Fisherman's Son

Georgy Sedov was born May 3, 1877 in the family of a poor fisherman. One day, when George was still a young boy, he heard from a sailor tales of distant (distant) countries and the great discoveries and decided to study to become a naval officer (a naval officer).

When George told his father about it, he looked at the boy and shook his head. He did not want his son to study. And it was quite natural. Old experienced fisherman, who could not read or write, was sure that such things should not be thought of.

Despite the enormous difficulties, Sedov learned to read and write himself. Many years later he graduated and became a captain.

When he acquired enough experience and knowledge, he decided to go to the North Pole (the North Pole). He always said that it is necessary to get to know the area. Despite the fact that everyone thought (is) a reasonable idea Sedov, his plans for a long time been under consideration in various institutions. In addition, it was very difficult to get money for his expedition. After the money was finally collected, Sedov had a lot of work to do before he could hit the road ...

Sedov expedition was an event of great importance. It was a victory of man over nature, but this victory was won at the cost of life Sedov. March 5 1914 approx died near the North Pole.

Sedov dream was realized after the Great October Socialist Revolution, when the Soviet people raised the flag of our homeland over the North Pole.