

## PROCEEDINGS OF THE ALPINE CLUB

A GENERAL MEETING of the Club was held in the Hall, 74 South Audley Street, London, W. 1, on Tuesday, April 4, 1939, at 8.30 P.M., Sir Claud Schuster, G.C.B., C.V.O., K.C., *President*, in the Chair.

The PRESIDENT announced that the Committee had, at their meeting earlier that evening, elected Mr. D. W. Brown to membership of the Club.

The PRESIDENT mentioned the death of Professor A. P. Coleman of Toronto University, who was elected to Honorary Membership of the Club in 1911. Dr. T. G. Longstaff said a few words about him.

The PRESIDENT also mentioned that some 90 members had signified their intention to attend the Summer Dinner of the Club, and that full particulars of this event would be announced by circular letter.

Capt. N. R. STREATFEILD, M.C., gave an exhibition of coloured cinematograph films taken by the American Alpine Club Expedition to K<sub>2</sub>, 1938, and provided a running commentary. Appreciation of the work done by members of this expedition was expressed by Dr. T. G. Longstaff, Mr. R. A. Hodgkin, Mr. E. E. Shipton, and Professor T. Graham Brown, F.R.S. The President expressed the thanks of the members at the opportunity so kindly afforded them of seeing these beautiful recordings, and proposed a cordial Vote of Thanks to Capt. Streatfeild for his lively commentary.

A GENERAL MEETING of the Club was held in the Hall, 74 South Audley Street, London, W. 1, on Tuesday, May 2, 1939, at 8.30 P.M., Sir Claud Schuster, G.C.B., C.V.O., K.C., *President*, in the Chair.

The PRESIDENT announced that the Committee had elected Mr. J. R. Amphlett and Mr. M. S. Taylor as members of the Club, and that the Rev. R. Bulstrode (Member 1925-1937) had been re-elected to membership.

Mr. MICHAEL ROBERTS then read a Paper entitled 'The Poetry and Humour of Mountaineering.' Mr. G. Winthrop Young, Mr. H. E. G. Tyndale, and Mr. Arnold Lunn took part in the ensuing discussion which was concluded by the President proposing a cordial Vote of Thanks to Mr. Michael Roberts.



WE have just heard with great regret of the death on October 5, at the age of 77, of Mr. T. L. Kesteven, who was elected a Member of this Club in 1891 and served as Vice-President in 1933-4. We hope to publish an In Memoriam notice in the May 1940 number.

## ADDENDA AND CORRIGENDA TO NO. 258.

P. 1. For 'alba' read 'alta.'

P. 54, line 15. Read 'Dr. Hunter and Mrs. Bullock Workman.'

Pp. 85, 90, paras. 2, lines 3 and 6. For 'Vibrax' read 'Vibrac.'

P. 131. Christen Kaufmann's last expedition was the ascent of the Wetterhorn from and to Rosenloui alone, with Miss Ursula Corning and myself, accomplished two days *after* Dr. Wilson's attempt of July, 1937. During the descent of the rocks below the Dossen hut, the party was involved in a terrible thunderstorm, washing away many of the Reichenbach's road bridges.—E. L. STRUTT.

P. 149, second paragraph. For 'Columbia' read 'Colombia.'