

Plans of Prince Luigi of Italy to Reach His Hitherto Untrodden Summit.

The Appalachian Mountain Club of Boston is looking forward with great interest to the coming of Prince Luigi of Italy, and is preparing the outfit for the trip of his party to Mount St. Elias, the giant of the Alaskan border.

Eleven years ago the first expedition to the region was sent out by a New York party, and the first scientific work was done by the expedition.

St. Suthens Sewing Circle (connected with that fashionable Toronto church).

Maud—(entering)—Why, how do you do Edith? I see I am about last.

Edith—Yes, every member is here excepting Mrs. Hutton, and nobody wants her.

Maud—Oh, that woman makes me tired. She is always scheming to push her plain looking daughters to the front, and making ill-natured remarks about her dearest friends.

Edith—Why, my dear Mrs. Hutton, we were just saying the Circle was not complete without you; how are your charming daughters?

Maud—Yes, it is really quite slow without you. Mrs. Hutton—Well, girls, I have some news for you. Ed Crane has killed Fanny Flowers, and she has gone to her sister in Montreal, and the Biltons have lost a heap of money, and have to give up their carriage.

Edith—Oh, that's too bad; but did you hear that Harry Jones was engaged to a Hamilton girl?

Mrs. Hutton—That was Mrs. Mops's, quite passe, but thinks she has a fine neck.

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RELIEF FOR THE YUKON Taken From The Calgary Herald.

Mr. Editor: Now that it is known for certain that starvation will exist in the Yukon, steps should be taken immediately by the government, to send in provisions and extra blankets and clothing, and this can only be done by Canada's overland route--and in the following manner--make Lake Francis the basis of supplies, and send in word via the monthly dog mail service from the coast to Dawson city, that provisions etc., will be forwarded to Lake Francis, which are for sale, but only in small lots, and have some policemen, who know the most of the miners by sight, to see that the same man does not get served twice, and thus get ahead of others who have received none.

Forty more cases of yellow fever are reported in Scranton, Miss.

Barney Barnato, the suicide millionaire, left a fortune of \$4,810,527.

Rev. Father Saucier, general superintendent of the Oblate order, died recently in France.

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Julia Verne. Except when he brings out one of his marvelous books, we hear little of M. Jules Verne, but the fact is that he is leading a very quiet life at Amiens.

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The Ogilvie Milling Co. has donated a car load of flour and feed, for the relief of the sufferers from the recent disastrous fires in Manitoba.

George Lawrence, a well-known musician and respected citizen of Guelph, shot himself on Sunday last. No cause is known for the act.

Application will be made to Parliament at its next session for an act to incorporate a company with power to construct a railroad from Douglas channel via Teslin lake to the Clonkide district.

John Gubbins's race horse, Galtee More, has succeeded in securing the "triple crown," having won the two thousand guineas, the Derby and the St. Leger. This is the first time that an Irish horse has succeeded in capturing all three events.

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