



The Alpine Regions of Alaska (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

By H W Seton-Karr

Forgotten Books, United States, 2016. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Excerpt from The Alpine Regions of Alaska Lieut. Seton-karr above the sea-level did not equal that of the summits of Elbruz above the Caucasian snow-level; and the pretensions of the New York newspaper with regard to this ascent must therefore be dismissed. He wished to ask Lieut. Seton-karr if there was any chance of an explorer being able to cross the Indian pass from Dry Bay and get round by the lakes north of Mount St. Elias to the forks of the Copper river near Mount Wrangel? Such a tour, combined with the ascents of Mount St. Elias and Mount Wrangel, would probably be the most interesting mountain excursion possible in North America. He regretted very much that, owing to the non-arrival of the photographs that Lieut. Seton-karr expected, he had been unable to illustrate his paper with the lantern. He hoped that mountain travellers in future would take photographic machines with them and make good use of them. It was a very easy thing to do. He had himself carried Mr. Donkin's camera nearly up Mont Blanc, and every...

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