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The following additions have been made to the Library since November :—

Club Publications.

Akadem. Alpenklub Innsbruck. 19. Jahresbericht 1911–12. 1912
9 × 6 : pp. 88.

Contains, pp. 5–13, *O. P. Maier*, In der Melzerwand : and among 'Neue Touren' :—*O. P. Maier*, Kaskarsp. ü. d. N.-Wand : Eiskarsp. ü. d. Spitzkarlkopf : Waldersunderkopf ü. d. S.-Wand ; *H. Menger*, Gruberkarsp. ; *W. Hammer*, Ausserer Bäumbartkogel v. S. ; *H. Schmiderer*, Muhriturm, Ankogelgruppe ; *H. Kees*, Campanile di Canali, Primörgruppe ; etc.

Appalachian Mountain Club. Bulletin, vol. 5. 1911–12
7½ × 5 : pp. 130.

C.A.F. Section Lyonnaise. Revue alpine. Revue mensuelle. Claudius Joublot
Rédacteur en Chef. Lyon, 1912

9½ × 6½ : pp. xv, 342 : plates.

Among the articles are the following :—

G. Rey, La Tour de Winkler.

H. Ferrand, Premiers voyages à Chamouni. Relations de Windham et de Martel.

E. Fontaine, Pointe Durier et Pointe Mieulet.

H. Mettrier, Un éloge peu connu de la montagne au xviii^e siècle, Pierre-Clément Grignon.

Todhunter, La première ascension du Grépon par le versant de la Mer de Glace.

E. Henssler, Une traversée du Bietschorn.

P. Güssfeldt, Le col du Lion.

M. Mayer, La première ascension des arêtes de la Meije par la muraille sud.

Club Alpino Español. (Memoria.) (Madrid, 1912)
10 × 7½ : pp. 212 : ill.

This well-illustrated and interesting Year Book—the first published by the Club—contains, among other articles, the following :—

En los Picos de Europa.

M. de Amezua, El macizo occidental.

P. Pidal, El macizo central.

A. Prast, El macizo oriental.

J. F. Zabala, Sierra de Gredos.

P. A. de Alarcon, Sierra Nevada.

Sierra de Guadarrama.

Fundacion del C.A.E.

Estatutos.

Various articles on winter sports, fauna, etc.

D.u.Oe.A.-V. Mitteilungen. N.F. Bd. xxviii. Redigiert von Heinrich Hess.
11 × 8½ : pp. viii, 310 : ill. München-Wien, 1912

Among the articles are the following :

M. Mayer, Die erste Durchkletterung der Lalidererwände im Karwendelgebirge.

Dr. Hörtnagl, Bemerkenswerte neue Turen des Jahrs 1910 in den Ostalpen.

Otto Langl, Von Norden auf die Dreischusterspitze.

H. Menger, Die alpinen Unfälle des Jahrs 1911.

C. Arnold, Die Hochalm spitze, ihre Zugänge und Anstiege.

- E. Christa, Die Berge des Heiterwandgebiets.
 F. Hohenleitner, Die Nordwand der Busazza.
 P. Preuss, Die Nordkante des Grossen Oedsteins.
 Die Feier des fünfzigjährigen Bestandes der Sektion "Austria."
D.u.Oe.A.-V. Zeitschrift. Redigiert von Heinrich Hess. Bd. xliii. 1912
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 The articles are the following :
 K. Müller, Das Alpine Museum, München.
 A. Durig, Turistisch-medizinische Studien.
 H. v. Ficker, Die Erforschung der Föhnerscheinungen in den Alpen.
 L. v. Hörmann, Genuss- und Reizmittel in den Ostalpen.
 W. Fischer, E. Platz, O. Schuster ; Zwischen Terek und Ardon.
 Kaukasusfahrten im Sommer 1911.
 H. Pfann, Der Montblanc.
 E. Christa, Das Gebiet der Heiterwand.
 K. Blodig, Die Bergwelt des Cromertales.
 F. Benesch, Aus dem Toten Gebirge.
 Hanns Barth, Die Adamello- und Presanellagruppe.
 H. P. Kiene, Die Puezgruppe.
 G. Dyhrenfurth, Aus der Ofenpassgruppe.
 L. Patéra, Bergfahrten in der Cavallogruppe.
Fédération des Sociétés pyrénéistes. Bulletin Pyrénéen. XVIIe année, no. 108—
 114. Pau, Garet & Haristoy, 1912
 10 × 6½ : pp. 540 : ill.
 This contains :—
 G. Ledormeur, Pyrénées ariégeoises et catalanes. Maubermé, Pic de
 Commengé, Crabere, Tuc det Bouc.
 Rapport de la Commission de toponymie.
 P. Soubiron, Le Pic d'Endron.
 Légende de tous les cols, ports et passages qui vont de France en
 Espagne, 1re partie.
 H. Beraldi, Les tours d'horizon pyrénéens de Schrader.
 G. Cadier, Les approches du Marmuré.
Fell and Rock Climbing Club of the English Lake District. Annual Report.
 10½ × 8 : pp. 3. 1911—12
 — List of members, rules, meets, etc. December 1912
 8½ × 5½ : pp. 10.
 — Journal, vol. 2, 3 nos. 1910—1912. (Liverpool, Lee & Nightingale) 1912
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 Among the articles are the following :—
 G. Seatree, Reminiscences of early lakeland mountaineering.
 H. B. Lyon, New Scrambles in Mosedale.
 T. C. Ormiston-Chant, Climbs around Conistone.
 L. J. Oppenheimer, Climbing in the Buttermere Valley.
 H. S. Tucker, First traverse of the Rateau.
 G. S. Sansom, Climbs on Scafell Pinnacle.
 S. W. Herford, Traverse of Scafell Crag.
 G. S. Turner, Climbs near Grasmere.
The Ladies Alpine Club. List of members. Recent climbs by members.
 Library Catalogue, etc. 1913
 5 × 4 : pp. 40.
 — An Alpine Calendar. 1913
 8 × 5½ : pp. 8 : 3 plates.
The Mountaineers. The Mountaineer. Second Rainier number. Grand
 Park and Summerland. Vol. 5. Seattle, 1912
 11 × 7 : pp. 107 : plates.
Nederland, Alpen-Vereeniging. Kalender. 1913
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Oester. Alpenklub. Nachtrag I zum Katalog der Bibliothek. Dezember 1912.
 8½ × 5½ : pp. 8.

