

climbing ability. Ascents were made of 8 mountains. Fourteen of the group climbed Gannett. During a climb on one of the other peaks, a member of the party sustained a broken leg. Considerable difficulty was encountered in getting her out of the mountains and it was three days before she arrived at the hospital. She has since recovered and is walking again.

After spending 14 delightful days at this camp, the party moved over to the Tetons where several climbs were made. Five of the group climbed the Grand Teton.

H. TOWLE

*Chicago Mountaineering Club.* During 1952 the Chicago Mountaineering Club activities were concentrated on local outings. Eleven were scheduled with a total attendance of 239 members and 184 guests.

Thirteen members of the Club attended the Mount Assiniboine Camp of the Alpine Club of Canada last July and participated in many of the climbs. Ascents were also made in the Selkirk and Lake Louise areas. From Lake O'Hara, two parties made guideless ascents of Mt. Victoria and Mt. Odaray. W. Primak, G. Everett, and R. Mankau made a trip into the northern Selkirk wilderness with Mt. Chapman as an objective, but were turned back by five days of bad weather. Trips by other members were made to the Tetons, Glacier National Park, the Sierras, and the Canadian Rockies.

Monthly programs featuring movies or Kodachrome slides were held for members and guests. During the season, lectures were given by members on Switzerland, the Canadian Rockies, Alaska, and Colorado. Joe and Paul Stettner gave an account of the first ascent of the Stettner Ledges on Long's Peak in Colorado, a bit of mountaineering history which took place in 1927 and of which the Chicago Club is justly proud.

MRS. HARRY LUMBY

*Colorado Mountain Club.* In May Carl Blaurock led a party of nine members into the "Four Corners Country" (Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, and Utah) and to the eastern Utah Indian reservations and national monuments. R. Murchison and Mrs. Murchison joined the Genesee Valley Hiking Club in their outing at Skoki

Mountain, southeast of Lake Louise, Canada, in late July and early August. Later, in mid October, they traveled to the Ozarks, bringing back a hundred color slides of that area.

R. R. MURCHISON

*Dartmouth Mountaineering Club.* With a large group of enthusiastic freshmen, climbing activities have picked up considerably at Dartmouth. As usual a majority of new members are gleaned from the ranks of the thrice weekly climbing classes for which physical education credit is given. Emphasis has been increasingly laid upon enjoyment and safety, with the belief that spectacular ascents are only enjoyable within the limits of safety and that a Club should not take its own climbing too seriously.

At each bi-weekly meeting a short illustrated talk is presented so that members may become familiar with a variety of mountaineering areas. An application has been submitted for a club room in College Hall, where equipment, maps, and photographs will be on display. In early November a group of nine visited the rocks at Val David, Quebec, and succeeded in reaching the top of the Condor Pinnacle which had been first ascended by D.M.C. men a number of years before. Mr. John Withee, a Club member, has produced a 16 mm. movie depicting an ascent of Owl's Head (Glenclyff, N. H.). This solid granite cliff, an hour's drive from Hanover, is becoming increasingly popular since the Club became reacquainted with it last spring. Several men are participating in the Arctic Research Program of the College, in which food, clothing, and equipment are being tested for use in cold weather. The group makes use of the Vilhjalmur Stefansson Library.

In the summer of 1952 a group from Dartmouth climbed in the Tetons for three weeks, after a brief stop in Colorado, and then completed a number of ascents in the Purcell Range of British Columbia, including six firsts. The Club vice-president climbed Monte Rosa in the Pennine Alps as well as making other climbs, while another member did several ascents near Dinwoody Glacier in the Wind River Mountains.

PETER ROBINSON

*Harvard Mountaineering Club.* This past summer, the Club put three parties, 11 members of the Club, into the Alaska Range.