of the court house to the ground. The accident did not even shake his nerve, for he was on the roof again an hour later.

Paper manufacturers of Canada asked Quebec to suspend collection of the export duty of twenty-five cents per cord on pulp wood, pending an effort to come to some arrangement with the United States.

When money talks the majority of us hear only the echo.

**ONE OF VICTOR EMMANUEL'S WAR VESSELS.**

The Italian warship the Etruria is at present in New York representing the Italian government at the Hudson-Fulton celebration. Before returning to Europe she may visit Canadian ports.

**VISGERS CONFER.**

Fight on Alexandria Bay Docks is discussed.

**THIS GIRL WAS A PIN-CUSHION.**

Sixteen Blackened and Bent Pins Taken From Her Arm—She Had Probably Swallowed Them Years Ago.

New York, Aug. 25.—Miss Addina Wyckoff, eighteen years old, employed as a winder in a silk mill at Paterson, N.J., has been found to be a human pin-cushion. Within three days sixteen pins have been taken from her right arm, and she cannot tell how she got there.

A few days ago the girl felt intense pain, a pin protruding and removed it. More pins soon made their appearance and Dr. Flood was called in, and he took out sixteen pins, all shaped like the first one and blackened.

**BABE SMOTHERED.**

London, Ont., Aug. 25.—While in a carriage on the verandah, the five-month-old son of P. H. Scott, 781 Richmond street, rolled over on its face and smothered to death. The mother had left it for only a few minutes.

**STOCK QUOTATIONS.**

Cobalt and Leading Canadian Stocks Listed.

The following quotations are supplied by the City Brokerage (J. O. Hutton and J. R. C. Dobbs), 41 Clarence street. Telephone 480 A :

	August 25th.	
Sellers.	Buyers.	
Amalgamated .....	\$8.123	\$1.121
Beaver .....	38	37.5
Baillie Cobalt .....	13	12.5
Chambers-Ferland .....	50	49
Cobalt Central .....	101	101
Cobalt Lake .....	16	16
Crown Reserve .....	3.93	3.97
Foster .....	63	62
Green Median .....	17	16.5
Gifford .....	28	27
La Rose .....	8.124	8.05
Little Nipissing .....	16	16
McKin. Dar. Savage .....	93	90
Nipissing .....	10.50	10.45
Nova Scotia .....	68	67
Otis .....	31	30.5
Peterson Lake .....	172	172
Rochester .....	141	141
Silver Leaf .....	43	42
Silver Queen .....	95.3	95.3
Trethewey .....	1.33	1.33
Watts .....	28	25

**Send A Letter Home.**

In a lonely country cottage dwell a couple, old and grey. Who are reading in the evening of their life? It has been a strenuous battle, they have nobly won the day. And are they beyond the need of world-wide strife?

Still, they are far from happy, in their hearts there is a grief; Oh, a dark spot mars the evening of their joy.

How sweet would be a letter and what would be their relief!

If they could but hear once from their darling boy.

Years ago, when pale and hearty, how they saved, ah! no one knows; A great future for this son they often planned.

But the old home seemed too lonely in the hills amidst the snows.

And they left it for the city gay and grand.

Often when winter winds are sighing, how weary, few can guess,

When messages from their son would make them bright.

Their good old hearts are broken: "Is he dead, or in distress?"

And the thought oft rises: "Where's our boy to-night?"

So I'd ask you send a letter to the ones who love you best—

You, who have neglected doing so day by day.

Your conscience will plead "Guilty!" when they are laid at rest;

Then rise and cheer your parents far away.

Do not fail to send a message to the "Poor old folks at home."

Ah! surely you must know for it they crave.

Would you so forget those dear ones, whilst 'midst pleasure you do?

Would you send them down in sorrow to the grave?

Yet how often do we notice parents who are left in grief?

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