

remarkable for composition and colour but marred by too sombre a frame. Mr. T. B. Wirgman had several small drawings, of which we preferred a very vivid view of the Puy de Dôme from Royat, and there were also some delicate drawings of Mount Fuji by his brother, the late Charles Wirgman, the pioneer of English artists in Japan. Miss Hechle painted 'A Glacier of Mt. Blanc' with surprising force and knowledge, and the drawing of Bourg S. Pierre by Dr. Fuller England was a good example of the way nature should be approached by a really studious amateur. Among 'old masters,' Monsieur Loppé was represented by two excellent pictures, and Elijah Walton by an unusual and very powerful drawing of snowpeaks against a deep blue sky.

But to pick out pictures for comment one by one a month (or possibly two!) after their dispersal seems a not very fruitful task. We might particularise many other very interesting exhibits. But we must be content to name a few more of the most generous contributors: Mr. Nelson Dawson, Mrs. Marrable, Mrs. Jardine, Miss Fox, Mr. C. Way, Mr. C. K. Wood, Mr. S. Thompson, Madame de Falkner.

We may also note some studies of lower mountain forms by Mr. Ralph Peacock, better known as a portrait painter.

THE ALPINE CLUB LIBRARY.

THE following additions have been made to the library of the Alpine Club since October:—

Club Publications.

Alpine Club of Canada. Constitution and list of members.

Sm. 8vo, pp. 22.

Calgary, 1908

The Club has altogether 407 members, of 5 varying grades, of whom 7 are members of the Alpine Club and 126 are ladies. "Active" members are (1) those who have made an ascent of a truly alpine, glacier-hung peak rising at least 2,500 ft. above the timber-line of the region; (2) those who for 8 years prior to date of organisation have been annual visitors to Canada's mountain regions, and have contributed to a knowledge of the same. Among the "active" members are 240 men and 63 women.

Appalachian Club. Bulletin. vol. 1, nos. 1-9.

Sm. 8vo, pp. 40.

November 1907–August 1908

"This Bulletin is to serve as a monthly gazette of the doings of the Club."

C.A.F. Règlement du Concours international de ski annuel.

1908

8vo, pp. 7.

— Troisième Concours international de ski du C.A.F. organisé à Morez-du-Jura, les 31 Janvier, 1^{er} et 2 Février 1909. 8vo, pp. ix-xvi.

— **La Montagne**, revue mensuelle. Maurice Paillon, rédacteur en Chef. Volume iv. Paris, Imp. Lecoq, 1908

8vo, pp. xxxi, 480; 252; ill.

The volume is in two portions, with separate pagination;—iv a, Articles originaux et Chronique Alpine: iv b, Bibliographie—Notes et Nouvelles Alpines—Chronique du C.A.F.

Among the articles are ;—

P. Helbronner, Chaîne méridienne de Savoie ; ma cinquième campagne géodésique.

Accompanied by a fine panorama from the summit of Belle Côte.

J. d'Ussel, Le Casque du Marboré par le nord.

J. Vallot, Un projet de chemin de fer au Mt Blanc en 1835.

Extracts with notes from a copy in the Municipal Library in Geneva, of ;—' Mon rêve sur les moyens de rendre l'ascension au Mont Blanc facile et agréable, par J. L. Eggen,' Genève, 1835, 8vo, pp. 18.

A. de Lassus, Le salon de peintres de montagne.

J. Escarra, Au Pic d'Olan par le nord.

H. Vallot, Les chemins de montagne.

A. Ferrari, Le Mont Viso.

J. Ronjat, Les noms de lieux dans les montagnes françaises.

P. Girardin, Quelques cas de diffuence des glaciers actuels.

A. Roccati, Ruwenzori.

Signor Roccati was a member of the Duke of the Abruzzi's expedition.

C.A.F. Alpes Maritimes. Annuaire, 1907. 8vo, pp. 58. 1908

— **Section Vosgienne,** Nancy. Bulletin 27. 1908

8vo, pp. 98 ; maps, ill. 6 numbers.

This contains, *inter alia* ;—

G. Eisenmenger, Histoire des vallées des Alpes.

— Histoire des grands lacs des Alpes.

