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Will Tackle Highest Peak

Youngusband Gets Permit to Scale Mount Everest, "Roof of the World."

NEVER YET SCALED BY MAN

No European Has Ever Approached Nearer Than Sixty Miles From Its Base and Few Travelers Have Seen Its Upper Slopes.

New York.—Mount Everest, the Himalayan peak called "the roof of the world," which Sir Francis Youngusband, the British soldier-explorer, will attempt to climb next summer, has never yet been scaled by man.

Towering above the frontiers of the hitherto forbidden land of Tibet and the remote province of Nepal, India, another land of mystery, the difficulties in even approaching Mount Everest have been sufficient to baffle explorers.

The world's highest peak lies in Tibet, north of the British Indian border, yet, so far as known, no European has ever approached nearer than 60 miles from its base and few travelers have ever seen its upper slopes.

Explorer Gets Permit.

The attempts which have been made to ascend some of Mount Everest's sister peaks of the Himalayas usually have been made through Nepal, because access to them through Tibet was not open. The approach to Mount Everest through Tibet is said to be more accessible and presents greater prospects of success than from the Nepal side.

Sir Francis Youngusband announced that the Tibetan government had granted him permission to attempt the ascent of the mountain by the Tibetan route. It was Sir Francis, who as colonel commanding a British mission to the forbidden city of Lhasa in 1903-2, opened Tibet to civilization.

Mount Everest, named for Sir George Everest, famous British surveyor general of India, is the highest known mountain in the world. Its trigonometrical altitude is 29,002 feet; its probable height is 29,151 feet. The next known highest of the Himalayan peaks are Kanchenjunga, 28,225 feet, and K-2, or Bride peak, whose altitude is 28,191 feet.

Duke Holds Record. The intrepid duke of the Abruzzi, who reached the top of Mount St. Elias in Alaska (18,024 feet) and who at one time held the record of "farthest north" in arctic exploration, tried to climb K-2, or Bride peak, in 1909, but failed because from whatever point of the compass he advanced he could find no way up to attain the summit. At 24,600 feet he and his companion were in good physical condition, although progress was slow.

and laborious; a thick mist warned them that to go on "would have been madness."

This achievement of the Italian explorer, however, is the world's record for mountain climbing. Bride peak is in the Karakoram Himalayas. Besides it and its two higher sister peaks, there are in the Himalayas no less than 75 peaks about 24,000 feet, 48 above 25,000, 16 above 26,000 feet and five above 27,000 feet.

Mountain climbing is one of the most ancient as well as fascinating forms of adventure. Its chief dangers are avalanches, landslides, falling rocks, blizzards, falling ice, falls from precipices or into crevasses, falls from ice slopes or down snow slopes.

Some of the notable mountain-climbing peaks of history and the year in which the peaks of the various mountains were attained follows:

1744, the Tithis, the first true snow mountain; 1780, Mount Blanc's summit reached for first time; 1811, the Jungfrau; 1812, the Finsteraarhorn; 1813, the Zermatt Breithorn; 1820, Pike's peak; 1864, the Wetterhorn; 1855, the Monte Rosa; 1865, the Matterhorn; 1870, Chimborazo; 1883, the Cordillera; 1888, the Selkirks; 1897, Adoncagua; 1898, the Bolivian Andes; 1899, Sikkim in the Himalayas; 1900, Mount Ruvenzori. There have been no pre-eminent achievements by explorers since the last-named date.

Lights 103 Candles in Contest.

London.—In a competition at Walsall (Staffs) a woman lit 103 candles with an ordinary wooden safety match, writes a correspondent. She burned her fingers in doing so, but no other competitor lighted half her number of candles.

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DIES POOR, HAS \$10,000 TOMB

Once Wealthy Art Broker, Who Dies Penniless, to Lie in Stately Mausoleum.

Newark, N. J.—The body of Samuel Collins, seventy-five, who died virtually penniless in a hospital here from pneumonia, will be placed in a \$10,000 mausoleum at Stroudsburg, Pa., which he built for himself and members of his family years ago.

Frederick Kerr, a local art dealer, said Mr. Collins formerly was a leading art dealer and broker, and at one time had been engaged by J. P. Morgan to collect works of art. During his career, Mr. Collins handled art transactions involving nearly \$5,000,000, Kerr said.

In a furnished room occupied by Collins was a bank book showing a balance of 87 cents. Collins' body remained unclaimed at the morgue several days.

Have You Seen Anything of a Lost Indian Tribe?