S.A.C. Echo des Alpes. Organe pour les Sections de langue française. 48me année. Genève, Jullien 1912

9 × 5½ : pp. 538 : ill.

Among the articles are the following :—

C. Fontannez, Traversée du Grépon en 1911.

C. Jacot-Guillarmod, L'altitude du Cervin.

R. Fontannez, Traversée des Drus.

H. Balavoine, J. J. Rousseau et la montagne.

M. Kurz, Notes-itinéraires sur les montagnes situées entre la Drance et Ferrex, etc.

E. R. Blanchet, Deuxième ascension de la cime de l'Est.

E. D'Arcis, Inauguration de la Cabane Britannia.

A. Bally, Au Mont-Blanc par le chemin de l'école.

S.A.C. Alpina. Mitteilungen d. S.A.C. Bulletin officiel. XX. Jahrgang. Redigiert von Dr. E. Walder. Zürich, Tschopp, 1912

11½ × 9 : pp. iv, 262 : ill.

Among other articles this contains :—

E. Walder, Greina, Jorio, Muretto.

R. Beck, Besteig. d. Mönchs v. Norden.

H. Kempf, Ferientage am Eigergletscher.

Pfarrer Gottfried Strasser, portrait.

Der Besuch der Clubhütten.

In 1911 42,446 names were entered in the books of the 74 huts as compared with 26,452 in 1910 : i.e. 573 per hut, as compared with an average of 904 for each D.u.Oe.A.-V. hut.

Inauguration du refuge Campo Tencia.

Die Einweihung der Britanniahütte am Hinter-Allalin.

W. Dürrenmatt, Das Balmhorn über Wildelsigen.

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6½ × 4 : pp. vii, 311 : ill.

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Sierra Club. Bulletin, vol. viii. 1911-1912.

San Francisco, 1912

9½ × 6½ : pp. viii, 296 : plates.

Among other articles contains :—

C. B. Bradley, Stevenson and California.

S. L. Foster, Ascent of Red Peak.

F. W. Foxworthy, Mount Kinabalu.

J. Grinnell, Early summer birds in the Yosemite Valley.

F. E. Matthes, Studies in the Yosemite Valley.

M. R. Parsons, Mazama outing to Glacier Park.

R. M. Price, With the Sierra Club in 1911.

Ski Clubs ;—

Alpine Ski Club. Annual No. 5. Edited by Arnold Lunn.

8½ × 5½ : pp. 64 : plates. London, Horace Marshall, 1912. 2/-

Among the articles are the following :—

W. R. Rickmers, The avalanche.

A. Lunn, Three climbs with Crettex : Forno, Eiger and Gspaltenhorn.

E. Tennant, The Lauterbrunnen Breithorn.

W. Larden, Hints for middle-aged beginners.

A. H. Daukes, Ski-ing in Derbyshire.

Foreningen til Ski Idraettens Fremme. Aarbok for 1912.

8½ × 5½ : pp. 203 : plates.

Kristiania, 1912

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J. S. Hertzberg, Sørlandsvinteren.

A. B. Bryn, En skitur gjennom Berneralperne.

S. H. L., I snestorm gjennom Troldeheimen.

Ski Clubs ;—

Schweiz. Ski-Verband. Ski. Jahrbuch d. Schw. Ski-Verbandes. VIII. Jahrg. Bern, 1912

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F. W. Sprecher, Alpinen Skilauf u. Lawinengefahr.

M. Karz, Entre Saas et St. Nicolas.

G. Bilgeri, Ziele d. militärischen Skilaufs.

Societa Alpina Friulana. Guida delle prealpi giulie. Guida del Friuli IV.