Climbers' Club. Rules, list of members and officers, 1908. 1908

8vo, pp. 16.

Club alpino fiamano. *Liburnia*, rivista bimestrale. Anno vii. 1908

8vo, pp. 160 ; plates.

Among the contents are :—

C. Asperger, 1000 chilometri a piedi.

— Sulla Bjela Lasica d' Inverno.

— Sul Manhart, Jof di Montasio, Tricorno.

G. Depoli, Lo Spartiacque fra Quarnero e Adriatico.

— Sull' Obruc.

D.u.Oe.A.-V. Mitteilungen. N. F. Bd. xxiv, der ganzen Reihe xxxiv. Bd.

Redigiert v. Hch Hess.

München-Wien, Lindauer, 1908

4to, pp. 302.

Among other articles this contains ;—

M. Ruhland, Neue Gratwanderungen in d. Ortlergruppe ; Südgrat d. Trafoier Eiswand, Piz Tesoro, usw.

J. Morrigl, Die alpinen Unfälle 1907.

O.-E. Meyer, Die Aiguilles Rouges.

P. Hübel, Ersteig. d. Watsmanns v. St Bartholomä.

A. Kleeberg, Ersteig. d. Zufrittspitze ü. d. Nordgrat.

O. Gerngross, Nordwand d. Westlichen Valbuonköpfe.

G. Mayer, Die Südwand des Innerkoferturms.

— **Zeitschrift.** Redigiert von Heinrich Hess. Band xxxix, Jahrgang 1908.

Imp. 8vo, pp. viii, 398 ; plates.

München, Bruckmann, 1908

The articles are :—

E. W. Bredt, Wie die Künstler die Alpen dargestellt.

Conclusion of article in previous vol., deals with 19th and 20th centuries.

F. Frech, Lawinen und Gletscher in ihren gegenseitigen Beziehungen.

L. Aegerter, Begleitworte z. Karte d. Brentagruppe.

The map forms a ' Beilage ' to the vol.

J. Hartmann, Goethe u. d. Alpen.

W. R. Rickmers, Die Berge d. Duab.

One of the photographs with this article is remarkably good for detail, and perhaps the best printed in the vol.