Washington, D. C.—Has anybody seen anything lately of the Montauk Indians? At last accounts they were living on Long Island, but they seem to have drifted away and now the government is asked to pick up the trail. Chairman Snyder of the house Indian committee, introduced a resolution to direct the secretary of the interior to investigate and report.

Keeps Vigil for Forty Years.

London.—In May, 1880, a sailor, married two months, left Cardiff in a ship, telling his bride he would return on New Year's day for dinner. Every New Year's day for 40 years the woman has sat down to her dinner alone, with an empty plate opposite her. She says she will keep the vigil to the end.

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A Scottish woman had much trouble with her gardeners. She could not find one who was capable of keeping sober.

She appealed to her brother, who promised to do his best to help her. At last he announced that he had found just the man she needed.

"I'll only ask you one question, James," said his sister. "Is he a teetotaler?" "Weel," said James, deliberately, "he's no just what ye'd en' a teetotaler, but he's a mon ye canna fill."—Edinburgh Scotsman.

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Would Hold More.

Here's the newest Scotch story: Donald had borrowed three pipefuls of tobacco from his fellow-workman, Sandy. Getting a new bag he offered to repay it.

"No," said Sandy, "I'll no be taking it now."

"Take it, mon," insisted Donald. "No," said Sandy, "I'm cleaning my pipe after the kirk on the Sabbath, an' I'll take it fra you on Monday."—New York World.

Important to Mothers

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Comedian—My memory isn't very accurate, but isn't there a book called "Alice Threw the Looking Glass?"—Film Fun.

Back Given Out?

There's surely some reason for that lame, achy back. Likely it's your kidneys. A cold or strain oftentimes congests the kidneys and slows them up. That may be the reason for that weary backache, those sharp pains, that tired, worn-out feeling. You may have headaches and dizzy spells, too, with annoying bladder irregularity. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped thousands. Ask your neighbor!

A South Dakota Case

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Human Equality.

The teacher of a juvenile Sunday school class had been talking to her pupils about death and concluded by asking: "Now, who can tell me where all men are equal, and there is absolutely no distinction between the rich and the poor man?"

"I can," replied one little fellow. "Where is it, Sammy?" she asked. "When they go in swimmin'!" was the unexpected reply.

Sure Relief



For Mothers

Kansas City, Kans.—"After motherhood I became weak and nervous, was run-down to such an extent that I could hardly walk. I ached and pained all over. I was plainly speaking, a complete wreck when a relative advised me to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This I did and in less than a month I was a well woman. Have been strong and healthy ever since."—MRS. ANNA TIMMERMAN, 302 S. 14th St. Sold by all druggists; made without alcohol in liquid and tablets.



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Flag Raising at Home for Lepers



Scene at a flag raising at the Lepers' home in Carville, La., said to be the largest institution of its kind in America. It has just been taken over by the United States public health service and will be enlarged to care for all the lepers in the country.

DROP IN CROP VALUES

Decline of More Than Five Billion Shown in 1920.

Corn Leads the List With \$1,662,000,000—Ten Crops Show Gain in Value, Oranges Leading.

Washington.—The value of farm crops of 1920 and of the farm animal products and animals sold and slaughtered, as finally determined by the bureau of crop estimates, United States Department of Agriculture, is \$19,856,000,000 or \$5,105,000,000 below the total of 1919. The drop is almost entirely confined to crops, among which the chief declines in value are: Corn, \$1,662,000,000; cotton lint and seed, \$1,300,000,000; wheat, \$854,000,000; hay, tame and wild, \$325,000,000; tobacco, \$248,000,000; and oats, \$161,000,000.

On the other hand, as many as ten

crops raised and eggs produced, \$169,000,000.

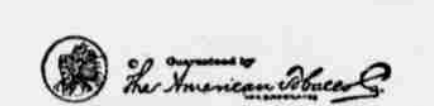
It is the rule that, in the upward and downward movements of prices, farm animals and animal products lag behind crops. So extreme was the lag in the price of animals and animal products in 1920, on account of the extraordinary fall in the prices of crops with a short period of time, that the total crop value of 1920 is reckoned to be only 56 per cent of the total value of all farm products. In the estimates for a long series of years, this is the first crop value estimate that has fallen below 60 per cent of the total of all products.

Spain to Reward Mothers.

Madrid.—Most of the Spanish provinces are organizing feres for the inauguration of "Mothers' day," a feature of which will be the awarding of prizes to conspicuously meritorious mothers. The government and the local authorities are providing funds to organize and promote the movement, which aims at the encouragement of large families.



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