

GOAT, ROCKY MOUNTAIN (*Antelope lanigera*, or *Aploceros lanigera*), an animal of the antelope family, inhabiting the lofty peaks of the Rocky Mountains of North America, from about the 40th to the 65th degree of latitude. Its size is about that of an ordinary sheep, and its general appearance is not unlike that of a sheep of the Merino breed, its long straight hair hanging down in an abundant white fleece. The flesh is in little esteem as food, having a musky odour.—This animal has been called the *Sheep Antelope* and the *Wool-bearing Antelope*. It has been thought that its fleece might be available for some of the finer kinds of manufactures, and that it might be introduced with hope of advantage into the Highlands of Scotland.