- H. Bertram, Hochtouren in den Zentral-Pyrenäen.
 G. Dyhrenfurth, Skizzen a. d. Hohen Tatra.
 G. A. Kuhfahl, Die Sächsische Schweiz als Klettergebiet.
 J. Mayr, Im Alpachtale.
 K. Blodig, Aus d. Firnwelt d. Montblanc.
 J. Ittlinger, Walliser Weisshorn ü. d. Nordgrat.
 W. Fleischmann, Aus d. Ammergauer Alpen.
 E. Enzensperger, Die Hornbachkette.
 E. Franzelin, Durch d. Venedigergruppe.
 G. v. Saar, Zur Erschliessung d. Karnischen Voralpen.
 A. Witzemann, Die Kleine Kinne.
 H. Barth, Die Brentagruppe.
- D.u.Oe.A.-V. Frankfurt a. M.** Bericht. 8vo, pp. 35. 1908
 — **Lausitz.** Festschrift zum 25jährigen Bestehen der Sektion. 1908
 4to, pp. 40; plates.
 This contains a very fine panorama of the Venediger group and the
 Zillertal alps from the Glockenarkopf, taken by Würthle & Sohn.
 — **Welschnofen-Karersee.** Hütten-Plakat, Ostertag-Hütte, am Fusse der
 Rothwand. 1908
 An effectively coloured drawing, 3 ft x 2 ft.
 — **Wien.** Die Schutzhütten und Unterkunftshäuser in den Ostalpen.
 Lieferung 1. Dresden, Stengel [1908]
 Folio, 10 plates from photographs, 7" x 9".
- Mountain Club Annual**, no. 12. 8vo, pp. 50; ill. 1908
 It is pleasant to see that the Cape Town Section of the Mountain Club
 is flourishing and active, and its members enthusiastic in recording
 their expeditions. Unfortunately an accident on Table Mountain to
 a member that terminated fatally is recorded.
- Österreichischer Alpenklub.** Österreichische Alpenzeitung. XXX. Jahrgang,
 No. 753-776. 4to, pp. xvi, 296; ill. Wien, 1908
 Among other articles this contains;—
 R. Weitzenböck, Überschreitung d. Aig. de Bionnassay.
 — Erste Ersteigungen in den Steiner Alpen; Merzlagora (N.-W.-
 Grat), Langkofel (N.-Wand), Steirische Rinka (N.-W.-Grat), Ojstrica
 (N.-W.-Grat).
 O. Schuster, Aus den Lofoten: Der Rulten, Westgipfel; Der Blaaf-
 jeld.
 — Aus Vesteraalen; Gr. Reka, Kl. Reka.
 H. Hoek, Schifahrten in den Dolomiten.
 J. Kugy, Parrotspitze, Traversierung v. Alagna n. Zermatt.
 — Ein Neuer Weg auf d. Jöf del Montasio.
 F. Nieberl, Ersteig. d. Campanile di Val Montanaia.
 G. Dyhrenfurth, Erste Ersteigungen in den Hohe Tatra; Kopki-
 scharte, Höllenturm, Hintere Bastel, Kl. Gernseenturm, Hlinska-
 turm.
 — Unterengadiner Dolomiten, Erste Ersteigungen, P. Sampuoir,
 P. Cranz, P. d. Plattas (Westgipfel), Platunscharte (I. Überschrei-
 tung), P. Platuns, Ils Cuogns.
 W. Bergmann, Tarentaisgipfel: Ruitor, Mt Pourri, Aig. de la Gde
 Sassiére.
 H. Bertram, Der Canigou.
 E. Gutmann, Eine Fluchthornsüberschreitung.
 A. Schmid, Wandklettereien im Wetterstein; Leutascher Dreitor-
 spitze, Hochwanner.
 K. Plaichinger, Von Nordosten auf d. Langkofelspitze.
 R. Gerin, Die erste Möchnergratüberschreitung.
 Die neuen Touren des Jahres 1907.
- Royal Geographical Society.** Geographical Journal, vol. 32.
 8vo, pp. vii, 697; maps, ill. July-December, 1908

Among the articles are the following:—

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S.A.C. Alpina. Mitteilungen d. S.A.C., Bulletin officiel. Rédigiert v. Dr E. Walder. 16. Jahrgang. 24Nr. Zürich, Tschopp, 1908
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Among the articles are:—

Pfarrer Hürner, *Erlebnisse an d. Dent Blanche*.

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G. End, *Ersteig. d. Gitschenhörnli*.

Irene Krause, *Erste Ersteig. d. Trotzigplankstock*.

H. Ludescher, *Der Mürtchen-Ruchen auf neuem Wege*.

— **Sections Romandes.** *Echo des Alpes*, 44^e année.

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R. Blanchet, *Quelques ascensions nouvelles; Massif de Tenneverge, La Forteresse (Dent du Midi, 1re ascension par la face S.); Massif de Valsorey, Descente de la Pte Dent de Morcles par la face S.-O., Tour Sallières (1re ascension directement du Gl. Noir au sommet)*.

J. Seylaz, *Les guides et les "Führerlose"*

H. Balavoine, *Lamartine dans les Alpes*.

J. Gonin, *Les troubles visuels causés par l'éclat de la neige*.

In recommendation of yellow glasses for snow work.

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On the advantages of an infusion of maté as a drink for thirst, without interfering with digestion, yet stimulating gently and enabling one to go long without food and without fatigue. Tried by the author on climbing expeditions with advantage.

P. Geny, *Ascensions dans le Lötschental*.

Scottish Ski Club. Circulars nos. 1 and 2. 1907, 1908
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The Secretary is Mr T. S. Muir, 10 Glengyle Terrace, Edinburgh.

Ski Club of Great Britain. Year-Book 1908, vol. i. no. 4.

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Anderson, Tempest. Report on the eruptions of the Soufrière in St. Vincent in 1902, and on a visit to Montagne Pelée in Martinique.—Part ii. The changes in the districts and the subsequent history of the volcanoes. Philos. Trans. Roy. Soc. London, Series A. vol. 208, pp. 275–332. 1908
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8vo, pp. 42; plate.

