

Mountains in Scotland.

Of the height of the mountains in North Britain, I believe there have not hitherto been any very accurate admeasurements taken. The following are some of the most considerable, with the heights as given by different writers:—

	Feet.		Feet.
Arthur's Seat, Edinburgh -	810	Schehallien -	3281 or 3564
Salisbury Craigs -	550	The most southern of the Paps of	
Hartfell, Dumfries-shire (supposed		Jura -	2359
by Mr. Jameson the highest in the		Mount Battock, Kincardineshire	3450
south of Scotland) 2800 or 3304		Cairngorum -	4050
Goatfield, Island of Arran -	2945	Ben-Nevis, Inverness-shire -	4380
Benlomond, Stirlingshire -	3262	Macdui, in the Grampians, is stated,	
Benlawers, Perthshire -	4051	by late admeasurements, to be 60	
Ben More, Perthshire -	3870	feet higher than Ben-Nevis.	

Highest Mountains in the Pennine Alps.

Mont Blanc -	15,534	Aiguille d'Argentière -	13,370
Mont Cervin, or the Matterhorn	15,105	The Buet -	10,112
Monte Rosa -	15,410	Dent du Midi -	10,500
Aiguille de Géant -	13,984		

Highest Mountains in the Swiss Alps.

The Finsteraarhorn -	14,307	The Eiger -	12,520
The Jungfrau -	13,185	The Monch Eiger -	12,900
The Schreckhorn -	12,872	The Wetterhorn -	12,130

N. B. All these mountains are seen from the church-yard at Berne.

Highest Mountains in other Parts of Europe.

Northern Pyrenees -	11,160	Mont Mézin, the Cevennes, in	
Mont Perdu, ditto -	10,950	France -	6700
Vigne Male, ditto -	10,945	Mont d'Or, ditto -	6180
Le Cylindre, ditto -	10,880	Cantal, ditto -	6150
Ætna, Sicily -	10,590	Puy de Dôme, ditto -	4750
Le Gran Sasso, in the Apennines	8455	Vesuvius, Naples -	3900
Mont Velino, ditto -	7860	Mount Athos, in Greece -	6780
Loucyra, in Dauphiné -	13,548		

Very few mountains in Europe, north of the Alps, exceed the height of 6000 feet. Some of the mountains in the chain that separates Norway from Sweden rather exceed that height.

Lowest Line of Eternal Snow.

At the Equator -	15,720	In Switzerland -	8000
Latitude 20° -	15,000	Latitude 65° -	4800
Latitude 45° -	8200		

Passages of the Alps which lead from Germany, Switzerland, and France, into Italy.

Passage of Mont Cervin (only		The Little St. Bernard -	7200
practicable on foot) -	11,200	Of St. Gothard -	6780
Of the Furka -	8300	Of Mont Cenis -	6750
The Grand St. Bernard -	8150	Of the Simplon -	6610
The Col de Ferret -	7600	The Col de Tende -	5880

Passages in the Pyrenees.

Port d'Or -	9850	Port de Cavernie -	7650
Port Viel d'Estambé -	8400	Passage de Tourmalet -	7130
Port de Pinède -	8200		