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STRATOSPHERE ASCENSIONS FEDOJEINKO, VAJENKO AND UJYJKINKUJJJR. -- 72176-FEET--12-JETTLE AND FORDNEY (U.J.A.) TEMPERATURE CONSTANT AT ABOUT 60° BELOW ZERO PICCARDX BELGIUM) -- JECOND ASCENSION ---53,153-FEET-**→**© PICCARD BELGIUM) FIRST ASCENSION 51.458-FEET-AIRPLANE ALTITUDE RECORDS -47560-FEET DONATIK/TALY)-44.933=FEET-LEMOINER FRANCE CLOUD LEVELJ ORDINARY CLOUD LIMIT CIRRUS TEMPERATURE DECREASES WITH INCREASES IN ALTITUDE. ~29,141 FEET MOUNT EVEREST CIRRO-JTRATUJ CIRRO-CUMULUS **★20300 FEET** CUMULO-NIMBUS CALTO-CUMULUS CUMULUS NIMBO-STRATUS STRATUS\_3 STATE BUILDING-1,250 FEET) ←EIFFEL TOWER-984 FEET BATHYSPHERE DIVE-BEEBE (U.S.A.) -3.028 FEET-PALESTINE 1,290 FEE JUBMARINE MOUNTAIN RIJES 7.500 FEET FROM PACIFIC OCEAN FLOOR (12,000 FEET DEEP) 110 MILES SOUTHWEST OF SANFRANCISCO. COPPERMINE 9 009 FEET-UPPER PENINJULA-MICHIGAN MAXIMUM OCEAN DEPTHS OIL WELL 11,377 FEETS JAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CAL. MEDITERRANEAN 12,276 FEET BERING ANTARCTIC (FOUNDING) 13,422 FEET-14,274 FEET-Man Accepts Challenge of Heights and Depths of Earth, Sky, and Sea ARCTIC 17,850 FEET CARIBBEAN the vastness of the earth's interior and the far greater By John A. Menaugh vastness of space. In other words, though he is an 22,968 FEET THE earth is an immense ball spinning in adventurous fellow, ready to take grave chances, and INDIAN space. It is roughly 25,000 miles in circumferever inventing new mechanisms for conquering depths and heights, man to date has risen from the ence and 8,000 miles in diameter, and, as our earth's crust, as represented in the minutely scaled geography teachers were wont to emphasize, "flatreduction by the thin coating of cellophane, relatively 26.575 FEET tened slightly at the poles." JOUTH ATLANTIC only a hair's breadth, has dug into the solid world That is a beginning sufficiently accurate and sound **NORTHATLANTIC** 27.968 FEET an even shorter distance, and has descended into for this article that seeks to point out the relatively (OFF PUERTO RICO) the mysterious and lightless depths of the sea a narrow bounds of man and other living things that shorter distance still. inhabit the crust of this sphere that spins in space. If it were possible to reduce for clearer understand-Though man is more poorly equipped by nature for digging than many of the lower forms of life, ining the size of the earth to that of a basketball and cluding the humble earthworm, and is more poorly to cover the same with the thinnest imaginable coating of cellophane, that coating would represent the equipped for flying than the bird and the winged GOUNDING OFF PHILIPPINES 35,400 FEET (Continued on Center Pages) habitable region of man and beast as compared with

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