

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, May 6, 1941, at 6 P.M., Mr. G. Winthrop Young, *President*, in the Chair.

It was announced that Mr. R. W. Mountain had been elected a Member of the Club.

The PRESIDENT referred to the deaths of W. T. Kirkpatrick, elected 1898, and F. S. Goggs, a Past President of the Scottish Mountaineering Club, elected a Member of the A.C. 1906. Mr. G. E. Howard paid a tribute to his memory.

The Hon. Secretary and Treasurer made a statement with regard to the Books and Pictures Preservation Fund.

Members were informed that the Committee had decided that General Meetings should be held on Tuesdays, June 3 and July 1, and that Papers would be read at these meetings.

Mr. J. R. Jenkins then read a Paper entitled 'Tribute to Partnership,' which was illustrated by lantern slides, shown separately after the Paper had been read. This series of slides was the best that had been shown at the Club for a long time. Mr. B. R. Goodfellow and Mr. J. L. Longland complimented the reader, who was accorded a hearty Vote of Thanks, proposed by the President.

There were 35 present.

A GENERAL MEETING of the Club was held in the Hall, 74 South Audley Street, London, W.1, on Tuesday, June 3, 1941, at 6 P.M., Mr. G. Winthrop Young, *President*, in the Chair.

Reference was made to the death of R. A. Fanshawe, elected 1929, who was killed whilst on duty as an Air Raid Warden during the raid on London on the night of May 10-11. Mr. J. E. C. Eaton paid a tribute to his memory.

Mr. J. L. Longland then read a Paper entitled 'The Road to Roundabout: Reflections of some Alpine Seasons.' This very enjoyable Paper induced a long discussion in which nine members took part, and the proceedings were brought to a conclusion by the President, who in felicitous terms congratulated Mr. Longland on the charm of his production. Mr. Longland briefly replied.

There were 35 members present, and it was generally conceded that this was one of the happiest meetings of the year.

Twelve members attended the Informal Luncheon at Brown's Hotel, Albemarle Street, London, W.1, on the same day.

A GENERAL MEETING of the Club was held in the Hall, 74 South Audley Street, London, W.1, on Tuesday, July 1, 1941, at 6 P.M., Mr. G. Winthrop Young, *President*, in the Chair.

The PRESIDENT mentioned the death of H. J. Macartney, which most probably occurred some time last year. He was elected to the Club in 1911, and for many years he held the office of Hon. Auditor. He served on the Committee during the years 1934-36.

Dr. J. Bujak then showed a series of slides illustrating the ascent of Nanda Devi East Peak and attempts on some peaks round the Milam Glacier. Dr. Bujak gave a running commentary on the slides, all of which were interesting, and there were several which gained applause for their pictorial effects. This expedition was made under the auspices of the Polish Mountaineering Club, and a full account is published in this volume of the JOURNAL. Lieut. T. G. Longstaff and Capt. N. E. Odell commented on the success of the expedition and the slides that had been shown. The proceedings closed with a very cordial Vote of Thanks to Dr. Bujak, proposed by the President.

There were 45 members present.

After the General Meeting an Informal Dinner was held at Brown's Hotel, Albemarle Street, London, W.1, at 8 P.M. The President and 25 members attended. Dr. J. Bujak was the guest of honour.

A GENERAL MEETING of the Club was held in the Hall, 74 South Audley Street, London, W.1, on Saturday, August 9, 1941, at 6 P.M., Mr. G. Winthrop Young, *President*, in the Chair.

The PRESIDENT opened the Meeting by referring to the death of Professor A. J. Clark of Edinburgh. Dr. O. K. Williamson referred to climbs he had done with Professor Clark some twenty years ago, and Mr. Harry Runge referred to climbs with Professor Clark and also to the great work he had been doing during the last two years towards the science of healing, and he believed that it was very largely overstrain on account of this work which had led to his premature death.

Major John Hunt then read a Paper entitled 'A Winter Expedition to the Zemu Glacier,' and added a Commentary on the Post-Monsoon Weather Experienced. The Paper was illustrated by lantern slides. Afterwards there was an interesting discussion in which Capt. N. E. Odell and Mr. F. S. Smythe took part. The proceedings ended with a cordial Vote of Thanks.

Thirty-four members were present.

After the General Meeting a Dinner was held at Brown's Hotel, Albemarle Street, London, W.1, which was attended by 23 members.