

Pedro Mountain Mummy

Abstract

In 1932 a discovery was made that has raised numerous unanswered questions about what many thought could only exist in science fiction. Is it possible for a full-grown adult to be so small, was it cursed, and could this creature really exist? The reality is, yes, the Pedro Mountain mummy does exist, it was found, studied, and later disappeared. The most notorious stories that have been passed down from generation to generation have been that of the "curse of the mummy." To the Native Americans this creature is something to be feared; they refer to it as "the little people", "the tiny people eaters" or "Nimarigar"; but to most it's known as the infamous Pedro Mountain mummy. Recently, an expedition was able to locate, document and explore the original cave where the mummy was found. To the authors' knowledge, this is the first time the cave has been accessed in forty years.