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The Summit of Kanchinjunga in the Himalaya of Sikkim.

Lat. North: 27°42'9".

Long. East of Green: 88°31'.

Height: 28156 Engl. feet.

The view is taken from the Singhalila ridge at a height of 11850 Engl. feet, in the early morning soon after sunrise. The high towering peak already reflects the glaring light of the sun, whilst the valleys are filled with dense fogs rapidly rising, the upper margin of which still gives a peculiar reddish tint to the lower parts of the snow.