St Gallen, Zollikofer, 1904

Baker, E. A., and H. E. Balch. The nether-world of Mendip. Explorations in the great caverns of Somerset, Yorkshire, Derbyshire and elsewhere.

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- 'As a sport cave-exploring ranks high. . . . To judge by the number of climbers that have taken up cave work as a pastime, there must obviously be a natural relation between this sport and rock-climbing. Certainly . . . the expert cragsman has an immense advantage over others when he takes to cave-exploring.' So writes the author, and he has made a fascinating volume about this sport, chiefly in the lovely district of the Mendips, but also partly in Wales, Derbyshire and Yorkshire. He also gives details as to necessary equipment. A great part of the book has appeared in various separate articles, and these have now been put together in a well-written work.
- Barbey, Frédéric.** La route du Simplon. Illustrations de Fréd. Boissonnas. 4to, pp. iv, 157; plates. Genève, "Atar," 1906. Fr. 30
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First edition, 1853. Boner lived 1815-1870.
- Bordeaux, H.** Promenades en Savoie. Le caractère savoyard.—Pèlerinages en Savoie.—Contes savoyards. Paris, Nouv. Libr. nationale [1907]. Fr. 1.50
8vo, pp. 179.
- Bowles, Rev. Wm L.** The sorrows of Switzerland. A poem. London, Cadell, 1801
4to, pp. 24.
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- Bradley, A. G.** Highways and Byways in North Wales. London and New York, Macmillan, 1905. 6/-
8vo, pp. xiv, 474; map, ill.
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- Bruchet, Max.** La Savoie d'après les anciens voyageurs. Annecy, Herisson, 1908. Fr. 3
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A valuable collection of extracts referring to Mont Cenis and Savoy, taken from various works from Ammianus Marcellinus to Stendhal. The chief extracts are taken from the following;—
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- St Vaast d'Arras, Abbé.** À travers les Alpes, 1582. Documents publ. par l'Acad. d'Arras, 8e fasc. 1860.
- de Villamont.** Voyages. Lyon, 1595 et 1611.
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- Decreta Sabaudiae,** 1586.
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- Lesage, Jacques.** Douai à Jerusalem, 1518. Publié 1520. Nouvelle éd. 1852 à Douai. Extraits, Rev. Sav. 1888 et Ann. C.A.F. 1898.
- Edmé, Abbé de Clairvaux.** Voyage à Rome, 1521.
Troyes, Harmand, 1850
- Affagart, Greffin,** pèlerin. Mont Cenis, 1533. MS. Bibl. nat. Paris.
- du Bellay, Martin.** Mémoires. Paris, 1588
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- 4to, pp. 283-358; 70: plates.
- General notes, with very elaborate measurements of horns and plates of horns and bones of the skull.
- Collings, Rev. Henry.** Switzerland as I saw it. London, Weir and Knight; Peckham, Pattie; Wood Green, Matthews [1876]
- 8vo, pp. iv, 44; vignette.
- pp. 23-36, Ascent of Mont Blanc.
- Comettant, Oscar.** De haut en bas. Impressions pyrénéennes. Paris, Degorce-Cadot, 1868
- 8vo, pp. 311.
- Cook, Dr Frederick A.** To the Top of the Continent. Discovery, Exploration and Adventure in Sub-arctic Alaska. The First Ascent of Mt McKinley, 1903-6. London, Hodder and Stoughton, 1909. 12/- nett
- 8vo, pp. xxi, 321; plates.
- See Review in Alpine Journal November 1908.
- Cox, Ross.** The Columbia River; or, scenes and adventures on the western side of the Rocky Mountains, among the various tribes of Indians hitherto unknown: together with a journey across the American Continent. In two volumes. Second edition. London, Colburn and Bentley, 1843
- 8vo.
- First edition, 1831.
- Crockett, S. R.** Ione March. Third edition. London, Hodder and Stoughton, 1899. 6/-
- 8vo, pp. xii, 419; plates.
- "The subjugation of the Alps" comes in chapter 4 of this novel, but they are not the Alps as we know them. One of the company is "hauled by the slack of the rope, like a blooming sack of potatoes," up the south face of the Eiger, "which looks out toward the Wengern Alp." The party at the Wengern Alp watch them "through the moisture-bearing Thal wind pouring through the valley" [presumably the Lauterbrunnen Valley] "towards Grindelwald." Next day some of the party go to the 'Viescheraarhorn Glacier.' The author's excursions in psychology are as curious as those excursions in Switzerland:—and the above is a third edition! It was originally brought out in a magazine form as 'A Woman of Fortune.'
- Desormaux, J.** Un detracteur de la montagne. Chateaubriand et le voyage au Mont-Blanc. 8vo, pp. 29. Annecy, Abry, 1908
- First printed in Rev. Savoisienne, 1907; now reprinted from the newspaper 'Annecy, son Lac et ses Environs.'
- Deutsche Alpenzeitung, Natur und Kunst.** VIII. Jahrgang, I. Halbband. April 1908-September 1908. München, Lammer, 1908
- 4to, pp. 352; ill.
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Among the articles in this volume are;—

