

VICTORIA MOUNTAIN CLIMB - Canada

The camera goes along on an expedition into the beautiful Canadian Rockies. A mountain climbing party is tackling Mount Victoria - a peak more than eleven thousand feet high. A marmot standing on hind legs and a sudden snow avalanche from Victoria Glacier are among the sights encountered.

Even this late into the season, the traces of winter have not entirely disappeared up here in the Rockies. The climb is one of the tougher ones in the range, and it feels good to stop along the way at Abbot hut.

During this coffee break they discuss strategy for conquering the remaining two thousand feet. Mount Victoria is climbed as a graduation test for members of the Alpine Club of Canada.

Victory over Mount Victoria! They've reached the peak, and it calls for celebration.

And there's nothing like the view from the top!