7 × 4½ : pp. xxiii, 803 : maps, plates. 1912

Soc. des Touristes du Dauphiné. Annuaire no. 37, 1911. 2me sér. T. 17. 1912

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Paule Collet, La Tour Carrée de Roche-Méane.

A. Coutagne, Deux courses d'hiver en Tarentaise.

J. Roux, Sous les sapins de Chamrousse.

E. Chabrand, Essai de synthèse toponymique.

V. Hulin, Les avalanches.

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Contents :—

59. E. A. Martel, L'hydrologie souterraine aux Etats-Unis.

60. F. Mazauric, Recherches spéléologiques dans le Gard.

61, 65. L. Briet, Barrancos et cuevas.

62. E. Fournier, Recherches spéléologiques et hydrologiques dans le Jura franc-comtois.

63–4. N. A. Siérigès, Les Katavothres de Grèce.

66. L. Briet, Sous la Peña Montañesa.

67–8. J. Maheu, Exploration et flore souterraine des cavernes de Catalogne et des Iles Baléares.

Yorkshire Ramblers' Club. Annual Report, 1911–12; List of members, 1912–13, and Library Catalogue. 1913

8½ × 5½ : pp. 17.

New Books and New Editions.

Abraham, G. D. The beginner on the Alps. In Fry's Mag. London, vol. i. no. 5. 9½ × 6½ : pp. 491–501 : ill. August 1911

Afanasieff, R. 100 Kaukasus-Gipfel. München, Lindauer, 1913. M. 4 6½ × 4½ : pp. x, 192.

This is a collection of extracts from various books and Club publications.

Agenda. P.L.M. Chemins de fer Paris Lyon Méditerranée.

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Angerer, Hans. Beobachtungen am Pasterzengletscher im Sommer 1911. In Carinthia II. 102 Jahrg., no. 1–3 1912

9 × 6 : pp. 72–84.

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8 × 5 : pp. (vii), 530 : ill. London, Macmillan, 1912

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Blanchard, Raoul. Esquisse géographique des préalpes de la Drome. Reprinted from Bull. Soc. d'Archéol. de la Drome, 176 et 177 liv., jan. et avril 1911.

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London and New York, Macmillan, 1912. 8/6 nett

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Dedicated 'To my friends of the English Alpine Club.'

Chase, J. Smeaton. Yosemite trails. Camp and pack-train in the Yosemite

region of the Sierra Nevada.

London, Unwin, 1912. 8/6 nett

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The literature of camping among the mountains of the Western States of N. America is extensive and full of charm. This new work is among the most delightful of the books of the kind. The kind of life described and the scenery have evidently a great fascination for many writers, and all can more or less vividly convey their impressions to their readers. Mr. Chase allows his readers to share his keen enjoyment of the life and surroundings.

Clément-Grandcourt, Cap. Quatre jours aux manœuvres de montagne dans les Alpes suisses (18-21 septembre 1907).

10 × 6½: pp. 41: 4 maps. Paris et Nancy, Berger-Levrault, 1912. Fr.2

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Cook, E. T. The Life of John Ruskin.

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Couché, Jules. La Suisse, II. La Suisse française et la Vallée de Zermatt.

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September: pp. 241-263: A. M. Kellas, The mountains of northern Sikkim and Garhwal.

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Glowacki, Julius. Moosflora der Steiner Alpen. In Carinthia II. 102. Jahrg. no. 1-3.

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Gordon, Seton. The charm of the hills.

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Gos, Charles. Prés des Névés et des Glaciers. Impressions Alpestres.

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BECCA DI GAY, FIRST SUMMIT (? 3600 m. = 11,808 ft.) FROM THE COLLE BARETTI.—Leaving a bivouac at the foot of the Ghiacciaio di Rocca Viva on July 9, 1912, Mr. A. Stuart Jenkins, with the guides Jean Bournissen of Hérémence and Jean Gaudin of Evolena, reached in 1 hr. 45 min. the Colle Baretti, where they found a cairn and whence they followed in 2 hrs. the arête to the first summit of the Becca di Gay (weather uncertain and cloudy). The rocks were at first loose, but sound afterwards and were generally difficult, reminding one of the Chamonix Aiguilles. No cairn was found on the summit, but one was built. The descent was made to Cogne by the Colle Baretti and the Gh. di Monei.

A fortnight or so later Signor Ettore Santi and a friend repeated this expedition, and continued to the highest summit of the Becca di Gay.

Mont Blanc Group.

TÊTE CARRÉE (3752 m. = 12,307 ft.)—AIGUILLES DE TRÉLATÊTE (3875 m. = 12,710 ft., 3899 m. = 12,789 ft., 3911 m. = 12,828 ft.)—AIG. DE L'ALLÉE BLANCHE (3705 m. = 12,152 ft.)—COL DES GLACIERS (3098 m. = 10,161 ft.).

August 17, 1912, Herren L. Kraul, Eduard Mayer, Dr. Wilhelm Martin, Dr. Richard Weitzenböck.—'Ö.A.Z.' 1913, p. 15.

No previous traverse of the arête between the Tête Carrée and the Central Aig. de Trélatête and between the Col de Trélatête and the Col de l'Allée Blanche appears to be recorded.