

MILITARY SKI-ING.

Under the eye of the commandant of the Alps Army, French military ski championships were held in the Savoy mountains. Lots of people go abroad and pay money to have a leg broken at this game, but ~~in the army~~ ^{for the alpine Scouts} it's all done free. Join the Army and see the hospital. The championship course is over a distance of 25 kilometres which is French for a long way, but at the end they come to attention with military precision.

Ski-ing for pleasure in Austria --- their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Kent. These are the first pictures of the Royal couple actually practising the sport which they have just taken up. Their holiday followed on their visit to Athens for the wedding of the Greek Crown Prince, but tragedy intervened. The Duchess hurried ~~xxxxxxx~~ back to Athens on learning that the illness of her father had taken a serious turn, but she arrived too late. Prince Nicholas, brother of King Constantine and uncle of the present King of Greece, had died at the age of sixty-six.