

20, Gower Street,

London, W.C.1.

27. June 1924

Dear Mr. Leigh Kealey,

at a meeting of the Mount  
Everest Committee held this  
afternoon, it was unanimously  
resolved to send an expression  
of their deep ~~sympathy~~ grief  
and profound sympathy with  
you, in the loss of your husband  
who was last seen at a height  
of 28000 feet "going strong for  
the top" of the mountain.

In the opinion of the Committee  
Mr George Leigh Mallory on all  
three Mount Everest Expeditions  
has displayed a skill in  
mountain climbing, a determination  
& resourcefulness, and above  
all a subordination of his  
own private interests for the  
achievement of the common  
end, which has been one of the

chief determining factors in  
enabling the expedition to reach  
an altitude higher than the  
summit of any other mountain  
in the world.

Believe me,

Very sincerely yours,  
J. N. Collins.

