

THE DISCOVERY OF THE ICE MUMMY



It was about ten years ago
When two hikers up the Alps wanted to go.
It turned out to be a most exciting climb
Because I will tell you what they did find:

A mummy was found in the ice.
His sight was not very nice.
His skin was wrinkled and brown,
And he was lying upside down.

But the people did not stay away
From, what they called, the "Iceman" all day.
This mummy was a very big hit.
Everybody wanted to photograph it.

The archaeologists were no fools.
They inspected all his tools.
They used their scientific tricks to find out
What the mummy's story was all about.

And after some time people were told,
That man lying up in the mountains so icy and cold
Was actually five thousand years old.

He had probably lost his way
On a snowy and stormy day.
He might have fallen asleep,
And by the morning he had been frozen to death covered with snow so deep.

Now I am sure you want to know
Where you can see the mummy that was found in the snow.
The museum in Italy is too far to go.
But in this book you will find everything you want to know.