

GODDESS FETED NEAR SALZBURG.

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In the picturesque Bavarian village of St Johann, near Salzburg, they revived an ancient custom with truly traditional ceremony. Amid the deep snows of winter, the peasants attired in every kind of fancy dress, gathered together to honour the goddess Perchta. According to the legend, Perchta roamed the land on cold January nights to bring blessings upon the country folk. In her honour this quaint festival was held. In grotesque costumes handed down from generation to generation, these homely people danced their way through the snowy streets in order to ward off the evil spirits.

FLIGHT OVER THE ANDES.

For the first time in history we give you glimpses of the snowy ranges of Mount Huascarón, the loftiest peak of the Peruvian Andes. Our cameraman flew up to these amazing altitudes to secure pictures of this giant of mountains, 22,180 feet high. See also other peaks almost as lofty secured for the first time by the camera. In this world of <sup>perpetual</sup> eternal snows and rare atmosphere, a plane specially built for high altitudes was necessary. ~~xxxxxxxxxxxx~~ In transparent air like this, oxygen has to be taken to assist breathing. Here amid ~~the rare unworldly~~ scenes of beauty, the eternal snows are gleaming in the white Cordilleras of Peru.