H. Dübi, Zwei Bergtouren mit Melchior Anderegg.

O. Reicher, Ueberschreitung d. Aig. du Grépon.

J. Simon, Wanderungen im Val d'Hérens.

A. Pfreimbtner, Akad. Sektion Wien d. D.u.Oe.A.-V.

W. Engelhardt, Bergfahrten im Sulztal.

— Salanfe und die Dents du Midi.

Deutsche Alpenzeitung, Natur und Kunst. Gratisbeilage. **Verkehr und Sport**, Bd. 8, No. 1-6. 1908

This contains information as to travel, huts, climbing, club sections, etc., in Europe.

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Die grossen alpinen Vereine und ihr Wirken.

C. Schmolz, Die gesetzliche Schutzbewegung zugunsten der Alpenflora.

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— Gratisbeilage. **Sport und Gesundheit.** I. Jahrgang, No. 1-6. 4to, pp. 64.

Dreyer, Dr A. Der Alpinismus und der Deutsch-Österreichische Alpenverein. —Seine Entwicklung—Seine Bedeutung—Seine Zukunft.

8vo, pp. viii, 200; plates. Berlin, Marquardt, 1909. M. 4

A history of mountaineering, with a special history of the D.u.Oe.A.-V., and chapters upon the place and meaning of mountaineering in modern life. The author is rather too serious; he does not feel that climbing as a sport belongs, like the arts, to the ornaments rather than to the crude necessities of life. After describing the sense of brotherliness and equality it produces among its followers, he adds the curious remark:—'Ein "Weltgebirgsverein," unter der Hegemonie D.u.Oe.A.-V., das wäre das letzte und herrlichste aller bergfreundlichen Bestrebungen, das wäre die strahlende Erfüllung ihrer kühnsten und schönsten Träume.' The italics are ours. The work is a useful one and is well illustrated with reproductions of scarce prints and portraits of leading climbers.

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Sm. 8vo, pp. xiv, 229; map, ill.

Fendrich, A. Der Skiläufer. Ein Lehr- und Wanderbuch.

8vo, pp. 96; ill. Stuttgart, Franck'sche Verlagshandlung, 1908. M. 1.40

A good handbook, well illustrated. Herr Fendrich has previously published a similar handbook on climbing, 'Der Alpinist,' which is also in the Club library.

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Imp. 8vo, pp. xvi, 408; maps, plates.

The Italian and the French versions are published at 15 francs each.

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- H[ewat], K[irkwood].** My diary: being notes of a continental tour. From the Mersey to Gibraltar—from Gibraltar to Genoa—from Genoa to the crater of Mount Vesuvius—from the crater of Mount Vesuvius to the top of Mount Blanc—from the top of Mount Blanc to Paris—from Paris to the Firth of Forth. Printed for private circulation [1878]
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- Hornaday, Wm. T.** Camp-fires on desert and lava.
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- King, Clarence.** Mountaineering in the Sierra Nevada.
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Clermont-Ferrand, Thibaud; Aurillac, Picut, 1866
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- Larden, Walter.** Guide to the Walks and Climbs around Arolla. Collected and written by Walter Larden. Printed in the year 1908 from MS. guides made earlier.
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